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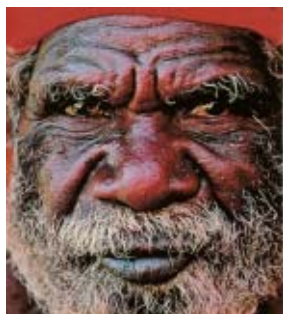
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Friday October 27th, 2008



*As you can see, I have grown a beard and acquired a suntan since arriving in Oz*

Just so as you know I have not slipped off the face of the earth, thought I would check in. I am having "withdrawal" symptoms from not having produced a Newsletter for two weeks, in fact it will be three weeks as I will not be back till November 8. Anyway I thought I would share some things with you about my trip here so far, some of it personal, well I guess it is all personal as it involves me.

Last Monday I went to the **Sydney CBD Rotary Club**. It was an evening meeting as many are in Australia, lunch meetings are around but I would say the majority of the meetings are morning or evening. So my first challenge was getting to the meeting and I always sing the praises of the Sydney Public Transport system.

I am staying on the north side of the harbor and it is about an 8 mile drive, across the Sydney Harbor Bridge into downtown Sydney, which at 6 in the evening is a bit of a challenge. Rather than drive it would have been easy to drive to the Mosman Ferry, about 2 miles then a 10 minute picturesque ride across the harbor pulling into Circular Quay as



you glide past that spectacular Sydney Opera House. Walk across the street, take the bus about 10 blocks to the Sydney Town Hall, then walk three blocks up to the Castlereagh Hotel on Castlereagh Street where the meeting is held. Total cost would have been a \$2.50 senior ticket round trip no less or about \$11 normal fare. For some dumb reason I decided to drive into the City and from prior experience I contacted the Club Secretary to make sure they were meeting that night (have come afool of that one before) which they were. One for me, especially as this club meets every second Monday. I was told that the best place to park would be in the Hilton Garage on Pitt Street, which runs parallel to Castlereagh and then walk through one of the many arcades that are all over Sydney, to Castlereagh Street. This is oh so simple, after all this is my old "stomping ground". Yeah right, first thing I find is that Pitt Street is now one way, well it always was but now it is....the other way. I have never confronted so many No Left or No Right Turns signs especially as when I wanted to turn left there was the sign, Oh I could have turned right but I did not want to go that way.

So I eventually get headed down Pitt Street the right direction after about a 3 mile detour and finally in frustration ignored a NO Right Turn sign. Now Australia really does not divide their streets into blocks as far as numbering goes. I wanted 169 Castlereagh Street and one would think that would be in the 100 block. **WRONG**, the 100's spread out over three blocks. How's that for confusion? Finally I reach the Hilton on Pitt Street, pull into the garage to find out it closes at 7. Strange why would a Hotel Parking Garage close? Well I wasn't in the Hilton Garage, I was in the office building garage next door. "just turn left and go two meters" I was told and then left into the Hilton. I pull out of the garage and even though we are only talking two meters, that's six feet people, give or take so I miss the bloody Hilton entry I had driven about 15 feet past and I cannot back up as there is a Bus behind me raising hell. I might add in my younger days I would have been picking a fight with the Bus Driver, I hated those bastards, them and taxi drivers. So around the block I go again and finally make it into the garage. Park the car; walk through the arcade to the Hotel only to find any amount of Parking Meter space right outside the Hotel. Oh well.



