The Walnut Leaf

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Today's Meeting Demotion Party!

New President Gary's inaugural meeting. What's in store for the coming year?

See the new Zoom login on page 4!

- 1) The District 5160 team is looking for a Membership Ambassador to represent the DV-8 Clubs. The leader of that district committee is Marsha Brown. If you want to take a role in Rotary leadership at the district level this is a great opportunity. Most of the "jobs" only last a year or two so it's nothing like being Club President! And you get to keep having fun as a leader. :) Let me know if you are interested or if you nominate someone from your club. Our DV8 clubs need to be represented in this district membership group.
- 3) We are confirmed for the District Governor and Zone Director visit for the joint DV-8 Clubs on Sunday, September 25th. Location at Walnut Creek Sugar Loaf is confirmed and I am also looking for a back up location in case it is too hot, smokey, who knows what else! Please put the date in your club calendars/newsletter, start making this announcement and if anyone wants to make up a flyer for it let me know!



White Pony Express



















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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.



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://us06web.zoom.us/j/84410765063?pwd=dVBnK1hPV3NhcStWaitqUTU0YXdEQT09

Meeting ID: 844 1076 5063 Passcode: Rotary

Local dial-up audio numbers: San Jose 1.669.900.6833 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...

September 25: District Governor visit DV8 October 27-30: District Conference, Monterey

Past copies of The Walnut Leaf

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

https://www.dropbox.com/sh/d6bdpnuoeqb8228/AACMe 379qHQXkUvb7MCtmwcga?dl=0

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