



The Joshua Tree

September 17, 2019

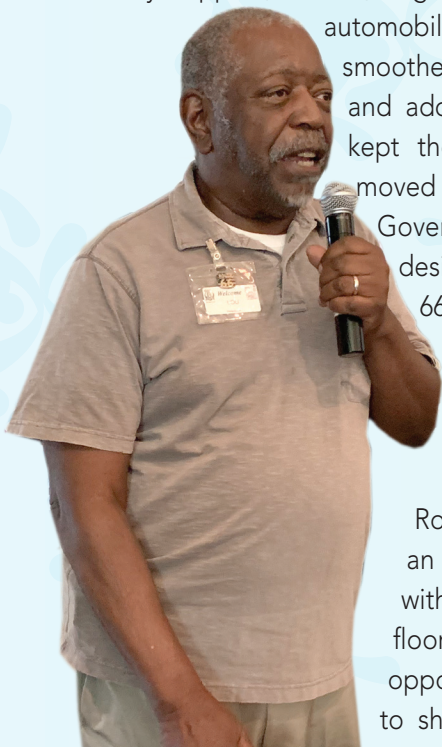
GET YOUR KICKS, IN THE ROUTE 66 MUSEUM!

How many times have you driven past the Route 66 Museum, and wondered just what is in there? This week Rotarians got a taste, as we heard from **Lou Tyson**, who shared a little bit of the history of Route 66, as well as photos of some of the treasures to be found inside.

settings as a 50's diner, the VW Love Bus complete with hippy wigs and sunglasses and much more. They have the first Santa Monica "End of the Trails" booth that is becoming quite popular with visitors. And for those with a good sense of humor, they have an "Outhouse" built just for that photo.

Route 66 was originally a trail used by Indians, and was used by trappers, settlers, wagon trains and eventually automobiles. The Mormons smoothed out the Cajon Pass and added a toll booth, plus kept the road up until they moved to Utah. In 1926 the Government took over and designated it as Route 66, a trans-continental Highway system reaching from Santa Monica to Chicago!

There are three main rooms to the Museum. The main room focuses on communications and transportation, while another room features sites from the Route. The final large room is dedicated to the memory of Roy and Dale. Some other features include an area dedicated to the 60's, a classic service station replica, and a 1917 Model T.



The California Route 66 Museum is an interactive museum with over 4500 Sq. Ft. of floor space and photo opportunities for the visitors to share memories in such

Along with all of the history to be found inside the museum, there is also a lot of activity outside, as they do major car show shows during their anniversary dates. At these car shows you can find all years, all makes, and all models, some of which you have only read about as a child.

One of the reasons the Route 66 Museum volunteers are so passionate about keeping the memory alive, is to teach our young people, what life used to be like. They love giving tours to people of all ages, but **Lou Tyson** loves to teach the kids. We are losing our past, but the museum is doing their part by helping visitors remember, review and keep history alive! Get more information at califrt66museum.org.

This Week's Functionaries

- Invocation: **Chris Ackerman**
- Flag Salute: **Steve Orr**
- 4-Way Test: **Steve Orr**
- Finemaster: **Ryan McEachron**



ORR'S ROARS



The big question this week was, "Have you ever been to the Route 66 Museum"? Thanks to Lou Tyson for coming and showing us all the treasures that can

be found inside and outside of the museum.

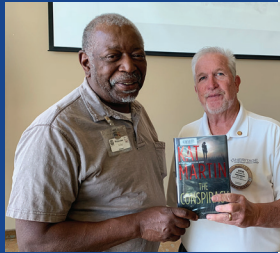
Our Casino Royale is just this Saturday! Please show up early and help us set up

and decorate if you can. We will have 50/50 tickets available, as another way to raise funds for the programs and services we support through our Club.

In addition, we have an extra Opportunity Drawing! The stub from each dinner ticket drawn will be eligible to win a 7-9 day adults only getaway to Antigua with oceanfront accommodations at the Pineapple Beach Club! This trip is worth \$2,100!

Mike Page is looking for a program for our October 15th meeting. If you or know someone who'd like to present that day, please see Mike.

See you all Saturday...Let it Ride!!



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Raffle

Ryan McEachron was a double winner this week by taking home a box of Van Pool Chocolates from **Kevin Kane** and a Midway shirt from **Jason Montana**, while **Dwight Johnson** also took home two prizes with a \$25 Midway gift card and a clock.

Keven Kane will enjoy his El Dorado goodie bag he received from Dwight, while a Kindred Hospice water bottle & notebook from **Sarah Rojas** went home with **Donna Wells**. Both our speaker **Lou Tyson** and **Greg Benson** will stick a Heritage Pop Socket to their phones and our speaker will also affix a Rotary license plate frame to his favorite hot rod at the Museum...maybe.

Finally, things will smell fresher in the Hove home now, since **Jon Hove** left the meeting with a bottle of men's bathroom deodorant from **Kevin Kane**!

