

ROTARY CLUB OF ALTURAS



Together we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change - across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.



Rotary Opens Opportunities

RI President-elect Holger Knaack's theme for 2020-21, *Rotary Opens Opportunities*, asks Rotarians to create opportunities that strengthen their leadership, help put service ideas into action, and improve the lives of those in need.

Holger Knaack
President Rotary international, 2020-2021

UPCOMING EVENTS

Rotary Club Lunch Meetings

December 15 - Christmas Lunch Meeting at Niles Hotel

Rotary Club Events

Online & TBD - Rotary Attic Sale

District & RI

Dec 31 - RYLA Reservations Due

April 29, 2021 - PH Society Dinner

April 30 - May 2, 2021 - District Conference, South Lake Tahoe Harrah's - Enjoy the Journey

June 12 - 16, 2021 - Rotary International - Taipei, Taiwan



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE December Message

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

The calendar year is almost over and normally this is a festive time. This year, however, is a little different. One of our members called this a sad December and I must agree.

Covid-19 finally has a grip on Modoc. Our Club has no choice but to deal with it as best we can. Our meetings may need to go virtual on Zoom. If that comes to pass, we'll decide together when and how often to meet.

One thing is certain. The Rotary Club of Alturas will be here long after the Corona Virus is a distant memory. There have been highs and lows over the years, but this Club is in it for the long run! Happy holidays to you and your families.

Yours in Rotary,

Barry Pierce

President 2020-2021

PROGRAM FACILITATORS

December: Disease Prevention & Treatment

December 15 - Christmas Lunch

December 22 & 29 - Black out

January: Vocational Service

Jan 5 - Dave Pena

Jan 12 - Carol Sharp

Jan 19 - Elizabeth Cavasso

Jan 26 - Assembly/Amy Foster

February: Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution

March: Water & Sanitation

April: Maternal & Child Health

May: Youth Service

June: Rotary Fellowships

CLUB PROFILE

Chartered: January 28, 1928

Charter # 2741

Club #517 District #5190

P.O. Box 1630

Alturas, California, USA 96101

Active members: 29

Honorary members: 1



I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. *Maya Angelou*



Birthdays 🎂
12/21 Elizabeth Cavasso
12/26 - Jeanne Cain
12/29 - Amanda McAdams
12/30 - Ben Sylvia
Anniversaries ❤️
12/2 - Elizabeth & Jim Cavasso





What just happened?!?

We are probably all looking forward to the sun setting on this crazy, scary, unpredictable, devastating, unsurpassed and daunting year. Not to mention the unprecedented Presidential election. Whoever would have expected to be inundated with so many horrendous fires, hurricanes, earthquakes, racial upheavals, and deaths - all within one year? Wow, what a year it's been!

Did we let that stop what we do best? No. In spite of all the uncertainties of 2020 the Rotary Club of Alturas can be proud of our accomplishments.

** We welcomed three new members - John Strauch, Gail Eppler and Pam Morell.

** Many hours of planning and hard work nearly completed the upgrades at the ballfields.

** We received three grants, one for supplies at Alturas Head Start, a water fountain at the Skate Park, and fun and educational material for the High Desert Community Day School.

** We completed planting at the corner of 4th and West C Streets and at the Skate Park.

** We participated in the Fandango Days Parade and welcomed District Governor Berta Pickett with an evening of fun, fellowship and good food.

** We toured the local Pure Honey operation and Holiday Market.

** All this, in addition to our normal every-day meetings and business adds up to a very successful 2020.

Let's now take a deep breath and take charge of the year coming up - 2021. We know our strengths, our passions, and our willingness to forge ahead and continue with all the good work we do, for and with each other, in our community, our district and world-wide. Working together we can and will make 2021 our best year ever.

Very best wishes for the holiday season and for a fantastic new year.

From Your Public Image Chair Carol Sharp

District 5190 - 2019-20 District Awards

Small Club of Excellence Alturas President Sandy Stevenson

Our programs help develop the next generation of leaders and provide funding to make our community and the world a better place to live. Learn how you can make a difference in our community through Rotary.



