



# THE SLUICE BOX



Be the Inspiration | Service Above Self | Meeting of May 23, 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: Barbara Yook, District Attorney
- 1:15** Drawing / Adjourn Meeting

## Coming Up:

- May 30: Brian Wilkes, Murphys Fire Chief
- June 1: 2 PM Memorial for Mearl Lucken, Old School House in Murphys*
- June 1, 11am-2pm: Free Community Shredding& E-Recycling Day**
- June 6: Law Enforcement Officers & Firefighters of the Year
- June 13: Irene Perbal, Life in Amsterdam during WWII
- June 20: 5 PM Prez Steve's Kick-Out Party-Bert & Jane Lucas's Home
- June 27: Club Assembly, planning the new Rotary Year

## CURRENT PROJECT:



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



Our Community Shredding Day will be on June 1. We'll have the shredding truck and electronic waste recycling truck here in Murphys' big parking lot. County residents can bring their sensitive documents and watch them get shredded! Old electronics will be diverted from the landfill. **Donations received will go to our Scholarship Fund.** Refreshments provided! Tell your friends!

*In case you missed it . . .*

**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



*Ed's guest Jeff had the winning ticket and won a cool \$25. Super Pot rolls up to \$630.*



In honor of the Frog Jumps last week, Prez Steve shared his vast knowledge of poisonous dart frogs ... many frog jokes ensued. Dave brought his wife Christine, Paula's guest was Jean, and Ed was joined by his wife Cindy and new neighbors Jeff and Lisa. Bert explained that ringing the bell means you are donating \$100 to The Rotary Foundation, then rang the bell **twice** in celebration of his daughter's baby boy entering the world. Andi, Tony and DeLinda were presented with their official New Member Certificates by



their sponsors. Finemaster Bob gleefully recognized Steve and Brian for various deeds, and Steve proudly presented Tammy to the Club as our new President-Elect for 2020-21!



Our speaker Kathi Toepel from Common Ground Senior



Services gave us a very informative presentation on identifying the signs of elder abuse, and encouraged us to contact her organization if we have concerns about an elder in our community.

**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
- Pack and ship 1750 pairs of shoes for repair and distribution by Soles4Souls
- Support Rotary International's Six Areas of Focus, including the worldwide eradication of polio

