

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 Speaker: Judge Michael McCoy on "Our Constitution"

Thanks to everyone who attended and to those who participated in planning and making the 2020 Crab Feed a fun night of fundraising for our Community Foundation!

Among the Crab Feed attendees was 2013-2014 Past President and honorary member **Bob Romero**, visiting us from Houston. Bob is currently organizing two LN-4 artificial hand distribution projects, one in Casino Espanol Cordoba, Veracruz, Mexico on March 15, and another in Pucallpa, Peru, on June 13. Contact Bob at romero0425@aol.com or 925-457-4291 for more information on these events.



Bob also joined **Jerry Benoit** in Monday's Meals on Wheels deliveries. Fifteen years ago Bob encouraged our Club to get involved with this terrific community program which delivers meals to seniors

on a daily basis. Our volunteers serve one day a week, and several of our members have participated over the years. If you would like to join in, please contact **Jerry Benoit**.

Prospective Member: Katie Valdez is proposed for membership. Katie is a realtor with Dudum Real Estate Group in Walnut Creek. Katie and her husband Jonny Emlen live in Walnut Creek. Please provide any comments to the Club Secretary.



Paul Harris Fellow Recognitions #7 and (yes) #9 awarded to Bruce Johnson on January 14.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

Feb 4, Katie Cooney, from inKynd, a philanthropic marketplace that unites donors and buyers with millions of causes, campaigns, and non-profits

Feb 11 Joanna Grossman, The Walnut Creek Education Foundation

Feb 18 Rovy Antonio, New statewide rent control law

Feb 25 TBA

Mar 3 Fire Chief Lewis Broschard, on the October 27 Statewide wind event which caused many fires in Contra Costa County

Mar 10 TBA

Mar 17 Ed Del Beccaro, on general commercial business real estate development in Walnut Creek present and future and specifically on the 5G loop at Bart and the Shadelands and plans to integrate that into future development.

Save the Date!

CELEBRATE VALENTINE'S DAY AND SUPPORT ROTARY

FRIDAY, February 14th, 2020

at the Clarion Hotel, 1050 Burnett Ave., Concord

Mark your calendar for our **2nd Annual Dinner-Dance & Auction Party!** 2019's Valentine Party was such a success, we're doing it again! A great menu, a fun program at an affordable price, and support for some very deserving Rotary programs, locally as well as internationally.

Stay tuned for updates as our event gets closer — for now, just reserve the evening!

IMPORTANT – All funds raised during the "Fund a Need" portion of the Live Auction will be donated to the RotaCare.

Looking forward to a great evening together!

*Your Concord Rotary
Love Fest Committee*



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LOVE FOR ROTARY**

