

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
Secretary	Cal Wallace	Programs	Gordon Bagne	Environm. Svc.	Chris Szechenyi
Treasurer	Christina Holliday	Fellowship	Jeff Heileson	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 June 16th meeting and thanked Margo and Lorenzo for preparing for our meeting.



President Mary Cockley

John Gregg led the invocation, Kimberly McKinney led the pledge and our song leader today was Don Norman.

### Visiting Rotarians & Guests June 9, 2009

John Nootbarr, Laguna Beach Rotary  
Lynne Hayes, Guest of the Club  
Byron Birch, Guest and son of Tom Birch  
Richard E. Monelis, Framingham MA Rotary, PDG

### Flag Exchange

Past District Governor, Richard E. Monelis from the Framingham, MA Rotary Club presented President Mary Cockley with a flag from his club.

### Josephson Institute of Ethics

President Mary Cockley presented some thoughts from the Josephson Institute of Ethics

## CHUCK HIRSCH ENTERTAINED US WITH SOME HUMOR!

### Assignments

	<u>June 23</u>	<u>June 30</u>
Invocation	Gregg	<b>DARK</b>
Pledge	Michler	<b>DARK</b>
Song	Norman	<b>DARK</b>

### Rotary Calendar

June 23 Tom Jackson, Travel Specialist, "How a Travel Agent Can Help in the Internet Age"

June 30 **DARK – DEMOTION PARTY 6:00 PM @ FIVE CROWNS**

## JUNE IS FELLOWSHIP MONTH

### Drug Court Graduation

Syd Lucas thanked Caroline Babott, John Hedlund, Dickson Shafter, Ray and Ursula Oien, Clare Taber and Laura Dietz for attending the graduation. Laura Dietz announced that she provided Dr. Kathy with a copy of our video that will be shown at the Lobsterfest.

### Demotion Party

JoAnne DeBliss passed around a sign up sheet for the Demotion Party and reminded us that there will be **NO morning meeting** on Tuesday, June 30, 2009. There will, however, be a party at **6:00 PM** at Five Crowns where President Mary Cockley will be demoted! The theme is Hawaiian. Wine will be served with dinner and there will be a no host cocktail hour. Members are free and guests are only \$25 per person.

## Have you Paid your Dues and/or Pledge?

Christina Holliday reminded members that Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> is the last day to pay your dues and pledges for this fiscal year.

### Nethercutt Museum

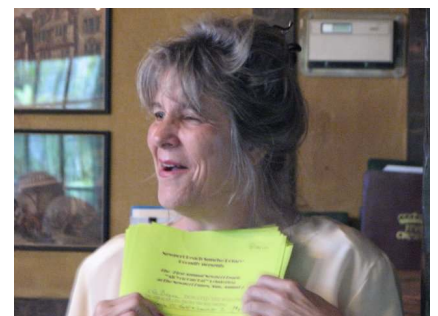
President Mary Cockley thanked Jeff Heileson for a great trip starting with lunch and then on to the Nethercutt Museum. Fourteen Rotarians and guests attended and a great time was had by all.

### District Award

President Mary Cockley announced that when District awards were presented in May our Club, in a large category, received a third place rosette for Vocational Service. She thanked Tim Brown and all Rotarians who worked so hard to make this project such a success.

### All You Can Eat Lobsterfest

Laura Dietz, "Captain of the Good Ship Rotary," passed out to all members a report of what they donated as auction items last year with a place to list what you will attempt to get donated this year by Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>.



Laura Dietz

Ticket sales are underway so if you have not bought your tickets now is the time. Tim Brown reminded members that Posters are available for storefronts, etc., so every member is encouraged to take some posters to any businesses they frequent and ask them to display a poster. We need to make the community aware of the event. Every member is expected to sell 1 table or 20 general admission tickets. Remember that the quantity of people in attendance will make this event a success.



Tim Brown

**Books – Books – Books**

Kimberly McKinney announced that she has a library full of paperback books at her home in Newport Beach. She must empty that room on Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup> from 9 am you can come and take bags full of books to read and/or donate to the Library.



Kimberly McKinney

**New Paul Harris Fellow**

Richard Hanki presented Richard (RJ) Green with his Paul Harris Fellowship certificate, pin and medal. He also announced that Gordon Bagne has donated \$2,000 and John Hedlund has donated \$1,000.



RJ Green and Richard Hanki

Richard Hanki announced that he is still accepting donations to your Paul Harris accounts.

**End Polio Now – Angel Game**

President Mary Cockley announced that at the Governor’s Transition Dinner it was announced that the Angels have donated 1,200 seats to the LA/Orange Districts for the August 29<sup>th</sup> game v. Oakland. If you are interested the tickets are \$30 for Terrace seats. See Mary for order forms.

**Thank You from President Mary**

President Mary Cockley thanked the following and presented each with a small token of her appreciation:



President Mary Cockley presenting gift to John Hedlund

- Jerry Barrone and Don Norman**, Co-Chairs of Hospitality Night.
- John Goodlad**, Sgt at Arms
- Gil Thweatt**, Mentoring Red Badge Members
- Tom Egan**, Pictures and Website
- Richard Hanki**, Foundation Chair
- John Hedlund**, Fine Master and Hosting our Christmas Parties
- Tim Brown**, Vocational Chair

**Fines**

Fine Master John Hedlund caught Albert Molina for the article on him in the Santa Ana Register. It was Albert’s first time in the newspaper and his first fine so he paid \$100. Gil Thweatt, who has paid his pledge in full, will be celebrating 58 years of marriage to the lovely Suzanne. Cal Wallace is not far behind as he will be celebrating 56 years of marriage to the lovely Phyllis on June 27<sup>th</sup>. Pam Iles thanked the Club for its donation to the Family Violence project and Marines. She paid \$50.

**Clean Water in our City**



Shane Burckle

Laura Dietz introduced Shane Burckle, Water Conservation Coordinator, Office of the City Manager, City of Newport Beach. Born and raised here in Newport Beach, Shane has a degree in Art History with a minor in business. He had ideas of grandeur to be an art director in a fancy New York ad agency then realized he was an environmentalist at heart. He began his career at the City of Newport Beach in 1999 as a revenue inspector, then went on to water quality and code enforcement and then moved into water quality and water conservation. For years, emphasis has been placed on water quality here in Newport Beach, yet now we have a new push in the area of water conservation. He gave us a brief overview of water quality and conservation efforts of past and new projects underway. Shane

recommends that you collect wastewater or get an administrative citation. We are looking at possible mandatory rationing in the not too distant future. Please checkout the website at [www.watersmartnewport.org](http://www.watersmartnewport.org).

### [Get Well Wishes](#)

It was reported that Virgil Galey underwent back surgery at Hoag Hospital, is doing very well and expected to be home in the next day or so. Please keep Virgil in your prayers for a speedy recovery.

### [Raffle](#)

Cynthia Cowell won today's raffle.

### [Club Website](#)

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

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

District Governor: Roger McGonegal

District 5320 Office:

Jim deBoom PDG

District Website: [www.rotary5320.org](http://www.rotary5320.org)

User Name: Rotarian

Password rotary5320

### [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.



Craig Kennedy enjoys the meeting