

## TODAY

CHARLENE KEMPER, a teacher at Redlands High School will speak to us about relationships in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. The Guys are advised to stay awake.

## LAST WEEK

Thanks go to CHIEF JEFF FRAZIER for explaining that our fire department should more properly be called the fire and rescue department. It was an eye opener to learn how much he and some of the other members of the department get to travel, though I'm not sure we could call those disaster locations vacation destinations. Looks like we could pad our coffers just by selling him travel permits.

## NEXT WEEK

Bring your stop watches and score sheets, as we have the Annual Four Way Speech Contest.

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Our members are generally low key, but just now and then (like every day) we get a glimpse of what they are doing by the activity of their spouses and children, to wit: **LINDA SCHAUF** is apparently organized to acquire a new son-in-law as her daughter **TERI** makes plans to wed; **PETE DAVIS** has some arrangement with the *Facts* sports writer so that his high school sophomore water polo playing daughter **KIERNAN** doesn't get her picture in the paper more than twice a game. The exception to this secondary notoriety rule seems to be **DON McCUE**, who personally shines at the Shrine or elsewhere regularly.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

To reiterate last week's call for volunteers, a Group Study Exchange team is coming April 15 and homes where they can stay for a few days are needed – 3 ladies and 2 gents from Sweden. Also, we need readers for Breakfast and a Book, contact **JIM NOLIN** for details.

## THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Our Valentine's Day program. This may be the best day each year that we get to share together as Rotarians. Today we get to bring our significant other to have a peak into our weekly routine and see us at our finest. Yes, our finest. Like saying "please" and "thank you" while watching our table manners and being aware of our conversations. Today we will sing with zest and in harmony. Okay, maybe we'll just stick to acceptable table manners . . .

In all seriousness, in difficult times one is reminded that people matter, things do not. We as Rotarians share a common bond, a calling of "Service Above Self." In the end Rotarians are people helping other people, not just providing things. Today, hopefully, you get to have the most important person in your life with you as we share our time together, and any time with that person should be a good time. Happy Valentine's Day!

*Neal Waner*

## SUPER BOWL BETTING – LESSON TWO

Among the available bets for the Super Bowl are the following bets as to each team: total kickoffs (over or under 6); total penalty yards (over/under 48 Steelers, 50½ Cards); will the team convert a fourth down; and one of my favorite bets, the length of Edgerrin James first rush (over/under 3½ yards). Now how can you not bet on that. Speaking of betting – we could use a report on whether or not **MARK BULOT** had any snow trouble at the Annual Big Bear Poker Retreat Saturday.

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