

# TustAna Rotary News

## The Tustin-Santa Ana Rotary Club

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### This Week's Program...Thursday August 20th Kathy Bihr, Tiger Woods Learning Center

Dr. Katherine Bihr, Ed.D. is Vice President, Programs & Education at the Tiger Woods Foundation. She is also VP of Programs and Education for the Tiger Woods Foundation. Her responsibilities include providing direction to the personnel, programs and operations of the Tiger Woods Learning Centers across the nation as well as the Earl Woods Scholarship Program.

In addition, Kathy serves on the board of directors for the El Viento Foundation which provides education and enrichment opportunities for at-risk students from grades 4-12, and Project Tomorrow which supports the innovative uses of science, math and technology resources in K-12 schools and communities. She also serves on the Department of Education Leadership Council for the UCI and Cal State-Fullerton.



### Last week's program...Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup> Dr. Dustin O'Malley, Tustin Connect Academy

Dr. O'Malley serves as the Administrator for the Tustin Connect Academy. Prior to becoming a school administrator, Dr. O'Malley worked in the TUSD as an elementary school teacher, middle school teacher, and high school digital learning coach. He attended UCI for his undergraduate work in Education and Economics, and he received his Doctoral Degree in Education from USC. He has a passion for personalizing education and creating high levels of student interest and engagement through authentic learning experiences.

The Tustin Connect Academy (TCA) is an innovative K-8 school that offers a personalized blend of the best elements of traditional schooling, home schooling, and online education. Students have the flexibility to learn at their own pace and from anywhere. Tustin Connect Academy is a tuition-free public school and is part of the [Tustin Unified School District](#). The enrollment window is currently open for new students starting in two weeks.

The purpose of such an academy is to contact students who have been leaving the district for online schools (TCA from Page 1)

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## CALENDAR

### AUGUST

- **Tues –Sat Aug 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> – Broadway in the Park Food Booth assignments**
- **Thurs Aug 20<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm – Rotary Luncheon: Dathy Bihr, The Tiger Woods Learning Center.**
- **Sat Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> – Angels Night to End Polio, Angels Stadium**
- **Sat Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> – Pacific Classic, Del Mar**
- **Thurs Aug 27<sup>th</sup> DARK at Noon Meet at 5:30 pm – Rotary Evening Meeting/Social Fellowship at the Black Marlin, at 500 El Camino Real, Tustin**

For more details see calendar at:

[www.Rotary-TustinSantaAna.org](http://www.Rotary-TustinSantaAna.org)

## Throwback Thursday

### Who's Next?

On August 20<sup>th</sup> learn about

Tony Mumolo

or home schooling and reconnect them with the students who continue in traditional classroom instruction. Any student in the county is eligible to transfer into the program. The curriculum is the same as traditional elementary and middle schools, but it is delivered differently. It adheres to the same rigorous standards, strategies and technology standards as traditional class-rooms in the District.

Students at Tustin Connect Academy will have access to other schools' activities such as athletics, after school programs, etc. In middle school they have the opportunity of dual enrollment in Tustin Connect and their local middle school where they may take one or two classes in a traditional atmosphere.

The campus is temporarily in one of the wings of the Heritage School until a permanent location is established. For more information, see [www.tustinconnect.org](http://www.tustinconnect.org). Follow Dr. O'Malley on Twitter via @dustinomalley.



President John Rizzo thanks Dr. O'Malley for his presentation.



### Karrie Good Receives District Award

Karrie Good, well-known for her work with RYLA, received a Bravo Zulu award for her dedication.



### Thursday, August 6<sup>th</sup> Program Dennis Kuhl Anaheim Angels

Dennis Kuhl grew up with baseball as a part of his life. He even played senior baseball until he was 65. He is a Yankee fan because Mickey Mantle played for the Yankees. If he'd played with another team he would have been a fan of that team.

Arte Moreno and Dennis are fraternity brothers and have been friends for years. Each year the team discusses the problems to overcome:

- How many wins do we need to get to the playoffs.
- CJ needs an operation.
- David Freese has a broken finger but will be back soon.
- Mike Trout! "Thank God we got him. He's a phenomenal kid."
- How do we motivate people. "I get rid of the people who aren't motivated. I give a pin for good service."

Dennis feels it is important to get youth to play baseball instead of activities like basketball, going to the beach, or getting tatoos.



