the gladness of the season, which is hope, and the heart of the season, which is love." - An Irish Christmas Blessing Let's spread some holiday cheer! In the month of December, the Rotary Club of Saratoga is going to be very busy! o Collecting and delivering 120 warm coats, socks, blankets,

scarves, gloves, and hats to West Valley Community Services and the Sunnyvale Family Shelter o Purchasing holiday gifts for 60 people through the Family Giving Tree o Celebrating the season with Santa and Mrs. Claus at Washington Elementary

"May you be blessed with the spirit of the season, which is peace,

School in San Jose o Transporting gifts for West Valley Community Services and their Gift of Hope program from their office to a nearby church for distribution o Sorting and organizing gifts at a Family Giving Tree warehouse in Sunnyvale o And continuing to volunteer monthly at Martha's Kitchen and biweekly at WVCS Park-It-Market

My sincere thanks to those of you who help make our community stronger, Doing Good Together. I look forward to seeing you at our holiday party on December 17 for more memorable Fellowship time. Special thanks to Patti and Mike for inviting us into their

home for the holidays. Wishing you a very happy holiday season, Cathie

Stories

In SF, he met his first wife, Ann Coffey. They married in 1961 and had two children, Julie and Greg. Roy and his family moved to Saratoga in 1965. He was a member of Saratoga Federated Church, youth sports coach, Rotarian President and opened Roy Cook Realtors in 1973. During Roy's 44-year, real estate career, he sold more

Read more... **Introducing my Granddaughter** Posted by Bruce Hodgin This is my first grandchild since I joined Rotary in 2005. Lily

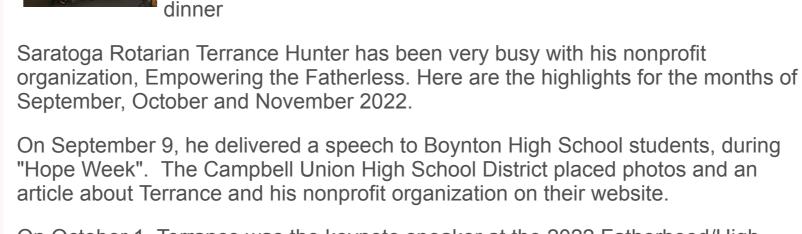
Konstantine Hodgin was born on Nov. 17th at 8:30 am and weighed 6 lbs, 5 oz.

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Posted by Verna Wong Photo, from left to right: Sebastian Bosco; Connie Hodgin; Saratoga Rotarians Terrance Hunter and Bruce Hodgin; Terrance's wife,

An Update From Terrance

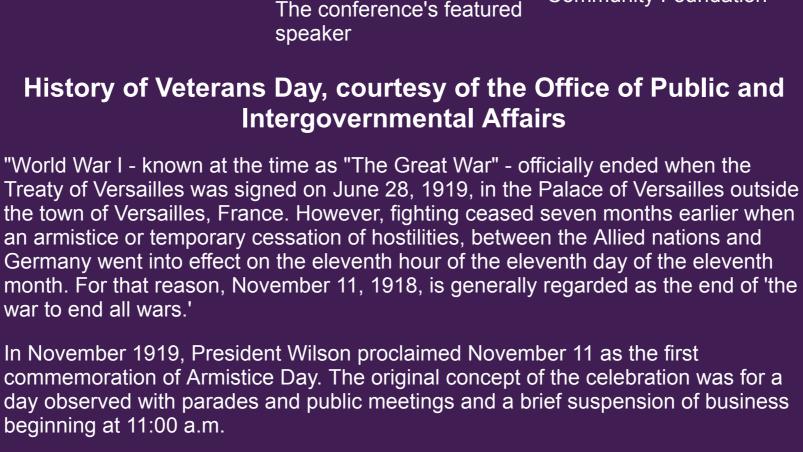
Cynthia at the Morgan Hill Community Foundation's annual awards

