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ZOOM MEETING

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Bill Tobin

**Rotary Relations Manager,
ShelterBox USA**

Shelterbox

A member of the Rotary Club of El Dorado Hills California since 2004, Bill Tobin has served in several club and district leadership roles and is a major donor to The Rotary Foundation. He is currently the District 5180 Membership Chair and is on the Zone-27 New Club development task force. In 2016-2017 Rotary District 5180 awarded Bill "Rotarian of the Year" for his active and dedicated service to Rotary, and for his commitment to ShelterBox.

Bill began as a volunteer for ShelterBox after the 2010 earthquake in Haiti. Bill has since shared the ShelterBox story to over 300 Rotary Clubs, organized fundraisers, and helped develop strategies for donor

engagement and volunteer training. For his volunteer efforts, Bill has received the United States Presidential Volunteer Service Award seven times.

After a 30-year career as a nuclear power plant inspector, Bill earned a certification in Non-Profit management from the University of the Pacific and joined the staff at ShelterBox USA as Rotary Relations Manager in January 2019.

Bill is married to Sherie for 37 years, she is an Assistant Governor in District 5180. They have two sons and a daughter in law.

Rotary Leadership:

Club:

Interact Advisor,	2008-14
Program Chair	2009-12
President	2010-11
Membership Chair	2017-19
Club Service Chair	2019-20

District:

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Service Opportunities

Hunger at Home

June 19th, & 23rd, 2021

Our club will be participating with other volunteers in preparing grocery boxes for residents in need. Our volunteer slots are for two-hour (7:45-9:45 am) or four-hour (7:45-11:45am) shifts on Saturday, June 19th or Wednesdays June 16th & 23rd. Anyone interested should contact Brian Bianco to get on the list and receive general instructions.

We have invited our area Rotaractors to join in the effort .

Members of the club volunteered on May 5th and 29th. The project was very well put together, efficient, clean and worthwhile.

Active Volunteers:

Carol Goedde: 6-16, 6-19, 6-23

Mary Lynn Pelican: 6-16, 6-23

Stephanie Bianco: 6-19

Geri Hall: 6-19

Lou Bash: 6-19, 6-23

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SAA: **Kit Seymour**

Pledge of Allegiance

Thought of the Day

Happy/Sad \$\$:

Speaker Host: **TBA**



Little Free Libraries Project

The kit for the library housing arrived, it is fully assembled and will be primed for the Boy Scout troop to complete the exterior design and paint. We Have a location available to us in San Jose.

If anyone wants to participate, contact Carol or Janette. This is a project that will offer a lot of opportunity for members and friends to participate.

If anyone wants to donate paint, we are looking for water base, indoor/outdoor, latex paint. Basic, bright colors (red, yellow, blue, green, etc)



**Carol Goedde &
Mary Lynn
Pelican—Hunger at
Home**

Bill Tobin Continued...

District:

Rotary Action Groups and

Fellowships Chair	2011-12
Assistant Governor	2013-16
Interact Chair	2012-16
Youth Services Chair	2016-17
Polio Plus Chair	2016-17
Membership Chair	2020-

Shelterbox Volunteer Leadership

Rising Star Award	2012
Ambassador of the year	2013
Team Leader of the Year	2013
S.A.F.E. Training graduate	2013
S.A.F.E. Trainer	2017
Innovation award	2018

- o California Legislature Assembly recognition 2013
- o U.S President's Volunteer Service Award Recipient 2012- 2018

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ShelterBox USA is a 501(C)(3) non-profit organization in the United States, registered in the State of Florida.

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Clean Creeks Coalition

The Rotary club of San Jose Silicon Valley joined with the Clean Creek Coalition For a work party on the Los Gatos River And nearby parking lot. Some of our club members helped with this effort!! Thanks Carol Goedde, Janette Rosales and Lou Bash!

June 26, 2021

Anyone interested should contact [Janette Rosales](#).
(408) 772-5059

Meetings—Until Board Changes are in Effect

Club Meetings: Our club will meet on the 1st & 3rd Friday of each month. We will resume in-person meetings by hosting hybrid meetings on the first Friday of the month, at the home of Kris Myers. The 3rd Friday is ZOOM.

Proposed Leadership Team for 2020/2021

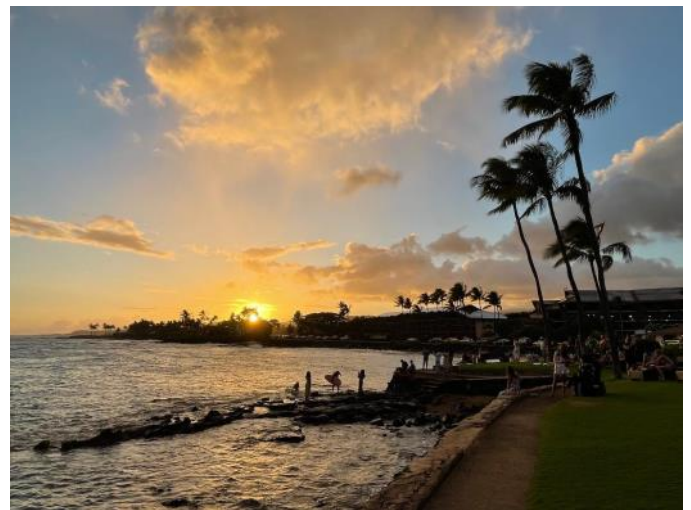
President: [Carol Goedde](#)
Past President: [Lou Bash](#)
President Elect: [Geri Hall](#)
Secretary: [Janette Rosales](#)
Treasurer: [Brian Bianco](#)
Director
(1 yr. remaining): [Diana Reinhart](#)
Director
(2 yr. remaining): [Lou Bash](#)
Director
(2 yr. remaining): [Trixie & Doug Johnson](#)

Exchange Students—Submitted by Ken McLaughlin

Many of you will remember our two students, [Christine Ngo](#) and [Athena Chang](#), that we exchanged with our sister club in Kyoto here is an update on how Athena is doing and spending her summer. Currently, she is in Kauai, Hawaii and last week she and her friends hiked the Kalua Trail along the Napali coast. This 11-mile hike is considered one of the most beautiful and dangerous anywhere. This is where Jurassic Park was filmed you have to get a permit to make the trek.

This week her family has joined her and they are doing the things that families do when in Kauai. When she returns, she will then be attending a two-week Air Force training session. After that it is off to Osh Kosh, Wisconsin, for a convention and then will finish her summer as an at-home intern for Microsoft. Classes at Stanford are scheduled to resume in September.

Below are pictures of Athena on her hike with her friends and then with her family.





2022 Rotary International Convention: Registration Now Open!

Check emails for information

\$\$\$\$\$ Happy/Sad \$\$\$\$\$
For June

Members are on the honor system.
Mail contribution payable to Rotary
SJSV to the treasurer at the start of
each month for the previous for the
previous month.

Brian Bianco

17995 Laurel Wood Lane
Morgan Hill, CA 95037
or

Venmo to: @Brian-Bianco-2

Note from Editor: If you have happy/
sad events you would like to an-
nounce to the club, send me an email
for the upcoming newsletter.

Social Event

Friday Night



Bowling w/ the **Rotoractors**
Friday, June 18th at 6:30 p.m.
Bowlero in Milpitas
1287 S. Park Victoria Dr.
Milpitas, CA 95035

Please RSVP to:

Carol Goedde (408) 373-2795