



# THE ROTO NEWS



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## This Week's Program: Four Generations at Work

Robin Paggi a Certified Human Resources Director/ Consultant was introduced by **Susan Gill** and spoke on Four Generations at Work: Potential Problems and Practical Solutions. She gave us a wonderful handout and had a great power point presentation. She jam packed the information into her 30 minutes. If you would like a handout contact her at:

[rpaggi@kleinlaw.com](mailto:rpaggi@kleinlaw.com). She signed a book for Noble School.



This week's speaker Robin Paggi with Pres Elect Tom

### *In Memoriam : Our Beloved CyWade*



*Charter Member Cyrus Wade died May 9, 2009*

*Details of services to follow*

*Keep Alan and Cindy and Cy's family in your thoughts and prayers*

### OFFICERS

- President: Susan Leedy
- Secretary: Michele Brown
- Treasurer: Steve Gibbs
- Sgt.at Arms: Hank Hinse
- Board Advisor: George Palmer

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- Administration: Tony Ansolabehere
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- New Generations: Linda Wright
- Outreach: Carole Cohen
- International Service: John Wilson
- Past President: Ron Biglin
- President Elect: Tom Burch

### Upcoming Events at Bakersfield East Rotary Club:

- 05.15 - County Government– Supervisor Mike Maggard
- 05.15 - Dinner at the Derby– Bakersfield North Rotary Event - see Carole Cohen for details
- 5.15 - Open House Ronald McDonald House    05.16 - Bakersfield Rescue Mission (page 3)
- 5.18 - Valley Fever Golf Tournament    5.19 - BERC board mtg - Henley's    05.22 - **DARK**
- 5.26 - BERF board mtg- Carney's
- 05.29 - Gin Fizz Breakfast - offsite at Gary Stanfill's

**Club Assignments for May 15, 2009**

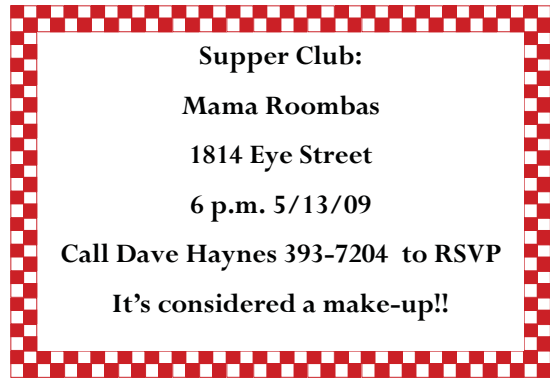
**Greeters:** Wayne Kress, Robert Vining, Greg Braun

**Invocation:** Pam Mahan

**Flag Salute:** Dave Haynes

**Visiting Rotarians:** Jim Clark

**Reception Table:** Scott Begin, Keith Bishop



**Supper Club:**  
**Mama Rombas**  
 1814 Eye Street  
 6 p.m. 5/13/09  
 Call Dave Haynes 393-7204 to RSVP  
 It's considered a make-up!!

*This Week's Business:*

**The Giant Gavel Came Down** at 12:25 with PP Prez **Vernon Varner** taking over for the MIA President **Susan Leedy**. We were reminded to "Avoid the swine flu- don't kiss a pig." Josh **Braun**, **Greg's** 3 year old needs our thoughts and prayers. **Melinda Westfahl** led prayer, **Kelly Giblin** the flag salute and **Steve Gibbs** stood in for the missing **Remlap** for God Bless America. Greeters **Doug Amstutz**, filling in for the MIA **Phil Franey** and **Dave Bass** offered handshakes and hugs at the door. The Reception Table was led by the BB Bros- **Ron Biglin & Scott Begin**. Visiting Rotarian, Joe Drew from Downtown & Tejon Ranch was introduced by **Ken Koop**. We had no guests on this day. Head Table were **Steve Gibbs, Michele Brown & Susan Gill** who later would introduce our speaker

Robin Paggi- a Rotarian from the new Twilight Club. Then **Jack Spencer** announced Super Club to be at Momma Rumbas...remember to call **Dave Haynes** for RSVPs.

