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50th Anniversary

Rancho Bernardo Hall of Fame Celebration

Commemorating the Installation
of Our New Members

Reed Reichert
Gary Saks

Reception

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Dinner and Program

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 3, 2024

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A Special Thank you to Silvergate
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The Rancho Bernardo Hall of Fame Roster

1974	1987	2006
Will Clements*	J.W. "Woody" Beard*	Steve Riddle
Merle Francis*	Charles Jacobs*	Jim Roth
Royal Kemp*	Lee Turner*	
Clara Kjose*		
Elmer Parsons*		
Roy Rosenberg*		
P.J. Skill*		
Ray Webb*		
1975	1990	2007
Rhoda Fowler Knight*	Stuart Glassman*	Don Gragg
Jerry Diasek*		Jerry Hetherington*
Marjory Johnson*		Jeff Shea
1976	1992	2008
John Brandt*	Jim Abbott	Craig Brown
David Littauer*	Lew Gary*	Jim Denton*
Doug McCoy*		
Ron Nish*		
Howard Westcott*		
1977	1993	2009
Hal Fletcher*	James T. Carter*	Gary Carlson
Lou Rich*	Bob Wells*	Marty Judge
Dave Willets*		
Ruth Wilson*		
1978	1994	2010
Marion Broer*	Tom Bilhorn	Harry Summers*
Marie Gaskill Amberson*	Bob Fletcher	Honorary Member
Marge Gibson*	Al Totino*	
Alex Sirpis*		
Dorothy Willets*		
Mike Wilson*		
1979	1995	2011
Bob Bruemmer*	J. Philip Bohart*	Karen Rott
Karl Ewerhardt*	Karen Johanson	
Dave Kreitzer*	Robert H. Smith*	
Bob Kyle*		
Earl Mahaney*		
Rudy Paulson*		
Sharon Purviance		
1980	1997	2012
Bill Collins*	Jack Mitchell*	Valerie Brown
Ed Letscher*		Steven DeMatteo
1981	1998	Thomas Lettington
Ora Peckham*	Nick Anastopoulos	
Duke Peasley*	Jacqueline Nelson*	
1982	1999	2013
Joe Morreale*	Lee Okeson*	Pat Bean*
		Marla Cruz
		Richard Mason*
1983	2000	2015
Bert Ball*	Myrna Reese*	Shirley Black
	Ted Gaasch	Nancy Canfield
1984	2001	2016
Dolores Doty*	Barbara Crouch*	Dave Brooks
Helen Letscher*	Robert Smith*	Scott Lawn
Michael Stelman	Vicki Touchstone	Jay Riordan
1985	2002	2017
Sheila Mahon	Richard Belzer	Thomas Cook*
Eileen Haag	Larry McIntyre	Linda Gannon
Honorary Member	Joyce Tavrow	Michael Vaughn
Jim Doty*		
1986	2003	2018
Joyce Glaser*	Abe Baum*	Michael Farrell
Don LaRocque*	George Cooke	Eldon Jennings
Alex Summers*	Jane Radatz	Karen Stelman
2004	2004	2019
	Marie Graver*	Don Glover
	Jim Harmon*	Debbie Kurth
	Robin Kaufman	Don Schmidt
2005	2005	2020
	Phyllis Comer	Bill Chaffin
	Tom Richards*	
	Dick Walker*	

2018 Karen Stelman - Inducted for her outstanding leadership in the Rotary Club of Rancho Bernardo, in Light the Cross, and in the Healing Fields commemoration.

2019 Don Glover - Inducted for his leadership in the Rotary Club of Rancho Bernardo and its Foundation.

2019 Debbie Kurth - Inducted for her outstanding leadership for years on the board of the Rancho Bernardo Business Association, including President; and for years of service on the board of the Rancho Bernardo Community Foundation, including President and Chair of the Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon.

2019 Don Schmidt - Inducted for his leadership with the Major Abraham J. Baum VFW Post 7766.

2020 Bill Chaffin - Inducted for his leadership in saving the Blue Sky Reserve. Outstanding leadership in both the RB Community Foundation with the Cruise Program; and raising funds for the Palomar Health Foundation.

2022 Mike Fuqua - Inducted for his outstanding leadership in the RB Rotary Club. Created the "Vines and Vittles" Annual Event, resulting in grants being distributed to various non-profits in the Rancho Bernardo Community.

