The Mill Wheel

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GREETER

✣ PP **Kim Jessup** served as Greeter today, offering the following as her Thought for the Day: *Democracy is a **slow process** of stumbling to the **right decision** instead of going straight forward to the wrong one*—**Anonymous**.

PRESIDER

✣ President **Ed Marshall** at the ready behind the bell.

The Four-Way Test

- **Is it the TRUTH?**
- **Is it FAIR to all concerned?**
- **Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?**
- **Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**

VISITORS

✣ A large group of members of the Mill Valley Chamber of Commerce accompanied Chamber Executive Director **Jim Welte** to to hear the Mill Valley City Council Candidate's Forum featured at today's meeting. Also, **John Poulson**'s better half, **Joan Steidinger**, accompanied him to Rotary today. There may have been others but since there is no sign up sheet, the staff of The

► City Council Candidates Forum: The candidates (from left, in back)—Incumbent Urban Carmel, Leah Curtis, incumbent Caroline Joachim, Katherine Jones and Mike Koo. In front, League of Women Voters members conducting the forum are (from left) Carol Inkwells, moderator Linda Deer and Caroline Silverstein. Use the link posted on page 3 if you want to watch the event. (Photo by Tom McKlveen)

VISITORS (Cont'd)

Mill Wheel was unable to ascertain their attendance.

CELEBRATIONS

✣ No birthday celebrations today.
✣ Past President **Kent Campbell** marked his 12th year as a Mill Valley Rotarian on October 9. Congratulations, Kent, and our thanks to you for your many contributions to the life of the club and to the community here in Mill Valley and around the world through Rotary.

GOOD TIMES

✣ Rotary Good Times only: **Tom McKlveen** reported spending some time working down at Rotary Corner on Terwilliger Marsh while PP **Kim Jessup** was putting in some volunteer hours

2024-2025
PolioPlus Society
MV Membership Roster
(Join Today—Pledge $100 per year to Polio Plus)

Lisán Campbell
Greg Dyer
Ed Marshall
Mel Matsumoto
Phil Richardson
Dick Spotswood
Elizabeth Suzuki
Michelle Terrell
Burnett Tregoning

2024-2025 TRF HONOR ROLL

✦ Foundation Chairs Greg Dyer and Phil Richardson are pleased to report the following Mill Valley Rotarians have contributed to the 2024-20245 Every Rotarian Every Year (EREY) Rotary Foundation Drive. They hope that you soon will add your name to the list.

Russ Burbank
Bob Canepa
John Carmichael
Greg Dyer
Howard Harker
Don Herzog
Kimberly Jessup
Caroline Joachim
Ed Marshall
Peter Mason
Tom McKlveen
Steve Miller
Stephanie Ricardo
Phil Richardson
Bob Roberts
Doug Scherf
Dick Spotswood
Elizabeth Suzuki
Burnett Tregoning
Annette Venables

GOOD TIMES (Cont'd)

at the Marin Food Bank. Joining Kim at a session during which they transferred cans of food to new locations were PP **Jane Hall**, **Frank Leidman**, PP **Elizabeth Suzuki** and **Jim Iavarone**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

✣ Community Service Director **Dennis Klein** is looking for more volunteers to help out at Strawberry Rec's *Scary at the Berry* event (see ad). Call him if you can help: **(415) 381-1750**. Also, Dennis called attention to the upcoming District 5150 Blood Drive event. Details on page two. Sign up today.

PROGRAM

✣ https://enjoymillvalley.com/rotary-club-of-mv-hosted-an-informative-city-council-candidate-forum-featuring-five-candidates-seeking-one-of-3-seats-on-the-council-mv-chamber-and-league-of-women-voters-provided-support/

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Jane Hall 10/7/08

Kent Campbell 10/9/12

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Richard Rider 10/1

Kimberly Jessup 10/10

Bruce Wrisley 10/12

Lisán Campbell 10/17

Annette Venables 10/22

Rita Sedano-Garcia 10/30

NEXT MEETING: It's Election Day…Lessons Learned

November 5: Our own **Dick Spotswood** will present: *It's Election Day in National Politics and Lessons Learned*. The status quo can change quickly. At the beginning of 2024, no political pundit could have predicted where we find ourselves today. It's been a year full of twists and turns. We'll take a closer look and see what's happened on the national stage during the past 10 months and why. Dick will then examine the short-term and long-term implications for the nation and the world depending on who wins the Presidency or which party controls the two Houses of Congress.

BRING A FRIEND—BUT VOTE FIRST!

POLIO JAR 2024–2025

GOAL: $1,000

TOTAL
$ 151.00

SERVICE FUND (GEO. HOYLE) 2024-2025

GOAL: $10,000

TOTAL
$100.00

ROTARY FOUNDATION 2024-2025

GOAL: $7,000

TOTAL
$3,575.00

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