The Walnut Leaf

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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.

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
- Cost: \$40/person

Sign up now by turning in your payment or confirming with Marcia Gerg via e-mail.

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.

Thanks for all you do Trudy!



Clint Collier was the winning bid at the latest "hat auction" held by Pres. Peter. He paid it forward by giving it to Trudy Triner in recognition of all the volunteer work she does for Rotary and the club.

New Team Roster.

President elect **Gary Stein** has announced the new team line ups for the coming 20-22-23 Rotary year.



- 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?

2022-23 Team Roster

Team 1 Jul/Jan	Team 2 Aug/Feb	Team 3 Sep/Mar
Abraham, Prem	Kelly, Darren	Justilien, Alain
Alas-Hemphill, Carolina Camarena, Rose Cumming, Trudy Epstein, Ruth Marshall, Drew Mendez, Adrian Renette, Jean Willoughby, Don	Alexander, Quent Benedetto, Dess Collier, Clint Gerg, Marcia Kolka, Larry McClintock, John Robinson, Nai Rockwell, Tom	Anderson, Ken Barnard, Remson Boukis, Hari Crandell, Kevin Fischer, Gordon Guichard, Matt Larsen, Marty McKay McCoy, Michele
Yeh, Bryan Team 4 Oct/Apr	Triner, Trudy Team 5 Nov/May	Wu, Oscar Team 6 Dec/Jun
Benoit, Jerry	Mendez, Lance	Jason Callen
Anderson, Russ Buckshi, Dan Fischer, Jack Gardner, John Kohn, Peter Pasol, Tony Sevilla, Al Stowell, Jennifer Tyler, Fletcher Webb, Sabine	Azevedo, Mary Buhlman, Theresa Devoe, Christie Fleming, Rich Lile, Karen Linscheid, Bob Noble, Tom Smith, Milt Switzer, Doug	Durfee, Cathy Ford, Ted Hansen, Layton Kerr, Ivan Smyers, Jesse Uffindell, Rod Wetter, Ron Wilson, Scott Youngman, Walt
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Dedicated	to Doing Go	od Together

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Rotary

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)!

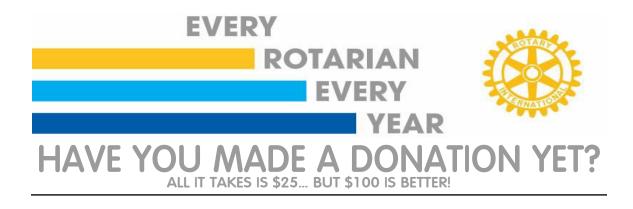
Want to join us? All you have to do is show up. Contact Darren Kelly for information.



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



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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.

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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

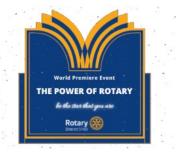
Roasted Caulflower & Broccolini, Charred Red Onions, Lentils, Baby Chard & Kale, Toasted Seeds, Herbed Lemon Tahini Dressing, Fresh Baked Roll, Brownie or Lemon Bar (Chef's Choice)

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 highseason 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. July 16: Rotary Roundup awards dinner. 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:

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