SUPPORT AND STRENGTHEN

SILVER



PUBLIC IMAGE & AWARENESS

GOLD

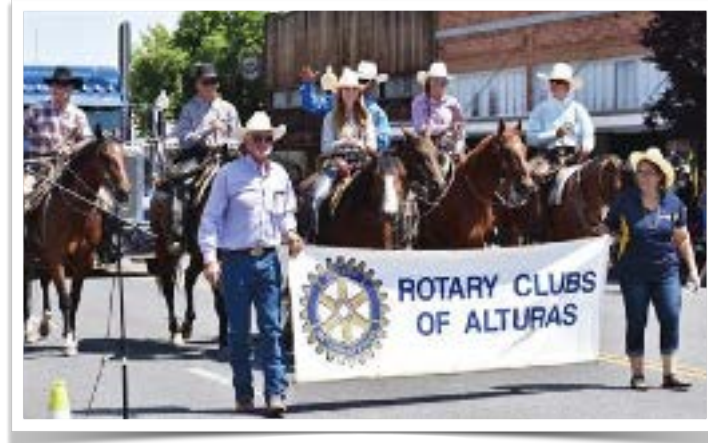


PROJECTS OF THE YEAR Education & Literacy

- ** Little Free Library
- ** Headstart Literacy and Early Science

PROJECTS OF THE YEAR -
Public Image

****Modoc Fandango Days Parade**



DISEASE PREVENTION & TREATMENT

****Modoc Middle School Interact Purple Pinkie**



CLUB LEADERSHIP

2020 - 2021 Board of Directors

Barry Pierce, President
Mike Mason, President Elect
Sandy Stevenson, Past President
Dick Read / Paul Dolby, Secretary
Dianna Bass, Treasurer
Carol Sharp, Director
Laine Hoy, Director
Jim Cavasso, Director

2020 - 2021 Committee Chairs

Club Admin: Dianna Bass
International: Alan Cain / Karen Shimamoto
Membership: Mike Mason / Jeanne Cain
Public Relations: Carol Sharp
Rotary Foundation: Jeanne Cain
Service Projects: Mike Mason
Vocational: Dick Read / Carol Sharp
Youth: Elizabeth Cavasso / Karen Shimamoto
Youth Park Oversight: Jim Cavasso

2020 - 2021 Alturas Rotary Community Foundation (ARCF) Board of Trustees

Voting Members

Alan Cain (6/30/22)
Elizabeth Cavasso (6/30/21)
Laine Hoy (6/30/20)
Karen Shimamoto (6/30/24)
Barry Pierce (6/30/21)
Sandy Stevenson (6/30/21)
Mike Mason (6/30/21)

Non-Voting Advisors

Monica Derner, Treasurer/CPA
Walt Davis, Financial Advisor
Brian Foster, Youth Park

FINANCIAL UPDATES

Rotary International (as of 7/31/20)

Annual Fund Goal: \$
Annual Fund YTD: \$
Annual Fund Per Capita: \$
PolioPlus Goal: \$
Polio Plus YTD: \$
Total Giving: \$

Alturas Rotary Community Foundation (ARCF) (as of 10/30/20)

John Wall Trust (JWT)
Total: \$0

Edna Brown
Stocks: \$67,636.83

Rotary Club of Alturas
Invested: \$146,536.31
Cash: \$3348.70

2020 - 2021 Committees

Club Admin: Dianna Bass

Programs - Dick Read
Public Relations: Carol Sharp
Facebook: Dianna Bass & Elizabeth Cavasso
Newsletter: Karen Shimamoto & Elizabeth Cavasso
Website: Elizabeth Cavasso
Attendance: Dick Read, Jeanne Cain
Paul Harris Trivia: Alan Cain
Budget Committee: Karen Shimamoto, Elizabeth Cavasso, Dianna Bass, Barry Pierce, and Sandy Stevenson
Endowment: Karen Shimamoto, Barry Pierce, Bobby Ray, Fritz Barclay, Elizabeth Cavasso
Demotion Party: Mike Mason, Pam Morrell

Membership: Mike Mason / Jeanne Cain

New Members: Dick Read, Elizabeth Cavasso

Rotary Foundation: Jeanne Cain

Polio: Sandy Stevenson
Foundation Dinner: Dave Pena

International: Alan Cain / Karen Shimamoto

Vocational: Dick Read / Carol Sharp

Youth: Elizabeth Cavasso / Karen Shimamoto

REGL: Karen Shimamoto
RYLA: Dave Pena, Karen Shimamoto
RYE: Alan Cain
Interact: Elizabeth Cavasso, Alan Cain, Dianna Bass
HS Scholarships: Dave Pena, Dianna Bass, Jeanne Cain, Karen Shimamoto
HS Monthly Reports: Karen Shimamoto

Service Projects: Mike Mason

Fandango Parade: Amy Foster, Barry Pierce
Attic Sale: Dianna Bass, Barry Pierce, Mike Mason, Dick Read
Dinner in the Park: Dianna Bass
Holiday Tea: Dianna Bass, Jeanne Cain, Jeff Moore, Adrienne Moore, Pam Morrell
Block M Basketball: (ALTURAS)- Dianna Bass
Rhonda Haselip: Dianna Bass
Rotarians At Work Day: Jim Cavasso, Dick Read
Alturas Little Free Library: Elizabeth Cavasso, Carol Sharp
Junior Livestock Show: Bobby Ray, Barry Pierce
Golf Tournament: Fritz Barclay, Mike Mason
Fish Derby: Mike Mason, Fritz Barclay
Youth Park Oversight: Jim Cavasso, Dick Read, Laine Hoy