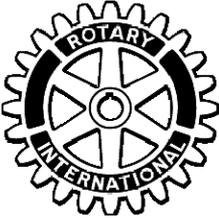


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*Welcome to the
New Fresh
Squeeze!!!*

*We need content!
Send all news,
events and ANY
items of interest
to the editor at
least 10 minutes
before the next
meeting (just
kidding, get it in
sooner, please)!*

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New President In Town!!

Pulling up to the clubhouse door in his beemer, John Pellizzon takes over the office of President this week and exudes all the pomp and majesty that office demands. No longer just a member of the "rowdy table", he now commands respect and attention from his enthralled min-



ions. Read his heart-rending, inspiring, inaugural missive printed elsewhere in this week's issue.

Von's Term Now History!

On June 17th, Shirley Von passed the gavel to the President Elect and symbolically transferred power of the Club's mightiest office to a person of the opposite sex. This has only happened once before in the history of CSR and pundits are still out on the long term ramifications of this event. Many are now asking "what are the odds?"

Upcoming Events and Dates

Wednesday, July 9th — Board Meeting 6pm @Coco's
July 26th — Pico Rivera Chartering Ceremony / Dinner
August 9th — "The Producers" field trip
October 19th — Xmas in October at Kellogg Mansion

The President's Message

Welcome Rotarians to the new year. I want to start off by thanking Shirley Von on the outstanding job she did last year as President, she was so organized and under control. If you had any thoughts of a second year of that, boy are you going to be sorry. Not to worry too much, I'll hold down the fort and try to be as politically correct as possible. I will continue the "first to be" trend that Shirley started. Shirley was the first female President of our club and I will be the first offspring of a Charter member of our club to be President. My dad, Norm, was a charter member on that fine day on April 21, 1982. He was a member until the drinking and rowdy meetings drove him to the



"old man's club". Wow, I blew the PC thing already, my apologies. If there is anything I can do to make this a great year, please let me know, john@acepelizon.com is my "always on" email and my cell phone (626-523-6290) is usually on. Those are the two best ways to contact me and please don't hesitate to contact me, it's no bother, that's why God invented caller ID and voice mail on cell phones. Here's to a great year and the great work that our club does, our club is the best because of our members. Thanks for your trust in me to do the job.

— John N. Pellizzon

"Reading By 9" Program

Many thanks to Mary Hubbert, John Pellizzon, Nancy Morales, and Owen King, for helping me sort books for the Reading by 9 Program. This was our final project of the Rotary year. Also, thank you to Jon & Pam Pomeroy for allowing us use of their work facility for



delivery and distribution of the books. A total of \$4,000 in books was donated to K-3 grades in the Azusa, Covina Valley, and Charter Oak School Districts, as well as to Sunrise Christian School. I thank all of you for supporting this valuable program.

— Shirley

Today's Program

Today's special "kick-in" program features presentations from several of our key services. Speaking will be:

- Don Crouse, Paul Harris Foundation
- Tim Burlingame, Tex Everson Humanitarian Endmt.
- Mary Hubbert, Reading By 9
- Pam Pomeroy, V.I.P.
- Don Boline, Wheelchair Foundation

After a brief video shown in Don Boline's presentation, there will be a special encore presentation of the kick-out video, "Shirley At Bat" shown at the end of the meeting.

Meeting Assignments

This week there will be a signup sheet passed around where you will have the opportunity to sign up for Programs, Setup, or Raffle duties for one month of the coming year. If you don't sign up for anything, your name will be filled in on



one item by the evil assignment master. Also note that the last Tuesday of each month will be reserved for craft talks. If you're a new member or haven't given one in a long time, expect to see your name on this list too.

Joke of the Week

A Teamster was driving his truck through Nevada and decided to end his day's work with a little recreation for the night. He knocked on the door of a roadside "establishment" and, being a good union man, asked if the house was a 100% union shop. The proprietress replied "no, but the house across the street is all union". So the trucker went across the street

and, upon asking the same question there, got assurances that they were a solid union shop. The trucker said "great, then I'll take that cutie over there in the corner". To which the proprietress replied "sorry, but you are going to have to take 'attractiveness challenged' Ethel over there, she has more seniority".

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