

# **BULLETIN**



**ROTARY**  
CLUB OF SAN JOSE

Meeting: November 8, 2006 Number 4630

2006-2007 President, Gerald A. Silva

## **Celebrate!!!**

**Celebrate the new Rotary sign!**  
**Celebrate the Rotary Summit Center!**  
**Celebrate a Reunion Lunch with our Excused Members!**

**11:30 - 12:15**

**Free Wine Reception**

**See the Sign**

**Analyze the Election**

**Celebrate - Come to Rotary**

### **Larry Gerston**

**"Election 2006"**



A regular speaker at Rotary who we ask back again and again, **Larry Gerston** will share his insights after a long election night on TV and radio.

A professor of political science at San Jose State University, **Larry Gerston** examines the public policy process at the national and state levels. His *Public Policy making in a Democratic Society: A Guide to Civic Engagement* (2002) has been heralded as a breakthrough in "hands on" citizen/service learning partnerships. His ninth and newest book is *Recall! California's Political Earthquake* (with Terry Christensen).

**Gerston** is the political analyst at NBC11 and at radio station KCBS. He writes "Up Front", a monthly column in *San Jose Magazine*, and has penned more than 80 op-ed columns in newspapers including the *San Jose Mercury News*, *San Francisco Chronicle* and the *Los Angeles Times*. He has also appeared on NBC Nightly News, BBC, and CNN's Inside Politics.

A sought after motivational speaker, **Professor Gerston** gives several talks each year for the "We the People...Project Citizen" programs sponsored by the Center for Civic education. He has a unique ability to put complex issues into an understandable context.

#### **Rotary Week**

Nov 7	<b>ELC</b>	7:30	<b>Gordon House</b>
Nov 8	<b>Rotary Meeting</b>	12:00	<b>Summit Center</b>
	<b>Sign Celebration &amp; Reunion Lunch</b>		
Nov 9	<b>Contributions</b>	7:30	<b>Gordon House</b>
	<b>Don Goldeen</b>	12:00	<b>Gordon House</b>

#### **Congratulations Sandretto Family!!!**

Christian James Hull was born to Rotary member Jennifer and husband Mark Hull on October 12 at Good Samaritan Hospital. Christian weighed 9 lbs. 7 oz. and was 21 inches long.

Christian, his parents and brother Jack are all doing fine.

## Rotarian Of The Week ~ Paul Tumason

The purpose of the Rotarian of the Week is to put a face on what it means to be a true Rotarian and to inspire all of us to strive to be better Rotarians and to ask that person to share why they are so involved in our Rotary Club.

***This weeks "Rotarian of the Week" recipient was Paul Tumason.***

Paul has been a Rotary member since 1995 and was sponsored by Bob Rauh. He has been involved with several committees, the Youth Exchange, Event, Music, and Hospitality. He currently plays piano every week at the Rotary meetings. When Bob Kieve began writing the meeting summaries several years ago, Paul thought it would be helpful to have a visual story of the meeting. So each week Paul sends out photos to all the San Jose Rotary Membership to help add to the story provided by the Summary Committee. Paul is one of the many Rotary volunteers that makes our Club so special. Great job Paul!



### 2007 San Jose Rotary Annual Auction Saturday, March 3, 2007

Reservations are now being taken for the 2007 San Jose Rotary Auction event. This year's theme is ***"007 Dressed To Thrill"***. Come dressed as your favorite Hollywood star. ***This event is always sold out be sure to sign up now!***

Please fill out the form below and return to Mike Falarski or Carl Honaker. Reservations will also be taken at our Wednesday meetings at the Summit Center.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BADGE # \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF RESERVATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF GUESTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

COST/PERSON = \$150.00

TOTAL COST = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (you will be billed)

For information/reservations contact Mike Falarski at 354-1317: [falarski@verizon.net](mailto:falarski@verizon.net)  
or Carl Honaker at 272-0160: [Carl.Honaker@rda.sccgov.org](mailto:Carl.Honaker@rda.sccgov.org)