

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

Club, District and International Events

April	May
<b>4th</b> : Board Meeting (7:00 am, SourceOne Financial Office)	<b>2nd:</b> Board Meeting (7:00 am, SourceOne Financial Office)
<b>5th</b> : Weekly Meeting, Outlook on the Auto Industry-Doug Roberts (6:45 am)	<b>3rd:</b> Phil Trompetter, Ph.D., Officer Involved Shooting (6:45 am, Ralston's Goat)
<b>12th</b> :Weekly Meeting, Real Estate Insight, Mike Kelly, Director, Central Valley Association of Realtors (6:45 am, Ralston's Goat)	<b>10th:</b> Jim DeMartini Chairman of Stanislaus Co. Bos (6:45 am, Ralstons Goat)
<b>19th:</b> Weekly Meeting, Junior Navy Seal Program-Buddy Wesson (6:45 am, Ralston's Goat)	<b>17th:</b> Make Dreams Real Golf Tournament (All day- Del Rio Country Club)
<b>20th-22nd</b> : District 5220 Conference (Tenaya Lodge at Yosemite)	<b>24th:</b> Lynn Dickerson from Gallo (6:45 am, Ralstons Goat)
<b>26th</b> : Weekly Meeting, COG Member Vocational Speeches (6:45am, Ralston's Goat)	<b>26th:</b> Salvation Army Breakfast (6:00 am-9:00 am, Salvation Army)
<b>28th</b> : Volunteer Opportunity, Salvation Army Breakfast (6:00-9:00 am, Salvation Army)	<b>31st:</b> Mark Germanowski Manager of the Modesto Airport (6:45 am, Ralstons Goat)

Consult the calendar online for more details of upcoming events, dates, & locations.

For a complete calendar, click here.

# **Tom's Tales**

"It isn't what you do, but how you do it."

John Wooden

The Area 6 Rotary luncheon a few weeks ago is still fresh in my mind. Our very own Mary Ann Sanders as M/C and the super supportive, great attendance of Sunrise members reminded me how proud I am to represent this club.

Thanks to James Baker, Vocational Chair and John Anderson for organizing the very cool and informative *vocational trip* to the MID/City of Modesto Water Treatment Plant at Modesto Reservoir and thanks to all the members that attended.

Next week myself and several club members and their spouses will be heading to the District 5220 Conference at Tenaya Lodge, Yosemite. The conference is an exciting time for clubs to be recognized for their work in their communities.



Mark your calendars for Salvation Army breakfast on the 28th, Craig Harris, Salvation Army chair always appreciates the help. Past President, Bob Fores great project "Ride for Mom" is Saturday, May 12, sign the entire family up for some fun (<a href="http://rideformom.com/">http://rideformom.com/</a>). Boyett Petroleum Make Dreams Real Endowment Fund Golf Tournament is Thursday, May 17. There's still room for golfers or you can donate by purchasing Helicopter Ball Drop tickets, Keys to Carl's Wine Cellar tickets or just donate and Send a Kid to Camp (<a href="http://makedreamsreal.org/">http://makedreamsreal.org/</a>). Thank you to the many members that are volunteering at the tournament too. Our club receives \$25,000 annually from the Make Dreams Real Endowment fund.

Let's continue to grow, serve and "Make a Difference" in our world.

My e-mail box is always open, drop me a line, a tale, suggestions (tomlbryant@comcast.net).

See You Thursday Morning, *Tom* 

## **Ring That Bell!**

Thank You to Our Generous Members - You Make Giving FUN!

Salvation Army Breakfast chair, *Craig Harris*, gets recognized for his trip to Hawaii!



President, *Tom Bryant,* rang the bell for his newest grand child on the way; Baby Boy Bryant!

Congratulations Matt & Ashlee Bryant!



**Tom VanderVeen**, International Chair, rings the bell for his "Bat Mobile"!





**Nick Mascitelli,** past President, past District Governor keeps the statisticians happy as he's recognized as a "two new-car family".

**Nick Pallios**, rushes to the podium for his recognition for wife, Nina's new ride!





**Keith Shepardson,** fresh from Spring Training with news of his son-in-law and gifts for President, Tom.

# **GOOD TO KNOW - Rotary History**

And What's Happening Globally

#### April is Rotary International - Maternal & Child Health

Children and their mothers shouldn't have to struggle for survival. An estimated 5.9 million children under the age of five die each year because of malnutrition, inadequate health care, and poor sanitation - all of which can be prevented. The Rotary Foundation helps mothers and children in need by providing communities the resources needed to take control of their own maternal and infant health care.



Throughout the month of April, Rotary International encourages fellow Rotarians to <a href="checkbackbere">check back here</a> for tips, resources, and inspirational success stories of Rotary International projects around the world.

Click <u>here</u> to read the full article.

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Ray M. Capparos, District Governor, District 5220 2017-18 (click here for more about District Governor)

lan H.S. Riseley, Rotary International President 2017-18

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