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ROTOSCOPE (President's Corner)

Written by Paul Brassard

JULY 18 PROGRAM: NEPAL TREK & CLIMB, DICK DURANT

Many of us have a bucket list that may include hiking. For some, that might mean completing the Eaton Canyon Trail or the Mt. Wilson Trail. For the more adventurous, that might mean Mt. Whitney. But few aspire to climb mountains in Nepal due to the extreme elevations and the cost and difficulty of just getting there. Fortunately, we will hear from a San Marino resident who has not only climbed Whitney and Kilamanjaro, but has also climbed in Nepal and will share his adventure with us.

Dick Durant has been an outstanding leader in our community and was our club's Paul Harris Honoree in 2017. His leadership positions include elder at San Marino Community Church, Board Chair at the local YMCA, President of the Valley Hunt Club, and Chair of the Planning Commission. This program was brought to our club by Bill Payne.