

BULLETIN



ROTARY
CLUB OF SAN JOSE

Meeting: April 22, 2009 Number 4744

2008-2009 President, Bert



Mike Splinter

"Silicon Valley Leading the Green Tech Revolution"

Applied Materials Chairman and CEO **Mike Splinter** will share his thoughts on how Silicon Valley is poised to use our heritage and core strengths to lead the emerging transformation to green technology. Energy and the environment are two of the great social issues of our time, and fortunately for Silicon Valley they are the two great engineering challenges that will demand all of our best innovation to address.

By 2020, there is expected to be about \$2 trillion a year being spent in the clean technology field. By following the comprehensive "Greenprint" outlined by Joint Venture Silicon Valley, we have the opportunity to position our region to be a world leader in the biggest economic and job creation engine of this century.

Proposed New Members

The following people have been nominated as members of the Rotary Club of San Jose:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Brian Welch	Gov't.: County: Deputy District Attorney	Karyn Sinunu-Towery
Frank A. Lutes	Retired	James Trembath

Rotary Week

Apr 21	Board of Directors	4:00	Gordon House
Apr 22	Rotary Fish	11:15	Summit Center
	Chorus Practice	11:30	Summit Center
	Rotary Meeting	12:00	Summit Center
Apr 23	Member Involvement	7:30	Gordon House

April 25 Rotary Volunteer Day

Rotary Fish
Guadalupe River Clean-up
(More info pages 3 & 4)

Historic Storefront Walking Tour

You are the key! The Downtown Development's Historic Storefront project subcommittee needs your insight, facts and interesting stories to enhance an exciting downtown project. The group is compiling information that will go into 30-second audio clips advertised on 2-foot by 3-foot posters in 20+ downtown storefronts. Please take a few minutes to visit the Web site, and enter information below each photo on their respective pages.

www.SJHistoricStorefront.com

ROTARY CLUB OF SAN JOSE ENDOWMENT



Welcome to a new regular section of our Club's bulletin!! The Endowment's Board of Trustees plans to use this area to help keep members informed on matters involving YOUR endowment.

Topics will include definitions and phrases, levels of giving, uses of funds and gift announcements. We are also working on a new web presence where much information can be found. On to this week's topic:

Who are the members of the Board of Trustees? DID YOU KNOW that their names are listed on page 4 the Club's 2009 membership directory?

Or you can go to http://www.sjrotary.org/documents/2008-09CommitteeList_000.pdf.

The Board would welcome any suggestions or questions. See you next time!

Here Now Forever

It's Time for Spring Firesides! April 26 through May 3, 2009

The **Membership Involvement Committee** invites you to participate in the upcoming *Spring Firesides*. If you've attended a Fireside before, you know how much fun they are; if you have never been, you can expect to have a wonderful time. Firesides are social events—open to all members, which are hosted at a Rotarian's home or business. The goal of the Fireside program is to meet new people and promote fellowship. Red Badgers are encouraged to take part, and this is a great opportunity to introduce potential new members to Rotary. Party themes are as varied as the hosts; this year Eric Heckman will host a family friendly poolside barbeque, and Alida Bray will host a margarita and tamale party at the Peralta Adobe. It's first come, first serve—so look for a sign up sheet in the lobby, or contact Toni Wise or Alida Bray directly if you would like to host or attend a *Fireside*.

Rotaplast Mission Team, Guatemala City 2009



Members of the Rotaplast Committee are preparing for a medical mission in Guatemala City. Rotary Club of San Jose is one of the sponsors this trip. We take off on April 27 and return on May 8, 2009. Please follow the progress of this mission at www.guatemala2009.com.



Volunteers Needed!

**HELP KIDS ENJOY
THEIR FIRST FISHING
EXPERIENCE**



Rotary's Annual Fishing Event for Third Graders is Saturday, April 25th at Sandy Wool Lake at Ed Levin Park in Milpitas. We need volunteers to help the kids set up tackle, bait hooks (no worms!) and net fish. Volunteers need not be Rotarians. There will be approximately 300 kids and their teachers from three local inner-city schools.

Fishing expertise NOT required!



