

# Covina Rotary Club to Honor Dr. Richard Sheehan with a Paul Harris Fellow Award

**Covina** » A Paul Harris Fellow Award will be presented to Dr. Richard Sheehan, Superintendent of the Covina-Valley Unified School District on Monday, March 16th at 6:30 PM at the School Board Meeting.

Dr. Sheehan's vision for all students "Success for All", has guided CVUSD to bring Coding, dual language in Spanish and Mandarin and many other programs that will provide the skills needed for higher education and the workplace.

Dr. Sheehan's heart for the well-being of the students goes far beyond the educational world. When Dr. Sheehan sees a need, he takes action! Helping students get into college, making sure they have the needed supplies to do their best everyday, and checking in with students that need a little extra support is his specialty. His love for this community goes far beyond the school District. During the California Fires, he reached out to the staff, students, and parents, and the District raised over \$20,000 for the fire victims. This month Dr. Sheehan again held a fundraiser for Rotary to provide for our local Veterans



*Dr. Richard Sheehan, Recipient of Paul Harris Fellow Award*

and raised over \$11,000. *An unsung hero- Rotarian at Heart!*

Rotary International, through the local Rotary Clubs and with The Rotary Foundation's Paul Harris Fellow Award, honors individuals who take action by doing something now that will make a difference in a person's life.

The Rotary Foundation of the Rotary International receives contributions from generous Rotarians and other individuals and organizations to fund projects that improve lives of communities around the world, with its commitment to the eradication of polio and to provide clean water and sanitation,

access to health care, shelter box for disaster victims, and Roto-plast support. Last year, the Covina Rotary Club partnered with a Rotary Club in Brazil to fund and provide prosthetic eyes for low income children and adults who lack the resources to have the procedure performed.

In every respect, Dr. Richard Sheehan is very deserving of this honor and recognition from the Rotary International, through the Covina Rotary Club.

