

Michael Dockery
President
2005-2006

In keeping with the Aloha Spirit of P.E.T.S.*, the President's Theme for 2005-2006 was "Holomua", Hawaiian for "Moving Forward".

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Rotary International President: Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammer

District Governor: Dave Harris

Assistant Governor: Chris Vaughn

- The Installation Dinner was Hawaiian themed. Michael ensured the bell would not be stolen by a fellow Rotarian by having the guitar player (his son) do a pre-emptive strike and steal it first. Ken Wagner was properly debunked. Lots of laughs and no injuries sum up the event.
- The Club sponsored Ben Bennett to Brazil for a Rotary Youth Exchange and we hosted Nina Rodriguez from Sao Paulo.
- Family events included the District 5180 Rivercats night and Family of Rotary picnic.
- Dr. Angelo Capozzi, a volunteer surgeon with the Shriners organization planted the seeds for the upcoming "Rotoplast" effort. Our Club contributed \$2,000.00 to help attain a Rotary International Matching Grant that provided \$60,000 to fund a project in India to perform cleft lip and palette reconstruction.
- 500 people gathered for the Rotary International President's Dinner emphasizing literacy and clean water. There were fond memories of Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammer posing with the RYE students for pictures.
- We had an off-site meeting at William Jessup University in Rocklin.
- The Board of Directors kicked off the Dictionary project in which 450 dictionaries were disbursed to 3rd and 4th graders in Roseville's Title I grade schools.

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*President-Elect Training Seminars

- The Homestart-Galleria project: 150 tables and 400 chairs were donated by the Galleria food court to HomeStart, thanks to Ruth Burgess and David Hosbein. A truck was donated by Enterprise Fleet Services to the Sierra View Company, and Mark Davis loaned it to Rotary for the effort. The tables and chairs were used to assist HomeStart in remodeling their old motel and out-buildings used as transitional housing for the homeless. We had a major scare as a Member fell from the truck while we were unloading at HomeStart. Fortunately, we had the Fire Chief and our recently retired Police Chief at the scene, and our Member was whisked off by ambulance to the hospital, where she checked out “okay”.
- The District Governor visited the club in October
- A Fireside Chat was hosted by Ken Wagner.
- There was a joint meeting and dinner with guest of honor and past President of Rotary International, Rick King.
- The club donated to the Rwanda Wheelchair Project. One million dollars (total) was raised for the project and it included the single largest Rotary International matching grant in history.
- The District 5180 Foundation Dinner was held Nov. 5 at the Lion’s Gate Hotel.
- Bob Caudle hosted the club Christmas Party at the Victorian in Roseville.
- There was a HomeStart Christmas party. Don Male led the effort to raise \$1,200 for gift baskets with needed household items for families of HomeStart, in addition to the toys and clothing given to the children by our Members.
- Other activities during the holidays include the Oakmont Interact toiletries drive and the Rotary-Oakmont High School Girls Basketball Tournament led by John Piches and Brian Gladden. One thousand dollars each was donated for Christmas gifts for the Woodbridge School Giving Tree, the Roseville Community Christmas Basket Program, and the Salvation Army.
- The Court of Dreams competition kicked off in January. Tickets to a Sacramento Monarch’s game were sold by Rotarians and Kiwanians who competed in groups, nationwide, for the highest tickets sales. There was a basketball court donated by the Maloof family to the Sacramento Children’s Receiving Home for the effort. Also, in January, the District 5180 Club Presidents had their Mid-Year Retreat in Sonoma.
- The Club had an off-site meeting at the Thunder Rock Café at Woodcreek High School, and Dennis and Joan Bass hosted a Fireside Chat.
- The Miles of Smiles Dental Sealant Program kicked off in February, coordinated by Ruth Burgess and Dr. Steve Christensen.

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- Rotarians enjoyed a Ski meet in Lake Tahoe despite the poor weather conditions.
- An offsite meeting took place at Sutter Roseville Hospital.
- There was a Success Through Rotary Seminar (S.T.R.S. Class) at Stan-Tec.
- The annual Garbolino Seafood Dinner and Silent Auction happened in March raising \$22,500! It was chaired by Allan Bernhard (Dinner) and Roxanne Snyder (Auction).
- The Rotary Club of Fair Oaks, sponsored by our Club, celebrated their 60th anniversary with a dinner. Our Club donated a Paul Harris Fellowship for one of their members in recognition of the anniversary.
- \$1000 was donated for a flag pole that was installed at a Roseville park by the VFW and we sponsored the Oakmont Sober Grad Night and Pedalsafe. We delivered Easter Baskets to the children at HomeStart.
- The District 5180 Polio Plus fundraiser, organized by Bob Mutchler, happened in April.
- The District Conference took place in Sparks, NV in May. The Club won 4 Medals, 3 Gold and 1 Silver, for the Avenues of Service.
- In addition to recognizing a Teacher of the Month throughout the school year, the Club recognized the Fire and Police Officers and the Teacher of the Year in June.
- The Board of Directors established a new Community Giving Committee to identify and qualify projects and organizations to support.
- The Club sponsored three RYLA scholarships, as well as several college scholarships for graduating high school seniors.
- We hosted the Annual Miles of Smiles Golf Classic, chaired by Frank Valente. The Club President, teamed with Past-President Ruth Burgess and two guest players, did not take home any trophies. In spite of that, the event was a huge success.
- The Club achieved a landmark \$135.00 per member average donation to the Rotary International Foundation.
- Steve Lund attended the Rotary International Convention in Copenhagen, Denmark and Malmo, Sweden.
- The Club President, noticed by a very few, wore a different Aloha shirt to every Club Meeting in 2005-2006.
- Roxanne Snyder was named Outstanding Rotarian for 2005-2005, and finally, Steve Lund was installed as President for 2006-2007 on June 27, 2006.