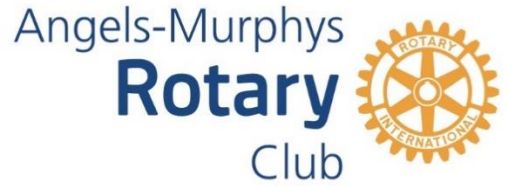




# THE SLUICE BOX



Rotary Connects the World | Service Above Self | Meeting of January 23, 2020

## Club & Meeting Information

MEETS EVERY THURSDAY AT NOON

*Murphys Historic Hotel*  
457 Main Street, Murphys CA

Mailing:  
Angels-Murphys Rotary Club  
P.O. Box 1221  
Murphys, CA 95247

## Where to Make Up

West Calaveras Rotary: Thursdays  
7:30 AM, La Contenta Golf Course  
Event Center, Valley Springs

Arnold Rotary: Thursdays  
5:30PM, Sequoia Woods Country  
Club, Meadow Dr., Blue Lake  
Springs, Arnold

San Andreas Rotary: Noon on  
Wednesdays, Calaveras County  
Museum Complex

Attend a Board Meeting, Rotary  
Function or Online @ Rotary.org

## All are Welcome

We are more than happy to  
accommodate anyone who is  
unable to attend an upstairs  
meeting, just give us 24-48  
hours' notice. Please call us at  
209-278-0455.



## Today



- 12:15** Call Meeting to Order
- Pledge to Flag
- 4-Way Test
- Thought for the Day
- Welcome Guests
- Lunch

**12:45** Happy Bucks & High 5's

President's Remarks & Announcements

**12:55** Dr. Bob Melrose, The Rotary Foundation

**1:15** Drawing / Adjourn Meeting

## Coming Up:

Jan 30: MaryBeth Ospital, Cal-Waste Recovery Systems

Feb 5: 5 PM Board Meeting

Feb 6: Colleen Brazil, Hospice – Five Wishes

Feb 13: Bring your Sweetheart to Lunch & Students of the Month

Feb 20: Kenny & Tammie Lee, Family 4 Fitness

## RECENT PROJECTS:

**Rotarians are just ordinary people doing extraordinary things by working together.**



We are proud to have helped Hawa's Hope do their most recent training trip to Sierra Leone with a \$1300 donation. This group of Nurse Practitioners is working to reduce the number of women who die in



childbirth by providing training and equipment to local midwives – in a country with the worst maternal mortality rate in the world.



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**Club Leadership 2019-2020**

- President: Bert Lucas
- President-Elect: Tammy Beilstein
- Secretary: Scott Nanik
- Treasurer: Jerry Lucas
- Sergeant at Arms: King McPherson & Louie Clark
- Past President: Steve Hayward
- Directors/Committee Chairs:*
- International Service: Paula Cobbett
- Community Service: Andi Adams & Sabrina Julian
- Club Service: Jim Bailey
- Vocational Service: Donna Stevenson
- Youth Service: Brian Goss
- Foundation Chair: David Stormont
- Membership: Chuck Milazzo
- Rotary Intl. President: Mark D. Maloney
- District 5220 Governor: Jim Pierce
- Asst. District Governor: Barbara Larkin

*After Bert's big win the Super Pot was reset to \$50. Duane had no luck, pulling an orange marble.*



The Concept of Dues

*Rotary was almost bankrupt in 1915. Frank Mulholland, then President, realizing the seriousness and urgency of the situation, conceived the simple idea of asking Rotarians each to contribute a dollar. This commonsense method of raising a sizable amount of money proved quite successful; Rotary has not been financially embarrassed since that time.*



*In case you missed it . . .*

If you missed the White Elephant Auction... you can still bring a gift! We had a blast bidding on some "unique" items, led by our persuasive auctioneers Steve and Jim! This club fundraiser allows us to host guests at lunch (such as students and speakers) and pay for club administrative functions (instead of paying club dues!). Much to Bernard's relief, the bota bag was nowhere to be seen.



Darrie gave a perfect recitation of the Four Way Test and is on her way to getting her blue badge. Paula's guest Linda Silvera is interested in joining and jumped right in by bidding on a gift! Sabrina's husband John also joined in on the action. Jenny presented a donation from the Native Daughters of the Golden West for \$1000 towards Meals on Wheels! This will purchase extra meals for five more homebound seniors. Hearing that we are 3 away from our goal of 47 donations of \$219, Steve cheerfully raised his hand to fund those three! Prez Bert earned and was awarded his pin for Paul Harris + 4, representing donations of \$5000 to The Rotary Foundation. We have so many reasons to give Happy Bucks with all this going on!



**What we do!**

*Angels-Murphys Rotary Club holds great fundraisers so that we can do good in the community! We are proud that this small club can do so much in a year, such as:*

- Award \$5000 in scholarships to graduating seniors
- Give winter coats, backpacks & school supplies to local children and illustrated dictionaries to every third grader in our district
- Purchase, pack and deliver holiday meals to 200 families
- Send juniors to leadership camp & honor top students of all ages
- Replace wells and raise emergency funds for wildfire victims
- Construct park improvements, benches and a community garden
- Foster the spirit of community service in Bret Harte's Interact Club
- Support the Senior Center's food pantry & local Meals-on-Wheels
- Collect, repair and distribute wheelchairs for the disabled poor
- Pack & ship 2000 pairs of shoes for repair by Soles4Souls
- Contribute to Rotary International's Six Areas of Focus (incl. polio)

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