2022 Jim Hydahl - Inducted for his outstanding leadership in the RB Rotary Club. Responsible for instituting Community Clean Up Days and the installation of Neighborhood Watch Signs for four consecutive years.

2023 Trudy Armstrong - Inducted for her outstanding leadership in the RB Community including RB Sunrise Rotary Club, SD North Business Chamber, Soroptimist of SD, RB High School Foundation, and RBBA.

2023 Charley Crew - Inducted for his outstanding leadership in the RB Rotary Club, as President, coordinated relief efforts during Witch Creek fire, partnered with P.E.O. to establish scholarships; chairs Youth Protection Program.

The Rancho Bernardo Hall of Fame

Celebrating 50 years, the purpose of the Rancho Bernardo Hall of Fame is to recognize persons who have rendered outstanding volunteer services that have contributed to the development and enhancement of the quality of life in Rancho Bernardo.

The idea for honoring residents who have made significant contributions was discussed initially in 1974. This led to the formation of a citizens' committee composed of representatives from RB organizations which developed the original criteria for the persons elected to membership in the first group, the 1974 honorees.

Membership is based on outstanding volunteer service and leadership in organizations designed to serve others in Rancho Bernardo, enhance the quality of life in RB, improve health or education in RB, or foster the civic or cultural life of RB - leadership that has resulted in significant contributions to the Rancho Bernardo Community.

2009 Marty Judge – Inducted for his outstanding leadership for the RB Annual Christmas Tree and Menorah Lighting, Rancho Bernardo's 45th Birthday Celebration, and COGG. Co-Founder of the Rancho Bernardo Business Association.

2011 Karen Rott – Inducted for her leadership on the RB Community Foundation and the RB Historical Society.

2012 Valerie Brown – Inducted for her involvement in RB United, RB Neighborhood Watch, and the Spirit of the Fourth.

2012 Steve DeMatteo – Inducted for his involvement in the Spirit of the Fourth, Kiwanis Club of Rancho Bernardo Activities Chair, and the Rancho Bernardo Community Council's Maintenance Assessment District.

2012 Tom Lettington – Inducted for his involvement in Rancho Bernardo Veterans Memorial Association.

2013 Marla Cruz – Inducted for her leadership skills with RB Tastings, RB Fire Safe Council, RB Alive Safety Fair, and Spirit of the Fourth.

2015 Shirley Black – Inducted for her leadership with the Rancho Bernardo High School Friends of the Library.

2015 Nancy Canfield – Inducted for her leadership with the Rancho Bernardo Historical Society.

2016 Dave Brooks – Inducted for his outstanding leader in Spirit of the Fourth, the RB Rotary, the Rancho Bernardo Community Foundation, and the Ed Brown Center for Active Adults.

2016 Scott Lawn – Inducted for his outstanding leadership in saving Webb Lake, in the Rancho Bernardo Business Association, and his service in the Rancho Bernardo Community Foundation.

2016 Jay Riordan – Inducted for his outstanding leadership in RB Sunrise Rotary, RB Community Council, Poway Center for the Performing Arts, and the Casa de las Campanas Board.

2017 Linda Gannon - Inducted for her leadership with the Rancho Bernardo High School Friends of the Library.

2017 Michael Vaughn - Inducted for his leadership with the Rancho Bernardo Veterans Memorial Association.

2018 Michael Farrell – Inducted for his outstanding leadership in Los Rancheros Kiwanis Club and throughout the community, benefiting everyone from youth to seniors.

2018 Eldon Jennings - Inducted for his outstanding leadership in the Rancho Bernardo Boy Scouts - Scoutmaster for 31 years, mentoring close to 90 Eagle Scouts.

Program

Welcome

Introduction of Sponsors & Special Guests Debbie Kurth

Dinner

Announcements & Door Prizes Debbie Kurth, Scott Lawn, & Dave Brooks

Introduction of Reed Reichert Jeff Shea

Reed Reichert Comments

Introduction of Gary Saks Charley Crew

Gary Saks Comments

Farewell Debbie Kurth

Officers

President.....	Debbie Kurth
Vice President.....	Scott Lawn
Secretary.....	Jane Radatz
Treasurer.....	Dave Brooks
Immediate Past President...	Robin Kaufman

Living Members of the RB Hall of Fame

1979 Sharon Purviance – Inducted for work in the Westwood PTA, RB Basketball League, Little League, Palomar Council PTA, and RB Junior Woman's Club.

