

# THE SPOKE

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**DETECTIVE FOR THE MONTH OF JULY**

**Dave Pingnot** – Please share all your gossip and information with him.

**THIS WEEK:** Lori Decker, CFO of the Turlock Unified School District

**LAST MEETING:** Robert Nees of TID described the efforts to relicense Don Pedro through the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Getting to know your fellow Rotarian with  
20 questions

This week we interview.....**Scott MacDonald**

1. **What was your favorite childhood television program?** *Foghorn Leghorn*

2. **Are you a collector of anything?** *Just scars, other known as "Rugby Trophies"*

3. **If you could have any superpower, what would it be?** *Speed!*

4. **What is usually your first thought when you wake up?** *Newspaper!.*

5. **List 1 thing you wish you could change about yourself:** *Id like to get fitter and lose some weight*

6. **Any tattoos or piercings?** *Only "Rugby Trophies"*

7. **If you could live anywhere in the world, where would you live?** *A different place every month*

8. **What's your favorite song of all time?** *Amazing Grace*

9. **List 3 goals on your life's to-do-list:**

1. *Family – be the best husband and father I can be*

Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> Michael Sharpe of Hazard Management Services on the hazards of lead.

Aug 10<sup>th</sup> County Supervisor Vito Chiesa

Aug 17<sup>th</sup> District Governor Don Murphy

Aug 24<sup>th</sup> Ivan Clay, recently retired warden from the California State Correctional Facility at Jamestown.

Aug 31<sup>st</sup> Our own Kit Casey will give us an update on what's happening with the Turlock Community Theatre.

Sept 21<sup>st</sup> Doug Marks will share with us his latest adventure with the Iditarod races in Alaska.

Sept 24<sup>th</sup> **Annual Golf Tournament at Stevinson Ranch, Save the date!**

Sept 28<sup>th</sup> Bob Green of the Chowchilla Rotary Club will share with us the history of the Annual North/South Rotary All Star High School Football Game that he has been coordinating for over 25 years.

Oct 12<sup>th</sup> James Lyons of PIMCO will give us a perspective on the stock market and investment outlook

Oct 26<sup>th</sup> Rotary Career Day.

2. *Faith – Grow spiritually every day*

3. *Community – Make a positive difference*

10. **Name 1 regret you have:** *I wasted so much time when I was young with frivolities*

11. **Name 1 thing you love about being an adult:** *Travel*

12. **What's your favorite thing to do on a Sunday afternoon?** *Play with my kids*

13. **Do you have any hidden talents?** *Fly Tying*

14. **What would be your dream job?** *I am living it everyday*

15. **Name something many people may not know about you?** *I come from a family of 6 sons*

16. **If you HAD to change your first name, what would you change it to?** *Spartacus?*

17. **If you could have 3 wishes granted, what would they be?** *More wishes*

18. **Beer or Wine? What Kind?** *Gaya Barollo*

19. **What was your first job?** *Hoing weeds in a vineyard in 105 degree heat. Makes you want to get educated*

20. **What's your favorite thing about being a Rotarian?** *Fellowship and service*

**CrAZY ThOUghTs!**

Why is the man who invests all your money called a "broker"?

**July Birthdays**

July 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Roy Bethel
July 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tracee Storms
July 7 <sup>th</sup>	Bob Phillips

July 9 <sup>th</sup>	Jeffery Barton
July 9 <sup>th</sup>	Greg Meyers
July 12 <sup>th</sup>	Baron Bigler
July 12 <sup>th</sup>	John Lazar
July 16 <sup>th</sup>	Jim Fernandes
July 17 <sup>th</sup>	Robert Janzen
July 21 <sup>st</sup>	William Mayhew
July 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Charles Ahlem
July 23 <sup>rd</sup>	David VanWinkle
July 24 <sup>th</sup>	Dennis Brewer
July 25 <sup>th</sup>	David Pingnot
July 26 <sup>th</sup>	Roberta Anderson
July 27 <sup>th</sup>	Siena Wald
July 29 <sup>th</sup>	Mark Serpa