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Meeting Highlights....



Right: The Musical Quartet singing to our Members.

Left: President Barbara Baerg with a member of the Quartet signing Children's book for the Library.

Thank You!



Today's Program—Al, Kevin, Jody, and Rick Roy, "A Musical Quartet:" Today, everyone enjoyed songs, Beach Boy car songs, Edelweiss, and many more songs. We also enjoyed the "sing-a-long." Additionally, we played – name that tune! We all had a good time. Thank yo all for coming! We all look forward to seeing you again!

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

Visitors....

Rotarians:

- Sharon Robinson, introduced by Joe DiFatta.
- Eric Morgenstern, introduced by Barbara Mack.

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- Wendy, introduced by Flip Smith.

**"The Constitution, in all its provisions,
looks to an indestructible Union
composed of indestructible States."**

Announcements/Highlights Continued....

Updates/Comments:

- Jim announced our Joint Fundraiser with El Centro de Amistad on May 18th. Mark your calendars as this will be an amazing event.
- Leo announced that the computers have been installed at the YMCA. We are just waiting for the dsl to be installed. Volunteers will paint the room perhaps on President's Day weekend. Please contact Leo if you can help.
- 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. Please sell all of your tickets and we will need many volunteers to help with this event. Jim Sullivan announced that he was able to get sausage and orange juice donated by McDonalds. Thank you Jim! This will really increase our profit. Leo announced that we have purchased two printers for the Lab. Thank you Leo and Jim for working so hard on this project.
- Helen and Jerry Myerson were recognized for their contribution to the Holiday Outreach Program at Cohasset & Bassett Street Elementary Schools.. They were presented with a beautiful plant.
- Gonzalo Tejada will lead the Group Study Exchange team to Argentina. Congratulations to Gonzalo. This will be an amazing experience for Gonzalo and the GSE team.
- Thank you so much to Joe DiFatta and his wife, Marsha; Tom and Lynne Harris; and our President Barbara Baerg for their work in setting up our Valentine's Day lunch. A very special thank you to Barbara for the very sweet gift bags she put together for all the "ladies."
- As always, much appreciation and gratitude to everyone for all that they do!

VAN NUYS ROTARY needs you! We need some volunteers for praying, selling raffle tickets, and taking notes for the Rotarygram.

"Service Above Self"

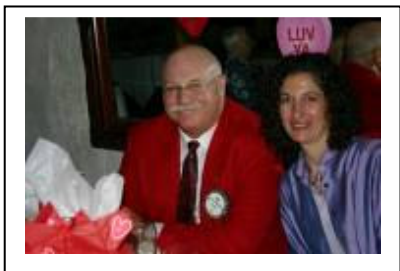
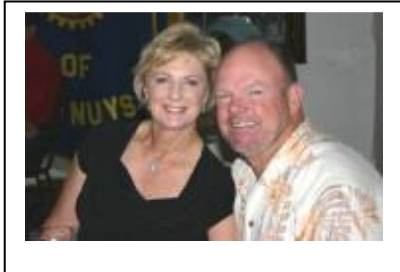


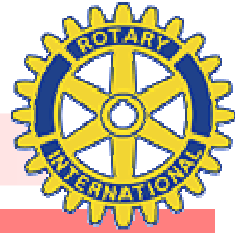
Recognition/Acknowledgements...



Left: Charles Bloomquist, Counselor Ellen Brown, & President Barbara Baerg with Honorees Louisa & Mica. Both are seniors at Grant High School and received a Certificate and \$50 U.S. Savings Bond. Congratulations & Thank you for coming today!

Below: A variety of pictures from our Valentine's Day Luncheon.





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Upcoming Programs

Program for February 15th

Ed Viramontes of El Centro de Amistad will tell us all about this important organization. Ed is an excellent speaker and we look forward to his presentation.

BIRTHDAYS

- Feb. 3rd Ruben Corona
- Feb. 4th Marsha Di Fatta
- Feb. 10th Dan Schlick
- Feb. 20th Nancy Hoffman-Vanyek
- Feb. 25th Joe DiFatta

HOT DATES

- Mar. 18th **Pancake Breakfast** for The Computer Lab.
- Apr. 22nd **Track Meet**
- May 4-7 **District Conference** in Laughlin
- May 5 **Tierra Del Sol Gala** honoring Van Nuys Rotary
- May 18th **Van Nuys Rotary/El Centro De Amistad Gala Dinner and Fundraiser**

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