



ROTARY ROUND-UP



Edgard Garcia, President 2016-2017

Celebrate Rotary

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Imperial County Association of Realtors



Karina Alvarez introduced Ruben Gonzales the Chief Executive Officer of the Imperial County Association of Realtors. Ruben spoke to us about the Imperial County Association of Realtors with over 400 member brokers. He pointed out that Kathy Ball and Ed Snively were both supporting



members of the organization which emphasizes real property rights. Being a member of the organization gives the members rights to the CAR hot line and accurate real time data about real properties (through its MLS information). James Garcia, President of the Imperial County Association of Realtors, was also very informative. The organization supports local charities, is part of the California Association of Realtors and a member of the National Association of Realtors.

Visiting Rotarians and Guests of Rotarians



Our own visiting Rotarian, Richard Acosta, was at today's meeting. Karina Alvarez introduced James Garcia and Ruben Gonzales, the President and the

Chief Executive Officers of the Imperial County Association of Realtors.

Visitors and Guests are Always Welcome!



POT



Karina Alvarez won the small POT, however the big pot remains until a new day.

Pledge, Prayer and Song



President Edgard began the meeting with the pledge by Bill Thomas, followed by the blessing/prayer by Ed Snively and the patriotic song led by Randy Miles (who was in good form).

The Four Way Test of the things we think, say or do guides Rotarians.

The test is as follows:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Does it promote GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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Whining and Fining



Karina Alvarez confessed to something that cost her money, while no one else was in a confessing mood.

Victor Calderon was asked what important legal document was signed on this date in history. It turns out that the Magna Carta (the "Great Charter") was signed on June 15, 1215 (only 802 years ago). It promised the protection of church rights, the protection of the barons from illegal imprisonment, and access to swift justice (i.e. probably a quick beheading).

Lanny Foote was asked about the purpose of the document. He responded that it provided for a nation of laws and judgment by one's peers. The Prez thought it to be a good response and it cost Lanny a mere \$25.00.

Cliff Caldwell was asked what king signed the Magna Carta while under pressure by the barons. After guessing wrong and getting a lifeline from an unnamed source, both Clifford and the unnamed source (i.e. Sue Giller) both paid \$25.



Thank you to everybody who has helped fill the coffers this year.

Announcements

Bob Barros reminded everyone to sign up for the President's **kickout to be held at 6:00 p.m. at PAL on June 29, 2017.**

WE WILL BE DARK NEXT THURSDAY AT NOON

The annual Kickout will be held on June 29th—Hold that date on your Calendar. 6:00 P.M. at PAL

