

THE SLUICE BOX



Be the Inspiration | Service Above Self | Meeting of March 21, 2019

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 Jim Bailey @ 209-743-9176.



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 & Other Announcements

12:55 Program: Club Projects and Other Fun Stuff

1:15 Drawing / Adjourn Meeting

Coming Up:

Mar 28: Capt. Mike Johnson, Ebbetts Pass Fire District

3/28 is the deadline to nominate a business from Angels Camp or Murphys for Business of the Year! Turn forms in to Bev

Apr 4: TBA

Apr II: TEACHERS OF THE YEAR & Students of the Month

CURRENT PROJECT:



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

For the past six years we have participated in Murphys Irish Day as a fundraiser for the Bret Harte Interact Club. We provide the resources and the students work hard

painting people's

hair green and selling beads, Rotary branded t-shirts and other fun green things to the ever-growing crowds. This year we netted more than \$1400 which they will use for their community service and international projects in the year to come.



Club Leadership 2018-2019

President: Steve Hayward
President-Elect: Bert Lucas
Secretary: Beverly Stewart
Treasurer: Jerry Lucas
Sergeant at Arms: King McPherson
Past President: Mike Benapfl

Directors/Committee Chairs:

International Service: Liz Armstrong Community Service: Sabrina Julian Club Service: Jim Bailey **Vocational Service:** Various Youth Service: **Brian Goss** Foundation Chair: Tammy Beilstein Membership: Chuck Milazzo Rotary Intl. President: Barry Rassin District 5220 Governor: Judy Lovett Asst. District Governor: Barbara Larkin

King tried to share his good fortune by pulling a marble for Bill, alas not the black one ... rolling up to \$470.

In case you missed it...

Last week we had a very full house in honor of students of the month, and of course King McPherson's 102^{nd} birthday (on St. Patrick's Day)! Bev introduced guest Patsy Gonzalez, Mike brought Eileen and Paul, and we were happy to see the familiar faces of Ed Neiman and Merita Callaway. Finally giving up the city life, Dave Stormont of San Mateo Sunrise Rotary announced he would be transferring to our Club!



Seniors Gurlovellen, Ellie and Brooke impressed us with their involvement in every possible club including Interact! All three also participate in sports, and will be studying biochemistry, criminal psychology, and nursing, respectively.

After discussing the longevity of

mayflies and bristlecone pines, we joined together to celebrate King's many years of good life and a world-record 75 years of perfect attendance in Rotary. He graciously wore his royal robe and crown as we read two touching letters he received from R.I. President Barry Rassin. It's not known why some people live a long time, but we think part of it is smiling a lot, staying connected



with others, and occasionally indulging in a cheeseburger & fries.







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 to local children and illustrated dictionaries to every third grader in our district
- Purchase, pack and deliver holiday meals to 200 families
- Send students to leadership camp and on foreign exchange to Germany & France
- Replaced wells at burned out homes in Butte Fire area, raised funds for Camp Fire victims
- Construct park improvements, memorial benches and a community garden
- Foster the spirit of community service in our youth via Bret Harte's Interact Club
- Support the Murphys Senior Center's meal program
- Collect, repair and distribute wheelchairs for the disabled poor in the developing world