## .....So apart from all that Mrs. Lincoln, how was the Play?

The meeting was great and a special night as they had their visiting GSE Team from Brazil in fact they were from District 4530 which is the same District we exchanged with in 2001 and where Sandie Krutz led the team and as mentioned in the last newsletter will be leading a team from her District 5130 again to District 4530. We were served Brazilian food, at least it was an Australian version and was quite "strange" to say the least and I noticed a lot was left untouched. This was the ultimate Rotary Meat with Mystery Sauce. I was acknowledged as an International Visitor and PDG and asked to say a few words and being as shy as I am I managed to do that. I noticed a few people whispering while I was speaking and overhead someone say "He doesn't talk like a Yank" so I finished by telling them that the reason I talk funny is that I was born at Chatswood, about 10 miles north of Sydney. The GSE Team did a little skit finishing with each of them holding a large tube of Vegemite and judging by the taste and the saltiness of the Brazilian food we were served I am sure they would love Vegemite. We were shown a video presentation on Brazil which had Portuguese commentary with English sub-titles and the audience was somewhat lost. One of their team members played violin and we have all heard that call for help "Is there a Doctor in the House?" well in this case the call was "Is there a piano player in the House?". Alas there was none...cepting me...well sort of. The young man said that while the violin is a very melodious instrument, it "needs some help". So I said "OK let me have your music and I will see what I can do". Well I'll be....he did not have any music. He was one of those real "pains" that can play without music and said to me "I will play, all you need do is follow along". Now I am not that kind of piano player, I cannot "follow on" so I had to back out. Just as well, he played stuff I would never have recognized. Naturally it was Brazilian music. Next came "The Brazillias", a Brazilian Dance Group, four young ladies bedecked in somewhat brief attire, wiggling their "tusch's" a hundred wiggles a minute. Someone was heard to remark (and it wasn't me) that a Brazillia sounded like a ladies undergarment. We were later informed by one of the knowledgeable ladies at our table that a "Brazillia" in Australia is actually a cosmetic treatment that the ladies have done so they can wear those incredibly brief thong bikinis. Go figure the rest for yourself.

Speaking of thong bikinis..... "holey smokes" the Brazillias went away, changed and came back with that huge feather headdress and them there thongs. Well that woke everyone up, the men that is and before long the girls went amongst the audience and "dragged" the men up and made them "wiggle". Fun, fun fun and no I did not get up and wiggle. It was a three hour meeting but most enjoyable and certainly different as you will always find when you travel and visit other Rotary Clubs.

Now going back to my earlier story about taking Public Transport as against driving, I paid a \$3 Bridge Toll coming into the City and \$18 for the Car Park. Now lets see \$2.50 against \$21 and that does not include gas. NOT VERY SMART.

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**All I ask is a chance to prove that money can't  
make me happy.**

**Next Meeting:** Monday November 3rd at "The Vans"

**Fines Next week:** Cary 11/10: Cirigliano 11/17: Correa 11/24: "The Phantom"

**Program:** Dave Sholin and Celeste Perry KFRC

**Coming Programs:**

**November 10th:** Club Assembly-"Crab Feed"

**November 17th:** Bob Abbott-"Green Construction"

**November 24th:** Dave Hyman (Woodside/Portola Valley Rotary) - "Navy Seals"



### .....Speaking of not very smart.

Check this out for stupidity, I recall this happening two years ago when I was here. This politician was caught speeding by a roadside radar camera. The bloody things are everywhere and last year I was nailed three times at the same camera over a period of a week. However this klutz gets nailed and claimed it was not him driving, it was a friend from America, so he said. Well they check and it turns out this "friend" had died about 6 months prior to the day he was caught speeding. Dumb and Dumber was not expecting them to check on his story; well he should have spoken to me. They pursued me relentlessly for about a year over a \$10 parking ticket that I just ignored, it ended up costing me \$133 and I know if I had not paid it they would have bailed me up at Immigration next time I came back and make me pay before they would let me into the country.

Now mind you at the start this was just a \$67 fine. So he then tells them he was mistaken it was some other person also from the US who the police here were not able to track down. Then he fesses up well really it was this woman he was "having a relationship with" and did not want his wife to find out about and after more investigation they could not find her either. His next move is to get a bunch of friends to "stand up" for him and say what a wonderful person he is. Remember this is a freaking \$67 fine and today finally after over two years of "maneuvering" and "squirming" he finally admits he was driving. It is said he has spent so far over \$10 thou on legal fees.

Probably will be spending a lot more once the "wifey" starts to go to work on him,

Now the cops are pissed because he caused them so much work and he is being charged with falsifying a report, malicious mischief and all kinds of things.



