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### **Rotary Reflections**

"Don't take anything personally. What others say and do is merely a projection of their own reality." --Miguel Ruiz, The Four Agreements.

# Weekly Programs

August 27: John Natsoulas – Arts & Entertainment in Downtown Davis

Sept. 3: No meeting – Labor Day

**Sept. 10:** Official Visit of District Governor Laura Day

Sept. 17: Kent Bradford, Seed Central-Food Central, UC Davis

**Sept. 24**: UC Davis football coach Bob Biggs and four team captains

# Meals on Wheels

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**Coordinator**: **J.D. Denton** 8/30: C. Landry and J. Nitzkowski

**Coordinator: Don Kessler** 9/6: Chris Martin and R. Mazalewski

**Coordinator: Randy Alston** 9/13: Mike Peterson and Les Portello

**Coordinator: Greg Phister** 9/20: Kay Resler and Sherry Richter

**Coordinator: Dave Scheiber** 9/27: Mike Robinson and Bill Roe

# **Coming Events**

**August 31:** Potluck at 6 p.m. At Allan and Jean Telford's home, 632 Georgetown Place. RSVP.

**September 28:** Jim Plumb Memorial Rotary Golf Tournament – Wildhorse

**November 17:** Day at the Races at Golden Gate Fields. \$35; see Kay Resler for details.

# <u>Agrotarian Email</u>

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#### <u>Announcements – August 20</u>

Top anniversary was Jacque Bartholomew – married to Wayne for 49 years.

See Greg Gibbs to sign up for the Jim Plumb Memorial Golf Tournament on Sept. 28. Dinner after will be hosted by Mac Walker of the Davis Sunrise Club; non-golfers are welcome.

Linda Hendricks, Davis Rotary's Youth Exchange Officer for the past two years, reported that our club will not be hosting a high school youth exchange student in 2012-13. A decision needs to be made in the next few weeks as to whether to start the lengthy process to host the following year. Thanks to Linda for her many hours of work on youth exchange; a new volunteer from the club is needed to take on this task.

President Ron asked for help with a consumer/financial education curriculum that Rotary can provide to the Davis schools. Darla Young volunteered; any others interested should talk with her.

Thanks to all who helped with the Rotary Beer Booth at the Yolo County Fair.

#### CEO Janet Wagner --Sutter Davis Hospital

Janet Wagner has been CEO of Sutter Davis Hospital for 14 years, and has worked in the health care industry for 30 years. She is a former member of Davis Rotary Club. Janet said that Sutter's healthcare system provides medical care at facilities (hospitals and physicians groups) throughout Northern California from the Oregon border to the Bay Area. Within that system, Sutter's Davis facilities are in a region that includes Sacramento, Sierra foothills, and North Bay.

At 48 beds, Sutter Davis is the system's smallest full service hospital, yet one of its best. For three years it has been ranked by Thompson-Reuters as one of the top 100 hospitals in the nation, and has twice received a "gold award" from the state of California.

Recent changes at Sutter Davis Hospital include new physician specialists in oncology, neurology and cardiology. Trends in the healthcare that Sutter will likely address with changes in Davis include increasing need for longtime treatment of chronic diseases; changes in "end of life" care; and the industry-wide move towards providing more care in physicians offices and other freestanding facilities.

Sutter Davis Hospital Foundation raises funds to support the hospital; 475 donors in 2011 gave over \$400,000.

Sutter Davis Hospital has a volunteer program, in which about 50 students (from high school to medical school) participate each year. Sutter Davis also supports local organizations that promote good health and healthy living, including Farm to School Connection, Davis Farmers Market, cycling, and Yolo Childrens Alliance.