Fine Session

Ryan McEachron was our Fine Master and, as a life long Sun Devil, he had to fine **Arsalee Morales** \$50 for posting photos of her and her girls at the Bell Game in her Jackrabbits gear, where they lost 50-0 against Apple Valley! \$10 penalties went to **David North** for commenting on his new haircut, **Greg Benson** for putting out fires all over town, and in the "no good deed goes unpunished" file, went to **Oscar Garcia** for bringing guest **Brian Pierce**.



When our speaker this week asked for questions, **Bill Scott** instead, decided to share a story about himself, which earned him a fine of \$25, and **Dwight Johnson** left with \$70 less for making Ryan buy the same amount in raffle tickets at the Kemper Campbell mixer last week.

Finally, **Chris Ackerman** and Ryan both took a \$13 fine in honor of sharing time together 13 years ago this month at St. Mary's maternity ward, during the birth of their daughters!

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Big Blue Dice



Sarah Rojas got the chance for the Blue Dice and big money, but drew a white and gave her \$5 back into the Pig. We will continue next week with 10 dice and \$300 for the Rotarian who can pick the Blue Dice out of the bag.

Spoon of Exemption

Mike Page was back with the Spoon and once again used his time to promote the upcoming 28th Annual St. Mary Gala which will be held on October 9th at the Hilton Garden Inn. This year they are raising funds for 12 stationary and 30 mobile cardiac monitors to catch heart issues faster and in the process, to save more lives. They have already raised \$200,000, but need another \$280,000 more to meet their goal!



More than 60,000 patients every year need cardiac monitoring in the St. Mary Emergency Department. Cardiac Monitoring is required for common major health challenges such as heart attack and stroke. Additionally, Cardiac Monitoring is also needed for less known health challenges such as blood infections, unexplained fainting and more.

One way they are raising money is through some great opportunity drawings including a \$575 Disney gift card (\$25/ticket), trip for 2 to Hawaii (\$35/ticket) and a \$5,000 Midway Home Solutions Makeover (\$50/ticket)! Contact **Lezli Roberts** at 760-946-8189 for more information.

Rotary Guests

At our meeting this week we welcomed **Brian Pierce** who attended as a guest of **Oscar Garcia, Dulce Canseco** once again attended the meeting for **Lauretta Tkaczyk, Abe Moreno** from Desert Collision Center and **Stefanie Montoya** from Options for Youth.

Joining our speaker **Lou Tyson** was his wife **Lorraie Tyson** and aide from the Route 66 Museum **Delvin Harbour**.

We were also honored to welcome **Greg Jones** from the Rotary Club of Pasadena After Hours and next year's District Governor, who attended as a guest of **Dwight Johnson**.

Our Stand-ins this week were **Jason Montana** for **Don Lager**, **Sarah Rojas** for **Lauretta Tkaczyk**, and **Gary Hornby** for **Billy Mac**.



The Polio Pig

Collected this week: \$18.00

Polio Pig: \$13.00 + Dice (Sarah Rojas): \$5.00 = \$18.00

Collected to Date: \$16,648.10

Total equals: 94,468 Doses!

*One dollar equals 2 doses of vaccine!
\$500 pays for a Polio Clinic!*





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The Victorville Rotary Club meets every Tuesday for fellowship at 11:30 a.m. and meeting at 12:00 noon at the Green Tree Golf Course Clubhouse, 14144 Green Tree Blvd., Victorville

Make-up Days and Locations

MONDAY:	San Bernardino East, Imperial Palace, noon
TUESDAY:	Rancho Cucamonga Sunrise, 7:15 a.m. Empire Lakes Golf Course Rancho Cucamonga, 12:00 p.m., Etiwanda Gardens
WEDNESDAY:	High Desert/Hesperia Club meets 7:00 a.m., Denny's, 14165 Main St., Hesperia Adelanto Club meets 2nd Wed. at Chamber Room at Adelanto Stadium at 11:30 a.m., and the 3rd and 4th Wed. at Budweisers, Adelanto Rd, Adelanto at 8am. San Bernardino Crossroads, Hilton, noon, Barstow, Rositas, 540 Main St, 12:00 p.m.
THURSDAY:	Apple Valley, Rusty Bull, AV, 1st, 2nd and 4th Thurs Ontario, 12:15 p.m., Doubletree Hotel San Bernardino, Denny's at I-15, 7 a.m. Redlands, Masonic Temple, noon
FRIDAY:	San Bernardino North, Elks Lodge, 12:05 p.m.

Calendar Dates

Sept 21: **Casino Royale Club Fundraiser**
Wine Tasting: 5pm • Dinner: 6pm
Spring Valley Lake Community Center

Oct 28: **Past Presidents' Meeting**
5:30pm • El Pescador Bar

May 1-3 2020: **Assembly and District Conference**
Assembly May 1, Conference May 1-3
Westin Pasadena
191 N Los Robles Ave.
Pasadena, CA 91101
(626) 792-2727

Upcoming Rotary Programs

Sept 24: San Bernardino County District Attorney Jason Anderson **TOPIC: "Our New District Attorney: Changes and New Programs"** (Page)

Oct 1: **"Why Is Healthcare So Expensive?"** (Langley)

October 8, 2019

State Assemblyman Jay Obernolte

Bidding is now open to sit at the head table with
Assemblyman Jay Obernolte, Please see Mike for Details

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