

## San Marino Rotoscope October 31, 2024



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San Marino Rotary ROTOSCOPE
President's Corner
Written by Paul Brassard
October 24<sup>th</sup> Program Recap: Rev. Tom Tewell

Renowned preacher Tom Tewell spoke on the topic "What Makes a Great Talk." After explaining that a good talk needs 1.) Identification 2.) Inspiration and 3.) Incarnation, he demonstrated his advice by giving a talk on the subject of "Balcony People." Balcony People are the people who lift you up and encourage you as opposed to "basement people" aka "cobweb spotters" who nitpick and drag you down. Cobweb spotters can see a completely clean room but only mention the single tiny cobweb in the far corner of the ceiling. Fortunately, most Rotarians are balcony people. We thank Bill Payne for bringing Rev. Tewell to our stage.



During the meeting, SMHS Principal Dr. Ben Wolf introduced his student of the month, McKenzie Maling. He also shared news of the many awards the school has received recently.

<u>Linda Susan</u> <u>Wah</u>



Club Director Rotary Foundation Chair



Molly W Woodford Club Director



Caroline S. Yu Club Director



Frederic C. Sohl Sergeant-at-Arms



Denise Wadsworth donated \$95 in honor of Emile Bayle who was in attendance and who is celebrating 95 years of life.

Paul shared news that San Marino Rotary Charities has received a check for \$65,000 from the Motor Classic, which will allow us to fund community grants, student contests, and other worthwhile projects this year.



Fary Yassamy and Qing Duncan returned from a trip to South East Asia where they visited a local Rotary club and exchanged club banners.



TAT (Thursdays About Town) Oct 31 - Halloween Party – at Isaac's House

The 30 or so who have signed up will be enjoying Thursday evening Oct 31 (Halloween) at the home of Isaac Hung (1057 Old Mill Rd.). Cost is only \$25 for dinner and beverages. But you must RSVP to Russ or Ginny or Dennis. Guests are welcome.

## **UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS**

Oct 31 TAT Evening Halloween Party, Isaac Hung's Back Yard, RSVP required.

**Nov 7** Lawrence Fu, Former Marine, Veteran Appreciation: What Veteran Day Means to Me

Nov 14 Miranda Zhang, new member CRAFT TALK

Nov 21 Tournament of Roses Royal Court, annual visit

Nov 28 DARK for Thanksgiving