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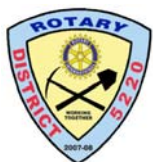
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“We’ll get the job done by doing good and having fun”



The Rotary Club of Salida - Meets Fridays at 6:45 am Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites at 4300 Bangs Ave. Modesto, CA 95356.

(On the corner of Sisk Road, next to “Boomers.”)

## Salida Performing Arts Foundation

Virginia Berry – Salida Performing Arts Foundation ~by John Freeland -



The Salida Performing Arts Foundation is dedicated to promoting the arts among children in the Salida community. Classics for Kids is the foundation’s program to spark children’s interest in musical instruments. This program’s goal is to raise funds to allow the foundation to put violins in the hands of fourth graders for one year. Virginia Berry, Principal of Sisk Elementary School, told us last week that children learn differently. Some learn better through music. The expectation is that many in the program will develop a passion for music and playing musical instruments. As Virginia tells us, sometimes that’s all it takes to help a child become a better student. The foundation is seeking donations totaling \$85,000 to purchase the violins. Donations should be made payable to the Salida Performing Arts Foundation, 4801 Sisk Road, Salida, CA 95368. Comments and questions can be directed to Kim Spina at [kcpina@gmail.com](mailto:kcpina@gmail.com)



Randy presented Cathy and Tony with their first sapphires – denoting their second \$1000 donation to the Rotary Foundation – Thank you!



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### Officers 2007-2008:

**President:** Paul Sanders

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

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- Club Service: Janice Vella
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- International Service: Randy Broughton
- Youth Service: Robert Gonzales

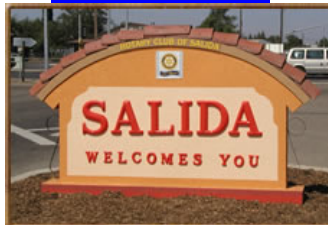
### Others

- 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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### PROGRAMS

**Today – Dana McGarry, Director, Planning and Research, Modesto City Schools to give an update on Joseph A. Gregori High School**  
**April 25 – Matt Machado**  
**May 2 – Robert provides program**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**CINCO DE MAYO CHARTER NIGHT CELEBRATION ON MAY 3 AT THE VELLA'S HOUSE – 3 PM**



**♥APRIL ANNIVERSARIES♥**

**None**

**☺ APRIL BIRTHDAYS☺**

**2 - Donna**  
**12 – Shannon**

**APRIL 18-20, 2008**  
**DISTRICT CONFERENCE SPARKS, NEVADA**  
**Check for more info and register at [www.rotary5220.org](http://www.rotary5220.org)**

Meeting Notes 4/11/08 – Our guest today was Virginia Berry, our speaker. Shannon was our birthday girl today. Jan caught the game ball for being “the best



dancer.” If anyone has seen her dance, you know it is deserved! Donna presented a check for \$843 to the



Rotary Foundation – money left from her successful campaign for a seat on the Board of Directors of the Salida Sanitary District. Janice rang the bell out of frustration at her home remodeling not being done yet!



**Don't forget the scholarship golf tournament June 6 in Manteca. Flyer on the web at**



<http://www.salidarotary.org>

**WHEN YOU MISS - MAKE UP! THERE ARE MANY WAYS!**

YOUTHACT - Thursdays at 3:10 at Salida Middle School

INTERACT - Tuesdays at 11:15 at Big Valley Christian High School

NEARBY CLUBS

**Monday**

Modesto Gateway: Noon - Oak Pit Modesto North: 6:15 pm –Appetiz

**Tuesday**

Manteca Morning: 6:45 am –Dr's Hosp.

Modesto: 12:15 - Double Tree

Tracy -12 Noon- Anthonys Steakhouse

Turlock: 12:15 pm -Turlock Turf Club

**Wednesday**

Modesto East: 12:15 pm -Hazels Oakdale: 12:15 - Oakdale Golf & CC

Ripon - 12:10 pm – Barnwood Tracy Sunrise: 6:45 am Hometown Buffet

Turlock Sunrise: 7:am –Latifs

**Thursday**

Escalon: 6:45 am Escalon High Lathrop Sunrise: 6:30 am- Holiday Inn Express

Manteca: Noon - Isadores Modesto Sunrise: 7:00 am - S.O.S. Club

Newman - 11 am - Pizza Plus Riverbank 7:15 am - Perkos

**Friday**

Ceres: 12:15 pm - Jennys Family Dining Oakdale Sunrise 7:00 am Oakdale CC

Out of town? Check at [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)(click on the club locator at the top right)for a meeting where you will be located OR Make up on line! E-Club List at

[http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en\\_pdf/eclub\\_list.pdf](http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en_pdf/eclub_list.pdf) or <http://www.salidarotary.org>