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Melanie Wyatt – YES Company

by John Freeland - The Christmas spirit filled our meeting and our hearts last Friday as David, Tiffany, and Justin, YES Ambassadors, lead us in holiday songs. As YES Ambassadors, they tour the community providing musical entertainment, and spreading the word about YES Company. YES (Youth Entertainment Stage) Company is a performing arts company sponsored by the Stanislaus County Office of Education. Formed in 1992, the company under the direction of Melanie Wyatt has produced 12 summer theatre productions. This past summer they performed “Les Miserables,” and next summer will perform “Damn Yankees.”

YES Company brings together Stanislaus County students, grades seven through twelve, from diverse backgrounds. The program provides a comprehensive learning experience and teaches positive alternatives to potential high-risk behaviors. Children discover latent talents and



abilities, develop responsibility and discipline, improve their communication skills, and experience enhanced self-esteem. YES Company is a tremendous program for our community’s youth. We applaud Melanie Wyatt and the Stanislaus County Office of Education for their efforts and wish them continued success with YES Company



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CHECK THE WEB!!



Short Term Youth Exchange

Louis Duarte of the Stockton Rotary Club talked to us about Short Term Youth Exchange, a three-week Rotary program that places students from 15-18 years old in homes in other countries and sends an exchange student back to stay with the family in the US. For more information, call Louis at 476-4994 or check the web at www.rotary5220.org click on Avenue of Service.



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DATES TO REMEMBER

- December 20
Highway Cleanup
8:30 am
- January 24
Mid-Year Leadership
Assembly – Stockton
- January 31
Crab & Rigatoni Dinner

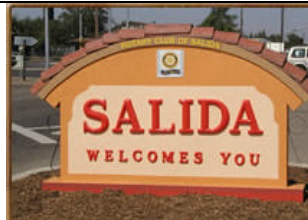


Sell Tickets!
Get Raffle Prizes!

New Salida Project –
Collect used hearing aids
to donate to “Help the
Children Hear.” The
credit received will buy
hearing aids for
impoverished children in
Tucuman Sur,
Argentina!
www.helpthechildrenhear.org

The 4-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
Goodwill and **Better**
Friendships?
4. Will it be
Beneficial to all
concerned?



Sign donated by the Rotary
Club of Salida in 2003 as
a centennial project!
The Rotary Club of Salida
Meets Fridays at 6:45 am
at the Salida firehouse,
at the corner of Salida Blvd
and Broadway,
just west of Highway 99

Club Notes – 12/12/2003 Meeting - December is Family Month

Visiting Rotarians were Ron Vieira and Bruce Coughlin and other guests were Steve Tilford, guest of Ron Williams, and Tony Buffington, Helen's son.

PROGRAM CALENDAR

Dec 19	Christmas Program	Jan 9	Garth Stapley, Modesto Bee
Dec 26	DARK	Jan 16	Alzheimer Care-giving
Jan 2	DARK	Jan 23	Vocation

Make up at YOUTHACT – Meets at Salida Middle School, Room 105, 3:10 -4:00

Jan 8, Jan 22, Feb 5, Feb 19, Mar 4, Mar 18, Apr 1,

Apr 22, May 6, May 20, Jun 3



DECEMBER ©BIRTHDAYS©

5 – Mike Ely 19 – Don Murphy 21 – Bill Bernardo 24 – Dave DeLong

WHEN YOU MISS – MAKE UP! Make up on line! <http://www.rotaryclubone.org/>

Monday

Modesto Gateway: Noon -Early Dawn Cattle Co.
Modesto North: 6:15 pm -Appetéz

Tuesday

Manteca Morning: 6:45 am -Dr's Hosp.
Modesto: Noon -Double Tree
Newman – 12:10 pm –George Hotel
Tracy -12 Noon- McNamara's
Turlock: 12:15 pm -Turlock Turf Club

Wednesday

Modesto East: 12:15 pm -Hazel's
Ripon: 12:10 pm -Barnwood
Oakdale: 12:15 Oakdale Golf & Country Club

Tracy Sunrise – 6:45 am – Hometown Buffet-
W.Valley Mall

Turlock Sunrise: 7:am -Latif's

Thursday

Escalon: 6:45 am -Michoacana
Lathrop Sunrise: 6:30 am- Holiday Inn
Express
Manteca: Noon -Isadore's
Modesto Sunrise: 7:00 am - S.O.S. Club
Riverbank: 7:15 am -Del Rio

Friday

Oakdale Sunrise – 6:30 am Almond Pavillion
Ceres: 12:15 pm -Peach Tree
More club locations at www.rotary.org