

3/14/17

PRESIDENT JEFF SHEPARD

"LOCAL HEROES"



Oakleaves



NEXT MEETING

Chico Heroes Lost but found

Michele Shover

On March 21, Michele Shover (Property Management) will talk about her local hero, James Eddy, at various times a gold miner and bartender who became the sub-Indian agent at Rancho Chico in 1862 and 1863. A principal figure in her pending book, *Standoff: Miners, Indians and Farmers at War, 1850 -1865, Eddy was the sole white man who managed, protected and lived in camp with 400 Mountain Maidu. They had been held in federal custody since removed from eastern Butte County in 1859, but in 1863 were temporarily lodged by the river on Rancho Chico where they were kept apart from the Mechoopda Maidu. He accompanied them when the Army removed them to Round Valley. His conduct in this, one of the greatest crises in Chico history, earned our respect.*

Michele is trustee of Flynn-Shover Properties. Through her 35 year career as a Chico State political science professor, she relied on primary research to reconstruct the city's 19th century history. A considerable part of her findings appears in *Exploring Chico's Past*, available at Made in Chico. She is a proud member of Rotary's Fuzzy Navel team.

MARCH 14 2017 MEETING OPENING

Chico Noon Rotary was opened by **President Jeff Shepard** at 12:30 p.m. Team in Charge was the Pale Ales, headed by **Beau McSwain** and **Will Wilbur**. Invocation was given by **Glen Eaton** and he focused on Pi Day. No sweets here, unless you think it is sweet that Pi can be calculated to over a trillion digits! Apparently only 39 digits are needed to calculate everything though. 3/14 was also the birth date of Albert Einstein, Prince Albert of Monaco and Eli Whitney of Cotton Gin fame.

All stayed standing to honor a fallen former Rotarian **Jim King** who is a Past President of our club.

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Visiting Rotarians included Arne Gustafson of Orland and Rex Moseley of Oroville.

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March 21, 2017

Program: Chico Heroes Lost but found
Speaker: Michele Shover

March 28, 2017

Program: Butte County Sheriff
Speaker: Cory Honea

April 1, 2017

CLUB WORK DAY
Caper Acres 8 am
Bring a wheelbarrow if you have one
Meeting of record

April 4, 2017

NO MEETING

April 5, 2017

Rotaract meeting 7:00 pm
CSUC BMU room 304
(meetings are 1st Wed. of month)

April 11, 2017

Club Board of Directors Meeting
7:30 am Enloe Conference Center
Program: Science, Uncertainty and
Environmental policy making
Speaker: David Hasenzahl

Dates to remember

May 7, 2017

Omelet Brunch –meeting of record

Rotarian Absentees:

It's up to you to sign yourself in and provide documentation for make-ups and E-make-ups. Attendance Reports are available for member review at the Attendance Table. Reports show each member's attendance as far back as one year!

REMINDER: Only 6 misses in a 6 month period.

NOTE: The following meeting absence list is for informational purposes only. Attendance issues are handled at the Tuesday meetings only.

February 28, 2017

Bailey, Kathryn; Bracewell, Bob; Bracewell, Dane; Brians, Brenna; Campbell, Dana; Campbell, Tara; Chrisman, Leanne; Christophel, Steve; Coniglio, Sal; Cootsona, Laura; Crosby, Jerry; Daniels, Christine; DePaola, Leo; Diestel, Layne; DuBose, Alex; Farrar, Jeff; Griggs, Jennifer; Haggard, AJ; Hampton, Hunter; Herbert, Dan; Karol, Jackie; Knight, Sandra; Kremer, Kevin; Marino, Rosanna; Morrison, Brent; Moseley, Debbie; Murray, Kevin; Page, Mark; Quackenbush, Tanya; Redman, Michael; Rodriguera, Craig; Saboury, Sima; Shelton, Sally; Speer, Debra; Stoller, Scott; Thoma, Katy; Tittle, Tim

March 7, 2017

Brashears, Don; Brothers, Tadd; Calandrella, Drew; Campbell, Dana; Christophel, Steve; Curtis, Brian; Diestel, Layne; D'Ewart, John; Duncan, Craig; Egan, Philip; Farrar, Jeff; Foor, Cindy; Hall, Charlotte; Hendry, Mark; Karol, Jackie; Kidd, Troy; Kimmelshue, Tod; Knight, Sandra; McCready, Jeff; McSwain, Beau; O'Connell, Tim; Potter, Devin; Rhein, John; Ripke, Dan; Robinson, Dan; Shelton, Sally; Staley, Kelly; Thoma, Katy; Tittle, Tim; Wills, Leah

March 14, 2017

Andreasen, Dan; Bailey, Kathryn; Barker, Anita; Bennett, Dale; Bicocca, Robin; Bordenave, Neal; Brashears, Don; Calandrella, Drew; Cootsona, Laura; Corbin, Dino; Crosby, Jerry; Diestel, Layne; Dulebohn, Geoff; Farrar, Jeff; Ginno, Joni; Goldmann, Lenn; Hendry, Mark; Huston, Tom; Johnson, Mark; Knight, Sandra; Kremer, Kevin; Kyle, Bill; Morrison, Brent; Perry, Jaime; Robinson, Dan; Rodriguera, Craig; Shelton, Sally; Speer, Debra; Staley, Kelly; Sterling, Jack; Thoma, Katy; Tittle, Tim; Wilbur, Will

