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ROTARY LAFAYETTE GOLF & WINE CLASSIC

We had a fabulous Monday of golf, wine, and food at the Rossmoor Golf Course.

Very Special Thanks to the Committee and to our Corporate Sponsors!

The Committee: AC Webb, Polly Bernson, Ed Stokes, Charlie Vitale, Terry Camp, Larry Duson, Mike Heller, Sandi Mitchell, John Sherry, and Gene Wilson from the Rossmoor Club.

Corporate Sponsors: Ken Hofmann, Diablo Foods, Diablo Rapid Print, Oakwood Athletic Club, and Susan Foord Catering.

Mike & Joan Heller won the Raffle Grand Prize.





Photo courtesy of Sylvan Barnet

RI President Dong Kurn Lee

RI PRESIDENT ADDRESSES UN FORUM

Ryan Hyland, Rotary International News
9 October 2008 – excerpt

RI President Dong Kurn Lee praised the 20-year partnership between Rotary and the United Nations in fighting polio during a 25 September forum convened by UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon.

At the forum in New York, attended by top government and civic leaders, Lee reaffirmed Rotary's commitment to working with the UN to eradicate polio and build a healthier, more peaceful world.

"We have brought the world closer to the end of a disease and to the achievement of the fourth Millennium Development Goal: reducing child mortality," Lee said in a speech during a breakout session on health and education. "We have created partnerships that will endure and will yield benefits far beyond the elimination of one disease."

Lee and other RI leaders spent four days in New York in September participating in several forums, convened to assess progress made toward achieving the Millennium Development Goals adopted by world leaders in 2000. The forum brought together a broad coalition of government leaders, philanthropists, and development agencies who recommitted to slashing poverty, hunger, and disease by 2015.

Speakers included Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation co-chair Bill Gates, UNESCO Director-General Kiochiro Matsuura, WHO Director-General Margaret Chan, and other philanthropists and government leaders.

"Rotary's agenda addresses all of the millennium goals: health, hunger, cleaner environment, and education," says Sylvan Barnet, RI representative to the United Nations. "This event was a useful way to promote Rotary to different world leaders and organizations."

RI General Secretary Ed Futa said the meeting he attended was a high-powered event. "The thing that impressed me the most was that everyone -- heads of state and CEOs -- recognized Rotary and the work we are doing," Futa said.

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MAKE UP MEETINGS NEARBY

MON

12:00 Danville, Brass Door, San Ramon

TUES

07:00 Walnut Creek Sunrise, Scott's Seafood
12:15 Moraga, Soda Center
12:00 Walnut Creek, Heather Farms Garden Center Bldg
05:30 Diablo View, 866-842-1420 for location

WED

12:00 Rossmoor, Hillside Clubhouse
12:15 Alamo, Round Hill Golf
12:15 Orinda, Community Center
12:15 Concord-Diablo, Marie Callendars

THU

07:00 Clayton Valley / Concord Sunrise

FRI

07:00 Lamorinda, Postino
12:15 Concord, Concord Hilton

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

10/16	TBD
10/23	Dan Dunn, Blackhawk Museum
10/30	Alexander Zwissler, CEO, Chabot Space & Science Center
11/06	Gail Iilkema, Supervisor, District 2, Contra Costa County
11/13	Fred Brill, Superintendent, Lafayette School District
11/20	Robert Kochly, District Attorney, Contra Costa County
11/27	Thanksgiving, no meeting
12/04	Club Assembly

LOCAL ROTARY EVENTS

10/14	Board meeting, 5, Laf Chamber
10/18	Rotary Day at Golden Gate Fields
10/23-25	Rotary District Conference, Concord Hilton
10/26	Pancake Breakfast at the Lafayette Reservoir Run
11/11	Board meeting, 5, Laf Chamber
12/18	Christmas Luncheon, Lafayette Park Hotel, 11:30 am
01/25-26	Reno Train Trip

ROTARY INT'L EVENTS

06/21-24	2009 RI Convention, Birmingham, England
06/20-23	2010 RI Convention, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

BIRTHDAYS

10/15	Milt Bruzzone
10/18	Troy Winkles
10/30	Bob Underwood

ANNIVERSARIES

10/05	Mike Kearney
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GREETERS

10/09	No meetng
10/16	Mike Henn
10/23	Dick Holt
10/30	Mike Kearney
11/06	Mo Levich
11/13	Mo Levich
11/20	Jay Lifson

