



NEWPORT BEACH SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB

## Reflections at Sunrise

President	Mary Cockley	Membership	Reniero Francisco	Community Svc.	Syd Lucas
Pres. Elect	Tim Brown	Club Bulletin	Caroline Babott	Vocational Svc.	Tim Brown
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Treasurer	Christina Holliday	Fellowship	Jeff Heilesen	Public Relations	Laura Dietz
Club Svc.	Willis Longyear	Finemaster	R.Yuja, J.Hedlund	Srgt. at Arms	John Goodlad

President Mary Cockley rang the bell at 7:30 AM to open the February 24th meeting. Tim thanked Pam Iles for arranging this off-site meeting and the wonderful continental breakfast. Chuck Hirsch led the invocation and our song leader today was Willis Longyear.

### February – World Understanding Month

#### Assignments

	<u>March 3</u>	<u>March 3</u>
Invocation	Lind	Barrone
Pledge	Babott	Francisco
Song	Kennedy	Cooling

#### Get Well Wishes and Prayers

Dickson Shafer gave an update on Lois' condition. She is still at Hoag Hospital. Please keep Lois in your thoughts and prayers. Cards can be sent to their residence.

### Visiting Rotarians & Guests February 24, 2009

Ursula Oien, Guest of Ray Oien  
Nancy Goodlad, Guest of John Goodlad

#### Rotary Calendar

Mar 3 Dr Oliver H. Winn, Fossil Fuels, Civilization without Oil  
Mar10 Vlade Roytapel, The Russian Dog Wizard-Dog Talk  
Mar 17 Shane Burkle, Water Conservation Coordinator, Newport Beach "Clean Water in Our City".  
Mar 18 Board of Directors meeting 7:30 AM Coco's  
Mar 24 Craft Talks  
Mar 31 Dr. Andrew Fujita, Clinical Nutritionist, "Wellness"  
Apr 7 Rae Shirer, Attorney, "Coping with New Laws in 2009"

### Ocean Institute School Programs

The Ocean Institute at Dana Point will be presenting their watershed program to 5<sup>th</sup> graders at schools in the Newport-Mesa School District with the support of our Club. Here is the upcoming schedule if you wish to attend and show Rotary support:

**Mar 2** Wilson Elementary 8:20-11:15 am, 801 W. Wilson, Costa Mesa, CA 92627

**Mar 17** Pomona Elementary 12:45-2:20, 2051 Pomona Ave, Costa Mesa, CA 92627

**Mar 24 & 25** Rea Elementary (time to be determined), 661 Hamilton, Costa Mesa, CA 92627

**Mar 31** Newport Coast Elementary 8:45-12:20, 6655 Ridge Park Rd, Newport Coast, CA 92657

### Valentine Party Canceled

President Mary Cockley announced the Board of Directors has voted that all monies paid by members to attend the Valentine party will be applied to your dues next quarter. If you wish to make other arrangements please e-mail Christina Holliday at [cholliday@lytledc.com](mailto:cholliday@lytledc.com).

### 2009 Club Vocational Project

The Working Wardrobes, Men's Warehouse and Salvation Army vocational project of the Club has been scheduled for this spring. The clothing drive will be on Tuesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>. Please clean out your closets and bring to the meeting your men's and women's clothing which will be picked up by Working Wardrobes that day. Tim will have sign-up sheets next week for the workshops. The workshops will be run by Laura Dietz, Chuck Iverson and Patricia Bintliff and are scheduled

for: March 28, April 4, 18 and 24, May 2, 9 and 16<sup>th</sup>. May 9<sup>th</sup> is the scheduled Success Day and all members are invited to attend. Graduation is May 16<sup>th</sup> and again all members are invited to attend.

### District Conference

President Mary Cockley announced that the District Conference is scheduled for March 27, 28 and 29, 2009 at the Hyatt Regency. Price Shapiro passed out registration forms. Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, is Hospitality Night. Don Norman and Jerry Barrone are in charge of our Club Ice Cream Shoppe. You must register in order to attend Hospitality Night and the fee is only \$25. You can go to the District website and register on line.

