



# The Weekly Roundup

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF RANCHO BERNARDO

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## The International Youth Symphony and Rotary International Youth Exchange



Each year San Diego Youth Symphony and Rotary International Youth Exchange gather students from around the globe to join San Diego's most talented musical youth for an intensive two-week summer music program.

Dalouge Smith of the San Diego Youth Symphony will explain the program on Thursday.

Under the direction of Artistic Director Jeff Edmons, these local and international participants experience the powerful influence of music in the promotion of world understanding, friendship and peace.

This year student musicians from 11 different countries will be participating in the International Youth Symphony at Balboa Theatre on August 1 at 8 p.m.

The San Diego Youth Symphony and Conservatory, founded in 1945, is the sixth oldest operating youth orchestra in the United States.

The organization has trained more than 8,000 students over the years with



**Dalouge Smith**

nearly 500 youth musicians between the ages of 7 and 25 enrolling each season in its educational ensembles.

And the organization provides rigorous and high quality music training within a fun environment where lifelong friends are made. It takes pride in its ability to provide access to its ensembles to music students all over the San Diego area.

Dalouge Smith joined the San Diego Youth Symphony in February of 2005 and brings more than ten years of arts administration and production experience to the organization. He previously served as Associate Director of Mainly Mozart in San Diego and Production Stage Manager

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# MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

*By Bill Angus, Scribe Extraordinaire*

**P**resident Barbara called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m. on July 23, 2008. The volunteers for the meeting performed their duties with enthusiasm as the pledge, invocation, and songs went off without a hitch. Many of us would like to thank Jack Mitchell for his trip down memory lane and resurrecting that musical tour de force known as "Up With People". It brought back memories of "teaching the world to sing" and 70's Super Bowl half time shows.

There were numerous guests and visiting Rotarians. Kathleen Smith addressed the club on the RB Senior Coalition's efforts. RB Senior Coalition is helping to identify those seniors who will be in need of assistance the next time a fire or natural disaster strikes the RB community.

This is being done through a door to door canvass of the community and completing an informational survey. The RB Community Foundation has been instrumental in the financing and coordination of this effort to better prepare the community and protect its senior's community.

Paul Donick reminded all members to sign up for our annual club social event a Day at the Del Mar Races. This year's event will be on Wednesday August 12 at 12:00 p.m. Please contact Paul to reserve your spot and for further details.

Dan Malloy provided an update on the The Rotary International Youth Symphony. They will perform this year at the Balboa Theater (Horton Plaza) at 8:00 PM on Saturday, August 1. Tickets can be purchased by calling

(619)-233-3232 x115 or through <http://sdys.org/documents/TicketformIYS.pdf>

Suzie Lisio reminded all about the District Council Dinner to be held on Tuesday, August 4, 2009 at California Center for the Arts, Escondido 340 N. Escondido Blvd, Escondido, CA 92025.



**Bill Angus**

There will be a performance by members of the Rotary International Youth Symphony and the price for our club Rotarians is only \$18.00

due to our club's payment of half the cost. Please register online but make payment to our Treasurer Jim Reading.

Registration deadline is August 1.

President Barbara had a spokes person from SDG&E's briefly address SDG&E's plan for shutting down power in the San Diego County back country in case of dangerous fire conditions and how that would effect outlining areas. For more information please go to <http://www.sdge.com/safety/fireprep/>.

John O'Neil our beloved and exalted fine master collected happy bucks from Dave Brooks, Sherry Collins, and Jim Hyldahl.

President Barbara addressed our club's year of change and transition that we are going to experience with the reorganization of the club board and division of responsibilities between

the club and club foundation.

She said she is looking for constructive feedback as the year progresses and looks forward to instilling the passion for service she feels into the club for this year. Some of her goals for the year include: increasing club membership, fast tracking funding of worthy projects to support when appropriate, establishing successful fundraising events, documenting procedures and processes for reoccurring projects and events so an effective pass down can take place from year to year when leadership changes, and earn recognition for the club out in the community by making donation/financial gifts outside of our club meetings and at the recipients' events.

Bob Wells introduced our program which was Plan to End Chronic Homelessness presented by former San Diego City Councilman Brian Maienschein.

Brian is now serving as the first commissioner of the Plan to End Chronic Homelessness in San Diego

County. Brian stated that 15% of the homeless population in the county uses over 50% of the city and county

resources. Much of this can be attributed to the treatment of mental illness among many of the homeless population.