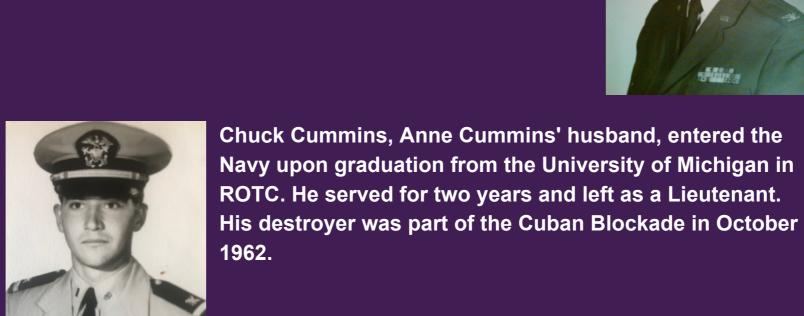


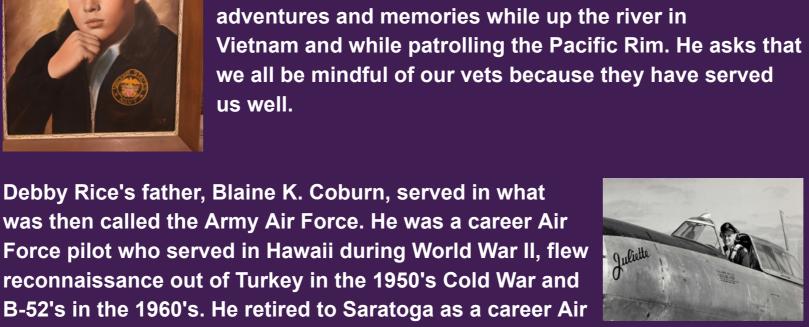
On September 9, he delivered a speech to Boynton High School students, during "Hope Week". The Campbell Union High School District placed photos and an article about Terrance and his nonprofit organization on their website. On October 1, Terrance was the keynote speaker at the 2022 Fatherhood/High Promise Families Conference. This conference was founded by the late Honorable

Sharon Chatman, who reached out to parents of individuals involved in the criminal

Terrance at "Welcome" Terrance receives sign of 2022 commendation and plaque Fatherhood/High Promise from Morgan Hill Families Conference Community Foundation









Mary Ellen Comport's oldest brother is a retired admiral who served in Vietnam. He



Please donate this 2022 year to maximize our club's DDF availability for next year's

we returned for dessert. What a nice group of friends! Don't forget to save the date for our Holiday Party on Saturday, December 17, at 6:00 p.m., at Patti Workman's house. Read more...

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Board of Directors Meeting Saratoga Fire Station Community Room Jan 10, 2023 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

