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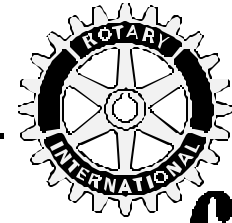
### Upcoming Events

Saturday, February 5, 2005, our Crab Feed Fundraiser. Buy Tickets, bring in your silent auction and live auction items and premium wine donations for the wine barrels, and signup to help at the Fundraiser now.

Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> Rotary International's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration dinner for District 5160, 6pm at the Concord Hilton.

### Upcoming Meeting Programs

For the latest "scoop" on upcoming meeting programs, visit our website and click on the link on the home page:  
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# The Walnut Leaf

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### This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding ..... Gill Bordenave  
Team Captain ..... Bob Morgan  
Guest Intro & Mic.....Pat Greathouse  
Thought/Pledge.....Bill Larmer  
Speaker Intro.....  
Set-Up/Take-Down.....  
Ticket Sales.....

Birthdays.....  
Anniversaries.....  
Song Leader..... Doug Goodrich  
Bulletin Editor..... John McClintic  
Next Bulletin Editor.... John McClintic

THIS PROGRAM

Today: David Gilbert, from the Department of Energy Genome Institute

Crab Feed Fundraiser February 5<sup>th</sup>

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CLUB NO. 465  
ROTARY  
INTERNATIONAL  
DISTRICT 5160

Chartered April 7, 1937

Glenn Estess Sr.  
International President

*Celebrate Rotary*

Mike Garver  
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Brian D. Thiessen  
District  
Governor Nominee

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Sharaon Camandona  
Carl Manna  
Doug Goodrich  
Jack Matkin  
Russ Anderson  
Bob Morgan  
Milt Smith

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Assistance League Project

**Tom Noble** announced that we will be able to paint the new addition to the Assistance League of Diablo Valley center during February. See Tom if you can volunteer to be on the paint crew. My Swedish grandma always said "Many hands make light work", so stick you hands up high to volunteer.

### For He's a Jolly Good Paul Harris Fellow...

Thanks also go to **Tom Noble** for completing his eighth (8<sup>th</sup>!!) Paul Harris Fellow recognition level. Tom received his new pin at our meeting January 18<sup>th</sup>.

### Crab Feed Fundraiser February 5<sup>th</sup>

### Buy Your Tickets Now

See **Pam Ramer** to buy your tickets. We want to have another capacity crowd of 400+ so **each member is encouraged to buy 4 tickets and bring friends to join us.**

### Table Sponsorships

There are two ways to "sponsor" a table. The first is to buy all ten seats and the sponsorship automatically is yours at no extra charge. The second way is to buy some of the ten seats and pay an additional charge of \$50.

### Auction Items

Start lining up donations for silent and live auction items for the Club fundraiser on Saturday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. See **Bob Morgan, Lu Hughes, Doug Goodrich, or Sharon Camandona.** When you have a donation, the Silent Auction Committee requests that you furnish the name and address of the actual

donor, if other than the Rotary member. For example: If a local restaurant donates a gift certificate and you, the member brought it in, then the Committee needs to have the information of the actual donor as well as the member. A report form is available from Bob or Lu.

### Premium Wine Donations for the Wine Barrels

Bring in your premium wine donations (2 bottles per member, \$15 per bottle value or up) for the wine barrel auction and the wine barrel raffle. This is one of the big fundraisers at the event, and these barrels always include some very good items. See **Russ Anderson or Fletcher Tyler.**

### The 2005 Crab Feed Fundraiser Team

Don't wait to be asked; volunteer to assist our Crab Feed Fundraising team. To find out how you can help, contact any of the following team members: Chairman, **Oscar Wu**; Administration, **Doug Goodrich**; Auction Checkout, **Layton Hansen, Tom and Chris Noble, Tom Rockwell**; Bar Service, **Allen Wesdorf**; Corporate Sponsorships, **John Milsap**; Dessert Auction, **Rick Mathews**; Greeters and Checkin, **Bruce Johnson** (needs 7 volunteers); Kitchen, **Les and Kathy Howard**; Live Auction, **Gordon Fischer and Doug Goodrich**; Silent Auction, **Bob Morgan, Lu Hughes, and Sharon Camandona**; Treasurer, **Jack Fischer**; Music and Sound, **Oscar Wu**; Program, **Clint Collier**; Publicity, **Jan Smith**; Raffle, **Lance Mendes**; Reverse Draw, **Al Sevilla**; Ticket Sales, **Pam Raumer**; Wine Barrels, **Russ Anderson and Fletcher Tyler**; Clean-up, **Andy Halperin.**

### Rotary 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Dinner, Wednesday February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6pm, Concord Hilton,

Join Rotarians from the 7 Diablo Valley area Clubs at a 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration dinner on Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Concord Hilton. Mike Kut-

suris Past Director of Rotary International 81-83 will be the speaker. The party starts at 6pm with no host cocktails, dinner seating is at 7pm with the program and dinner starting at 7:30. Please invite friends and family to this great "not to be missed" event. Dinner Tickets are \$50 each. Sponsorships are available for \$100 each.

### Rotary Dues Now Due for Members on the Jan 1 to Dec 31 Billing Cycle

For those of you on the January 1st to December 31st billing cycle, watch your mail for a your annual dues billing. Kindly remit payment as soon as possible to help keep the Club's finances current. If you have any question about which billing cycle you are on, contact **Hari Boukis.**

### Rotary Foundation Fun Day/Fundraiser April 30, 2005

The Rotary Foundation fun day and fundraiser will be held on April 30, 2005. Join Rotarians from throughout our District for a picnic and BBQ and celebration of another great Rotary year. Raffle and silent auction to benefit Rotary International.

### January Birthdays

Many happy returns of the day to the following Rotarians celebrating birthdays in January: **Bruce Cockerham, Tony Gourkani, Andy Halperin, Larry Hensen, Marty Larsen, Oscar Wu, and John Young.**

### Sunshine Committee

Help the Club send good will wishes and support for Rotarians and spouses recovering from surgery or

experiencing prolonged illness. Contact **Milt Smith.**

### 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, or fax to 925-945-8932, or email to johnm@rotarywc.org.

## RECENT CLUB INDUCTEES

Be sure to introduce yourself and welcome the following new members who have joined the Club during the past few months: **Kim Brandt**, owner of Diablo Books, **Matt Gheisari**, Aladdin Persian Rugs, **Saied Gorbani**, Gorbani & Associates, **Zach Sahar**, Capital