Every year the team works on fan experiences to sell the brand. They have give-aways/chotchkies at games, they give tickets to kids, they get out in the community, and they interact. Ticket-takers, parking attendants, and ushers are trained in interacting enthusiastically with fans.

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Wayne Olmsted



## Garry's 8/6 Fines

Mark Eliot – \$40.00: 4-Way Test too fast.

Larry LeDoux – \$25.00: Phone call from Gene Autry regarding the Red Socks? (Is it the Truth?).

Mark Eliot – \$10.00: Not greeting for boss Greg Franklin.

Laurie Abelove – \$20.00 – Poor job of greeting from 12:08 to 12:10.

Alice LeDoux – \$90.00 Row Row Rowy your boat? Larry to pay fine.

Wayne Olmsted – \$20.00 for questioning the validity of black marble draw and litigation threat.

Leo Middleton – \$20.00: Finemaster table with guest should not be the last table to go to the buffet.

Gayl Whipple: Too long a presentation on his "Flashback" presentation.

**The Club Sings!**

The song Aug. 6th was led by Alice LeDoux at Riz's request. Not having the technology available to do an I-pod/video presentation, the Club performed a round of Row, Row, Row Your Boat. Larry loved it.

**August****Birthdays**20<sup>th</sup> – Mike Immell29<sup>th</sup> – Bev Loughran**Anniversaries**23<sup>rd</sup> – Priscilla & Ed Cottone27<sup>th</sup> – Gerry & Diane Aust30<sup>th</sup> – Pat & John Koval31<sup>st</sup> – Wayne & Karen Olmsted*(From Page 2)*

Someone once asked Dennis how he motivated people. He said, "I get rid of the people that aren't motivated. I give award pins to staff for good service.

Dennis is saddened by the lack of interest of today's youth in baseball and this is one of the reasons he gives tickets to kids to come to games. Many of them seem as though they would rather go to the beach, get a tattoo, or watch one of the glamour sports like basketball.

He assured us that the Angels would get out of this slump.

During the question period after his presentation a member asked what happened with Hamilton?

Dennis answered, "We put a clause in the contract but the Union said that since they didn't approve it beforehand it is not valid.

**Author's Luncheon**

Saturday, Sep 19, 11 am  
Tustin Community Center

New York Times best selling author T. Jefferson Parker. A Tustin native and Tustin High School graduate will be promoting and autographing his latest release

Tickets are \$30 and include a box lunch.





## JJ's 8/13 Fines

John Rizzo – \$120.00: Song fine.

Gerry Aust – \$20.00: You are not a nobody...YOU were at the Concert to receive our \$2500 check for the Chili Cook-Off.

Tom Gourde – \$25.00: Welcome back.

Ann Q, Pat Koval, Mark – \$20.00 for being late

Alice LeDoux – \$90.00: "Row, Row, Row Your Boat?" Really???? Larry to pay fine..

Bill McInerney – \$20.00 for being a Tustin Ambassador

Nigel Cross – \$20.00: Excessive travel to England, France, Germany and the Bahamas.

Karrie Good – \$20.00 for a rusty recitation of the 4-Way Test.

## Broadway in the Park "Kiss Me Kate"

Presented by The Tustin Area Council for Fine  
Arts in cooperation with the  
Chance Theater



## Rotary Booth...Don't forget your commitments! (Arrive 5:15-5:30 pm)

### TUESDAY, Aug. 18

1. John Rizzo
2. Roger Carlson
3. Leo Middleton
4. Bill Rodgers
4. Bruce Grant
5. Jonathan Abelow

### WEDNESDAY, Aug. 19

1. Greg Franklin
2. Pat Koval
3. Wayne Olmsted
4. Ann Quintiani
5. John Koval
6. Bill McInerney

### THURSDAY, Aug. 20

1. Ken LaTourette
2. Pam LaTourette
3. Jill Spencer
4. Laurie Abelow
5. David Smith,
6. Ernie Manuel
7. Corinne Manuel

### FRIDAY, Aug. 21

1. John Rizzo
2. Larry LeDoux
3. Alice LeDoux
4. Fred Minter
5. Elizabeth Minter

### SATURDAY, Aug. 22

1. Ed Machado
2. Garry Heath
3. Daisy Luo
4. Jill Spencer
5. Bruce Grant
6. Brian Herdeg
7. Bev Loughran
8. Dick Kociela