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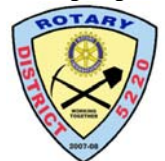


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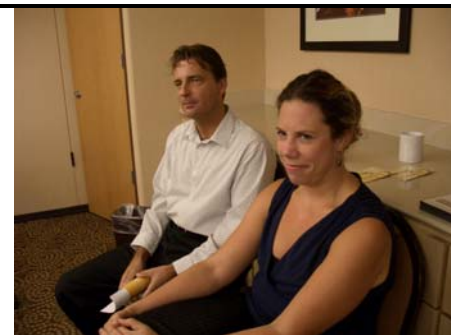
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Paul Jan Zdunek – Modesto Symphony Orchestra Association



~by John Freeland - The Modesto Symphony Orchestra will soon be performing in its new home at the Gallo Center for the Arts. Paul Jan Zdunek, president and CEO of the Modesto Symphony Orchestra Association, tells us that this new home will change the sound of the orchestra. The building's acoustics will improve the quality of the orchestra's musical performance. Paul reminds us that music is our identity. It's around us everyday, from cell phones and in our cars, in theaters and meeting places. For Paul, the arts are more than just enjoying a fine ballad or concerto. It also brings focus to ones life. The arts are about prevention. It can take a child with no direction, or heading in the wrong direction, and turn him in the right direction. The association sponsors a youth orchestra composed of 120 students from schools in our region. It will sponsor a singing contest where 150 children will compete for the title of Young Idol.

Some of the highlights for the orchestra's coming season include opening night at the Gallo Center, October 5 & 6, where the orchestra will perform American classics and French sensuality featuring pieces by Gershwin, Bernstein, Debussy, and Ravel. Holiday Pops is December 7, whose program will include holiday favorites. On March 28 three Broadway performers who have shared the same lead roles in *Phantom of the Opera* will sing hits from Broadway hit musicals such as *Phantom*, *Les Miserables*, *Miss Saigon*, *Guys and Dolls*, *Kiss Me Kate*, *Damn Yankees*, and more. Tickets are on sale by phone (209-338-2100), by mail (Gallo Center for the Arts, Attn: Ticket Office, P.O. Box 1579, Modesto, CA 95353) or online at www.modestosymphony.org



Paul Jan Zdunek & Leslie Sabol



Work it, Joe!



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Check out the new lineup!

Officers 2007-2008:

President: Paul Sanders

- Secretary: Bob Williams
- Treasurer: Bill Bernardo
- Sgt-at-Arms: Joe Mendes
- President Elect: Donna Murphy

Directors:

- Club Service: Janice Vella
- Vocational: Susan Hartless
- Community Service: George Halpin
- International Service: Randy Broughton
- Youth Service: Robert Gonzales

Others

- Internet: Donna Murphy
- Foundation – Randy Broughton

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?



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~Club Notes: **August 17** - Guests of Janice were Deborah Summers and Jack Yarborough. Cathy brought a wine carrier from Aspen. Shannon won the auction at \$25. RonVierra of Modesto Sunrise donated 2 tickets for their lobster feed which were auctioned to Janice for \$55. She then gave them to Loren. Robert gave \$5 for not wearing a pin. Don and Jan gave \$5 each for being on the editorial page of the Bee. Joe gave \$15 for his Disneyland trip and for oversleeping last week.

~Bell Ringers – Pam for Brice turning 18

Loren for his daughter, his father in law turning 80 and his wife's big birthday.

Janice for her extra jobs as a buyer for Memorial Hospital Gift Shop and as designer for her friend's beauty salon.

Shannon gave her first \$100 in her new unborn daughter's name – EMMA. And Jake Kettering is our newest Rotary Kid.

CALENDAR/PROGRAMS

♥AUG ANNIVERSARIES♥

3 – Halpin, George & Shannon
24-Broughton, Randy & Cindy

☺ AUG BIRTHDAYS☺

10 – Harm Hilvers

Salida Town & County Parade & Festival was a big success. Our float was great and giving water at the booth was very well received! Watch the Web for Photos

ROTARY HAPPENINGS:

Mark your calendar!

NOVEMBER 9, 2007

FOUNDATION DINNER

AT THE SOS CLUB IN MODESTO

APRIL 18-20, 2008

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

SPARKS, NEVADA

JUNE 15-18, 2008

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

CONVENTION

LOS ANGELES

Sign up today – hotels are going fast!

Upcoming Programs

Aug. 31 – Bob Hatmaker-Guatemala

Sept. 7- National Agricultural Center – Michelle Laverty

Sept. 14-Rotary Membership Conference

Sept. 21-Jeannie Miller – Doctor's Medical Center Kidworks

THE MEMBERSHIP CONTEST –

HOW TO GET POINTS

One Point each

- Bring a guest.
- Sponsor a qualified member.
- Do make-ups at (or attend) other clubs. Attend District meetings or events.
- Programs – provide one or being one.
- Provide Rotary education (as an individual or a team)
- "Catch" someone wearing their pin outside of the meeting (both get a point if you're wearing yours!) - invalid on your own team members

Team points if everyone wears their pins

COMMUNITY CONNECTION

- **Concert in the Park - Sept. 6. Music by the group "Eternal Praise." Bring your blanket or lawn chairs to the park downtown.**

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

Monday

Modesto Gateway: Noon -Early Dawn 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- Anthony's Steakhouse

Turlock: 12:15 pm -Turlock Turf Club

Wednesday

Modesto East: 12:15 pm -Hazel's

Ripon: 12:10 pm -Barnwood

Oakdale: 12 Noon – Oakdale Country

Club Tracy Sunrise: – 6:45 am – Hometown Buffet

Turlock Sunrise: 7:am -Latif's

Thursday

Escalon: 6:45 am – Escalon High

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-Riverbank Fire Hall

Friday

Oakdale Sunrise – 6:45 am Oakdale Country Club

Ceres: 12:15 pm -Jenny's Fine Dining