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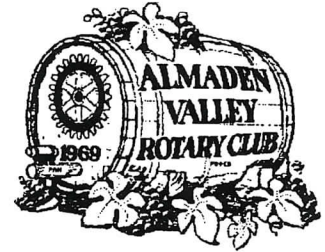
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September 18th (Friday):
Regular Meeting

Greeters:
Remy & Rosen

Editor:
Angie Hassler

"Just For Youth" Golf Tournament

Check out the Presidents Leaf to see what the "Queen Bee" is buzzing about.

Editors

9/18/98	Angie Hassler
9/25/98	Bruce Curley
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10/09/98	Paul Heaney
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Greeters

9/18/98	Remy & Rosen
9/25/98	Shepardson & Baker
10/02/98	Bier & Bondelie
10/09/98	Brown & Colonna
10/16/98	Club Assembly

Future Programs

9/18/98	Bill Smith & ???
9/25/98	Paul Uenaka & ???
10/02/98	Miles Yamamoto & ???
10/09/98	Brian O'Neill & ???

What's Up?



9/20/98, Sunday, Almaden Art & Wine Festival. (10AM - 6:00PM)
Sausage & soda sales.
Volunteers needed for this all day event. Sign up for a shift with Brian O'Neill.



President's Leaf

Joanne Bengiveno, President of The Almaden Valley Rotary Club



Well Jimmy Joe you can give yourself another *HUGE* pat on the back. You and your crew, Muzzy, Diane and Jeff Rosen did another outstanding job at another outstanding event. What a wonderful Golf Coarse. Have you all figured out what bird is on the logo at Cinnabar? I didn't, but a waitress did tell me. I also now know why the coarse is called Cinnabar.

I really had a great time at the tournament. My golfing wasn't even that bad. I not only got my two required drives by myself, but even used some of the others. I understand why people like to golf-it's a very relaxing low key and very quiet type of sport. Guess that's why I'm not really into it. Once a year is OK with me.

I leave you with this thought.....*Good, Better, Best; never let it rest till your good is better and your better is best.....*

Joanne



9/26/98, Saturday, **AVRC Family Picnic** at the Almaden Swim & Racquet Club. Bring the family, friends or significant other. It's BBQ, swim chat and bonding time. Brian O'Neill is in charge.



9/28/98 - 10/04/98, Monday through Sunday **Nike Golf Tournament**. Food, snacks, beer and soda concession. More volunteers needed to make this event a successful fund raiser. Sign up with Muzzy Mazzocco.



10/10/98, Saturday, **Columbus Day Party** at Consentino's.



Membership!



Have you brought a prospective member to a meeting lately? Have you ever introduced a Guest of Rotary? Get with it and spread the word! If you have forgotten how to go about it, ask Paul Venezia.

Paul H.

Golf Anyone?

This foursome has teed off every Saturday morning for the past three years. One of the guys was a most remarkable player. He would play left-handed for a couple of weeks, and the next week he would play right-handed with equal skill. His one annoying fault was that every couple of months or so he would be twenty minutes late to tee off.

One morning, after this guy had landed his second shot just two feet from the pin, one of the others said. "I can't stand it any longer! Jess, what's with switching sides, right to left? Why do you do that?" "Well, I tell ya. Every Saturday morning when I wake up, I turn over and look at my wife in the bed next to me. If she's sleeping on her right side, then I tee off right-handed. If she's on her left side, then I play left-handed."

"Aha! But what if she's on her back?"

"That's when I'm twenty minutes late!"

A True Story

When Apollo Mission Astronaut Neil Armstrong first walked on the moon, he not only gave his famous "one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind" statement but followed it by several remarks, usual comments about traffic between him, the other astronauts and Mission Control. Just before he re-entered the lander, however, he made the enigmatic remark "Good luck Mr. Gorsky." Many people at NASA thought it was a casual remark concerning some rival Soviet Cosmonaut. However, upon checking, there was no Gorsky in either the Russian or American space programs. Over the years many people questioned Armstrong as to what the "Good luck Mr. Gorsky" statement meant, but Armstrong always just smiled. A few years ago, (on July 5, 1995, in Tampa Bay, FL) while answering questions following a speech, a reporter brought up the 26 year old question to Armstrong. This time he finally responded. Mr. Gorsky had finally died and so Neil Armstrong felt he could answer the question. When he was a kid, he was playing baseball with a friend in the backyard. His friend hit a fly ball which landed in the front of this neighbor's bedroom windows. His neighbors were Mr. & Mrs. Gorsky. As he leaned down to pick up the ball, young Armstrong heard Mrs. Gorsky shouting at Mr. Gorsky. "Oral sex! You want oral sex?! You'll get oral sex when the kid next door walks on the moon!"

