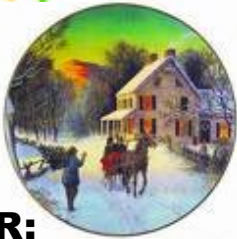


ROTARY CLUB OF HAYWARD

High Gear



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"Home For The Holidays"

At Stonebrae Country Club
 23 Stonebrae Country Club, Hayward, CA 94542

Saturday, December 12th, 2009

Black Tie Optional • Dinner & Dancing
\$75.00 each, including Wine at the Table

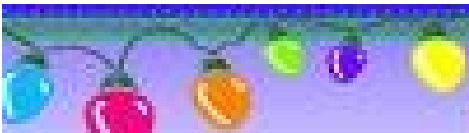


DINNER:

Charbroiled Salmon

Roast Bistro Fillet Medallions of Beef

Vegetarian upon request



COCKTAILS: 6:00 PM

No Host Bar

DINNER: 7:00 PM

DANCING To 11:00 PM



Music by
"The Standard Time Quartet"



Clip and Return

\$75.00 per person prepaid - Please make check payable to **Hayward Rotary Club**.

Enter Quantity Below

- Charbroiled Salmon**
- Roast Bistro Fillet Medallions of Beef**
- Vegetarian**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Payment By: Check _____ Visa _____ MasterCard _____

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Signature _____



Please
RSVP By
Dec. 5th, 2009

Mail to:

Steve Rubiolo
 20519 Cambridge Ave.
 Hayward, CA 94541

Qty of Tickets _____ @ **\$75.00** each = Total \$ _____

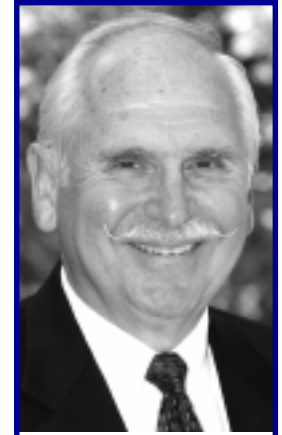
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Greeters – **Laura Simpson & Kevin McGary**. Call to order: **President – Rob Cook** – 19th Meeting of 88th year. “The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands”. Pledge to the flag: **Don Lazar**. Patriot song: **Andy Krake & Chuck Horner** let “God Bless America”. Thought for the day: **Jim Wieder** – We spend our lives on the run: we get up by the clock, eat and sleep by the clock, get up again, go to work – and then we retire. And what do they give us? A clock.” Intro visiting Rotarians – **Faye Blackman** introduced: 1) Lynn Orne, retired, from Castro Valley Rotary. 2) Pat Podatsori, health care manager, from San Leandro Rotary. 3) **Faye** noted that Bob Tucknott was not here, but the later on in the meeting, Bob did arrive. Intro guests: Darrin Vanderpan, guest of **Bill Quirk**. Dr. Kenneth Smith, guest and husband of **Beth Ehrlich**. Gloria DeLucchi, guest of Betty Murdock . Christina Perricone, guest of **Freddye Davis**. Barbara Quintero and Ron Gillette, guests of **Andy Krake**. Nancy O’Malley, recognized by **Judge Hashimoto**. Hello greeting & song: Let by **Andy Krake** and **Chuck Horner** with Enthusiasm!

Past Presidential Moment **Larry Ratto** (1993-94)

Larry’s advice to any other Rotarian that is asked to serve is “Don’t be frightened - you will get a lot of support.” He acknowledged the efforts of the excellent board at the time of his presidency, along with the efforts of the extraordinary Secretary, **Dick Bowman**, who could make any president look good. He recalls that when he went to Melbourne on a Rotary trip, taking his wife Kathleen. It was a wonderful trip but Kathleen realized that there was a price to pay – a very busy next 12 months as **Larry** served his presidency. Some of the projects that Rotary undertook that year were: 1) Eden Youth Center, 2) Building a fence at the Women’s Shelter, 3) An international project, and 4) The Children’s Party. Some of the other memorable/notable events of that year: 1) Dr. Singleton was named “Rotarian of the Year, 2) **Jay Tontz** remarked that he was “concerned about unemployment; it could go up to 6.2%,” 3) **Norma Rees** was inducted into the Bay Area Women’s Hall of Fame, and 4) The “Day at the Races” raised \$13,600. **Larry** also reminisced about the Paint Ball Fundraiser, which he claims would have brought more money in that our recent successful Omelet Brunch, had it not been cancelled because it made law enforcement nervous. **Larry** also mentioned that his claim to fame that year was that he was the first president to nearly get impeached for his suggestion to forgo buying new club books. Finally, he ended with the motto that he carried with him through his presidential year: “Service is the rent that we pay to live and work in the community.”