*Innocent looking things aren't they? They even post a warning 400 yards or so before to tell you there is a speed camera and still I was "nailed". Three times by this "sucker" in one week. I believe it has a plaque with my name on it*

### What in the world is happening here??

When America sneezes, the world catches pneumonia. Australia is no exception yet like in America, many are confused as to not only how this happened but why? Their Stock Market is getting "hit", their Superannuation as they call their retirement is devaluing rapidly, just as is ours. Their dollar today was .66 cents against the US Dollar, that is one US dollar gets you \$1.50 AUS. "Experts" have even predicted the dollar to fall as low as .41 cents. Why? This country has a \$90 billion Budget Surplus and is one of the richest in the world when it comes to natural resources. Just about anything you want you can dig a hole in the ground and find not only great quantities but the highest of quality. Iron, Copper, Lead, Zinc, Alumina, Gold, Silver, Tin, Uranium not to mention Natural Gas and Oil. Sheep, Cattle, Wheat. You name it, they have it. They produce everything they need, automobiles, consumer goods, those self erecting Tower Cranes you see in cities all over the world erecting buildings, invented and developed here and it just goes on. They export more than they import, are politically stable and a quality of life as good as we enjoy in the United States and like us they are all scratching their heads asking why? Can somebody help me out here.... because they keep asking me.



*I guess I kind of "overshadow" her don't I. You should see the one of her with Adam and I,*

Both **Mary Lou** and **Sharrie Kriger** will relate to my story on my mother. Many of you "older" members have met her over the years when she used to come here every year to visit us and then my brother and sister in Canada. She is 96 and will be 97 in February next year

and is our club's oldest living Paul Harris Fellow. As my aforementioned siblings are in Canada, for the past 40 years since my father's death, she has been on her own. In the interim she was married for about 15 years until her second husband's passing. Until about four months ago she lived in a very nice Assisted Living facility, drove a car up until about two years ago and has always enjoyed the best of health. Six months ago confusion was coming upon her she had a fall, cracked her pelvis and it was becoming obvious she needed more care than they could provide where she was living so she had to leave. We found her a new place with 24 hour care and the second night there she got out of bed, fell and broke her hip and had to have a hip replacement. I remember her distinctly telling me she did not want to go to a place where people all around her were dying. Well I guess the sad fact is when you need what she needs that is about all there is. My brother who had been with her for the past three months arranged for her new care facility and took care of her financial affairs. My sister was there last month and now I am here as the "third shift". When I walked into her new facility and while it is excellent and the care and attention is first class, my heart sank as I knew this is not where she wanted to be. Her first comment to my brother when he took her there was "this place is full of old people". She asked me to have lunch there so we went to the Dining Room which was chaotic at best. One resident was sitting at his table yelling and screaming, evidently that's what he did, just carrying on about nothing. Down the hall away we could hear another fellow bellowing out; maybe the two of them were having a conversation.

The table next to us an elderly gentleman was there being spoon fed. Everyone wears a "bib" and you know there is an ample supply of diapers for everyone. Frankly I was heartbroken not only for my mother but for everyone else and I was hit with the stark realization that this could happen to any of us. I felt terribly bad for my mother but I realize that she is in the best place when it comes to being looked after especially as she is there and we are here. We do have a cousin who has been absolutely wonderful in helping and seeing she is OK and we are blessed to have this. Each day though as I visit with her she is deteriorating. She now does not know where she is except she thinks she is in a Hotel and all the rooms are the same and they are all Number 11; her room number by the way. Every day more confusion although the other day she had her hair and nails done and she was a different person. When I remarked how nice she looked she sat there like a 16 year old primping and smiling. Though her short term memory is shot, her long term is incredible. She has told me some wonderful stories about our life as a family, many of which I remember but perhaps the most interesting and amazing was telling me about the day she met our father. She described in such detail what he looked like and what he was wearing absolutely incredible, really. For their first date he took her for a ride on one of the Harbor Ferries; they sat at the back and necked. Now the Ferries go from A to B then back to A, maybe off to C, then back to A and you only pay for your Ferry trip when you get off at A, being Circular Quay, the Ferry Terminal. At that time a Ferry trip anywhere was about six pence or 5 cents in our money so my father spent 10 cents on his first date. Man what a cheapskate but he more than made up for it in the way he cared and loved for her, and for us three children for that matter. Just before I left her today she said "I think if I could just crawl into bed and not wake up, that's the way I would like to go" then she turns and looks at me smiling and said, "you know I will be 97 next February in another three years I will be 100 and I will get a letter from the Queen". Go figure.

