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Historical Perspective on the Middle East, Israel-Palestine

Today's meeting was led by **President Jenn Finnegan**. She introduced Team 3 Captain, **PP Amelia Ward**. The Invocation was delivered by **Mark Rincon**. Our Greeters were **PP Amelia Ward**, **Melinda Brown**, **Alex Hauf-Belden**, **Randy Smith**. **Randy Smith** also led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Our Sergeantsat-Arms was **Kathy Anderson**. The Audio Video command was operated by **Jerry Kelley**. The President's Fundraiser tickets sales were sold by **Trisha Funk**. The door prize were a bottle of wine and \$20 in cash. We were led through the introductions of our guests and visiting Rotarians by **PP Lou Gerard**. Our photographer was **Todd Davis**. Rejoining us from Redding Rotary West, we had **Bruce Dean** at the meeting today! Also, we had **Shelly Austin**, from the Bay Area and **Ryan Denham**, from Redding Rotary West. There were also a number of guests today, which included our speaker, **Dr. Ryan Brasher** and his class, from Simpson University, all introduced by **Dr. Norm Hall**.



PP Amelia Ward I-House Update and Team 3 Captain



PP Lou Gerard, Introduced our Visitors and Guests



Dr. Norm Hall, Introduced our Speaker and his Class



Dr. Ryan Brasher, Professor, Simpson Univ.



Mark Rincon, Sunshine Report & Invocation

Jennifer Finnegan, President

Rotary Program Schedule		
7-Mar	Fire Memorial Park	Joe Chimenti/GarretClaycamp
14-Mar	Beneficial Insectary	Keith Oakley
21-Mar	McConnell International Projects	Jesica Rhone/Shanno Phillips
28-Mar	I-House	Amelia
4-Apr	Enoven Enterprises	Sam Enochian

ANNOUNCEMENTS



- I-House *March* 24th 28th
- Bowl-A-Thon April 13th @ Country Bowl
- Centennial Celebration May 23rd



Volunteers still needed to support some of the events. We have HOSTS for ALL the guests!

See more information on how you can help with I-House below. Please call **PP Amelia Ward** to offer your assistance.

Bowl-a-thon theme:

CLOWNS



The History Committee Meeting to be held after this Rotary Meeting. Please call **Tony Giovaniello**, if you'd like to help.

PP Amelia Ward is working to get us ready for I-House. We will be hosting about 30 graduate students from UC Berkeley. They come from all over the world. She needs volunteers:

• Skiers to coach on how to put-on boots, skis; stand-up after a fall, etc.







Being Rotary President can take a lot of your time!

PP Joe Ayer went through the challenge of changing jobs in his year, when he moved from Vitalint the Dignity Health.

Our current President, **Jenn Finnegan**, was not paying attention. She moved from Turtle Bay to Blach beverages this past week.

Hopefully, she'll get a discount on beer to comfort her during this transition! HISTORY MINUTE

In October 2021, PP Joe Ayer changed jobs during his Presidential year. That was a tough transition for him during an already busy year.

In preparation for this year and serving in his role as Assistant Governor, he warned all the Great Eight President Elects *not* to change jobs during our presidential year. He spoke from experience and understanding.

Unfortunately, I'm too stubborn to take advice. Yesterday I started a new job working as the Controller at Blach Beverage. (Gary beat Lindsay in an arm-wrestling match.)

I am now carrying on the tradition that Joe started and hope to serve as a second lesson to all future Club Presidents of what *NOT* to do!







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Bob Allen shared that fellow Rotarian, **Bob Dicker**, celebrated his 100th Birthday on Tuesday. Approximately 15 Rotarians went down to the 19th Hole, just before today's meeting, to sing Happy Birthday! **Mr. Allen** offered \$50 in an unsolicited gesture to honor this birthday!



Brad Rullman shared a plan to do a Local Service Project on March 9th.

Please connect with **Brad** to learn more about the Project.

If you have certain tools that you can bring it may help to accelerate the completion of the Project!

Remember to save the date!

The evening of May 23, 2024!

