

ROTAGRAM

WHITTIER ROTARY

VOLUME 102, ISSUE 6 | MARCH 8, 2024

FACEBOOK.COM/WHITTIERROTARY

WhittierRotary.org

Rotary.org



Yolanda Mares, Jerardo "Chris" Perez, Emillie Bermudez

ROTARY STUDENT SPEECH CONTEST

Rotarians, including special guest District 5320 Governor Roy Jefferson, were entertained and wowed by students in Whittier's annual speech contest today at the DoubleTree Hotel.

Yolanda Mares of Whittier HS took home first prize of \$100.

Jerardo "Chris" Perez of Whittier HS claimed second place and \$50.

Emillie Bermudez of La Serna HS took third place and \$25.

"How can my generation create hope in the world?" was the topic, and each contestant had an impressive take on the topic. "Create Hope in the World" is the Rotary theme for 2024

It was our honor to have parents, siblings and teachers of the competitors join us.

Thank you to Whittier HS coach Stephanie Krone and La Serna HS coach Eric Twisselman. Their support and encouragement help make this contest a highlight of the Rotary year.

DID YOU KNOW?

Grahamstown, South Africa, and Jackson Hole, Wyoming Rotarians provide water to 7,200 school students.

UPCOMING

Thursday, March 14
Rotary Social, location is a mystery until just the day before.

Friday, March 22, 12:15
Original Roadhouse Grill.

Friday, April 19, 6 PM
Bingo & Brew Fun-Raiser,
DoubleTree Hotel

BIRTHDAYS

Jeff Nickell, March 17

Erica Blair, March 21

Delia Morales, March 23

Maria Martinez-Poulin,
March 28

Marci Ellison, March 30

Rob Marin, April 28