



The RAM'S HORN



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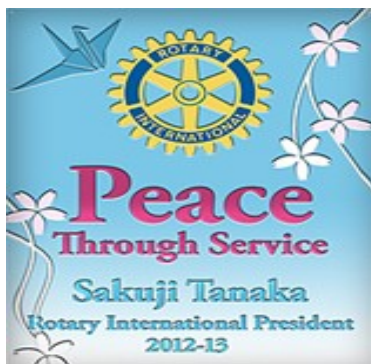
January 16, 2013

President's Time

Invocation by Laura
and Pledge by Prez.
Bill.

Happy dollars.
Sorry I missed this.
Thanks to those who
donated to the
club's operation.

Fred Jee reminded
us of the upcoming
film festival on
January 25-27. The
featured film,
"Desert Rats" was
made in Borrego in
1953. Cost is \$30.00
on opening night
and includes a cock-
tail party. Saturday
and Sunday has de-
sert tours and more
for \$60.00



*Are you wear-
ing your PIN?*

ALASKA

Fellow member
Larry Talbert told of
his adventure return-
ing to his roots in
Alaska. Larry told of
his early years spent
in Alaska's capital,
Juneau. Later he
moved to Haines,
Alaska. As an adult,
Larry served as the
chief of staff to the
governor of Alaska.

Larry and his wife
spent much of last
summer staying in a
cottage in Crab Cove.
Crab Cove is also
known as Bear Is-
land. We were shown
several pictures of

giant grizzly bears
coming up to the cot-
tage. One of the at-
tractions for the
bears was the salmon
that follow the tide
into the cove. An-
other favorite food of
the bears is the root
of skunk cabbage.
Larry said the
salmon were so plen-
tiful on one day he
caught five salmon in
a very short time.
Halibut and Dunge-
ness crab are also
easy to catch.

A vegetable that
grows wild is beach
asparagus.

Larry said cooked
beach asparagus does
not taste like aspara-
gus, but is very good
eating.

Larry gave us a video
tour of his childhood
home and several pic-
tures of a former
teacher who was in-
strumental in Larry's
success in school.

Thanks, Larry for a
very enjoyable pro-
gram. I think a num-
ber of our members
may plan to visit
Alaska soon.

The Sunshine report and Visitors Corner

Visiting Rotari-
ans: Gene Noble
and Kate Harper.
Guests: Sandy
Talbert, Joe, Larry's

brother, Carol
Lewis, Veronica,
Barry a friend of
Dick. Sunshine:
No report on

Louise. Service on
Thursday for Rich-
ard White
11:00a.m. at St.
Barnabas Episco-
pal Church.

Coming Attractions

January 23 Middle School Challenges to Math & Science Studies

Borrego Rotary meets every Wednesday at Borrego Springs Resort at 8:00 am



**BORREGO SPRINGS
PRESIDENT
BILL LEWIS**

*New Year's Resolution
What can you do to
make your club better?*

COMMITMENT

January is Rotary Awareness Month

On page 21 of the *Rotarian* magazine shows a number of activities involving Rotary International, Rotary Districts and clubs around the world.

This might be a good time to look at the challenges in our community and how we might get involved. This past year it became obvious poverty has increased. Maybe Prez. Bill can solicit a committee to look into the problem.

On a lighter note RI's convention will be in Lisbon, Portugal on 23-26 June.

Raffle Winner-
Haddon Salt

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CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE RAM'S HORN

A Taste of Borrego Progress is going forward in a positive way. By January 30 we hope to have posters and advertising ready. So far we have the following ideas for the live auction; A Wheelbarrow of booze as well as a cooler of selected beers, a wheelbarrow full of gardening tools and plants, sleeping on a sailboat tied up in

the San Diego bay, a condo at Mammoth Lake, and a top line treadmill. Anyone with more ideas we would like to hear from you. During our January 21 committee meeting we will be discussing silent auction items. Again all ideas are appreciated.

Like last year Miss Borrego, her court and a number of our

interact club members will help out in a number of tasks. We will also be giving all attendees a souvenir glass similar to last year's.