We'll be celebrating our 100th Anniversary as the first Rotary Club in Redding. Our focus will be on the **People**, the **Fellowship**, and our activities in the **Community** over these wonderful 100 Years!



Our Program was presented by **Dr. Ryan Brasher**, a professor at Simpson University. He was introduced by **Dr. Norm Hall**, President, Simpson University. **Dr. Brasher** was joined by his class!

There are links to his presentation slides and the audio of his presentation below.



HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE OF THE MIDDLE EAST Speaker: Dr. Ryan Brasher



Lose Your Marbles: Prize \$ 2, 120 - No Winner, Raffle Prize: Bottle of Wine and \$20

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Member Birthdays	Birthday	
Davis, Todd (TODD)		18-Mar
Fauss, Richard L (RICK)		21-Mar
Gallino, Donald F. (DON)		9-Mar
Jasperse, Becky (STAFF POSITION)		8-Mar
Johnson, Joshua (JOSHUA)		15-Mar
Liggett, Megan (MEGAN LIGGETT)		9-Mar
Mancasola, John A. (JOHN)		31-Mar
Orozco, Maria T (MO)		2-Mar
Semingson, Thomas R. (TOM)		2-Mar
Westlake, Steve (STEVE)		5-Mar
Williams, Steven L (STEVE)		30-Mar

Partner Birthdays	Member Name	Birthday
Davis, Todd	Davis, Kristi K.	18-Mar
Parker, Jana	Parker, Jason Knox	26-Mar
Rullman, Danielle	Rullman, Bradley D.	25-Mar
Nelson, Crystal	Stripling, lan	15-Mar

Member Anniversaries	Start Date		Years	Total
Allen, Robert O.(BOB)		3/4/1999	25	25
Brace, Mary(MARY)		3/10/2016	8	8
Davis, Kristi K.(KRISTI)		3/29/2012	12	12
Kimple, Jack(JACK)		3/21/2019	5	5
Malain, Kathy(KATHY)		3/17/2016	8	8
Nystrom, Michelle(MICHELLE)		3/13/2014	10	13
Stripling, lan(IAN)		3/30/2023	1	1
Tavares, Trudy L.(TRUDY)		3/4/1999	25	25
Wilson, Jill(JILL)		3/15/2018	6	17

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Ayer, Joe(JOE)	Kara (KARA)	1-Mar	27
Christensen, Bret(BRET)	Valda	6-Mar	42
Greek, Rory(RORY)	Allyson (ALLYSON)	31-Mar	12
Saeed(SAEED)	Tammera	9-Mar	22
Malain, Kathy(KATHY)	Guy (GUY)	26-Mar	39

THANK YOU

AV	Jerry Kelly
Team Captains	Amelia Ward
Presenter	Dr. Ryan Brasher
Pledge	Randy Smith
Invocation	Mark Rincon
Welcome Guests	PP Lou Gerard
Greeters	Amelia Ward, Jack Kimple, Joanna Dean, Colin Duffy & Alex Hauf-Belden
Sergeant-at-arms	Kathy Anderson
Ticket Sales	Trisha Funk
Raffle Prize	It's a surprise Rotary Club of Redding



This week's Spillway produced by Tony Giovaniello

SPRING BOCCE LEAGUES

Tutti sono I Benvenuti!



Bocce is a game that anyone can play and enjoy.

Teams will compete weekly for ranking/seeding in the single-elimination tournament to be held the sixth week of play. The winning team will be crowned the League Champions and enjoy the bragging rights! Grab some friends, form a team, and have some fun! The proceeds from the leagues go to support the maintenance and improvement of the Bocce courts.

Three leagues available!

Everyone 18/up can participate. Held at South City Park Bocce Ball Court #1.

• **4-Person League (Course #2982)** is Thursdays from 6–9pm. April 27th to June 1st. \$200. Only the team captain needs to register!

• 2-Person League (Course #2983) is Wednesdays from 6–9pm. April 26th to May 31st. \$50. Every player must register themselves!

• Senior League (Course #2984) is Wednesdays from 9am–noon. April 26th to May 31st. This league is for participants 55+. \$50. Every player must register themselves!



Register now at ReddingRecreation.org! or call 530-225-4095





