



# The BURNER

HAYFORK ROTARY CLUB

CLUB NO. 444 \* DISTRICT 5160 \* ORGANIZED 1947 \* VOLUME 04, NUMBER 27 \* July 15, 2009

**"The Best Little Rotary Club in the World!"**

## Today's Meeting

*In attendance:*

**President Karl** rang the opening bell at seven this morning. Present were: **Charlene D., Charlene G., Roy Y., Ray, Susan, Jerry, Randy, Janet, Roger, Shirley** and **John.**

**Shirley** led the pledge and **Ray** gave the invocation.

We have received conformation that the GSE Team from Mexico will be coming to Hayfork. More on this at a later date as info comes in.

**Roger** updated the Club on the on the fire in the Trinity Alps just north of Denny. So far 6,000 acres have burned and is only about 30% contained. Fuel build-up in extremely high in that area. Local TC fire rep has convinced the fire management team to "go direct" on this fire, which should cut the loss of acres and time to containment in half. **Roger** continues to get the message out that it is imperative that the fuels be reduced on the forests in order to get back to natural forests and natural fires.

**Jerry** reported on his research into a hunting rifle for our raffle. After much discussion, it was decided that it was too late in the year to be able to sell the number of tickets needed to even clear even. Thus we will not have the raffle at this year's Fair. However, we will proceed with the raffle for next summer's Fair and we will start selling the tickets ASAP. Jerry will now research a more expensive riffle with a scope. Randy is going to contact the Shasta Dinner Train to see what we can get a pair of tickets for as our second place prize.

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## Today's Program

**Roger** updated the Club on the State budget process. Basically....keep your fingers crossed! The process is just a mess. The State is now issuing warrants because it is out of cash.

Thankfully for TC, the North Valley Bank is still accepting the State warrants, because 60% to 70% of Trinity County's funding is from the State.



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Our list of Club invited guests for the 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Social is just about complete. **Charlene D.**, got the list organized for the side dishes. **Ray** has arranged for music for the event.

**Randy** reported that after costs, the Club made about \$300 on the booth at the Hayfork N You Rally. That is about 13 cents per hour for Jerry's time in the booth, and that does not include the time spent by various other members. The Club has decided to not participate in the rally next year. Board meeting was cancelled and will be held next Wednesday.

**Susan** suggested that the Board look into scheduling a T-4-T just prior to the Hayfork Century next year, so the town will be clean for the incoming riders.

**Randy** will try to get Alex Cousins to present a program on last years outbound GSE Team. Also try to get Josh back to speak again.



## Announcements:

- **Dues are due: \$50**
- Board meeting next Wednesday.
- Foundation & membership expo in Red Bluff, Aug 1<sup>st</sup>. Karl will be going and is looking for others to attend.
- A freezer has been donated to the club.
- Bring your HC "Staff" T-shirt (clean) to next weeks meeting so we can have the Rotary Wheel added to it.

## Recognition

**Randy** picked **Susan's** Ticket, however **Susan** could only pick a white marble.

## Birthdays:

None

## Anniversaries:

None

## Rotary Anniversaries:

None

## Board Actions

June 17, 2009 Board Meeting

In attendance: **Charlene D., Ray, John, Roy Y., Roy B.,** and **Karl** chaired the meeting.

No Minutes. No Quorum

Went over **Calendar.**

Discussed **Hayfork Century.** Took in about \$2500, charged too much for camping. Will get money back from USFS, maybe.

July 8 will be last **Hayfork Century** meeting.

**Roy Y.** submitted bill for last of Ironwork on BBQ grills.

The next regular Board Meeting will be at 8:00 AM on **July 15, 2009.**

Please note that the Board always welcomes our members to sit in and provide input at all our Board meetings.



# That's All Folks !