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ROTARY CLUB OF BONITA SUNRISE OFFICERS

2007 - 2008 President: Jack Blakely President Elect: Marta Knight Secretary: Jeanne Kearley **Treasurer: Tom Miller** Past President: **Beverly Sumwalt**

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Meeting Location: San Diego Country Club 88 L Street Chula Vista, CA 91911

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President Jack opened the meeting with a pledge by Jeanne and a moment of silence

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Foundation Gala is November 17.

Art reported on Bonita Sunrise Rotary Funded Requests International:

1000 to opportunity International Microcredit program. Our \$1000 was leveraged to \$12,000 with District, Gates Foundation and Rotary International Matching Funds.

Mechanical Cow \$1250.

Bwindi Community Health Centre \$1800

Rotary Club of Sunrise, Kampala Uganda \$2200

LOCAL:

Castle Park Middle School \$200 Rice Elementary and Vista Square Elementary Schools garden work projects \$200 each.

MEMBERSHIP:

Marta announced the Rotary Rooters had the most points for the month and each member was awarded a Starbucks \$5 coupon.

RAFFLE:

Dave Rossi and Jeanne Kearley were the winners.

PROGRAM:

Jeanne introduced Brian Turk of Kids Korps. The goal is positive youth development. A group of parents wanted to get their kids off video games and decided to go into the community and volunteer. They found there were very few opportunities for children to volunteer. They created Kid Korps to teach children to volunteer and with parents' and advisers' help to locate opportunities such as working at Senior Centers or volunteering to clean up the beaches. They currently have 60 chapters and 5,000 volunteers. Their motto is leaders for life. Volunteers are needed particularly in the South Bay. See Jeanne for contact information.

The District Governor's visit scheduled for November 15th will be rescheduled.









