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THIS WEEK: Zoe TeBeau, International Society of Appraisers

Hope you brought a piece along that you would like to learn about. This interactive meeting will feature the expertise of Zoe TeBeau.

Zoe appraises everything from 18th and 19th century American and European Furniture to fine jewelry. From her Claremont office she consults to attorneys, banks, insurance companies, heirs, trustees and accountants.

This should be great!

LAST WEEK: Jeffrey A Pierce – Author *The Writings of Warren Buffett*

We learned that Warren Buffett is really a “regular Joe”. Although understanding the quantitative analysis of companies – he sticks to the basics. Do they have a good product? Do they have good management? Do they speak language that is clear and concise? Can this company make me money? If the answers are yes – he could be in!

NEXT WEEK: Steve Slakey

Steve Slakey is a Senior Adjunct Professor of Geography at the University of La Verne. He will tell us about De facto segregation in Los Angeles theaters.

There’s a Map for that!

No – it is not a typo – if you want to know where a district or a zone in the Rotary world is located – here is the website, but you will need either the zone or the district number.

<http://www.rotary.org/en/Members/RunningADistrict/Pages/DistrictZoneMaps.aspx>

Eradicate Polio Now

In 1985 Rotary teamed up with the World Health Organization to eradicate polio around the world.

The majority of children in the Untied States are fortunate enough to be immunized as infants against this horrible disease. But the world is becoming smaller every day, and more mobile. The polio virus is being carried across borders. Thus it is imperative that we create a polio free world.

The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation have given The Rotary Foundation a grant to eradicate polio. If Rotary raises \$200 million, the Gates Foundation will grant us an additional \$355 million. That is HUGE! Every contribution counts. Give to *The Rotary Foundation* – designate Polio Plus on your contribution.

In the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation annual letter, Gates writes:

“For polio, the World Health Organization (WHO) has played the central role with Rotary International, the Centers for Disease Control, and UNICEF as key partners. Polio eradication has benefited immensely from having Rotary’s support. Rotary had the vision to get involved in 1985 and has kept polio eradication as its top priority. Everywhere I go to learn about polio, I see Rotary members helping out with the hard work.”

Learn more about Rotary: www.rotary.org and www.district5300.org

Programs

Programs are an important part of our meetings. Our speakers volunteer their time to impart information, humor, and intrigue. There are speaker guidelines that Fred Madjar can share with you. If you come across somebody you think would be a good speaker – pass it along to one of the program chairs:

September	Tricia Vagt
October	Sanford King
November	Andrew McIntyre
December	Jerry Smith
January	Kirk Wright
February	Tara Biddle
March	Dan Banh
April	Brian Akers
May	Lisa Brabo
June	Lina Ledford



Jersey Mike’s Subs will be opening at the Citrus Grove 2536 E. Workman, West Covina, on August 31. There will be a promotion that could help us raise funds for South Hills High or Covina High. Donate at least \$1.00 to either high school, and get a free sub. This promotion goes from August 31 to September 4.

Maybe we could make it a contest between the Interact Clubs!