

THE MILL

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GREETER

❖ **Larry Davis**, who pointed out that there are three bones critical to our life: *wishbones, funny bones* and *backbones*.

PRESIDER

❖ **President Bob**, who sadly had to announce that a computer snafu had put the kibosh on his snazzy PowerPoint agenda, thereby rendering it a complete mystery. Obviously, not an “operator error!”

VISITORS

❖ *Guests of Rotarians:* **Dwight and Jayme Casimere (Karen Buckter)**. The couple is visiting from the Chicago area, and Jayme was a former member of Rotary. Also **Betty Roberts (Bob Roberts)** and **Ann Shaw** (a neighbor a neighbor of the Roberts’).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ **Burnett Tregoning:** Bocce Ball, August 19th.

❖ **Ed Marshall:** more car license plates are still available. (See ad on page 4).

❖ **Jan Schiff** announced an upcoming program for the “Singers of Marin” on August 19th at 4:00 p.m. at the Community Congregational Church in Tiburon. (**Editor’s Note:** this is a perfect “after bocce” event. Call Jan re tickets)

❖ **Lisán Campbell** made her last “pitch” for the baseball game on August 26th. Contact her if you’d like to join the fun and root for the Pacifics.

❖ Next week President **Bob Roberts** is turning the reins of power over to President Elect **Lee Kirkpatrick** while the former is in Peru and checking out the 34 greenhouses the club has helped establish there.

RAFFLE

❖ No **Heidi** no raffle, simple as that!

CELEBRATIONS

❖ Birthdays, anniversaries and Good Times delayed until next week. You heard about the computer snafu, right?!

PROGRAM

❖ Our speaker, **James Dixon**, is a practicing SF architect. He completed his education in California and Italy. In 1996 he opened his office on Pine street in



That’s **Phil and Barbara Richardson** soaking up the rays alongside **Jenny Lake** in the **Grand Tetons, Wyoming**. Did you have as much fun on your vacation? Don’t forget to submit your vacation pictures to us. Labor Day travels and escapades will be included.

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San Francisco and provides architecture, interior design and landscape services for custom homes, restaurants, retail, hotels and schools. He also was the project architect for the late **Aaron Green**, the last living link to **Frank Lloyd Wright's** organic school of architecture.

His presentation focused on the different styles and periods of Victorian houses, many of them in San Francisco.

Gothic Revival (1840-1890)

Characteristics: painted arches over doors and windows, steeply pitched roofs, turrets, pinnacles and leaded glass windows. It was followed by Carpenter Gothic, of mostly wooden structures, slightly more modest dwellings with simpler adornments.

Italianate (1850-1890)

Characteristics: Almost always two to three stories high, made of wood to imitate stone with stained



► Greeter Larry Davis welcomes today's reporter, Margareth Tanner.

bay windows as well as narrow windows with curved or arched top. These houses also feature flat or pitched roofs and pediments above doorways and windows.

Stick (1860-1870)

Characteristics: they have long, thin pieces of wood called "sticks", where decorative and expressed the underlying wood structure instead of imitating stone. During the 1870s another style developed, the **Eastlake Stick**, the decorative elements became exceedingly numerous and elaborate but also more classical elements were incorporated. San Francisco has the greatest concentration of these homes, due to vast local redwood forests and overwhelming amount of money from the Comstock Lode.

Queen Anne (1880-1910)

Characteristics: They are easily identified, called the in-ness and out-ness. They were decorated with large bay windows, spindles, ornate details and swirls. No vacant space on the surface was left. (A good example are the "Painted Ladies" on Steiner Street.)

SAN FRANCISCO VICTORIANS GRACE BAY AREA LANDSCAPE



► Left: Victorian-Italianate. Center: Victorian-Queen Anne. Right: Victorian-Edwardian Arts & Crafts.

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These distinctive styles were followed by the **Arts & Crafts** movement, shingle style houses, Tudor Revival, Mission Revival, leading the way to Edwardian Craftsman and Spanish Eclectic/Mediterranean Revival until the 1940s.

Many of these houses have been carefully restored and are very much part of our San Francisco landscape.