**Thanks for indulging me, I feel much better now.**



The living is great here in Oz, perhaps the world's best beaches all up and down the east coast. Very high standard of living, housing like everywhere else is expensive in the desirable areas. I lived the first 12 or so years of my life in the Sydney suburb of Artarmon about 10 miles north of Sydney. It was an average working class area, modest homes in fact the one shown here was where I was born and raised. My family rented it



*Don't laugh, even Abe Lincoln's birthplace is a tourist attraction. Now this place has not yet made the National Register, but someday?*

for many years until my father had saved up 3500 pounds which would be \$7000. He paid for it in cash. No sub prime mortgages then. The home today would sell for close to \$800 thou to a million. Real Estate agents do not work very hard here, everything is sold by Auction, you get a day or two before the sale to look at the house and that's that, under the hammer she goes. Australians lead a rather uncomplicated life, being surrounded by water the outdoors figures prominently in their activities. Sydney Harbor is perhaps one of the most picturesque and beautiful harbors in the world, weekends it is a mass of the whites sails of the sailing boats which is what inspired Danish Architect Joern Utzon's design of the Sydney Opera House. Sailing, surfing, fishing, laying on the beach, "bird" watching (the two legged kind), football, cricket, tennis are all sports activities they enjoy and participate in and then there is "the Pub". Short for The Public House or really known as the Hotel.

They are everywhere and when you ask an Australian directions it

invariably includes a Pub as a "way point" just as I was given the other day "Aw Mate, ya go a couple 'a kilometers down the Princes Highway, turn left at the Cricketers Arms Hotel, four kilometers on your right is the Brooklyn Pub two more blocks an' yer there". You know what? I pretty much knew the places he was talking about. As long as there are Pubs here, you don't need a GPS. Speaking of Pubs, most of them have Beer Gardens which is quite the gathering place as well as

somewhere to eat. Most Pubs serve food in the Beer Garden and yesterday I had lunch at a very well know Pub called The Oaks, located in Neutral Bay.



*Beer Garden of "The Oaks" at Neutral Bay, typical weekday lunch time crowd. Then if you want "crowd" try it on a weekend*

Obviously named after the huge oak tree in the courtyard. You purchase your meat at the counter, beef, chicken, lamb or sausages, take it to the BBQ and cook it yourself. I settled for fresh Oysters, chilled cooked King Prawns and a very friendly New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc. Oh man, just like "angels crying on your tongue". Traffic is somewhat hectic although moves quite well in spite of not too many freeways. They do have a "cross city" tunnel system that saves you driving through the city. It was constructed by private enterprise and is a toll system, however as the tolls are quite "steep" it is not getting the use the promoters had hoped for. Pub-

lic transportation is excellent with Bus, Trains and Ferries and everything is coordinated. For instance when I arrive at Sydney Airport I go down the escalator to the station, take the train (which run at about 10 minute intervals, to Circular Quay the Ferry Terminal. Perhaps a two hundred yard walk to a Ferry system that goes all over the harbor to well over 100 or so "destinations". When you arrive at your "stop", there is a bus waiting that four or so minutes prior had just arrived with passengers who would get on the ferry you got off. There is no place that you cannot go to or get from that is not served by this system. San Francisco would do well to take note.



