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## Upcoming Programs

**June 17** Peter Webb discusses Rotary International. Now the secrets can be told.

Note: Check out our website for events, updates

### Spinnings for June 10, 2010

#### *Future Events:*

6/15/10 Dine Out – Roti Restaurant, Burlingame, 5:30

*In the beginning, Congratulations were extended to election winners Tom Huening and Carol Groome .*

We were successfully led in the pledge; the invocation by June Lamb gave us some closure after the accidental death of Daniel Cho, an Aragon student. T. Jack Foster led us in song, the first verse of "You're A Grand Old Flag" by T Jack Foster. The second time we started it, the song sounded much less like a dirge.



**The Newscast** Martin Harband brilliantly filled in with impromptu stories about accordions.

**Visiting Rotarians** No one tried to pass Jim McGovern off as a visitor.

**Rotarians with Guests:**

Carol Groome brought Professor Henry Roth of Notre Dame de Namur, which was fortunate since he was the speaker.

Linda Asbury called attention to a list of things to be involved in during her upcoming year as President. The form had two sides. Our annual bbq was confirmed and she called out for Dineout signups.



Bob Campbell recognized perfect attendance by more Rotarians than this writer could type into his notes. The writer does remember that Senior Active members don't count for this recognition.

**Three Years**

Luther Izmirian

Lory Lawson

Jeff Lowenstein

Otis Griffin (who was missing from the meeting ;-)

Carol Bullock

Jamie Casey

Brain Sullivan

Rosemary Azem

Two years

Dennis Thomas

Sheila Canzian

One year

Dave Bennett

Sue Wink

Tyce Fields

And more: if your name was not included please apprise this writer and it will be added in a future edition.

Margaret Taylor 15 years

Fines:

Pres club: Luther Izmirian was quizzed about his makeup last week graduation: his wife graduated from fashion design school but he didn't model anything.

Alan Polanski's son was pictured in Velo news with Lance Armstrong. Said son is currently riding for team USA in Europe. Well, maybe not at this exact moment, but you get the drift...

People riding horses: Chuck Catano spent a long weekend with a famous riding club in Ventura county He reports his butt feels ok. Chuck will be joining the Club Board of Directors and is passing the Spinnings baton to Lance Huntley.

Jamie Casey went to British Isles, including Cornwall, Scotland, and Ireland. In the latter, he found the Jesse James Tavern.

*Dine out* will be Tuesday June 15<sup>th</sup> at Roti restaurant in Burlingame at 5:30.

### *The Program*



Former Ebay treasurer and current NDNU professor Henry Roth gave a talk that might have been titled **Acropolis Now**, the subject of which came close to being about Greece and the Euro (or EMU as it was almost called).

After a whirlwind tour of the multidimensional world of Macroeconomics, Roth painted a picture of unintended consequences of policy. We applied formulas and learned about treaties. Forming a unified currency solved some problems and seemed like a good idea at the time. These days, not so much. Northern European nations may not be amused at bailing out other countries.

Bottom line, it may not be too much fun to be Greek for a while. That's something that any Californian can relate to.

.....Lance Huntley  
Apprentice Editor

**REGULAR COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE**

**Board — 2nd Thursday, 7:30 a.m.**

Board meets at the Main Library

**Program — 4th Friday, 7:30 a.m.**

Program meets at Park Towers, 700 Laurel Ave.

**COG — 1st Thursday, 7:30 a.m.**

COG at Rotary Floritas - 99 27th Avenue, San Mateo

**Subject to change — visit <http://www.rotary5150.org> for latest information**

### **MAKEUP SCHEDULE**

#### **MONDAY**

Belmont, 12:15, Van's Restaurant

Burlingame, 12:15, Sheraton Gateway

#### **TUESDAY**

Millbrae, 12:15, Green Hills CC

Pacifica, 7:15 am, Sharp Park GC

Peninsula Sunrise, 7:30 a.m., Pete's Harbor, Redwood City

Redwood City, 12:15, Sequoia Club

San Francisco, Noon, Kensington Park Hotel

San Francisco Greater Mission, 7:45 am, Double Play Restaurant

#### **WEDNESDAY**

Daly City, 12:15, Marie Callender's Restaurant

Foster City, 12:15, Crowne Plaza

Menlo Park, 12:15, Menlo Park Rec Center

San Bruno, 12:15, El Rancho Inn

San Francisco Bayview, 6 pm, So. Seafood Village

SFO Airport, 12:00, Firewood Café, Int'l Terminal

Woodside/Portola Valley, 7:30 am, Woodside Village Church

#### **THURSDAY**

Fisherman's Wharf, 7:30 am, Franciscan Restaurant

Half Moon Bay, 12:15, United Methodist Church

So. San Francisco, 12:15, Basque Cultural Center

#### **FRIDAY**

San Mateo Sunrise, 7:30 am Crystal Springs GC

San Carlos, 12:15, Piaceri Restaurant