



## CLUB HAPPENINGS

### STOCKTON SUNRISE TRIVIA BEE

Stockton Sunrise Rotary staffed a team for the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual "Trivia Bee," sponsored by the Library and Literacy Foundation for San Joaquin County. The 3-member team consisted of Frank Johnston, Rebecca Moffitt, and (new member)



Jason Perisho. A color photo of our support group appeared a few days later in the local newspaper, The Record. Teams that participated in the foundation's 17th annual Trivia Bee answered an assortment of questions about "Wine, Women & Song," which was the selected theme this year.



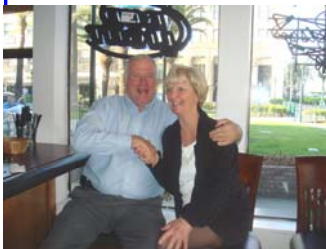
### NORTH STOCKTON DICTIONARIES

Acknowledging March as Rotary Literacy Month, North Stockton Rotary gave the gift of literacy by delivering approximately 1400 copies of "A Student's Dictionary" to Stockton Unified School District's third grade classes, including Special Day Classes. Sixteen SUSD Schools were involved including: August School, Bush School, Cleveland School, El Dorado School, Grunsky School, Harrison School, Hong Kingston School, Hoover School, Kennedy School, Kohl School, Madison School, Pulliam School, Rio Calaveras School, Stockton Skill School, Valenzuela School, Wilson School, Adams School, and Tyler School. This is the second year North Stockton Rotary has donated dictionaries to Stockton Schools.



### MERCED SUNRISE ROTARY MEMBERSHIP MIXER

Merced Sunrise Rotary is serious about finding new members. So serious, in fact, that they made a list of possible members and invited them to a mixer. Using a \$500 one time reimbursement from the District for designing and engaging in a membership development activity, they hosted 14 guests at an evening gathering at Fernando's Bistro in downtown Merced. Beverages and hors d'oeuvres were served and Club officers, including President Scott Crawford and PDG Bob Hobbs, spoke about the varied service of Rotary.



Several guests appeared at the next regular Club meeting and the Club has gained three new members as a direct result of the activity.



### TURLOCK ROTARY AUCTION—

On Saturday evening, April 4<sup>th</sup>, the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds was the setting for the Rotary Club of Turlock's annual auction, with the theme "Denims & Diamonds." As their major fund raising activity of the year, these auctions have netted the club well over one-half million dollars over the past 25 years. Over 150 Rotarians, spouses and guests were in attendance. The event consisted of a pre-dinner silent auction, a great barbeque dinner prepared by the Branding Iron of Ripon and an after-dinner oral auction. Pictured is President Dean Doerksen and the musical entertainment.

