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meets every Friday
12:15 PM
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The Grapevine

Oct 23, 2009

Today's Speakers are

Barbara S. Kauss & Rosa Vazquez
with the Housing Authority of the County of San Joaquin

Barbara S. Kauss

Executive Director,

Education:

Bachelor of Arts — 1982, Linfield College;
Linfield, CA

Public Housing Manager (PHM)

Certificate — 2001

Experience:

City of Modesto — Acting Deputy Director
and HUD Manager

Housing Authority of the City of Salem

(OR) —

Assistant Housing Administrator/Deputy
Director

Development Manager, Housing

Grants Coordinator

Housing Authority and Community

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Rosa Vazquez

Deputy Executive Director,

Education:

Bachelor of Science Business Management
—University of Phoenix

Certifications:

S/8 HCVP Updates

S/8 Rent Calculation

S/8 Housing Quality Standards

S/8 Eligibility

S/8 Fraud

S/8 Interview and Fraud

S/8 SEMAP

S/8 HCV Regulatory Management

State of California – Basic Supervision

Basic Model Netics, Main Event Manage-
ment Institute

Experience:

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Future Programs

Oct 30th **Jim Coleman – Stockton Civic Theater**

Nov 6th **Dudley Drake - RYLA**

Nov 13th **Kimberly Borgens**

Important Dates to Remember

Oct 24th **Foundation Dinner in Tracy**

Nov 3rd **SER Board Meeting**

Nov 13th **Club Elections**

Nov 15th **District 5220 at the Thunder**

Nov 24th **All City Luncheon**

Dec 18th **Wrapping of the Presents**



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 Dining
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
	La Quinta Restaurant
Oakdale Sunrise	7:00 AM
	Oakdale Country Club
Salida	6:45 AM
	Holiday Inn Express

A Little Brag from President Prag

Thanks again to Jet Reed for talking about her career as a chiropractor, to Craig Potter and the other club past presidents for submitting such an outstanding slate of nominees as officers for next year, and to Bali Ranchhod for his generous raffle donation prize.

We have now raised nearly \$200 toward our Club's contribution to a water purification project at six elementary schools in Mexicali, Mexico sponsored primarily by the Escalon Sunrise Rotary Club. Keep up the great work by buying those raffle tickets.



We will have 18 members and guests going to the annual Rotary Foundation dinner in Tracy this Saturday night. This should be some sort of record for us; the club historians can correct me if I am wrong. You can still attend, says Foundation chair Chuck Wright, by bringing your checkbook in hand to the door and calling event chair Marvin Williamson at 209-833-1240 to let him know you are coming, so that he can order up some more delicious food from Angelina's.

Whether you are attending the dinner or not, give yourselves a big collective Stockton East pat on your backs for this year's 76% member participation towards one or more ticket purchases and the resulting \$3,750 in charitable donations going to the Rotary International Foundation. Chuck Wright informs me that each of those two numbers exceeds any previous figure from our club for at least the past seven years. Congratulations!

This Saturday, October 24th, is also World Polio Day. I'll have a bit more to say about that at this Friday's meeting. For those of you who know how to text message (I'm claiming some sort of client privilege concerning my own abilities), send POLIO to 90999 for a one-time \$5 donation to help Rotary's fight against this terrible disease. Proceeds benefit the Rotary Foundation. All charges are billed by and payable to your mobile service provider.

Lastly, we bid adieu to past president Dave Wilcox as he leaves both our club and Stockton, congratulate him on his retirement from Comcast, and wish him well in all of his new endeavors, Rotarian or otherwise, up in Oregon. We'll miss ya', Dave.

Remember: the Future of Rotary is in Your Hands.

YIRS, President Jeff

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

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Learn more about our club at www.stocktoneastrotary.org

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Services Agency of Lane County (OR)
Resident Initiatives Coordinator

American Red Cross at Ford Ord (CA)/American Red Cross of Lane County (OR)
Station Chairman and Chairman of Volunteers,
Emergency Services Caseworker, Special Projects
Coordinator

Personal:

Two children: Rebecca, 22 years old and Bruce, 20 years old, both college students

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Housing Authority of the County of San Joaquin
Director of Rental Assistance
Sacramento Housing and Redevelopment Agency —
Program Manager

Supervisor – Owner Services (Inspections)
Lead Program Analyst

Housing Authority of the County of Santa Clara
Housing Program Specialist Lead
Senior Housing Program Specialist
Housing Program Specialist

JMK Investments (Property Management)
Assistant Manager

Personal:

Two children, Gilbert, 21 years old and Cynthia, 20 years old and a granddaughter, Melina born September 16, 2009.

SER Board Nominations for 2010-2011

President Neil Hamilton; President Elect Don Richter; Past President Jeff Prag, VP Janice Gilford; Secretary Jeff Pate; Treasurer Joan Levyssohn; Sergeant at Arms Jeanette Reed

RYLA Student Selection

RYLA Interviews: Rick Fooy needs two members to help interview students. Interviews will be at Franklin High School on October 22nd at 8am, there will be ten students to interview.

Membership

This week’s table top visual classification reminder is: PHARMACIST.
All of us take pills -- some more than others -- so when you go to pick up your prescription, talk to your pharmacist about joining you for lunch at our Rotary meeting. Tell him/her that you need to talk to them about your drug habit. Share Rotary.



SER Friday Greeters

Today: Larry Streeter

Next Week: Dick Ennis

SER Birthdays:

10/25 Ross Lopez; 10/26 Gary Medina;

SER Anniversaries:

None



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