



## NEWSLETTER

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### MEETING, May 4, 2016

Rex had arranged for Scott, Pharmacist at the Jackson Walmart Pharmacy to be our guest speaker. He will be joining us again next month since he enjoyed our group and felt he learned a lot from us.

He's been a Pharmacist for 30 years and I think our members knew more than he did about the various meds for Parkinson's. He appreciated hearing how successful the new drug, Rytary, a few of our members are on, has been. (Sandy Johnson and Marcy Davidson). However it is very expensive. He was very nice and did give us some information on meds for nerve pain that might be helpful for those suffering.

Loretta and Ray baked could you please bring several "Parkinson's For Dummies" to our next meeting to give the new members? Thanks, Next meeting is at the Senior Center. Rex confirmed.

**Thank you Judy for the above report on last month's meeting**

### Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, June 7, 2016.

We will be celebrating everyone's birthday this month as well as having a guest speaker

The featured speaker for June's Meeting is Jerrod E. Sieberg a regional Senior Driver Ombudsman for the California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) since 1997. Mr. Sieberg will address the State Codes in California that determine whether Parkinson Patients are eligible to Drive.

He has over 18 years of experience with the DMV, which includes front line work helping customers, acting as an administrative manager (second in charge) in a public field office, conducting hearings for various reasons (DUI, too many points, Physical and Mental conditions, and Fraud), and training newer employees. As a Driver Safety Hearing Officer for over four years he has made contact with several people who were over the age of 65 for various reasons, developed a strong rapport with these customers, and made sure that if at all possible, they could continue to drive in the state of California. As a Senior Driver Ombudsman, his job now allows him to act as a "go between" for the people of California with a particular specialty in helping senior drivers.

**Thank you Ray & Loretta** for bringing us the two delicious cakes. One was no sugar, but you sure couldn't tell with a wonderful pineapple Cool Whip frosting.

This month's refreshments are brought to you by **Helen & Bill Hasford.**



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### June Birthdays

Marcy Crawford

*We wish you a very Happy Birthday and many more.*



### June Anniversaries

Mary & Gary Ables

Mona & Dave Harris

Patty & Don Payne

John & Lynda Logg

Darrell & Nancy Pulis

*Happy Anniversary to you and we wish you continued happiness in your partnership.*

Inge & Peter Speno

### **Member News**

We welcomed in two new members to our group last month< Sharon Davis from Volcano and Marcia Raabe from Pioneer. We hoped you enjoyed our group meeting and look forward to seeing you again this month.

Marcy Davidson had a successful DBS operation and we hope she is doing much better now with her on times.

Shirley Fleischman is now in Hospice care and has been given 30 – 60 days to live, but she keeps on fighting, she doesn't want to leave me alone.

We both want to thank everyone in the Parkinson group for all of your kindness and support over the years; we consider all of you as family.