



**SINGER ISLAND
ROTARY CLUB
NEWSLETTER**

MEETING: Fri. April 7 2017 meeting opened by President Scott.
PLEDGE: Bob Dawson led us thru the pledge to our wonderful flag.
INVOCATION: We all read our club prayer.
4 WAY TEST: We were guided thru The Four Way Test by Vinnie
SONG: Ike had us all sing ROTARY . We are getting better at it.
GUESTS: Former member Joe Whitmore from Mexico visited us today as well as our old friend and past president of our club, Rotarian Bob Rosenberg. It was nice to see you guys again.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Mayor Myra invited us all to attend a celebration honoring Chuck and Barb Platner. it will take place after Fri. 14 meeting. We will have our Corn Boil at end of April.

HUMOR: Indian Chief "Two Eagles" was asked by a white U.S. Government official, "You have observed the white man for 90 years . You've seen his wars and his technological advances. You've seen his progress, and the damage he's done." The Chief nodded in agreement... The official continued, "Considering all these events, in your opinion, where did the white man go wrong?"

The Chief stared at the government official for over a minute and then calmly replied: "When white man find land, Indians running it, no taxes, no debt, plenty buffalo, plenty beaver, clean water. Women did all the work, Medicine man free. Indian man spend all day hunting and fishing, all night having sex." Then the chief leaned back and smiled. "Only white man dumb enough to think he could improve system like that."

PROGRAM: Oh happy day. We swore in three new members. Joan Bancroft moved to P.B. Shores in 2009. Joan was in the life and health insurance business where she held high executive positions. She spends her summers in Lennox Ma. Mary Stanton has lived in P.B. Shores for 20 years, She grew up In Hawaii and lived near Rochester N.Y. Her family had the largest goat farm in NY state. She knew Chuck who grew up near there. She has written 41 Mystery novels. Marcia Cohen joins us from the Rotary Club of Atlanta Ga. where she was a member for 9 years. Marcia had a career in marketing and public relations in the financial field. She also worked for FP&L. She now runs her own firm. Welcome Welcome! You bring new blood and beauty to our club.

50-50: The pot of \$27.00 was won by chef Vinnie

TOAST: Mayor Tom had us raise a glass to the Rotary Club of Taipei Taiwan and Rotary International



SPEAKERS: April 14th - Sam Neisner will provide an update on our scholarship program.
April 28th - Ed Shea from Lockheed Martin about latest innovations out there.

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