

THE WALNUT LEAF

Rotary Club of Walnut Creek



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL
DISTRICT 5160 CLUB 465

2019-2020 Theme:

"Rotary Connects the World"

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Today's Program: Tim Argenti of Republic Services on "Garbage"



Thanks for bringing your donations of new unwrapped toys or checks payable to "Toys for Tots" for the annual WCPD toy drive!

Holiday Party, Boundary Oak, 5:45pm to 8pm, \$50 per person. Sign up with Tom Rockwell, and pay by cash or check to the "Rotary Club of Walnut Creek."

Paul Harris Matching Points Available: Get up to double your recognition points thanks to a 100 point match from **Tom Noble** for your donations of at least \$100 to the Rotary Foundation by December 17th.

Clunkers4Charity 925-326-5868: Help Rotary make a difference by donating your old vehicle (running or not) to this program run by the Clayton Valley Sunrise Rotary Club. They will make it easy for you! Be sure to tell them to credit the Rotary Club of Walnut Creek so we share in the proceeds.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

Tues Dec 10 Las Lomas High School A Capella signers "Dulcinea".

Tues Dec 17 No Meeting. Holiday Party at Boundary Oak, 5:45pm to 8pm. \$50 per person. Sign up now.

Tues Dec 24 and Tues Dec 31 No Meetings

Welcome New Member, Theresa Buhlman!

Theresa is a native Walnut Creek resident, and the Founder and CEO of SWAGR, LLC, a premium sports tickets business.

Prospective Member: Joy Okpa is a VP/Branch Manager for First Bank in Walnut Creek. She lives in San Pablo with her husband Chidi and their two children. She loves volleyball and played 4 yrs in college at Kansas. Please provide any comments to the Club Secretary.

November and December Birthdays: Don Willoughby, Jack Fischer, Rem Barnard, Theresa Buhlman, Al Sevilla, and Rod Uffindell. Gordon Fischer, Ivan Kerr, Tom Rockwell, Hari Boukis, Quent Alexander, Doug Switzer, Rich Fleming, and Gary Stein.

November and December Anniversaries: Trudy Cumming, Hari Boukis, Al Sevilla, and Mike Lommel. Jerry Benoit, Marcia Gerg, Ivan Kerr, and John McClintic.



**Rotary Club of Walnut
Creek Crab Feed Fundraiser
Saturday January 25, 2019
5:30pm at the Pleasant Hill
Community Center,
320 Civic Drive
Pleasant Hill CA**

“Roll Out the Red Carpet For Rotary”

Tickets on Sale Now. Every Rotarian is expected to buy at least 4 tickets. \$75 each. Buy online at <http://wcrotary.my-gala.com>, or at the meeting from **Marcia Gerg**.

Wine Barrel/Auction Donations. Each Member should please give \$40 in cash/check to **Gordon Fischer** to buy premium wine.

Live Auction and Silent Auction Donations: Start soliciting good silent auction donations. See **Scott Wilson** for Live Auction and **Dess Benedetto** for Silent Auction.

Volunteers Needed: See **Crab Feed Chair John Fenoglio** to help on the Committee. “Many hands make light work.”

Sponsorships Now Available. Please contact John McClintic jmccclintic@bamlaw.com 925-256-8200 to be a sponsor. Pay by credit card at <http://wcrotary.my-gala.com>, or by check to Walnut Creek Rotary Club Community Foundation. The sponsor levels are: **Bronze (\$250)** which includes an ad in the event program, and logo/name recognition in the video slide show during the event and on the event website. **Silver (\$500)** also includes 2 tickets to the event, 1 bottle of premium wine, and 5 raffle tickets. **Gold (\$1,000)** also includes 4 tickets to the event, 2 bottles of premium wine, and 10 raffle tickets. **Platinum (\$1,700)** also includes a Premium Seating Reserved table for 10; 2 bottles of premium wine; 1 Live Auction Raffle ticket (\$100 value), 20 wine barrel raffle tickets; a table sponsorship sign; and logo and name recognition in press releases.

Thanks to our 2020 Platinum Sponsors!

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