The Walnut Leaf

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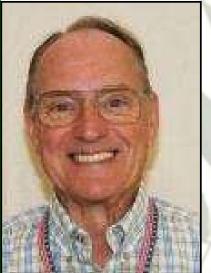
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Today's Meeting is ZOOM and Live Contact President Peter for speaker info

See page 4 for instruction on Zoom meetings.



Goodbye good friend

Sadly we receive word that Luman Hughs, Lu, a long time member, he joined our club in 2003, passed away last Tuesday. Lu was a retired OB/GYN doctor and was a moving force in the foundation of the Rotary sponsored Rotacare project in Concord. An always friendly presence at our meetings in the pre-pandemic era when he was

always volunteering for whatever the current project seemed to be. He will be missed by all of us who appreciated that spirit. His family has indicated that a tribute to Lu and his life will take place sometime in September.

Demotion, Demotion

It is time to say goodbye to Peter the Great!

- What: our annual demotion party
- When: Tuesday July 12th at 5:30 pm.
- Where: Sugarloaf Open Space

Rotary Round-Up!

Awards & Installation Dinner Saturday, July 16,

Rolling Hills Casino, Corning, CA As we're closing in on the end of this Rotary year, it's time to celebrate our accomplishments and have a little fun! Plan to join us for the District 5160 Rotary Round-up. Rotarians far and wide across our district will ride gallantly on horseback across rivers and valleys making their way to Corning for the 2022 Awards & Installation dinner on Saturday, July 16th. Prefer an RV as an alternate mode of transportation? You're in luck! The hotel not only has special rates for rooms, but they have a super deal on RV spots. Space is limited - call the hotel for details. What will be happening Saturday night?

- Club and Member Awards for the 2021-2022
- Year Installation of YOUR 22/23 Presidents
- A LOT of fun, belly laughs, and great friends

Arrive early in the day and you can ride along on the pre-party tour/tasting at the Brewery/Distiller (\$12/person). Keep the party going with a no-host cocktail and social hour at 5:00 pm. (\$10 corkage fee if you bring your own wine) Dinner starts and 6:00 pm. Time to connect, laugh, and enjoy delicious food. 7:00 pm. Awards ceremony and installation celebration. Ate too much? Work it off with After-Party Square Dancing with Paradise Rotarian Donn Thompson - a professional square dance caller.

When you've swung your partner 'til you can't do-si-do anymore, lay your

head to rest in one of the Casino's comfy hotel rooms.



The 4-Way Test

of things we do and say:

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Join the Fun...Happy Hour

Every other Thursday at 5:00 PM members of the club, friends and guests gather at the Bay Club (2805 Jones Road Walnut Creek) to celebrate the almost conclusion of yet another week. Drinks, nibbles and conversation all flow. There is free parking in the garage adjacent to the entrance (until the valet parking is back)!

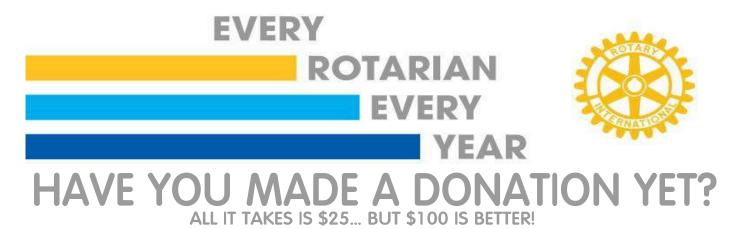
Want to join us? All you have to do is show up. Contact Darren Kelly for information.



Other Clubs... ..and activities you may be interested in!







Live Meetings

Members now have the choice of joining our meetings on zoom or attending the live meeting at Heather Farms Garden Center. If you choose to attend the live meeting you can pre-order your lunch (catered by Sunrise Bistro).

Choices for lunch are shown on the next page

If you want to order a lunch, please email your order to **John McClintic** at jmcclintic@bamlaw.com

or leave voicemail at 925-256-8200.

