



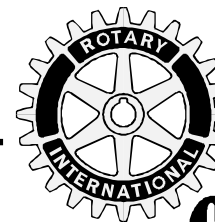
Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek  
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### Upcoming Events

Oct 5 Bavarian Bash—District 5160’s Annual Fundraiser for Rotary International.  
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Dixon May Fair Grounds. See Jim Schmidt for raffle tix (\$10 each), or to make a donation for the auction.

### Upcoming Meeting Programs

- Oct 15 Chris Gnanakone--Walnut Creek Rotary Wheel Chair Project in Sri Lanka
- Oct 22 Susan Belgard-- Brainstorming and Participatory Decision Making: Increasing Buy-in to New Ideas and Programs
- Oct 29 Mike Parness – Walnut Creek City Manager



# The Walnut Leaf

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### This Week’s Worker Bees

Presiding .....	Bruce Cockerham	Birthdays.....	
Team Captain .....	Bruce Johnson	Anniversaries.....	
Thought/Pledge.....	Tony Gourkani	Song Leader.....	Doug Goodrich
Guest Intro & Mic.....	Dick Mortensen	Bulletin Editor.....	John McClintic
Speaker Intro.....	Sharon Camandona	Next Bulletin Editor....	John McClintic
Set-Up/Take-Down.....	Fred Sheffler		
Ticket Sales.....	Marv Epstein		

THIS PROGRAM

**Today: IRS Special Agent Paul Camacho  
Money Laundering Investigations**

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\*\*\* NEW ROSTER PHOTOS \*\*\*

IT’S ABOUT TIME !!!! O.K.... O.K., I’ve finally found a few free moments to produce this year’s roster. I will be taking photos for the new roster over the next three weeks. Please get your hair cut now, so you don’t look too goofy for your photo. thx — Hari

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**CLUB NO. 4191  
ROTARY  
INTERNATIONAL  
DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

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*Sow the Seeds of Love*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Bavarian Bash—This Saturday, October 5, 2002 District 5160's Annual Fundraiser for Rotary International**

The 2002-2003 Rotary District 5160 Annual Fundraiser will be held Saturday, October 5, 2002 - 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Dixon May Fair Grounds, 500 S. 1st St., Dixon. Come enjoy a day of fun and fellowship with fellow Rotarians from throughout the District. Buy \$10.00 Rotary Foundation Raffle Tickets (Bonus: also receive credit towards Paul Harris Fellow and Paul Harris Sustaining membership). Donate/Participate in the Silent Auction. For more information, see **Jim Schmidt** (925-783-4897).

### **Fishing Clinic Volunteers Needed—Saturday October 5<sup>th</sup> at Borges Ranch**

**John Gardner** reports that Ranger Ron White is looking for volunteers to help with a family fishing clinic on Saturday, October 5th from 9am to noon at Borges Ranch. The program is limited to the first 20 families that sign up. We will be making bamboo poles for fishing bobber style for sunfish in the pond. He will be providing all needed material and bait. This is a lot of fun and a really worthwhile project.

Besides teaching the kids how to tie knots and bait their hooks, we will be teaching good fishing practices for conservation minded fishermen. Hopefully, not only the fish will get hooked on that day for a life-long experience. To volunteer, call Ranger Ron White at 942-0225.

### **Dinner and Program to Benefit Polio Plus: Featuring David Clark, 77-year old Sailor Who Circumnavigated the Globe at Rossmoor, Saturday October 12**

Rossmoor Kiwanis Club, Rossmoor Rotary Club and Rossmoor Yacht Club present David Clark the oldest solo sailor to circumnavigate the globe on Saturday, October 12th, in the Sierra Room at Del Valle Club House. Mr. Clark is a singled-minded sailor who conquered the sea single-handed and has a story to tell, not only for earning a place in the Guinness World Book of records as the oldest person to circumnavigate the globe (alone), in a boat, but much more. Music plays an important role in his presentation.

To think that one person, 77 years of age, was able to accomplish this feat and has a message of inspiration, determination, resourcefulness, humor, and overcoming fear. It is a universal message delivered in a way that unleashes a sense of possibility for anybody.

The festivities will start at 6:30 pm with an open bar, Dinner will follow at 7:30 pm

and the presentation will start at 8:30 pm. Back ground music will be provided during the cocktail hour. The cost for the evening will be \$22.00 per person. Reservations should be sent to Gene Wilson, 4444 Terra Granada Drive No. 1A, Walnut Creek, CA 94595. Please make checks payable to Rossmoor Rotary and note on your checks your choice of fish (Salmon), beef (Filet Mignon) or pasta. Those that wish to sit together must send checks for the entire group in one envelope.

The proceeds from this event will be donated to the Rotary International Polio Plus Program.

Please contact Gene Wilson Rossmoor Rotary 925-675-5258

### **Sunrise Rotary's Super Bowl Raffle**

The Walnut Creek Sunrise Rotary Club will have a drawing on December 10, 2002 to select the winner of a trip for two to the Super Bowl in San Diego, January 26, 2003. The winner will have 2 choice tickets to Super Bowl XXVII, and 3 nights stay in deluxe accommodations (two night prior and the night after the game). Raffle tickets are \$50 and may be obtained from any Sunrise Rotarian or by calling Bruce Hahn 932-4044; Tom Cranmer 933-1044; or PDG Bill Spalding 938-0700.

### **Has your personal information changed?**

If your mailing address, telephone or fax numbers, email address, or other personal information changes, please tell the Club Secretary, **Clint Collier**, so that he can keep our records up to date. Contact Clint at the meetings or by email to [clintc@rotarywc.org](mailto:clintc@rotarywc.org).

### **Get Your Rotary Announcements in the Bulletin:**

**Our regular publishing deadline is Sunday night.** You can phone your bulletin announcements to **John McClintic** by 9:00pm on Sunday to be sure to be included. Call John at 930-7352 and leave your message on the answering machine,



#### **NEW FEATURE ON WEB SITE FOR DIRECTORS**

The web site now has a feature that enables you to enter the team assignments for your month. You can, at any time after entering the information, return to edit or print out the assignment sheets. Also, you can, at any time, send the assignment information to your team members. The system will, the day before the meeting, email your team, along with other members in the Club, a reminder of the jobs for that meeting. See Hari for more information.