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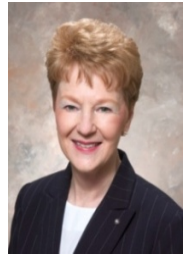
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RI Theme for the
2008-2009 year.



The emphasis is to
make dreams real for
the world's children.

GENE RICHARDS, PILOT

Becoming an Airline Transport Pilot – Gene Richards

~by John Freeland

Gene Richards joined the Navy in 1949, where he was trained as a pilot. He flew aircraft for the Navy during the Korean War. After completing his tour with the Navy, Gene became a pilot for Trans World Airlines. He flew commercial aircraft for 35 years.

In those first years after the Korean War, a college degree wasn't required to be an airline transport pilot (ATP). In the 1960s the requirements to be a pilot began to change. A college degree is now required to become an ATP. Once a licensed pilot qualifies to pursue an ATP license, the pilot undergoes ground school training, and simulator training. Simulator training scenarios begin with smooth take offs and landings, but soon begin to include problem scenarios with the aircraft (for example, a gauge out, an engine failing, an engine on fire). A pilot is then required to log hours flying aircraft. During the first year with an ATP license, the pilot flies his first commercial flight with a "check airman." A check airman is an ATP pilot that watches the new ATP pilot during the flight, and has the authority to take over the aircraft, if necessary. This is repeated at 90 days. There is also an open book exam. At six months the pilot undergoes a proficiency exam. Finally, at 12 months the pilot receives recurrent training. After the first year, all ATPs receive a line check with a check airman every six months, and also are subject to random flight checks by the FAA. Perhaps remembering that pilots are subjected to line checks and random flight checks by the FAA will relieve some of those pre-flight jitters the next time you're about to board. Happy Flying!

Meeting Notes 5/15/09

There were 2 guests, Steve Jacobs (Modesto club), and Noelle Candido(?) from Salida Middle School (she performed the previous week with Kids Works). We took in over \$200 for the jars for "Every 15 minutes".

President Donna, Don, and Petra were missing because they attended the District Conference in Monterey.

More on that today



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Officers 2008-2009:
 President: Donna Murphy
 Secretary: - Paul Sanders
 Treasurer: Bill Bernardo
 Sgt-at-Arms: Joe Mendes
 President Elect: "Team 9-10"
 Directors:
 Club Service: Mike Smith and Donald Wright
 Vocational: Janice Vella
 Community Service: Paul Sanders
 International Service: Randy Broughton
 Youth Service: Cathy Pierce
 Others:
 Internet and Newsletter: Donna Murphy
 Foundation – Don Murphy
 Membership: ALL

The 4-Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

- ~Is it the truth?
- ~Is it fair to all concerned?
- ~Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- ~Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



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")

June 5 – Salida Rotary Scholarship Golf Tournament – Manteca
 Flyer at www.salidarotary.org

June 21-24 - Rotary International Convention – Birmingham, England

Our Harvest Moon fundraiser will be in early October. It is planned to be at the Old Fisherman's Club again.

SHARE ROTARY—BRING A GUEST!!

Eight new members this year so far!



WHEN YOU MISS - MAKE UP! THERE ARE MANY WAYS!
YOUTHACT May 28th - MCHENRY BOWL

RCS BOARD – Second Monday 5:30-At the Murphy's home.

NEARBY CLUBS

Monday

Modesto Gateway: Noon – S.O.S. Club
 Modesto North: 6:15 pm –Appetiz

Tuesday

Manteca Morning: 6:45 am –Dr's Hospital
 Modesto: 12:15 - Double Tree
 Tracy -12 Noon- Anthony's 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 Restaurant
 Tracy Sunrise: 6:45 am Hometown Buffet

CALENDAR

MAY BIRTHDAYS

5- George

♥MAY ANNIVERSARIES♥

7 – Mitzaian-Saddik, Madlen & Sam
 7- Stephens, Larry & Mary

PROGRAM CALENDAR

May 22 – Adam Christianson (Brendan)

May 29 - Vocational (Janice)

June 5 - Henry Haber, Opportunity International (Randy)

June 12—(John)

June 19—Final Club Assembly (Donna)

June 26—Vocational (Janice)

Last meeting of the 2008-2009 year!

Photos by Don Murphy

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

Newman - 11 am - Pizza Plus

Riverbank 7:15 am - Perko's

Friday

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

Oakdale Sunrise 7:00 am Oakdale CC

Out of town? Check at 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