



# THE ROTATOR

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**Editor**  
**Larry Clapper**

# Brown Bag

**F**or a change, **President Dick Tronccone** didn't call the meeting to order, or at least not for most of us. Instead, we returned to a variant of the original Rotary format, traveling to the workplaces of our members, as well as the homes of some of our beneficiaries.

I went to the offices of San Diego Opera, where **Ian Campbell** passed out the lunches we had ordered from **Rick Richards** of Festivities Catering. The Opera drew **Steve Hubbard, Marc Tarasuck, Daryl Ferguson, and Bob Carroll**. Ian told us about the upcoming season, talked about how the Opera is dealing with the weak economy, and related the problems. He also talked about the joys and difficulties of getting top singers to come to perform here in beautiful San Diego. It's a long way from Europe, where most of the singers live. As entertainment, there's a cottage on the boardwalk in PB, where the singers love to stay.

Other sites included: Alliance for African Assistance, hosted by **Walter Lam**  
Karl Strauss Brewery, hosted by

**Chris Cramer** (one of the most popular, of course)  
Timken Museum, with its wonderful art, hosted by **John Wilson**  
St. Paul's Senior Home, hosted by **Justin Weber** (**Cheryl Wilson** was on jury duty)  
Price Charities/Hoover Interact, hosted by **Beatriz Valencia**  
San Diego Superior Court, hosted by **Kevin Enright**  
Hubbs Sea World, hosted by **Don Kent**  
Sea World, hosted by **Dave Koontz/Andy Fichthorn**  
Poseidon Resources, the desalination plant being built in Carlsbad, hosted by **Peter MacLaggan**  
Old Globe, hosted by **Lou Spisto**  
KPBS, hosted by **Tom Karlo**  
SD Air and Space Museum, hosted by **Jim Kidrick**  
Coast Guard, hosted by **Lt. Amanda Sarbone/Thomas Farris**  
San Diego Jail, hosted by **Lt. Bryan Coyne/Bill Gore**  
MCRD, hosted by **Cliff Myers**

It's an impressive list of things we do, some as our work, and some as our service to others. It reminds me of the variety of skills that exist in our club and the things we do for San Diego.

## NEXT MEETING

Thursday

October 8, 2009

Sheraton West

Bel Aire Ballroom

*"Recognizing Human Trafficking in San Diego"*

The Reverend Canon  
Mary Moreno-Richardson  
Coordinator for Hispanic Ministry at St. Paul's Cathedral

Rev. Mary serves as a chaplain for victims of human trafficking. She will share her work and the importance of a comprehensive community response to the exploitation of children. She is working with the ACTION NETWORK, advocates for coordinated responses against child trafficking in our neighborhoods. The larger community is now recognizing that the issue of prostituted teens is a growing problem and that additional resources are needed in San Diego to combat local domestic trafficking of children.



Chair of the Day  
**Mark Trotter**

## QUICK BITS

### OFFICE CLOSED

Our office will be closed on Monday, Oct. 12 in observance of Columbus Day.

### DID YOU TAKE THE PROGRAM SURVEY YET?

You still have time to take the online survey about our July-September meeting programs. Please call our Office for the website.

### CLUB 33 AT THE OLD GLOBE FOR "SAMMY"

A limited number of tickets are available for a Club 33 Night at the Old Globe on Tues., Nov. 3 to see "Sammy." Register at [www.rotary33.org](http://www.rotary33.org) while there are still tickets left.

### YOUNG ROTARIANS VISIT ART GALLERY

Culture, beverages and cuisine come together on Thurs., Nov. 12 for all Rotarians at the Project X: Art Gallery in Solana Beach. Sign up on our website.

### NEW DISTRICT COUNCIL

Join your Club 33 peers at the newly designed District Council Meeting on Thurs., Oct. 15, 5:30—8:45 PM at Tom Ham's Lighthouse. Sign up at [www.rotary5340.org](http://www.rotary5340.org) by Oct. 12.

### CLUB HISTORY MINUTES

If you would like to experience the Club History Minutes again, look for History Minutes in the History Section on [www.rotary33.org](http://www.rotary33.org).

### CLUB 33 TENNIS

Sign up online for some Club tennis at the Barnes Tennis Center on Sat., Oct. 24 at 9 AM.

## THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS



By *Bruce A. Hunt*  
Executive Director

**What is on the mind of a President when he or she faces the reality of demotion?** Here is how Edward (Ed) S. Hope saw it after his term in

1963-64.