NEXT WEEK

August 21 (12:15): Dr. Richard Head will present *The Ongoing and Increasing Drug Epidemic in the US*. The increasing Drug overuse in our country is costing us many lives, loss of family structure, absent workers and almost 3% of our GDP. It is increasing although we spend a lot of time discussing it and watching the numbers go up. What are these drugs? Why are they so deadly? Why do so many Americans use them? Who is supplying them? We need to understand these questions and what are the ways that we can treat the many addicts, stop the increase in new addicts and discover the methods that other countries are using with success.



Dr. Richard Head

► **Karen Buckter** poses with her out-of-town guests **Jayne and Dwight Casimere**, who are visiting from the Chicago area.



HOMESTEAD VALLEY MUSIC FESTIVAL

GREAT FOOD! **SATURDAY, AUGUST 25** **DANCING!**
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CLUB CALENDAR

August 19 (9-5): It's Bocce Ball Tournament time at the San Rafael bocce courts. Sign up to represent MV Rotary in this annual fun fundraiser for Rotaplast. \$40 each includes barbecue, under 18 \$15 each. Fun for a great cause.

August 26 (12 Noon, Albert Field, San Rafael): San Rafael



Pacifics vs. the Napa Silverados. Pregame party featuring hotdogs and grog. Cost \$20. **Important: RSVP to Lisán Campbell by next Sunday, August 12, so she can make reservations and choose a menu for the event.**

August 28 (12:15): Mill Valley Fire Chief **Tom Welch** will present *Are you ready? Lessons Learned from the Sonoma/Napa County Fire Storm.* He will share personal stories relative to fire department response during the 2017 fire storm. The presentation is a riveting narrative that cements the need for neighborhood cohesiveness, preparedness, evacuation and much more. Community resiliency is essential to our survival. Preparation begins now.



► **President Bob poses with today's speaker, San Francisco architect James Dixon.**

September 4 (12:15): David Kunhardt will present *What Can Be Done About Climate*

☆ **ONLY ONE MORE LAST CHANCE!** ☆

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- Solving Problems. Having Fun/MillValleyRotary.org
- Fun. Friendship. Service/MillValleyRotary.org
- Helping Globally and Locally/MillValleyRotary.org
- Service Above Self/MillValleyRotary.org
- People Helping People/MillValleyRotary.org

2. Choose your colors (Choose one)

- Black w/Gold Letters
- Blue w/Gold Letters
- Gold w/Blue Letters
- Silver w/Black Letters

3. Your Name _____

(Print, complete and give to Ed Marshall at next week's meeting)

CLUB CALENDAR

Change? He will provide an illustrated update of the verified scientific realities of climate change, then will engage us in a deeper discussion of the most effective personal, local, national and international actions and solutions to abate it. He will cover the County's Drawdown: Marin campaign, plus state, national and international policy developments, including the best means of putting a price on carbon. Questions and discussion will be welcomed.

September 11 (12:15): Mill Valley Mayor **Stephanie Moulton-Peters** and Mill Valley

**The Four-Way Test
of the things we
think, say or do**

1. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
2. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
3. Is it the **TRUTH**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

City Manager **Jim McCann** will present the *State of the City*.

September 18 (12:15): The women's chorus *Wings of Song*, flagship chorus of the northern California choral family *Singers Marin*, will perform *Everyone*

Can Sing. **Jan Pedersen Schiff** will present a brief performance by their members. As part of the presentation, she will demonstrate how she is able to get a professional sound from these women who have little to no background in singing – but just love to sing! *Wings of Song* has been making beautiful music for audiences north of San Francisco for over 25 years.

**If you want others to be happy, practice compassion.
If you want to be happy, practice compassion.
Dalai Lama**

POLIO PLUS

2018/2019 GOAL:

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**JAR TOTAL
AS OF TODAY:**

\$75.00

**SERVICE FUND
(GEORGE HOYLE)**

2018-2019 GOAL:

\$10,000

**TOTAL
AS OF TODAY:**

\$875.00

**ROTARY
FOUNDATION
GIVING**

2018-2019 GOAL:

\$11,000

**TOTAL
AS OF TODAY:**

\$1,075.00

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