Make-Ups Online

www.rotaryclubone.org

**Members are allowed
2 make-ups for July - Dec
& 2 make-ups for Jan - June**

February board meeting Notes

Leaves of Absence –medical leaves

Troy Kidd—work related leave 1/4-3/31/17

Change in classification none

Resignations accepted by the board none

MARCH 14, 2017 OAKLEAVES

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Guests included the following: Martine A. (Tim O'Connell), Chris Sauter (Tim Colbie), Jess Wells (Zach Mustaine), Jackson Minasian (Jolene Francis), Ken Fitzgerald (Jackie Karol), Susan Moretti (Kevin Moretti), Jess Wills (Leah Wills), Zach Donnelly – a Hot Shot Hero (Mike Donnelly), Kathy Horn (Dana Campbell), and Rabbi Sarah Abrams (Evan Tuchinsky). We were honored to have with us Gianandrea Vecchi (and his wife) from the Rotary club of Bergamo Italy (past president) whose son is attending Butte College. His son (Leonardo) was a former Rotary Exchange Student and is excited to be in Chico. Gianandrea thanked **President Jeff** for taking Leonardo under his wing while here and we enjoyed a flag exchange as well.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Beau McSwain spoke on Pale Ale activity and stated that we were all good! Many upcoming activities including work with Shasta and Parkview schools and a social Friday at St. Roney's Winery. Should be fun!

Stu Thompson updated us on **Gene Lanouette** who is home now from the hospital, recovering with in-home care. No visitors at this point, but cards are good thoughts are welcome.

What? No **John Sutthoff**. Also no **Gayle Hutchinson** who **President Jeff** recognized as the first CSUC woman President, and showed a few photos. More to come.

4/1 – **WORKDAY** at Caper Acres. **John Growdon** filled us in on last Friday's prep work – concrete pouring, and showed a great drone video of the work. April 1st will be moving 40 yards of crushed Basalt for a pathway around the newly poured concrete. Y'all come now.

Anastacia Snyder Lando reminded everyone that the Omelet Brunch is May 7th and is in need of more sponsors. She encouraged us to up our level of commitment is possible.

District 5160 's event is March 24-26 and **President Jeff** will be attending with 3 Rotaractors.

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**Glen Eaton
Invocation**



**Beau McSwain
Pale Ales team report**



**Stu Thompson
Sutthoff update**



**John Growdon
Club work day April 1
Caper Acres 8 am**

MARCH 14, 2017 OAKLEAVES ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

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Curt Hull was looking for \$\$ for Citrus Elementary to help send kids to Environmental Camp – the team is trying to raise \$7,400!. Rotarians were very generous today.

Trivia – Men with Friends, Blue Boys, Conspirators, and the Round Table – all names first proposed for what became Rotary. **Dave Morgan** was blessed with Coasters for knowing that it was the 1910 convention when proposed that Rotary would be 1000 clubs within 80 years – actually took 11 years!



Curt Hull



Leonardo, Christina and Andrea Vecchi with Sal Coniglio

RECOGNITION

Craig Duncan shared with us re his grandkids and had the cutest pic of the newest Owen Duncan Cole. 14 Bells

Heather Short was recognized for her affinity with wine. **President Jeff** managed to find all of her wine photos and share. She has an upcoming wedding to attend in Cabo and Hawaii looms on the horizon. More wine photos to come! 5 Bells

RAFFLE

The raffle was won by **Dan Herbert** - \$20.



Treasurer Craig Duncan
Cute grandkids

PROGRAM

Our speaker was introduced by **Leah Wills** who has actually gone to Cambodia and seen Project Enlighten's work first hand – declaring the visit life changing for her. Asad Rahman told his story of visiting Cambodia and meeting a group of 7 children who changed his life. He gave a very impassioned speech about the children of Cambodia and the hardships they endure. He also spoke about the Torture Center and the fact that 17,000 people lost their lives due to the Khmer Rouge with only 7 people surviving. He spoke about how such a small difference in our lives can make such a change in a life of a Cambodian child – for \$15 he and friends were able to clothe all 7 kids that he met. His project has helped to establish schools as he believes that education is key for the growth of the children and can change so many lives when they grow and touch others. He told a story of reading, just last Sunday, about a student who is studying nursing in CA and who came from one of the schools that Project Enlighten established outside the dump in Phnom Penh! He stated that the goal of Project Enlighten is to Empower Children to Dare to Dream. All that they do in Cambodia and in other countries around the world is done on a \$40-50,000 budget and volunteer efforts, mostly of firefighters. Very enlightening.



Heather Short
Fun Facebook page



Speaker
Asad Rahman

Chico Rotary Facebook Page

Please send photos
of your team's activities to

Heidi Musick, heidi@hmcbusiness.com

Access club videos via links on our website or Facebook page

Club Twitter account: @ChicoNoonRotary

Keeping Your Rotary Finances Straight

LINCOLN RAILSPLITTERS

DATE March 16, 2010

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Rotary Club of Chico \$ 168.00

One Hundred Sixty-Eight DOLLARS

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West Des Moines, Iowa 50319-1472
P.O. Box 100000
Des Moines, Iowa 50336-0000

MEMO Meal Ticket Your Name


Checks for Annual Dues, Meal Tickets and Special Events (Birthday Party, etc.) Should be Made Out to:
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LINCOLN RAILSPLITTERS

DATE March 16, 2010

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Chico Rotary Foundation \$ 100.00

One Hundred Exactly DOLLARS

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MEMO Omelet Brunch Your Name


Checks for Recognition, Omelet Brunch Tickets and Scholarships Should be Made Out to:
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MEMO Your RI No. Your Name

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