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Meeting Highlights....



Left: Lisa Runquist speaking to our Members.

Right: President Barbara Baerg, Lisa Runquist, & Principal Cherie Spamer. All are with Children's book for the Library.

Thank You!



Today's Program—Lisa Runquist – Attorney-At-Law, "Everything You Want To Know About Non-Profit Organizations!:" Today, we all learned from Lisa many details pertaining to non-profit organizations as well as new requirements to abide by. Lisa was most thorough in covering record retention, auditors, intermediate sanctions, conflict of interest, and more. Questions and answers ensued. Thank you Lisa! We all look forward to seeing you again!

Thank you everyone for a fantastic Program today and to John Alexander for photos!

Visitors....

Rotarians:

- Rotarian Louis Visco, introduced by Leo O'Biecnas.
- Pastor Jim Schoenrock, Rotary Assistant Governor, Rotary District 5260, introduced by Leo O'Biecnas.

"I think no virtue goes with size."

- May-Day & Other Pieces. The Titmouse, Ralph Waldo Emerson, 1803-1882

Announcements/Highlights Continued....

Updates/Comments:

- Barbara Mack reminded everyone about the Entertainment Books. They are available from Ken Worthen, Paul Davis and Barbara Mack. Normally, they are \$25.00 a piece, except for Orange County, which is \$35.00- but today's special is \$15 each.
- Jim Sullivan announced our Joint Fundraiser with El Centro de Amistad on May 18th. Mark your calendars as this will be an amazing event.
- President Barbara announced to everyone that cookbooks are still available -- \$10 per book. These will make a fantastic gift for someone. Last chance to purchase a cookbook!
- President Barbara announced our Club's Valentine luncheon on February 8th. Please bring a guest and/or significant other. We will enjoy a musical quartet.
- Charles Bloomquist, Director of New Horizons, announced that on Feb. 1st, Wednesday, there is a free breakfast at Sam's Place. This will be from 8:30am to 10am. Please, come and visit. Also, on March 24th there will be the 3rd Annual Fund Raising "Gala" for New Horizons at the Sheraton Universal. \$150/pp.
- Mark your calendars for March 18th – Rotary will host a pancake breakfast. This will be held at the YMCA. All proceeds will go to the Computer Lab.
- Pete announced that on the first Tuesday, February 7th, everyone is invited to the Mid Valley Police Council meeting. The topic will be about demolishing buildings and the reasons why. Please come!
- John reminded everyone about the Annual District Conference which will be held in Laughlin, May 4-7. A sign-up sheet and copies of information for the Flamingo Hotel will be brought next week.
- President Barbara announced that Rotary is hosting a Group Study Exchange and is looking for sponsors. Please see Barbara for more information.
- Leo announced that the Computer Lab will be up and running on February 2nd, 4th, or 5th. The Track Meet will be Saturday, April 22nd. Please bring friends and a stop watch -- More information to come.
- Jim Tenner reminded everyone about the Pancake Breakfast tickets and handed out tickets. Tickets are \$5 each. Please see Jim for questions and additional tickets.
- President Barbara announced that there will be a Board Meeting on Feb. 2nd at Pete Satuloff's office.
- Today's fines given out by Paul: To Jim Sullivan for getting a new car.

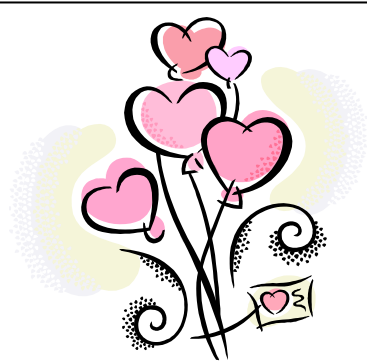


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Recognition/Acknowledgements...



Above: Charles Bloomquist, Rommel Alfaro of New Horizons, and President Barbara Baerg. Honoree Rommel received a Certificate and \$50 U.S. Savings Bond. Congratulations & Thank you for coming today!



Valentine Luncheon

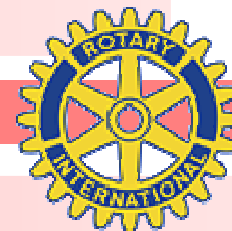
February 8, 2006 –

RSPV to Barbara Baerg (818) 601-0192

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Upcoming Programs

Program for February 1st –
Bill Selzer of 'Love On Four Paws' will bring his dog,
Madison, and discuss how his organization brings
joy and fun to sick children.

BIRTHDAYS

Jan. 25th Robin O'Biecunas
Jan. 26th Helen Worthen
Jan. 29th Vickie Smith
Feb. 3rd Ruben Corona
Feb. 4th Marsha Di Fatta
Feb. 10th Dan Schlick

HOT DATES

Feb. 8th **Valentine Lunch & Community**
Appreciation Day at the 94th
Mar. 18th **Pancake Breakfast** for
Homeless on the Avenue
of Service
Apr. 22nd **Track Meet**
May 18th **Van Nuys Rotary/EI**
Centro De Amistad Gala
Dinner and Fundraiser

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