*A typical Sydney beach, nice clean golden sand, water very safe for swimming except for the occasional shark. Temperature around 72 to 75 degrees. Always a good surf*



# This is what you have to “put up with” if you live in Sydney



*One of the many Ferries that ply the Sydney Harbor waters and a very popular way to commute*



*A view of downtown Sydney as you pull into Circular Quay Harbor Ferry Terminal*



*Aerial view of Sydney and the Opera House middle left and North Sydney connected to Sydney by the Sydney Harbor Bridge*



*Sydney’s famous Harbor Bridge affectionately known as “The Coathanger” built in 1932 is the largest single span steel arch bridge in the world*



*South of Sydney the incredible beauty of Stanwell Park and its small community*



*Perhaps one of the most photographed views of the Opera House and downtown Sydney*



*How about commuting this way, sure beats the Bayshore Freeway*



*Typical of communities that line the foreshores. Two cars in the garage and a boat in the water*



**EVENT CALENDAR -Dates and events for the coming Rotary Year**



Interact at  
Carlmont  
High School

- November 8-11, 2008** Rotary Club of San Francisco #2 100th Anniversary Celebration Events- Details to be announced
- November 12, 2008** "Crab Feed Committee" meeting at Dave Bauer's house
- November 19, 2008** Board Meeting at Jim McGovern's Office
- December 10, 2008** Board Meeting at Jim McGovern's Office
- January 26th 2009** Australia Day, Paid Public Holiday for Australians only
- February 7th, 2009** Belmont Rotary Crab Feed, Twin Pines Senior Center, Belmont
- March 6-9, 2009** PETS-President's Elect Training Seminar
- March 28, 2009** District Assembly
- April 17-19 2009** District Conference-Portola Hotel & Spa, Monterey
- April 25, 2009** District Rotary at Work Day
- May 16, 2009** District Major Donor Celebration
- June 21-24, 2009** "Moon Over Birmingham" Rotary International Convention, Birmingham, England

**NOTE CHANGES TO OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING DATES.**

**PARTING SHOTS**

**George Bush and Dick Cheney stop off for breakfast at this Diner and after going over the menu the waitress proceeds to take their order. Cheney orders Bacon and Eggs over Easy with Country Potatoes. The waitress looks at President Bush and he says**

**"I will have a quickie".**

**The waitress gets all indignant and admonishes Bush as being no better than Bill Clinton and promptly walks away. Bush with a bewildered look on his face says**

**"I wonder what's wrong with her?"**

**Cheney then says "Mr. President, the word is QUICHE**

**ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS**  
This is a networking opportunity for all Rotarians held every 1st Wednesday of the month. This is a chance to meet other Rotarians as well as give a two or three minute "quickie" presentation on your business and what you do. This is how Rotary started, businessmen "networking" to promote their business. Come and enjoy some great food and "a glass or two" \$10 cost 5:30pm to 7:00. RSVP [dave@epcatering.com](mailto:dave@epcatering.com)

**MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND THE DISTRICT CONFERENCE APRIL 17-19 2009**  
**Portola Hotel & Spa, Monterey**  
**Sign up on the District Website <http://www.rotary5150.org/>**

**FINEMASTER SCHEDULE**  
**November 3; Cary November 10 ; Cirigliano November 17 ; Correa**



## MEMBER INFORMATION PAGE

"He Profits Most who Serves Best"

**REMEMBER**  
Someone took  
the time to share  
Rotary with you,  
you are obli-  
gated to share  
Rotary with  
someone else.

