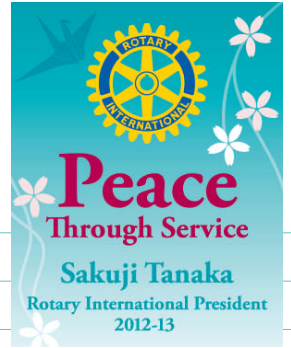


Madera Rotary Club
Tuesdays at Noon
Madera Municipal Golf Course



Jim's Prez Release



IGNITE!

August 14, 2012

Fellow Rotarians:
 Eight of us traveled to Escalon High School on Saturday for the Ignite Membership Seminar. We endured some bad jokes that were still funny, some good jokes, 2 motivational speakers and RI Director Ken Boyd who

is always entertaining and had a serious message. August is Membership Month—what does that mean to our club? Did you know Rotary loses 40% of its members every year due to the economy, relocation, or death. What happens if we don't replace them? Clubs are either growing, at a plateau, or declining. Most of us felt that Madera Rotary had

reached a plateau. The time is NOW for each of us to fulfill our obligation to find at least one new member. Imagine what good we could do in the world and our community with twice as many members! I have an Ignite pin for anyone who brings in a new member this year—and I'll buy lunch for anyone who brings in TWO! Ren, Earl and Alicia are half way there!

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Did You Know?

- ✓ Former members may be ready to rejoin Rotary
- ✓ Successful community projects attract new members
- ✓ Everyone you do business with in a 24 hr. period is a potential member
- ✓ Who asked you? Return the favor —Bring a Guest!.

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Aug 21	Paul Loeffler , KMJ's "Home Town Heroes" will be program for Rotary	Sept 22	LOVE MADERA—volunteer day in the community
Aug 28	Vocational Tour and Lunch at Cedar Creek Retirement Community	Sept 23	Bus Trip to SF Giants Baseball Game See Mike Giersch
Sept 4	Jeanette Luedders Sanchez presents program on GSE to Romania	Sept 25	District Governor Liz Hosmer makes official visit to Madera Rotary
Sept 6-9	Madera Fair Booth Fundraiser Sign up with Mike Herder	Sept 29	Canoe Trip on San Joaquin River
Sept 12	Board of Directors Meeting	Oct 13	District Foundation Dinner—Stockton