



Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek
 P.O. Box 4191
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Upcoming Events

Dec 17 Our Annual Club Holiday Party. See Barry Slavin to help organize this.
Jan 21 2007 Annual Reno Train Trip. See Randy Walker or Fletcher Tyler to sign up.
Feb 3 2007 Crab Feed Fundraiser

Upcoming Meeting Programs

Oct 31 -- Advertising Day
Nov 7 -- "Paul Fisher Day" We honor our friend and Past District Governor, Paul Fisher.
Nov 14 -- College Rivalry Day. Wear your school colors. Sing your college fight song. Bring something for the tailgate cooking demo/contest. Contact John McClintic 925-930-7352 johnm@rotarywc.org for info.
Nov 21 – Rotary Club of Walnut Creek Community Foundation
Nov 28 – New Village School in Afghanistan

*For the latest "scoop" on upcoming meeting programs, visit our website and click on the link on the home page:
www.rotarywc.org*



The Walnut Leaf

ROTARY CLUB OF WALNUT CREEK

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This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding	Clint Collier	Greeter.....	Christy Devoe
Director.....	Nestor Karas	Ticket Sales.....	Karen Horrigan
Team Captain	David Brilliant	Thought/Pledge.....	Rick Mathews
Meeting Setup.....	John Gardner	Song Leader.....	
		Guest Intro & Mic.....	Hari Boukis
		Birthdays.....	Mark

THIS PROGRAM

The Holocaust

NEXT WEEK

Advertising Day
 (Meeting Starts at 12:15pm)

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**CLUB NO. 465
 ROTARY
 INTERNATIONAL
 DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

- William B Boyd**
International President
- Lead The Way*
- Candy Pierce**
District Governor
- Stan Smalley**
District Governor Elect
- Clint Collier**
President
- Pam Raumer**
President-Elect
- Oscar Wu**
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- Hari Boukis**
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- Quentin Alexander**
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- Cathy Durfee**
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- John Gardner**
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**Show that Rotary Pride—Wear Your
Rotary Pins 24/7**

Don't keep Rotary a secret. Spread the word by wearing your favorite Rotary pin 24/7. We have lots of styles and sizes. Pres Clint is ruthless and relentless on this issue. Avoid a \$15 recognition fee for being caught naked without your pin.

Recognitions

Thanks to **Jack Fischer** for organizing this year's UC Berkeley-International House Agricultural Tour and BBQ. 41 graduate students from 15 countries participated. And thanks to **Jack, Tom Noble, Rod Uffindell, Jerry Benoit, Fletcher Tyler, and their spouses** for putting on a great BBQ.

Bob Travale has bought a ½ interest in two local sign shops and looks forward to serving us and the community.

Oscar Wu is back from a trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls, and Quebec City.

John McClintic and his wife Elaine enjoyed their recent trip to Ireland (quality control at Guinness, Bushmills, and Jamesons), and by luck were in attendance at the Queen's Theatre in London on the night when Les Miserables broke the world record for the longest running stage musical production of 21 years, previously held by Cats.

Belated thanks to **Oscar Wu** who donated two tickets to the Stanford/Arizona football game,

and thanks to **Nestor Karas** who bought them. Proceeds went to the Wheelchair Foundation project.

Paul Fisher Day—November 7th

The Club board of directors has named November 7th "Paul Fisher Day" in honor of our friend, past president, and past district governor. Paul and Lucy are relocating to Austin, Texas, but before they go we will have a special program to send them off in style.

College Rivalry Day—November 14th

Attention all Tailgate Chefs: Get in the spirit and prepare for the traditional college rivalry games at our regular meeting on November 14th. We will have hotdogs/hamburgers for lunch, and the Club members are invited and encouraged to demonstrate and provide "tastings" of their favorite tailgate recipes. Weather permitting; we will setup a "tailgate" section in the parking lot or on the patio for members to do their demo cooking on-site. And for all of the Club Members we will have prizes for the best wearing of the school colors, best mascot photo, and the best singing of the college fight song. The program will feature a video presentation celebrating some of the greatest rivalry game moments in college football history. Contact John McClintic 925-930-7352 johnm@rotarywc.org if you would like to help out with the planning for this special meeting.

Holiday Party, Sunday December 17th, Shadelands Arts Center

Our annual holiday party will be held Sunday, December 17th starting at 6pm, at the Shadelands Arts Center, 111 North Wiget Lane, Walnut Creek, CA. 94598. All Rotarians/spouses

are invited to attend. Tickets will be \$40.00 per person and go on sale Tuesday, 10-31-06. Contact **Bob Morgan** 935-0911 x204 if you would like to help.

Reno Train Trip January 21-22

We have 16 Club members already signed up for the annual Reno train trip with Rotarians from the entire Bay area. Space is still available but be sure to see **Randy Walker or Fletcher Tyler** right away to get yourself a spot. Deposits are due now.

Crab Feed Fundraiser, Saturday Night, February 3, 2007, Centre Concord

Pam Raumer reminds us to start planning for the 2007 Crab Feed Fundraising Event, scheduled for Saturday, February 3, 2007. Bring your wine donations to **Gordon Fischer** for the wine barrels (2 bottles per member, "premium wine"). And start lining up silent and live auction items.

District Fundraiser -- Raffle

Buy 5 raffle tickets for our annual District 5160 fundraiser. Not only will you have a chance to win fabulous trips and other prizes, you also be credited with having met you Paul Harris Sustaining Membership contribution for the year. Please see **Rem Bernard** 925-939-6209, remb@rotarywc.org.

-- Family Fun at Western Railway Museum, May 5th

Mark your calendars for this family-oriented event for Rotarians and their families. This will be a day of fun at the Western Railway Museum located on Highway 12 between Fairfield and Rio Vista. The event includes a

BBQ, train rides, silent auction, music, and fellowship. Information to follow at www.rotary5160.org.

-- Sundial Bridge Dinner Dance, Redding, June 30th

Mark your calendars for this "adult-oriented" dinner dance will ring out the old Rotary year and ring in the new. Experience the magic as the sun sets on one end of the bridge and the moon rises on the other. Information to follow at www.rotary5160.org.

New Members

Please welcome new members **Joe Stein**, Classification--Restaurant, **Karen Horrigan**, Classification--Promotional Products, **Ron Huppert**, Classification--Insurance, **Louis Ramirez-Agudelo**, Classification--Real Estate, and **Neeru Bhutani**, Classification—Financial Planning.