### Judge Wendy Lindley A Special Courtroom

Pam Iles introduce her very good friend the Honorable Wendy S. Lindley. Judge Lindley told us about the building in which the court is housed. It is the old Buffum's building. It took 3 years from beginning to end to ready the building for occupancy. Judge Lindley picked out all the colors, floors and even laid the tile in the building. Judge Lindley runs a **Drug Court**, whose mission is to provide a non-adversarial judicial response to selected non-violent offenders charged with drug use, by providing a comprehensive treatment and supervision program that includes drug education and treatment, vocational and employment components so that each participant develops a level of self-sufficiency

and becomes a productive, responsible member of the community.

The **DUI Court** is designed to reduce DUI Recidivism, enhance community safety, and foster a healthier and safer life for the participants and their families by increasing treatment, supervision and accountability of the high-risk impaired driver.

The **Recovery Court** is a collaborative effort to address mentally ill offenders in Orange County by providing coordinated assessment, services, support and close monitoring. The collaborative partners include: the Sheriff's Department, the Health Care Agency's Correctional Mental Health and Adult Mental Health Services, the Public Defender, the District Attorney, Probation and the Court. The goal of the program is to reduce the likelihood of participants' re-offending, enhance community safety and assist clients in reaching their maximum potential as citizens of the community.

**Veterans Court** is to provide an inter-agency, collaborative, non-adversarial treatment strategy for Veterans in the criminal justice system who suffer from PTSD, psychological or substance abuse problems as a result of having served in a combat theater

**Outreach Court** gives homeless people access to the court system to settle matters pending against them. Local shelters host a special court session, at which a judge, court staff, prosecution and public defender attend and hear cases.

The **Wit Court (Whatever It Takes)** is a collaborative effort to address mentally ill offenders in Orange County by providing coordinated assessment, services, support and close monitoring. The collaborative partners include: the Health Care Agency, Mental Health Association of Orange County, the Public Defender, the District Attorney, Probation and the Court. This program is funded by proposition 63, the Mental Health Services Act. The goal of the program is to reduce the likelihood of participants' re-offending, enhance community safety and assist clients in

reaching their maximum potential as citizens of the community.

#### [Club Website](#)

[www.newportbeachsunrise.org](http://www.newportbeachsunrise.org)

#### [2008-2009 District 5320](#)

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#### [Need a Make-up? Try:](#)

Newport Irvine Rotary Club on Thursdays at 12 noon at the University Club on the UCI Campus

Newport Balboa Rotary Club on Wednesdays at the Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club, 1601 Bayside Dr., Newport Beach at 6:15 PM.

Laguna Beach Rotary Club on Fridays at 12:15 AT Hotel Laguna.

Costa Mesa on Wednesday evening 5pm to 7 pm (no dinner) at Metro Court, 555 Anton, Ste 150, ground floor, Costa Mesa.

#### [Catalina Weekend](#)

Willis Longyear reminded members to save the dates of **May 15th through May 17th**, in anticipation of finalization of plans for club members and spouses or significant others to take the boat from Newport Beach to Catalina to attend the annual Silent Movie Benefit on Saturday, and return home on Sunday. Plenty of time will be available on all three days for enjoying all sorts of island activity in Avalon and out on the Island, interspersed with dinner at the Longyear house Friday night, attending the silent movie, "The Black Pirate", starring Douglas Fairbanks Jr., followed by dinner in town on Saturday, and returning to Newport on Sunday.

We'll be putting together details in the next couple of weeks on where to get boat tickets, a short list among the many hotels to call for reservations, how to get theater tickets, and a listing of some of the many other activities available during the time we'll be there.

It will be helpful for us to know who

among you might be interested in embarking on this adventure on the high seas -- so give us call, at 949-675-1180, or tap our email [wdlongyear@gmail.com](mailto:wdlongyear@gmail.com), with your early thoughts on the subject.