



# ROTARY ROUND-UP



Kris Becker, President 2017-2018

Celebrate Rotary

Number 2 for The Week of July 13, 2017

## Calexico Neighborhood House



Robert Menvielle introduced today's program speaker which was Denise Velasquez (from the Calexico Neighborhood House in Calexico). Denise helps individuals who want to make and operate their own businesses. She is involved with Business Marketing, including the Cottage Food Operations". There are issues of permits, the internet, Facebook, etc. Apparently, for your micro-business, you don't have to report to the Board of Equalization if you are under the cap of \$35,000.00 in receipts. I told the individual next to me that with

ten (10) family members you might be able to get by with \$350,000 or less in receipts for your micro-business. They didn't believe me! I don't know why?



It was a very interesting program! Thanks Denise.

## Announcements



President Kris announced that on August 10<sup>th</sup> the District Governor of our Rotary District would be visiting our Club.

President Kris also announced that there would be an event to commemorate Steve Wills

at the Stockman's Club on August 5, 2017.

Neal Hitch had the lawyer joke for the day: What do lawyers use for birth control? Their personality!



## POT



Richard Acosta won \$37.00 in the weekly drawing. However, he did not win the large pot which was carried over.

Rotary Theme for 2017-2018



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE



### THE FOUR-WAY TEST Of the things we think, say or do

- First*      Is it the TRUTH?
- Second*    Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Third*      Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER  
FRIENDSHIPS?
- Fourth*    Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

## Pledge, Prayer and Song



President Kris Becker began the second meeting of her Rotary Club presidency with the pledge by Cathy Kennerson, followed by the blessing/ prayer by Pastor Ron Griffen and a loud patriotic song led by Randy Miles.

Everyone was in very Good voice!

## Visiting Rotarians and Guests of Rotarians



Our own visiting Rotarian, Richard Acosta, was at today's meeting. President Kris' guests were her husband Mike and her boys Grant and Kyle. Todd Evangelist introduced his guest Matt Phillips, the new Principal of Southwest High School. Robert Menvielle introduced his guest Denise Velasquez (today's program) and Jennifer Thomason introduced her guest James Garcia. Neal Hitch introduced his house guest, Charles Kirby, who is currently living with his family.



Before announcements, Matt Phillips spoke to the club about his experiences as being the new

Principal of Southwest High School. It included condolences from our own Emma Jones, after Matt admitted that he had applied to be the principal. The new job involves looking toward college and career readiness for his students. This includes classes introducing them to a health occupation, culinary arts, etc. He even admitted to traveling across county to Southwest so his son could be part of the orchestra at Southwest.



## Whining and Fining

Lee Hindman admitted (after prodding) that he was on a boat cruise with 14 others and that he said he thought about Rotary during his trip. Are you kidding us! He brought the President a fancy "Dice" and a bottle of something called liquid yellow gold. All we can say is: "Don't eat yellow snow!" Lee graciously paid \$100.00 to the Club and \$100.00 to his Paul Harris. Well done Lee!



Frank Miranda was also in a similar situation while fishing near Vancouver, Canada for two (2) days. They fished for Salmon and stayed in a lodge by the Bay. They also caught crab in some



traps and ate crab. Frank admitted that he didn't think of Rotary for a second. He also graciously paid \$100.00 to the Club and \$100.00 to his Paul Harris. Another Well done Frank