Be sure to specify your desired "Selections" from the menu if you are ordering the Sandwich Box or Salad Box. Bottled water is included.

Orders must be received no later than noon, Friday preceding the meeting.

Your meal is included in the \$23 live meeting charge for diners.

"No-shows" will be charged the full \$23.

The meeting charge for non-diners attending live is \$10.

Zoom Meetings

Want to join us by Zoom? The Zoom session starts at 12:20pm so members can gather and chat before the meeting officially opens at 12:30pm.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3315080026

Meeting ID: 331 508 0026

Local dial-up audio numbers:San Jose 1.669.900.9128 or

Houston 1.346.248.7799.

Lunch Choices Catered by Sunrise Bistro

BOX LUNCHES

Sandwich Box

Made with our Herbed or Whole Wheat Breads Includes Potato or Pasta Salad, Lemon Bar, Brownie or Chocolate Banana Bread (Chef's Choice)

Selections:

Turkey - Turkey & Cranberry - Ham - BLTA
Tri Tip & Caramelized Onions - Cashew Chicken
Salad - Tuna Salad - Egg Salad
Vegetarian: Herbed Cream Cheese, Avocado, Carrots,
Beets, Cucumber, Tomato & Sprouts
Roasted Veggie: Roasted Veggies with Tomato Basil
Pesto Spread
Vegan: Hummus, Avocado, Carrots, Beets,
Cucumber, Tomato & Sprouts



Salad Boxes

Include Fresh Roll, Butter, Lemon Bar, Brownie or Chocolate Chip Banana Bread (Chef's Choice)

Selections:

Cobb (GF) - Thai Chicken, Cashew Chicken Salad (GF) - Chicken or Flaked Salmon Caesar's Goddess -Greek - Chicken & Roasted Vegetable (GF) -Edamame & Avocado Quinoa (GF)



** (GF) (Vegan) Includes Piece of Fresh Fruit & Chia Seed Pudding ** Mariposa Gluten Free Bread

SPECIALTY BOXES

Cindy's Special Box

Grilled Mary's Chicken Breast, Roasted Vegetables, Sweet Potato, House Salsa, Fresh Baked Roll, Brownie or Lemon Bar (Chef's Choice)

Tahini Lentil Bowl

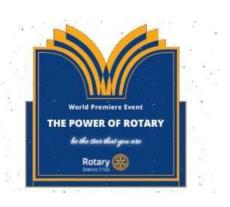
Roasted Caulflower & Broccolini, Charred Red Onions, Lentils, Baby Chard & Kale, Toasted Seeds, Herbed Lemon Tahini Dressing, Fresh Baked Roll, Brownie or Lemon Bar (Chef's Choice)

Paleo Box (GF)

Grilled Mary's Chicken Breast, Roasted Vegetables, Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Fresh Fruit & Nuts

District Conference

Monterey is getting ready to welcome us on October 28-30, 2022 - the high-season along the California coast - for our live and in-person District Conference celebrating The Power of Rotary. Our sto-



ry. Our way. Working directly with hotel and visitor center staff, our District Conference Committee, lead by Colleen Knight (Brentwood) and Dave Dacus (Fairfield-Suisun), is working overtime to ensure an experience none of us will forget. New details and surprises are being added to our Conference website regularly. Check it out at conference.rotary5160.org. Other activities that have limited capacity include Thursday golf (\$140) and a special Friday night Hollywood themed party with stunning 270 degree views of the bay (\$25). Details are on the District Conference website.

- Regular Registration \$225 through August 31, 2022
- Late Registration \$250 September 1

Full-package pricing includes all the great speakers and sessions you've come to expect from a District conference.

Not to be missed!

Coming meetings & events...

July 12: Demotion of Peter the Great! Sugar Loaf 5:30. October 27-30: District Conference, Monterey

Past copies of The Walnut Leaf

Past copies of the Walnut Leaf for President **Peter's** term can be found at:

https://www.dropbox.com/sh/9nr3398euvrz4zo/AACaJd1tHoXzvMUSF4guDSyCa?Dl=0

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