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Stockton East Rotary  
 meets every Friday  
 12:15 PM  
 Elkhorn Country Club



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The Grapevine

Feb 27, 2009

Today's Speaker is **William Trezza, CEO of BAC**  
**"Current State of the Banking Industry"**

Bill Trezza is a native of Orange, New Jersey and a graduate of Villanova University. Upon graduating in 1969 with a Bachelor of Science Degree from the School of Business Administration with a major in Accounting, Bill took a position with the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC). Bill held several prominent positions during his tenure with the OCC (1969-1982). He began as the New York Field Examiner ('69-'75), then moved on to the Washington DC Special Projects Division ('75-'78). Bill distinguished himself in his next assignment as New York Special Projects Manager, and was transferred to the West Coast in 1980. There he was the San Francisco Deputy Regional Administrator for two years before being assigned to the Washington DC Regional Bank Division.



In 1982, an opportunity opened up for Bill with The Bank of Agriculture & Commerce, once again bringing him out West. Bill became the Chief Financial Officer for the Bank of Agriculture & Commerce (continued on page 3)

Future Programs

- Mar 6th Carol Noceti – Stockton 99 Speedway
- Mar 13th Judge Linda Loftus
- Mar 20th Jim Yanko – Cancer Survivor

Important Dates to Remember

- Mar 3rd SER Board Meeting
- Mar 6-8 PETS for Mr. Prag
- Apr 18th District Assembly
- Apr 24-26 Stockton Asparagus Festival
- May 15-17 District Conference



**SERVICE Above Self**

## District 5220 Make-Up Opportunities

### MONDAY

Lodi Tokay Noon  
Gary's Uptown Restaurant  
Modesto Gateway Noon  
Sportsmen of Stanislaus Club  
Modesto North 6:15 PM  
Appetez  
Stockton Delta Noon  
Angelina's Restaurant

### TUESDAY

Manteca Morning 6:45 AM  
Doctor's Hospital  
Modesto 12:15 PM  
Double Tree Hotel  
North Stockton Noon  
Brookside Country Club  
Stockton Sunrise 7:00 AM  
Brookside Country Club  
Tracy Noon  
Anthony's Steak House

### WEDNESDAY

Lodi Sunrise 7:00 AM  
Oak Ridge Winery  
Modesto East 12:15 PM  
Hazel's Elegant Dinning  
Oakdale 12:15 PM  
Oakdale Golf & C.C.  
Ripon 12:10 PM  
Barnwood Restaurant  
Stockton Noon  
Stockton Golf and C.C.  
Tracy Sunrise 6:45 AM  
Hometown Buffet, Mall

### THURSDAY

Lathrop Sunrise 6:30 AM  
Holiday Inn Express  
Lodi Noon  
Burgundy Hall, Lodi Grape  
& Festival Grounds  
Manteca Noon  
Isadore's Restaurant  
Modesto Sunrise 7:00 AM  
SOS Club  
Riverbank 7:15 AM  
Riverbank Fire Hall

### FRIDAY

Galt Noon  
La Quinta Restaurant  
Galt Sunrise 7:00 AM  
Estrellita High School  
Oakdale Sunrise 7:00 AM  
Oakdale Country Club  
Salida 6:45 AM  
Holiday Inn Express

## Pure Potpourri from President Potter

Today I would like to thank everyone who has and is participating in the Arena Fundraiser. Jeff Prag is doing a great job of insuring that the booth is properly manned. I really appreciate all members that are helping. Some members have committed to 3 or more shifts.

It would seem that this is the proper time to point out that if we can expand our membership we can do these projects with each of use doing fewer shifts.

If we could each find one person that lives by the Rotary Ideals and identify that person, we could double our size and have more hands to help with our projects.

On this Friday I will hand out forms for us to identify a new person to invite to our club. My plan is to send a letter along with our new flyers inviting them to consider Rotary as the place to make a difference in someone's Life. Helping others gives one the feeling of satisfaction that nothing else brings. Improving the world one act at a time.

Please help us increase our membership.

Craig Potter, President



### THE FOUR-WAY TEST of the things we think, say or do

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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headquartered in Stockton, California in 1982 (27 years ago) and in 1984 was named Chief Executive Officer of the Bank. To this day, Bill leads the Bank of Agriculture & Commerce and its subsidiary bank, ECC Bank, in continued market growth and financial success, as he has for the past 25 years.

As an active member of the Bank’s many communities, Bill serves on numerous Board positions and committees for local organizations and trade associations. Bill is a father of four, and enjoys the many sports and school activities of his children, ages 15, 17, 18 and 20.

Heaven is where:

*The Police are British,  
The Chefs are Italian,  
The Mechanics are German,  
The Lovers are French and  
It's all organized by the Swiss.*

Hell is where:

*The Police are German,  
The Chefs are British,  
The Mechanics are French,  
The Lovers are Swiss and  
It's all organized by the Italians.*

New Member Proposal

*Kerry Moquett has been proposed for membership by Marsha Costanzo  
Kerry’s classification will be Management of Non-Government Organization.*

*Any comments or concerns should be shared with a SER board member.*

New Member Proposal

*Patrick Velasquez has been proposed for membership by Don Richter  
Patrick’s classification will be Retail Sales of Automobiles.*

*Any comments or concerns should be shared with a SER board member.*

SER Friday Greeters

*Today: Janice Gilford*

*Next Week: Marsha Costanzo*

SER Birthdays:

*3/2 Pat Thomas*

SER Anniversaries:

*None*



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