Sponsor a new  
member

<i>Name</i>	<i>Classification</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Spouse S/O</i>	<i>Member Since</i>
Aho, Fay	Auto Body Repair	Superior Auto Body	Issa	2000
Balestrieri, Juli		BioCentury Publications		2004
Barnes, Sophia	Theraputic Massage	Sophia Barnes Theraputic Massage		2006
Bauer, Dave	Employee Benefits	Bauer Financial Services	Liz	1984
Carlson, Bill	Financial Planner	Carlson Financial Advisors	Jean	1995
Cary, Jean	Interior Decorator	Jean Cary Interiors	Allen	1994
Cirigliano, Vince	Mortgage Broker	Borel Financial Services	Marilyn	1996
Corriea, Hank	Window Coverings	Rossetti & Corriea	Mickie	1978
DeMartini, Loring	Food & Beverage	The Van's	Adele	1992
Diridon, Tom	Real Estate	Carlmont Associates	Eda	1983
Farhat, Nadine	Banking	Bank of the West	Jay	1997
Freschet, Maureen	University Administration	Notre Dame de Namur		2000
Gilbran-Hesse, Ellen	Attorney	Ellen Gilbran-Hessey, Attorney		2008
Good, Mickaela	Financial Planning	Carlson Financial Advisors	Cesar Osario	2006
Grover, Mark	Banking	Borel Bank		2008
Helin, Rudy	Real Estate	Cashin & Co	Joan	1971
Kirberg, Ralph	Foreign Auto Repair	Kirberg Associates	Lisa	1968
Krigger, Sharrie	Skilled Nursing	Carlmont Gardens		2006
Levan, Kerry	Building Contractor	Ward-Tek, Inc.	Carol	2007
Lynch, Brian	Retail Groceries	Mollie Stones	Laura	2001
Mattei, Don	Police Administration	Belmont Police Department		
McDonald, Charles	Dentistry	Charles McDonald DDS	Gina	1997
McGovern, Jim	Insurance	James E. McGovern, Inc.	Clare	1964
Paulsen, George	Accounting-CPA	Hood & Strong LLP	Janet Noeller	1988
Pettinelli, Dennis	Estate Planning	Dennis Pettinelli & Associates	Cindy	1984
Pettinelli, Jon	Marketing	Dennis Pettinelli & Associates		2006
Piombi, Renato	Wine Cellars		Lolly	1983
Reams, Joanna	Education	Merry Moppet-Belmont Oaks	Dennis	2007
Ross, Frank	Hardware	Retired	Gretchen	2001
Ross, Gretchen	School, Principal	Retired	Frank	1990
Rossetti, Gail	Real Estate Sales/Financing	Rossetti Realty	John	1994
Rossetti, Jim	Mortgage Broker		Sandra	2008
Rossetti, John	Window Coverings	Rossetti & Corriea	Gayle	1977
Ryan, Lily	Independant Marketing	The Wellness Company	Mike	2007
Singh, Barbara				
Smailey, Patrick	Property Management	Adventura, Inc	Barbara	1995
Sooy, Richard	Transportation/Other		Cherie	1990
South, Mary Lou	Long Term Care	Paradigm Health Care LP		1990
Stanculescu, Alec	Software Engineer	Fintronic, Inc		2001
Stangeland, Ross	Dentistry	Ross Stangeland DDS	Diane	1971
Telleen, Michael	Business Law	Carr, McLellan, Ingersoll	Christine	1978
Tiegel, Ralph	Equipment Manufacturing	Tiegel Manufacturing	Officer	1984
Tippakorn, Sirinee	Investments	Edward Jones	Ben Hsu	2006
Ungun, Olcay	Electronic Controls	Entek Controls	Zeynep	2007
Watts, Paul	Mortgage Broker	Winn Financial		2002
West, Fred	Marble & Stone Restoration	Marble West	Annette	1975
Won, Wes	Environmental Health & Safety	Gilead Sciences, Inc	Dorothy	2006
Zeigler, George	Dentist-Retired	Life member	Caroline	1959

### Rotary Links.

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**DID YOU MISS OUR MEETING.....WE CERTAINLY MISSED YOU**

*Regular attendance at Rotary is important to you and us. By attending regularly you are able to participate and stay up with everything that is happening within your club as well as Rotary. Fellowship is one of the primary benefits of Rotary and regular attendance enables you to get the most of this benefit. If you miss a meeting you can “make up” at another Club and here again is another benefit of your Rotary membership. Making up at other clubs, especially those in other countries is a truly remarkable experience, again proving that in Rotary “there are no strangers, only friends you haven’t met. Apart from all that miss a Belmont meeting and you are at the peril of “The Griz”*

**MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Burlingame</b>	<b>Sheraton Gateway, Burlingame</b>
<b>12:00 Noon</b>	Central Marin San Rafael	Left Bank, Larkspur Sheraton Four Points Hotel, San Rafael
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Novato Sunrise</b>	<b>Moylan’s Brewery, Novato</b>
<b>7:15am</b>	Pacifica Peninsula Sunrise SF Greater Mission San Rafael Harbor	Sharp Pak Golf Course, Pacifica Pete’s Harbor, Redwood City Double Play, San Francisco The Whistle Stop, San Rafael
<b>12:00 Noon</b>	Millbrae Mill Valley Redwood City San Francisco #2 Terra Linda Marin Evening	Terrace Cafe, El Rancho Inn, Millbrae Mill Valley Golf Club, Mill Valley Sequoia Yacht Club, Redwood City Olympic Club, San Francisco Sheraton Four Points Hotel, San Rafael McMinnis Park Golf Club, San Rafael
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Marin Sunrise</b>	<b>Corte Madera Inn, Corte Madera</b>
<b>7:15am</b>	SF Bayview SF West Woodside Portola Valley	Bonanza Restaurant, San Francisco Lakeside Cafe, San Francisco Woodside Village Church, Woodside
<b>12:00 Noon</b>	West Marin Daly City Foster City Menlo Park Ross Valley San Bruno SF Chinatown Tiburon-Belvedere SFO	USCG Point Reyes Station, Point Reyes Marie Callendar’s, Daly City Crowne Plaza, Foster City Menlo Park Rec Center, Menlo Park Deer Park Villa, Fairfax Terrace Cafe, El Rancho Inn, Millbrae Tommy Toy’s San Francisco SF Yacht Club, Tiburon Firewood Cafe, International Terminal SFO
<b>THURSDAY</b>		<b>Franciscan Restaurant, Fisherman’s Wharf</b>
<b>7:15am</b>	SF Fisherman’s Wharf	
<b>12:00 Noon</b>	Half Moon Bay Ignacio Mission San Rafael San Mateo Sausalito South San Francisco SF Golden Gate Tiburon Sunset	United Methodisr Chruch, Half Moon Bay Inn Marin, Ignacio San Rafael Joe’s, San Rafael Poplar Creek Golf Course, San Mateo Alta Mira Hotel, Sausalito Basque Cultural Center, South San Francisco Pachamamal Restaurant, San Francisco SF Yacht Club, Tiburon
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>San Mateo Sunrise</b>	<b>Poplar Creek Golf Course, San Mateo</b>
<b>7:15am</b>		
<b>12:00 Noon</b>	Novato San Carlos	Margaret Todd Senior Center, Novato Piaceri’s, San Carlos

**MAKE UP NOTES**  
*We don’t want to call them rules, how about “guidelines” ?*

To qualify for a missed meeting makeup there are a number of situations that will work.

- Attend any Rotary Club meeting (anywhere in the world) within in 14 calendar days, either before or after your regular Club meeting.
- Attend your Club’s Board Meeting or any other Club related function such as Club Committee meeting, an Interact or Rotaract meeting and that does not necessarily mean your Club’s Interact or Rotaract, it could be any club’s.
- Attend a District function such as an Assembly, Conference, Seminar, Committee meeting.
- Attend an International Convention.
- Attend a community related function or meeting as a “principal” participant, such as a City Council Meeting as a member of the Council, City Manager, Police or Fire Chief, School Board Trustee or County Supervisor.
- Actively participate in a Club Community function as a “working” participant such as the Club’s Crab Feed, helping on an International Community Service project as in collating, loading, inventorying the medical supplies etc, that we periodically send to South America.
- Working on any Rotary related functions such as a GSE Team Leader, Polio Plus, Rotary Volunteers, Rotaplast, Rotavision.
- If a regular Club meeting is cancelled and no substitute event is scheduled in place of, such as the Installation Dinner or any other event designated by the Board of Directors, no make up is required.

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