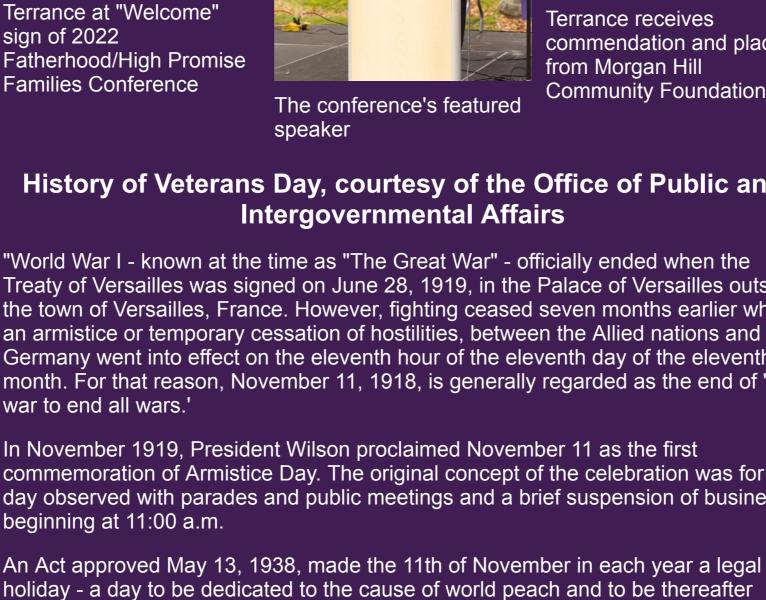
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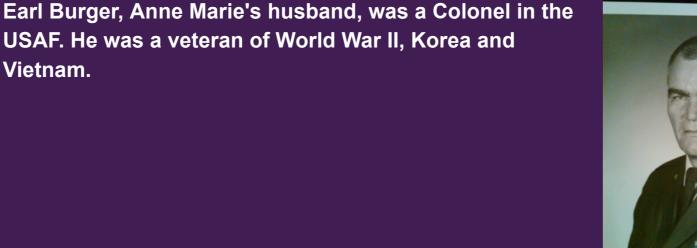
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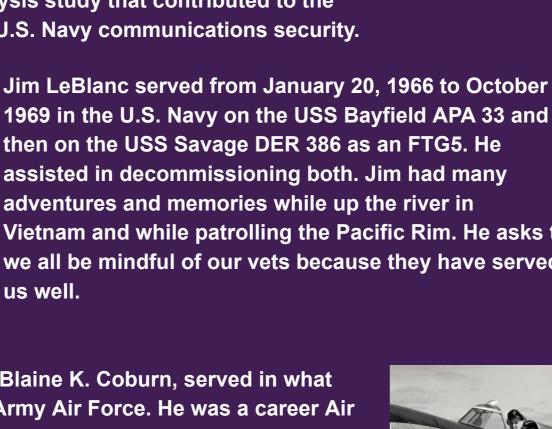
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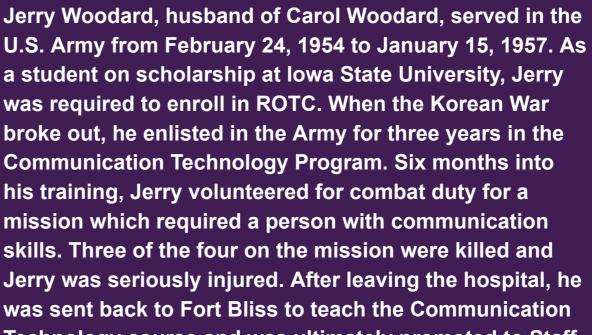
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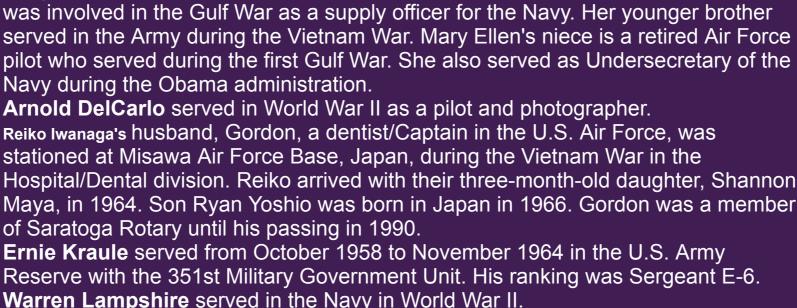
Remembering Roy Cook Posted by Greg Cook **ROY COOK OBITUARY** Roy W. Cook of Saratoga, CA passed on November 4, 2022, at age 88, from ampullary cancer. Roy was born on March 1, 1934 in Chouteau, OK. Roy's family moved to CA in 1936. At Colton High, he was the Student Body President and Captain of the basketball team, scoring 455 points and inducted into the Colton Sports Hall of Fame in 2015. In 1952, he accepted a basketball scholarship to UCLA. He served in the US Army from 1954-56, then earned a Master's degree from SFSU. than 1,000 homes in Saratoga.











Thank you in advance. Jim LeBlanc and Renee Pacquier Read more... <u>Halloween TGIF With Chili: Big Turnout!</u>

Martha's Kitchen - Food Prep Martha's Kitchen Jan 16, 2023 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM

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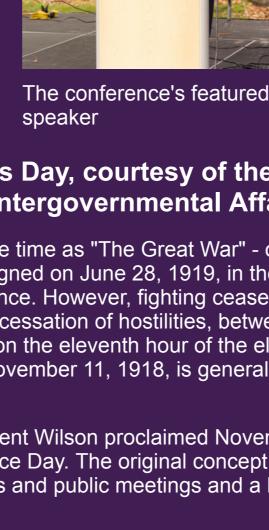
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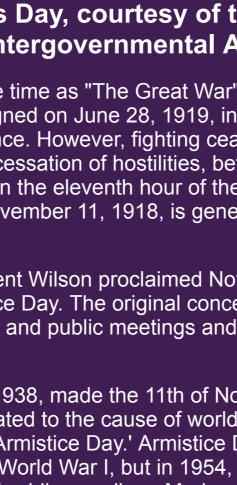
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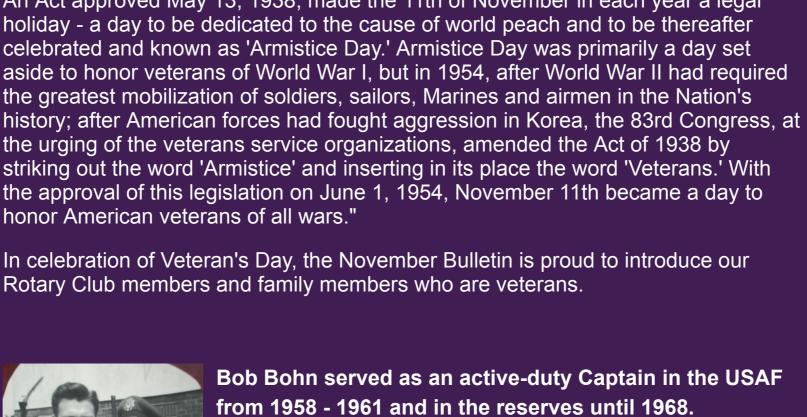
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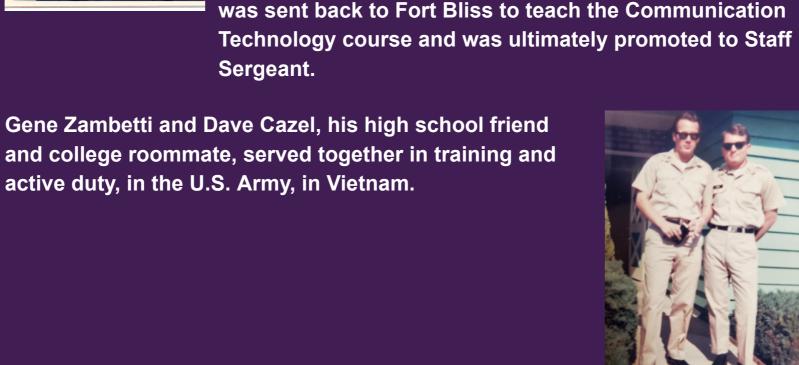




1965 and on active duty from 1966 - 1967. While on active duty, he was a Seaman First Class, serving as a **Communication Technician in Okinawa. The photo shows** Bruce being awarded for his participation in a special **COMSEC** traffic analysis study that contributed to the improvement of the U.S. Navy communications security. Jim LeBlanc served from January 20, 1966 to October 23, 1969 in the U.S. Navy on the USS Bayfield APA 33 and

Force Colonel.

Bruce Hodgin served in the Navy reserve from 1963 -



Bill Comport has two uncles who served in World War II.

Navy during the Obama administration.

This is an outstanding status.

projects.

Co-Chairs,

Posted by Marcia Hansen

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Jan 10, 2023

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Patti Workman's House

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Breakfast with Santa Packaging

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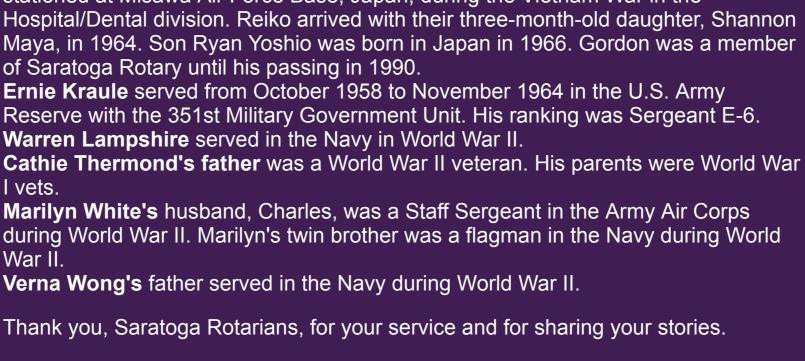
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Gordon Case served in the U.S. Navy Reserves from 1961 - 1965.



On October 28, over 40 Rotarians and their guests gathered at Sheree Williams' Willow Glen home for a spooktacular party. Sesh and Russ made delicious chili and everyone else brought appetizers and desserts. There were a few guests that showed up in costumes including Moe and Soheila as a cute cowboy couple and Chuck and Lori as the wolf and Little Red Riding Hood. Roger Austin came with two new friends and we got to meet DeAnna's charming husband. Even the District Governor showed up dressed as Raggedy Ann. In the middle of the party we grabbed our wine and strolled around for a few blocks to see Halloween lights. Then **Speakers**

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We should certainly count our blessings but we should also make our blessings

Sheeba Garg **Fellowship** Marcia Hansen

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Vocational Service

Immediate Past President

David Guidry

Youth Service Julie Herndon

Sangita Seshadri

Club Trainers: Larry Grace, Jack Hickling, Jim LeBlanc Information Management/Sergeant at Arms: Peter Marra

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