Date:	April 25, 2009
Time:	7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Location:	Ed Levin Park, Milpitas
Equipment needed:	Nail clippers to cut line & Towels to wipe hands
Bonus:	Famous Rotary Tri-tip BBQ



If you can help, please contact:
Elizabeth Monley or Barry Cristina
(408) 472-4546 (408) 938-4932

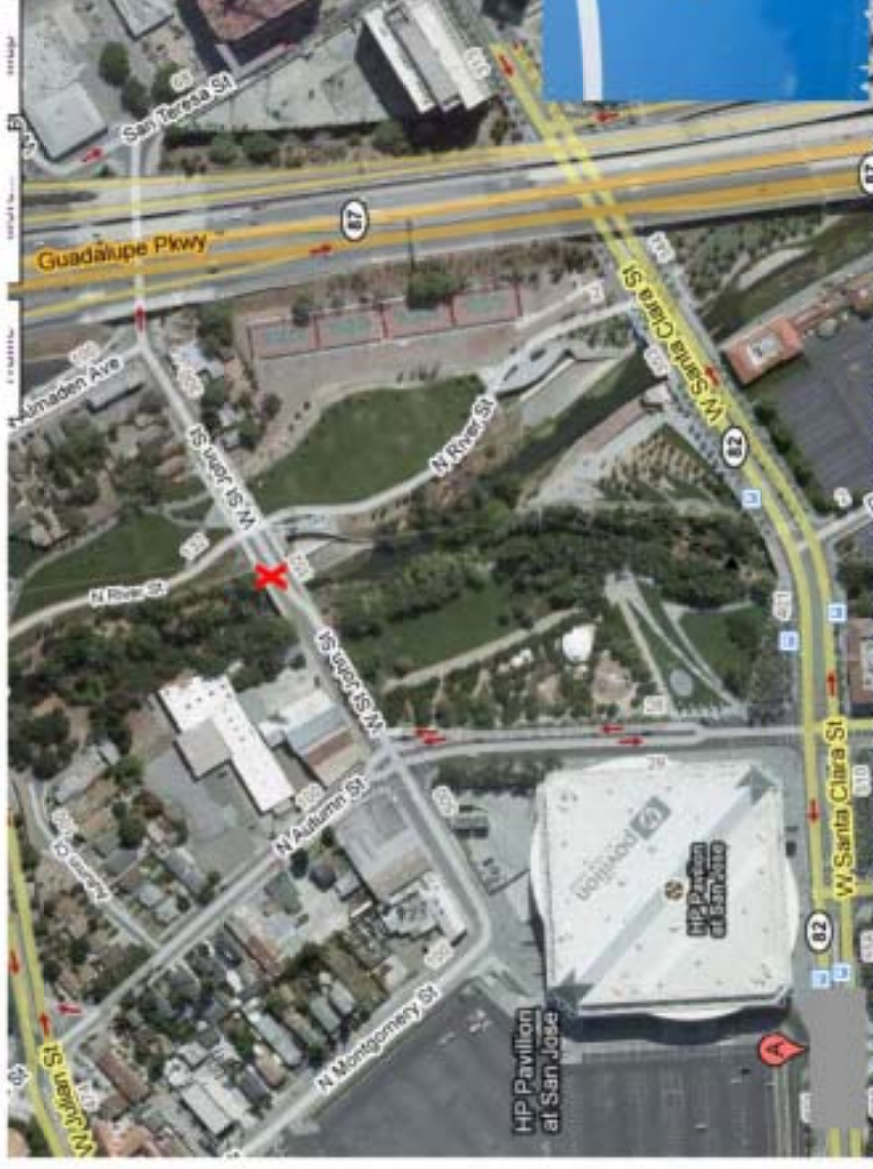
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Join Us at our Adopt-A-Creek Cleanup

April 25th, from 1PM to 3PM

.....timed to coincide with *Rotary International Day of Service*



Guadalupe River
adopted by
The Rotary Club
of San Jose

San Jose Clean Valley
Water District
valleywater.org



X marks the spot. Meet on the bridge at St. Johns street, at 1PM. Return anytime with questions, or for snacks, soft drinks, suntan lotion, first aid or supplies
We have all supplies, gloves, bags, ext. However, please wear clothes and shoes that can get wet and dirty.