

BULLETIN



ROTARY
CLUB OF SAN JOSE

Meeting: January 16, 2008 Number 4683

2007-2008 President, Julie Matsushima



Dr. Stanley Deresinski **"Superbug Infections"**

We have all heard about the explosion of "SUPERBUGS" resistant to many of our current antibiotics. Rotary has a real expert this week to answer your questions. **Dr. Stanley Deresinski** is currently a Clinical Professor of Medicine in the Division of Infectious Diseases and Geographic Medicine at Stanford University. He also sits as the Associate Chief of Infectious Diseases at Santa Clara Valley Medical Center. He is also past Director of AIDS services in Santa Clara County.

Dr. Deresinski's background in academic and teaching medicine, medical care in a public hospital setting, private practice experience, and his involvement with clinical trials will provide a well-rounded presentation of this timely topic.

Dear Fellow Rotarians

If you ever go to our Club website you will see the amazing things that we do together. Not only have we given out grants of \$130,000 to organizations such as the Hospice of the Valley, Loaves and Fishes, Via Services, etc. Our Committees achieve new goals almost daily.

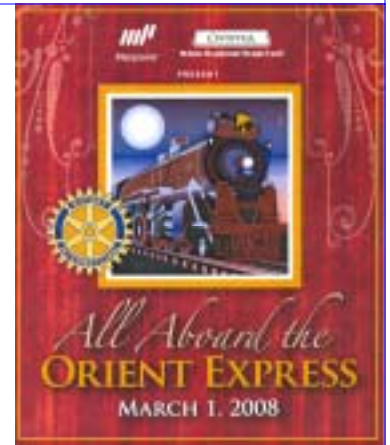
If you have never taken the time to see the things we do, make the time. Then, remember that the annual event March 1st is CRITICAL to us being able to raise enough funds to do the many good things we do.

Think what it is that you or your organization might have to donate as an auction item. I have enclosed a form for you to FAX to Carol Schirmacher at the Rotary Office 408-297-6291. **(See Page 3 for Donor Form)**

Contact Gary Shara at 408-294-3344 if you or your company has the financial ability to be an Event Sponsor.

Sign up to come to the event. I want you to come not only because it is our primary fundraiser for the entire year but because it is fun, and you and your guests will have a wonderful evening with some of the most outstanding people I have been privileged to meet.

Sincerely,
Liesa Fenton



Rotary Week

Jan 15	Board of Directors	7:30	Gordon House
	Club Finance	8:30	Gordon House
	ELC Training	5:00pm	Gordon House
Jan 16	Event	7:30	Gordon House
	Adult Gift of Life	7:30	O'Connor Hospital
	Digital Bridges	11:15	Summit Center
	Rotary Meeting	12:00	Summit Center
Jan 17	Endowment Board	7:30	Gordon House
	Los Amigos	7:30	Washington School
	Int'l Services	12:00	Gordon House
	Rotacare	4:30	Health Trust

Rotary Fish Committee Meeting

Wednesday, January 23, 2008

11:25am at the Summit Center

(Prior to Rotary Meeting)

Rotary Fish Event

April 26, 2008

Hellyer Park's Cottonwood Lake

7:30am to 1:00pm

Bert Seeks Membership Committee Volunteers

President Elect Bert George is looking for people to serve on the Membership Committee. Those selected will serve a three year term from July 1, 2008 - June 30, 2011. The committee meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 a.m. at the Gordon House. Other than attending these meetings, the only obligation is to check the references on 2-3 new member applicants each year. Those interested in serving on this important committee should contact John Kennett before March 1, 2008.

Positive, Character-Building Stories That Inspire Children

Fellow Rotarian David Grandey created the Children of Character Storybook – a MEGA collection of unique, heartwarming bedtime stories. 50% of the proceeds will benefit the Rotary Endowment.

If you are looking for a simple way to teach your children positive character traits – traits that will not only make them the envy of the neighborhood, but will provide a moral framework for your children to grow into adults with purpose – then ordering the Children of Character Storybook may be the most important thing you can do for your children.

Visit <http://sjrotary.grandcap.hop.clickbank.net> for all the details.

Rotary Club of San Jose and Howard Tours Present:

*Tour of Viet Nam with Rotary
and the Wheelchair Foundation*

March 15 - 31, 2008

Join President Julie, Mel, and other Club fellows, on a two week wheelchair distribution tour of Vietnam. The itinerary has been specially developed for the Club by Howard Tours and member Roy Russell. You'll hit the first-time tourist highlights as well as some special, off-the-road favorites of old Asia hands. It's a bargain: \$3,549 double occupancy, including airfare, hotels, most major meals, and more.

For more information please contact:

Howard Tours
516 Grand Avenue
Oakland, CA 94610
Phone: 510-834-2260
Toll Free: 1-800-475-2260
Fax: 510-834-1019





Rotary Club of San Jose Annual Event
Saturday, March 1, 2008
At the Rotary Summit Center

Donor Name:

Company Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

GIFT ITEM: Please describe the donation AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR IN THE PROGRAM. We especially want to make sure we acknowledge you (our generous donor) correctly. Please include any restrictions (date of expiration?, age –must be over 21?, weight–must be under 300 pounds?, etc.)

Please note that any item that involves a use such as dinners, travel, etc. will have a **ONE-YEAR** expiration.

ITEM:

DESCRIPTION:

VALUE OF DONATION: \$

All donations must have this form completed.

Please FAX to Carol Schirmmacher at (408) 297-6291 **by January 15, 2008.**

If the item is in the form of a gift certificate or letter, please attach it to this form. If you have any display material that can assist us in promoting your item (pictures, programs, menus, appropriate memorabilia), please include them with the item.

ALL items should be delivered to the Rotary Office no later than Friday, **February 15, 2008.**

Please call Liesa Fenton at (408) 666-6064 if you have any questions.