"We have all heard it said," Ed wrote, "that ours is an 'Old Men's Club,' but don't you believe it. There isn't an old man in our organization. Youth is not a time of life; it is a state of mind. It is not a matter of ripe cheeks, red lips, and supple knees; it is a temper of the will, a quality of the imagination, a vigor of the emotions. It is the freshness of the deep springs of life."

"Nobody grows old merely living a number of years. People grow old by deserting their ideals. Whether sixty or sixteen, there is in every human being's heart the lure of wonder, the sweet amazement at the stars and at starlike things and thoughts, the undaunted challenge of events, the un-failing, childlike appetite for what next, and the joy of the game of living. And may I add, San Diego Rotary is not only the greatest, but the most enthusiastic organization in town."

Those are pretty good words for the present and they help us understand how Club 33 has grown to be the Rotary Club it is today, especially since we include women now!

**GOT AD????**

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## CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

15 *Mel Stuart*  
*The Making of Willy Wonka Chocolate Factory*  
*Sheraton East*

22 *Ed Moss*  
*Union-Tribune*  
*President/Publisher*  
*Sheraton East*

29 *Club Assembly*  
*District Governor*  
*Marge Cole*

### NOVEMBER

5 *Judge Woody Clark*  
*Trials & Triumphs of*  
*DNA Evidence*  
*Sheraton East*

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Oct. 8

Military Affairs Monterey Room

## BIRTHDAYS

|                  |        |
|------------------|--------|
| Bill Trumpfeller | Oct. 5 |
| Murray Goldman   | 5      |
| Garet Clark      | 6      |
| Ed Nares         | 7      |
| Chuck Blake      | 7      |
| Peter Duncan     | 7      |
| Ward Gill        | 9      |
| Frank Pavel      | 9      |
| Ailene McManus   | 10     |
| Chris Christian  | 10     |
| David Oates      | 10     |
| Kevin Ward       | 10     |
| Lewis Linson     | 11     |

**Meetings: Every Thursday at Noon, Sheraton San Diego Hotel & Marina**

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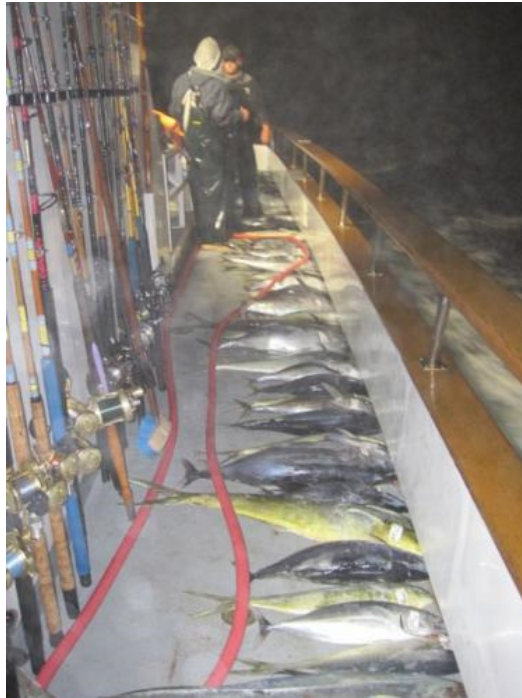
# FACES IN THE CROWD ON THE CLUB 33 FISHING TRIP



*Bob Fletcher*



*Jay Arnett*



## ROSTER CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS

| <u>FIRST</u> | <u>LAST</u> | <u>CHANGES &amp; CORRECTIONS</u>    |
|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| Jack         | Damson      | (E) jedamson@cox.net                |
| Rick         | Gentry      | (B) 619.578.7531                    |
| Len          | Hering      | (E) lrhering@aol.com                |
| Gayle        | Hom         | (E) homzemen@aol.com                |
| Bob          | Jacobs      | (E) czjacobs@cox.net                |
| Thomas       | Mosher      | Use only home information in Roster |

## MEMBERSHIP DATA

|                           |     |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Members as of July 1 2009 | 535 |
| New Members               | +7  |
| Resigned Members          | -9  |
| Deceased Members          | -1  |
| Members as of Sept 30     | 532 |
| Honorary Members          | 24  |
| Total Membership          | 556 |

Resignations in September:      Terry Grier

## CLUB 33 MONTHLY DONOR LIST

Each month we recognize the Club 33 members and others who have made donations to the Club to support its many community service activities. Thank you to everyone for your generosity.

We appreciate your gifts because "The Future Of Rotary Is In Your Hands."

If your donation came in after our press deadline, we'll list you next month.

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|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| Debbie Day    | Jack Goodall | Mitchell Lynn  |
| G & S Mattson | Larry Kuntz  | Paula Cordeiro |
| Jack Berkman  | Mike Madigan | Red Scott      |