Today’s Meeting
Dr. Krushangi Patel
Modern Cancer Care

Officers for 2023-2024
President Gary Stein has the following nominations to present as required by our by-laws.
Our President Elect Nominee is Marcia Gerg. Three Board members are leaving the Board because their term will be expiring at the end of June 2023.
Prem Abraham, has gladly agreed to remain on the Board of Directors for another 2 year term, and Ken Anderson and Ivan Kerr have been nominated to take the remaining 2 Board positions. These nomination have now been published in The Walnut Leaf for 3 consecutive weeks and are ready to be voted upon.

New Teams for 2023-2024 Announced!
See Page 3 to find out which team you have been assigned to!

Community Service Day.
Walnut Creek will be holding its annual Community Service Day in October (the 14th). Rotarian Jesse Smyers will be coordinating our participation in this event. Want to help, be involved? Contact Jessie.
Bocce Ball Challenge.  
**PE Gordon Fischer**  
Are you ready to start rolling the bocce balls? Saturday May 13th is our District 5160’s 13th Annual Bocce Ball Challenge. We have four teams:

- **The Walnuts**
  - Jerry Benoit
  - Chris Benoit
  - Gordon Fischer
  - Vicki Fischer

- **Cyclones**
  - Trudy Cumming
  - Layton Hansen
  - Marcia Gerg
  - Ivan Kerr

- **Diablos**
  - Clint Collier
  - Bev Collier
  - Tony Pasol
  - Katie Pasol

- **Locusts**
  - Peter Kohn
  - Jason Callan
  - Trudy Triner
  - Betsy Yuan
  - April Sun

ready to hit the courts. Registrations starts at 9:30 and the first games start at 10:30 with a Round Robin consisting of three games in two shifts. Winners of the Round Robin go on to play the Single Elimination Tournament starting at 2:00. The Championship game will start at 4:10. Coffee and treats will be served in the morning with lunch in the afternoon. There is no cost to participants, only your time to have fun. If you have not signed up yet but interested in participating let me know.

**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 fortnight of Rotary. Drinks, nibbles and conversation all flow. There is free parking in the garage adjacent to the entrance (until the valet parking is back)!

Contact **Darin Kelly** for details and to see if this is a meeting week.

**Rotarians and books!**

A group of Walnut Creek Rotarians gathered together this past Friday at Betsy Yuan’s to assemble books in bags for the children in her EmpowerMe Packs program.

**Coming meetings & events...**

- May 13: District Bocce tourney
- May 16: Jim Pope CA ISO
- May 23: Ernesto Avila, President CCC Water District
- May 27-31 RI Convention,
  Melbourne, Australia
- May 30: Erna Grasz,
  CEO Asante Africa Foundation
- June 13: Cindy Silva State of the City
- June 27: Lisa Mistry Ghatala
  Ayurvedic Medicine Benefits
- June 27: Demotion party @ 5:30pm
- July 4: Holiday: Dark!
- July 8: Rotary Academy Awards.
  2023-24 Installation Gala
We say goodbye to an old friend...

2023-2024 Team Assignments

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Live Meetings

Members now have the choice of joining our meetings on zoom or attending the live meeting at Heather Farm Lakeside Room, 301 N San Carlos Drive. 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.

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.
Next week - 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 Cauliflower & 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