Announcements started with **Michele Brown** telling us that the Festa di Pasta total figures would be available next week. Also- she announced a newly forming Three Season's Dining for everyone interested to sign up, groups picked randomly. **Carole Cohen** let us know about the North Club's Derby Fund Raiser at 7 Oaks on May 15<sup>th</sup>. **Bruce Keith** announced the Environmental Clean Up at the Panorama Vista Preserve for Sat. May 9<sup>th</sup>.

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May Birthdays

Mark Ramsey 1st      Karen McKinzie 3rd      Melinda Westfahl/Rachelle Towery 4th

Mike Burger 17th      Jarrod McNaughton/Scott Begin 30th

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The South Club is having a pancake breakfast on May 16 at the Vet's Hall 1905 Wilson Rd. from 9:00-11:00. New Rotary Club Bakersfield Twilight Club will meet Wednesday's at TL Maxwell at 5:30, first meeting May 13<sup>th</sup>. Lastly the Gin Fizz Breakfast at **Gary Stanfill's** is May 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 AM.

Birthday girls were **Melinda Westfahl** & the absent **Rachelle Towery** both on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Club Anniversaries were celebrated by **Susan Gill** who came in the Club in 1997 and **Steve Gibbs** who reported he joined in 1991.

The following Rotarians didn't have on their pins: **Ken Koop, Kelly Giblin, Johnson Jung, Robert Tidwell, Carole Cohen, Wayne Kress, Mike Brazzell & Greg Braun. Ken Koop and Kelly Giblin** also received a hat fine. **Mike Brazzell** was not fined for his picture in the Bakersfield Life as he had on a pin. He attended the Kern Economic Summit.

In **Prez Leedy's** absence she was fined \$400.00 because she has "not tried to get any

taller." She's using a 4" Step and has missed two meetings. **Keith Bishop** suggested that she pay \$800.00 but it wasn't clear how **PP Vernon Varner** ruled.

**Tom Burch** won the 50/50 raffle with a big \$13.00 take home. The meeting ended at 1:25.



Dinner at the Derby  
Bakersfield North Rotary  
7-Oaks Country Club  
May 15th

Video horseracing, oral and silent auction.  
See Carole Cohen for tickets/details. Let's support this event like they did ours!!!!



Bakersfield Rescue Mission Open House and Barbeque  
May 16, 2009  
11:00 am to 1 p.m.

Come and see the brand new look to the main entrance. BERC made a huge contribution to this project so you all are invited.

**Area Meetings**

**MONDAY**

**Bakersfield South**-noon  
Petroleum Club  
**Wasco**- noon  
Veteran's Hall on Poplar Ave.

**TUESDAY**

**Bakersfield North**- noon  
Petroleum Club  
**Inyokern**- 6 p.m.  
Bernardino's

**WEDNESDAY**

**Bakersfield West**-noon  
Stockdale Country Club  
**China Lake**-noon  
Heritage Inn  
**Shafter**-6:30 a.m.  
Shafter Vet's Hall

**Bakersfield Breakfast**-6:45 am

Petroleum Club  
**Taft**- noon  
Jo's Restaurant

**THURSDAY**

**Frazier Park**- 5:30 PM  
Los Pinos Restaurant  
**Bakersfield Dntwn**-noon  
Bakersfield Art Museum  
**Tehachapi**- noon  
Kelcy's Restaurant

**Delano**-noon  
Kong's Dynasty  
**Kern River Valley** - 6 pm  
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**FRIDAY**

**Bakersfield East** - noon  
EB Veteran's Hall



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**From Dog Wisdom: “Women and Cats will do whatever they please, so Men and Dogs should just relax and get used to it!”**

