



Ramblings

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The bad news is he has to have surgery, the good news is that it's outpatient, the bad news is either way, it's painful

Rick Glasby has outpatient surgery

Good friend and member **Rick Glasby** was scheduled to have had his surgery July 12., so hopefully he is on the road to recovery. According to **Don Schlensker**, the surgery is to place a surgical plate on his Tibia. Just the sound of that, makes me want to lay down and pull the covers over my head. **Rick** mentioned shortly before he left on vacation, how excited he was to be going on this trip, and it has to be a blow to have it turn out this way. We all wish that he makes a complete and speedy recovery, and hope the doctors find a way to cure what ails him, so that he can continue to enjoy the life-style he loves so much. Between the accident, the gun in the wrong bag, the visit by Airport authorities, and I just heard about the mirror that wife Kathy badly cut her hand on, I now understand the term "Vacation from Hell! The good news is that **Rick** is a fighter. If anyone can be as good as ever, **Rick** is certainly up to making it happen.



Our President announced that while there are no announcements to announce this week, if there are any to announce next week, he will be happy to announce them.

Truman Adams Passes

To many of our members the name **Truman Adams** means nothing, but to the "old timers" **Truman** was a long time member, a sweet and gentle appearing man, and a fine musician. He is the one who donated the synthesizer to our club. I remember many **Las Vegas Casino nights**, prior to the 50-50 drawings, when **Truman** and his wife would provide the entertainment. The last few years were not kind to **Truman**, he suffered severely with **Alzheimer's Disease**, and no longer recognized long time friends. It was sad to see. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Grove Body Hosts Chamber Mixer July 18,

Emma and Tony Lombardi, owners of the best **Auto Body Shop in Garden Grove**, and surrounding areas at least, will host the Chamber Mixer this coming Wednesday. The event begins at 5:30 PM, and is one of the highlight events of the year when it comes to Chamber Mixers. In addition; the Miss Garden Grove Pageant will be matching the contestants with their sponsors, as part of the program. **Tony** has asked me to remind you that all **Kiwanis Club** members are invited. It should be a fun event.

Happy/Sad Dollars

Tonight was "lets donate in tribute to a member" night, with names flying around so quickly and varied, that it soon became a contest as to who could mention the most names. I was not one of the winners, and looking at my notes, I'm not too sure that some of the "donates" are not "donors, also and of course, vice versa." and definitely, some are both. So here is the best way to do this:

- Tom E.** Happy; Surgical Stockings go in three weeks, as he overcomes his knee operation
- Peter C.** Happy for Rick to have surgery and start improving.
- R.C** Happy stock market up 283 points, and corn booth success, sad, passing of Truman.
- G. Sunda** had a Kiwanisland Meeting and everyone came. 11 in all. And corn booth
- G. Newkirk** happy Gary's meeting was successful, Rick's progress is positive,
- J. Wallin; Hodges** told the truth. and three for Rick.
- E. Hodges** two for **Rick**
- J. Kelly** Rick's' surgery
- B. Broadwater, Tony's** mixer this coming week, Rick, missing two meetings.
- T. Petrosine**, two for **Ed Beaudin** sharing his Salmon and Halibut that he caught. (It was great.)
- T. Lombardi** **Rick and Tony**; five each for their pain
- W. Donovan** for **Rick**.
- D. Nielsen** Same wishes as everyone else.

Then followed **Schlensker, Singer, McIlvain**, (who was sad to see that **Elliott** was giving up his nylons **Main** came in for **Rick**, and a request to have someone take over programs. A truly urgent idea., myself with a sad dollar for trying to get all the names and having no chance to get them all right, I thought it was interesting to note, that we had almost as many happy dollars for Rick having surgery, (to get better) than he did sad to have surgery, (pain and suffering.) Whatever your point of view, we are happy that we have a group that cares for each other. At least one way or another.

Coming Soon

August 19, I haven't the faintest idea.
August 26, See August 19

Thought For The Week

Anyone who is seriously considering running for President of our country, should automatically be disqualified from doing so.