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## This Week:

Speaker Cathy Goth is the President of Education Spectrum, a center-based educational and social skills training center for children with autism. She is especially proud of Danny's Farm, a non-profit organization that she created in 2007 to pair loving farm animals with persons of special need. Danny's Farm is named after Cathy's 18-year-old son.

Next Week: Greetings from Mars: JPL's John Callas will counteract misinformation disseminated by Trekie Rotarians. Don't miss his presentation of scientific facts regarding cute little robotic explorers who have been conducting field geography missions on Mars.

Last Week: Dilys Tosteson Garcia, Executive Director of CASA of Los Angeles and CASA volunteer Nancy King (Sanford's wife) spoke about the critical work being done in the Juvenile Court system by Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA). The volunteers are specially trained to assist some of the most vulnerable of children in our society.

## TLC

Each November, our Club sponsors four eighth grade students (2 girls and 2 boys) from Covina to attend Teen Leadership Camp (TLC). Four exceptional kids have been selected and Linda Logan met with their parents to discuss what would be expected of the children. The parents will enjoy a weekend (Friday morning until Sunday afternoon) without their adorable teen at home. The teens will have a fun weekend that may very well end up being life altering.



Our hero: CASA Nancy King



## Past Presidents meet with

## President Craig and Incoming Pres. Lisa

On the fateful evening of October 19, 2011 many of Covina Rotary's Past Presidents met for their annual meeting with the current president. Their shared goal was to make our club stronger and vibrant. In past years we reveled when discussing hands on projects. This year, there was a moment of silence when the Presidents learned we had no building to paint and no carpentry to be done. One Prez jumped to the rescue and proclaimed, "We'll search for something wonderful, fun and beneficial to somebody." Now it is going to be the task of every member to search for a project that is "just right" for 2011-2012. President Craig will await your suggestions with baited breath.