Larry Ratto

Announcements / Events

- The Rotary Foundation – **Debby De Angelis** asked us to consider this every time we walk past a penny on the street: The leading cause of blindness in children is Vitamin A deficiency; and it costs only 2 cents per dose. There are two more weeks left to purchase a ticket for a chance to win a trip through Rotary International.
- Presentation of Paul Harris Pin – **Bob Scheppler & Bob Goetsch**.
- Resignation of **Sharon Van Brunt** due to a new start up that requires all of her attention.
- Rotary Youth Exchange-Interviews begin on December 13th, 2009. Anyone interested in nominating a youth for this program, please see **President Rob Cook**.
- Dictionary Distribution-November 18th -9:30am-Palma Ceia-27679 Melbourne St. Hayward, CA-Call or email **Phyllis Moroney** if you can help.
- HRC Foundation Meeting-November 18th-12:00pm at **Tony Varni’s** office. Please let **Pam Russo** or **Bob Sakai** know if you will attend.
- Omelet Breakfast Recap Dinner – November 18th – 6:00pm – **Phyllis Moroney’s** home: 19419 Barclay Rd., Castro Valley, CA. (510) 881-5595 or pmoroney@aol.com.
- HRC Board Meeting-November 19th -5:30pm at Stonebrae Golf Club Please contact **Mona Diamantine** if you are going to attend.
- Sunnyvale Turkish American Rotary – Charter Evening - November 19th – See **President Rob** if you wish to attend.
- Newman Park-Light Up the Season Work Party – November 24th – 10:00am – **George Pacheco**.
- Hayward Rotary Club -Holiday Party -December 12th-Stonebrae CC. Invitations have been mailed and will also be included in the High Gear for the next several weeks. Please get your reservations in early as seating is limited for this Holiday Gala.
- Uniendo America Fair-Antiqua, Guatemala, January 24th -February 2nd, 2010. See **President Rob** if interested in attending.

Have you visited our Website lately? www.haywardrotary.org

Program:

Nadia Davis-Lockyer Esquire – Executive Director – Alameda County Family Justice Center and Nancy O’Malley, District Attorney.



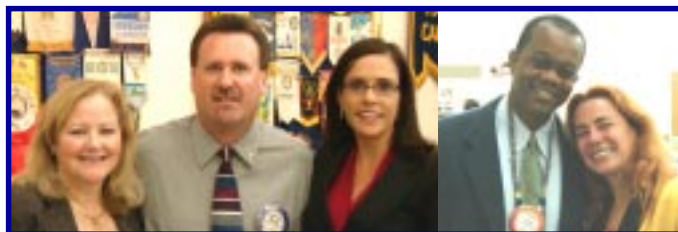
Nadia began with her motto, which was “this too shall pass.” This has allowed her to be strong in times of tribulation and humble in times of success. Her presentation is summarized below:

- Alameda County has the highest rate of annual calls (7,000) related to domestic violence than any other county in Northern and Southern California.
 - o 550+ are from Hayward, and 349 of them involve weapons (the amount of calls involving weapons is significantly higher in Hayward than other City in Alameda County).
 - o 30% of all calls in Alameda County involve weapons
- There were 17 Domestic Violence homicides in 2001 > it was down to 6 to 2008
- In 2008, over 5,000 protective court orders were issued and 200 civil protective orders were issued
- Family violence causes community violence > there is a \$1.5MM cost to the public
- In early 2003, Alameda County had fragmented and duplicative services to DV victims:
 - o Victims would have to go to 25 different places to get comprehensive services
 - o Victims had to know how to navigate a very complex system that was even hard for professionals to do
 - o Due to system complexity and difficulty, a lot of victims would give up
- Building on Success
 - o Bay Area Women Against Rape (in partnership with Alameda County District)
 - o Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)
 - o CALICO
 - o Victim Centered Prosecution
- The Alameda County Justice Center:
 - o Has comprehensive service delivery
 - o Has multiple public/private partners
 - o Offers a gateway to safety and empowerment
 - o Helps those that are victims of domestic violence, child abuse, sexual assault and exploitation, elder abuse
 - o Broke ground in 2005 with a grant from the federal government; Nadia joined as ED in 2007
 - o Structure
 - District Attorney is a fiscal agent
 - Formed as a 501c3 (5 members and no employees)
 - Partners sign MOU’s, subcontracts, and client confidentiality agreements
 - o Some notable services at the Justice Center:
 - A Kid Zone/Child Care > it was important to women that they be able to see their children when meeting with counselors – this is done by separating the kid zone with glass partitions
 - Client Transportation program that provides BART tickets and bus passes for victims to come to the Center
 - o Nadia has closed many of the gaps at the Justice Center and found money to fund programs
 - o The Alameda Justice Center is a national model now
 - o It has served 25,000 people since its inception
 - o It is 1) Saving Lives 2) Saving Dollars and 3) Boosting Front-Liner Morale

Next Meeting - November 23rd – Ernesto Nava – Sole Surviving son of Pancho Villa and the Poncho Villa Event Center.

Following Week - November 30th – Larry Lowery – Professor Emeritus – UC – How We Learn “Excellent”.

Nancy O’Malley
President Rob Cook
Nadia Davis-Lockyer



Greeters
Kevin Mc Gary
Laura Simpson

District website: (copy and paste this link into your web browser)

<http://www.rotary5170.org/news/09-10/09-11-OneChild-05.pdf>



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Hayward Rotary Club Calendar

- November 23 **ERNESTO NAVA** sole surviving son of Pancho Villa. Poncho Villa Event Center
- November 30 **LARRY LOWERY - How We Learn “excellent”** Professor emeritus, UC,
<http://www.biglittlebooks.com/aboutlarry.html>
- December 7 **MENDEL STEWART** U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service - Director of S.F. Bay National Wildlife Refuge Complex “The National Wildlife Refuges of San Francisco & Monterey Bays”

Need to find or confirm a Location?

Visit the District 5170 Website @ <http://www.rotary5170.org>



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