



SANTA ANA ROTARY 1959

SAPD Chief Carlos Rojas

Liaising with the University of Texas to come up with a plan to drop police response time, partnering with an elementary school to provide a lunch program focused on health, fitness and academic improvement and redesigning the beats in the City of Santa Ana to make his officers time more efficient and familiarize them with a particular neighborhood – probably not what we thought the job description would be for the Chief of Police for Santa Ana. It is only a glimpse into the many roles that our speaker plays we were lucky to grab an hour of his hectic schedule!

Santa Ana is the 2nd most populous city in Orange County and per capita, should have 500-550 officers but only has about 300+. Even so, Chief Rojas has achieved in reducing the response time from 7 ½ minutes to 1 ½ minutes and is strongly focused on making Community Policing the most efficient response.

We also had John Harmon, from Jumpstart as a guest and we presented him with a check for \$200, to go towards buying books for an event called Read for the Record, the world's largest

reading experience, at the Heritage Museum, Santa Ana. John will be our guest and speaker on January 16 next year.



Our Fundraiser

This past weekend, Saturday and Sunday, we had numerous club members, family and friends turn out to help us pour beer at the Beach Goth event at the

The Rotations



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Observatory. This was our second event this year and as usual, it was tremendously busy, exciting (if you like the music☺) and very rewarding for our club! I

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 28th

Meeting at Antonellos!

Our guest speaker will be District Attorney, Tony Rackauckas. He has been reelected 4 times and is known as "a tough, no-nonsense DA".

November 4th

Meeting at Antonellos!

Our guest speaker at this meeting will be our District Governor, Kevin Padilla. We will have a board meeting immediately afterwards.

November 14th

Foundation Gala

This event celebrates the work and acknowledges the supporters of the Rotary Foundation. This is a fun event to attend and will be held at the Crevier Classic Cars, 365 Clinton St., Costa Mesa.

We meet Wednesdays at noon
at Antonello Ristorante
3800 S Plaza Drive, Santa Ana