Club Reporters

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MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

MONDAY:
Belmont: THE VAN'S
Burkeville: SHERATON CATHEDRAL
Central Marin: LEFT BANK
San Rafael: ROTARY MANOR

TUESDAY:
Marin Evening: 8:30 pm MCNINIS PARK
Mill Valley: MILL VALLEY GOLF COURSE
Millbrae: GREEN HILLS COUNTRY CLUB
Novato Sunrise: 7:15 am MOYLAN'S BREW
Pacific: 7:15 am SHARP PARK RESTAURANT
Peninsula Sunrise: 7:30 am PETE'S HARBOUR
Redwood City: SEQUOIA CLUB
San Francisco: MARINES MEMORIAL CLUB
SF Golden Gate: 6:30 pm ALFRED'S STEAKHOUSE
SF Green Mission: 7:45 am DOUBLE PLAY REST,
SF West: 6 pm PASTA POMODORO, LAUREL VILL.
Terra Linda: CONTEMAPO MARIN

WEDNESDAY:
Daly City: MARIE CALLENDER'S
Foster City: CROWN PLAZA PC
Marina Sunrise: 7:15 am CORTE MADERA INN
Menlo Park: MENLO PARK REC CENTER
Ross Valley: DEER PARK VILLA
San Bruno: EL RANCHO INN, MILLBRAE
SF Bayview: 7 AM DAGO MAR'S, HUNTERS
SF NAVAL SHIPYARD
Tiburon-Belvedere: SF YACHT CLUB
Woodside: 7:30 am WOODSIDE VILL CHURCH

THURSDAY:
Fisherman's Wharf: 7:30 am FRANCISCO REST.
Half Moon Bay: METHODOIST CHURCH
Ignacio: INN MARIN
Mission San Rafael: SAN RAFAEL JOE'S
San Mateo: POPLAR CREEK
Sausalito: ALTA MIRA HOTEL
So. San Francisco: BASQUE CULTURAL CNTR.
Tiburon Summer: 6:15 pm SF YACHT CLUB

FRIDAY:
Novato: MARGARET TODD SR. CTR.
San Carlos: VAN'S
San Mateo Sunrise: 7:30 am DOMINIC'S AT
POPLAR CREEK

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WHEEL WRITES is distributed weekly to all those attending the meeting of the Rotary Club of South San Francisco. Copies are mailed to members who do not attend.

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Our Rotary Club does a lot for the public high schools in South San Francisco. One of the events we sponsor for the school kids is known as "Student of the Month." This particular event was this day. As is the usual practice, we invited to lunch two kids from El Camino High led by Principal Adele Berg and four from South San Francisco High, led by Principal Michael Coyne.

Each student is selected, on his or her leadership and academic achievement. Most notable is that the students chosen seem to excel in some areas and their interests decline in others. We have had chosen students explain that they were most interested in drama, others in Auto Mechanics or French or literature and even sports. In this event, several years ago the trend was medicine and law. It is great that the students seem to have a much wider scope of understanding these days; despite the fact, that a good number of TV programs and computer games, available to kids seem to focus on crime, law and medicine.

Among the other things we do to help these local kids is provide a "Shadow Day". This is a way, whereby members of our club escort students to local businesses to let them have a sample of what type of work that might interest them and how such a business operates. This tour occurs in the morning and is climaxed with a lunch for all participants.

It is questionable whether the students enjoy the food provided at these luncheons, but they are fun and interesting for the Rotary Members.

The Rotary Scholarship program gives deserving students significant money to help with their University education. This seems to be one of the most generous programs of its kind in America.

Each year we provide each High School principal money to be used at their discretion for needy kids. The principals dole out this money to kids, who need such items as lunch money or clothing and to participate in school activities.

Last, but not least, we support student Interact Club activities. In this activity, the students participate in events, that are of their own volition. The most notable, last year, was the painting and upgrading of an elderly lady's home.

All of the mentioned activities above were and are guided by that handsome and debonair John Schlenke. What a guy!

In addition to all of these events, the April Basketball game with the Harlem Globe Trotters is a fund raiser intended to provide financial assistance to the local schools.

** Rotary International News **

 Rotary is a volunteer organization with over 32,000 clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas. The organization initiates humanitarian programs that address today's challenging issues, such as hunger, poverty, and illiteracy.

Rotary club members represent a cross-section of business and professional leaders worldwide. These 1.2 million men and women donate their expertise, time, and funds to support local and international projects that help people in need and promote understanding among cultures.

Rotary's flagship program is its effort to protect children against polio, with the goal of ending the disease throughout the world.

** Hospitality, Invocations and Fine Dining**

- February 8 Don Bowcutt
- February 15 Ed Bortoli
- February 22 Catherine Vantimiglio

** NEXT MEETING **

Instead of our regular lunch meeting, this will be a dinner to Celebrate Valentine's Day.

** MEETING SCHEDULE **

- **February 22** Basque Cultural Restaurant
  Rob Wood, "The Club's Constitution and Bylaws"
  March 1 Basque Cultural Restaurant
  Pamela Wolfberg, PhD "The Challenge of Autism"

** INVESTMENT TIPS **

- Zippo Manufacturing, Audi Motors, Dofasco, and Dakota Mining will merge and become: ZipAudDoDa.

- FEDEX is expected to join its major competitor, UPS, and become: FEDUP.

- Fairchild Electronics and Honeywell Computers will become: Fairwell Honeychild.