1984 Michael Stelman – Inducted for work in RB Chamber of Commerce, RB Planning Board, Westwood Men's Club, Spirit of the Fourth Committee, Little League, and Pop Warner Football.

1985 Sheila Mahon – Inducted for work in Rancho Bernardo HOA, Swim and Tennis, RB Continuing Education Center, RB Planning Board, RB Community Council, Symphony on the Green, Lions Club, World Affairs Council, and the RB Easter Seals Committee.

1985 Eileen Haag – Received 'Special Honorary Award' for Contributions to the Community.

1992 Jim Abbott – Inducted for work on the RB Community Council and the RB Community Library Association.

1994 Tom Bilhorn – Inducted for work on the RB Planning Board and RB Community Library Association.

1994 Bob Fletcher – Inducted for work on RB Senior Services, RB Lions Club, Student Speakers Committee.

1995 Karen Johanson – Inducted for work on the Rancho Bernardo HOA, RB Recreation Council, Spirit of the Fourth Committee, RB Community Foundation, and RB Planning Board.

1996 Bruce Cornblum – Inducted for involvement in the RB Recreation Council, RB Sports Hall of Fame, Youth Soccer, Youth Basketball, Little League, and Pony League.

1996 Ramona Kiltz – Inducted for involvement in RB Soroptimists, San Dieguito Conservancy and RB Planning Board.

1998 Nick Anastopoulos – Inducted for his outstanding leadership in the RB Recreation Council, RB High School Foundation, RB Aquatic Foundation, and as a leader and coach in sports.

1999 Ron Wilson – Inducted for involvement in High Country West HOA, RB Planning Board, RB Little League, and RB High School Foundation.

2000 Ted Gaasch – Inducted for service on the Westwood Club Board of Directors, including President. Served on the Neighborhood Watch / Emergency Preparedness Board of Directors. Served on the Rancho Bernardo Community Council, including President. Served on the RB Community Foundation, implementing the defibrillator program for community centers.

2001 Vicki Touchstone – Inducted for involvement on the RB Planning Board, the Tree Advisory Board and the San Pasqual Visionary Task Force.

2002 Richard Belzer – Inducted for involvement on the RB Planning Board, Big Brothers and Sisters Program, and Member of SCORE.

2002 Larry McIntyre – Inducted for involvement as founding director of RB Chamber of Commerce, Founder, First President RB Historical Society, President Spirit of the Fourth, RB Community Foundation Board, and Co-Founder and President of the Rancho Bernardo Business Association.

2002 Joyce Tavrow – Inducted for her involvement in holding various offices on the RB Planning Board.

2003 George Cooke – Inducted for his work on the RB Transit Center, the RB Community Council, the RB Planning Board, the Sound Wall projects, and the Pedestrian Bridge in High Country West.

2003 Jane Radatz – Inducted for her leadership as Director of Seniors Helping Our Kids (SHOK), Chairman of the PPH Community Action Council, and President of the Joslyn Center.

2004 Robin Kaufman – Inducted for her leadership roles in RB Community Council, RB Recreation Council, RB Dog Park, San Diego Love on a Leash, and the RB Planning Board.

2005 Phyllis Comer – Inducted for her leadership in Seniors Helping Our Kids (SHOK).

2006 Steve Riddle – Inducted for leadership as co-founder of RB Chamber of Commerce, RB Foundation, Casa de las Campanas Board, COGG, and the Rancho Bernardo Business Association.

2006 Jim Roth – Inducted for his leadership in RB Chamber of Commerce, Bernardo Town Center Property Association, Blue Sky Community Foundation, Poway Center for Performing Arts, and the RB Sunrise Rotary.

2007 Don Gragg – Inducted for his leadership in Continuing Education Center, San Diego World Affairs Council and its North County Chapter.

2007 Jeff Shea – Inducted for his leadership in the Westwood Elementary Foundation, RB High Foundation Board, Kids Count Program, and the RB Kiwanis.

2008 Craig Brown – Inducted for his outstanding leadership in RB Chamber of Commerce, Poway Center for Performing Arts, and the First President and Board Member of the Rancho Bernardo Business Association.

2009 Gary Carlson – Inducted for his leadership in Neighborhood Watch, as well as Chair leadership for the Community Foundation's Pathway of Pride.