Brian also touched on the work that Alpha Project does in providing job training for the homeless and the 80% success rate after 5 years with the reintroduction of those people back into the workforce. There is also an effort to identify the most frequent users of our government resources among the homeless population and provide them with a more constructive avenue instead of continuing to come back to the same need and never breaking the cycle.

The plan's efforts are currently helping

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**Rotary Club Meetings:** Weekly on Thursdays from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Buffet opens at 11:30 a.m. for early

birds to socialize.

**Rotary Golf:** Meets 1st Wednesday of each month at the Oaks North Golf Course at 10 a.m. Reservations are a must! Call Dan Malloy for information.

**Rotary Board:** Meets the 4th Wednesday of each month at the San Diego Na-

tional Bank in the upstairs conference room at 4 p.m.

**Rotary Foundation Board:** Meets the 4th Wednesday of every third month at 4 p.m. at Rancho Financial in the conference room.

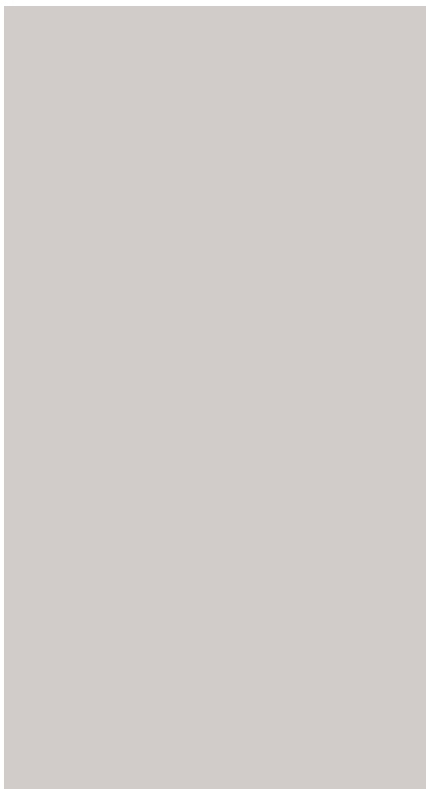
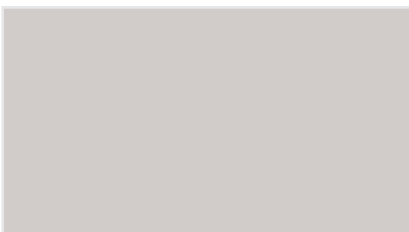
**Newsletter Deadline:** Thursday 5 p.m. the week before the speaker speaks.

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535 chronically homeless people and are far exceeding the goal of just 200 in its first year. Brian fielded several questions and the meeting concluded with the opportunity drawing and presentation of a speaker book to the Bernardo Heights Middle School library.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:24 p.m. and a good time was had by all!



## Youth Music

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at Lamb's Players Theatre in Coronado.

Dalouge spent five years leading all administrative, marketing, production and education staff and programs at Mainly Mozart. During his tenure the organization increased its budget by 45% and expanded the annual Mainly Mozart Festival from two to three weeks. During his six years at Lamb's Players Theatre, Dalouge coordinated production elements for over twenty-five main stage productions. He is recognized as an arts advocacy leader and recently completed a three-year term as Chairman of the San Diego Regional Arts and Culture Coalition.

Dalouge earned a Bachelor of Arts in World Arts and Cultures from UCLA.

VOLUNTEERS					
	Greeter	Pledge	Invocation	Raffle	Scribe
7/16/2009	John Hawkins	Dan Malloy	Donna Luna	Rod Melendez	Kathleen Smith
7/23/2009	Ann Calvert	Paul Casterline	Charley Crew	Carol Corey	Bill Angus
7/30/2009	Lou A. Dickerson	Paul Donick	Troy Daum	Jim Edwards	Karen Stelman
8/6/2009	Bob Ebert	Rich Finegold	Tom Giles	Carl Hoffman	Kathleen Smith
8/13/2009	Jim Hyldahl	Shirley Kendall	Marty Judge	Pat Kenney	John Goodrich
8/20/2009	Ed Knight	Don Lisio	Dan Malloy	Suzie Lisio	Sandie Dewane
8/27/2009	Shirley Napierala	Donna Luna	Arilla St. Laurent	Benita Page	John O'Neill

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