



Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek
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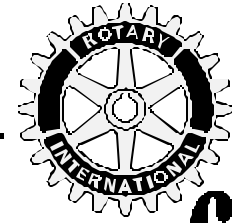
Upcoming Events

Saturday, December 11th, our Holiday Party,
Palmer School, 5pm to 9pm.
Saturday, February 5, 2005, our next Crab Feed
Fundraiser. Buy Tickets, and bring in
your silent auction items and premium
wine donations for the wine barrels now.

Upcoming Meeting Programs

Dec 7 Rick Holiday, Real Estate Development
Dec 14 No meeting; attend the Holiday Party
Dec 11th
Dec 21 Choir and Holiday Music
Dec 28 No Meeting. Happy New Year!

For the latest "scoop" on upcoming meet-
ing programs, visit our website and click
on the link on the home page:
www.rotarywc.org



The Walnut Leaf

ROTARY CLUB OF WALNUT CREEK

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This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding	Gill Bordenave	Birthdays.....	Ursula Behiel
Team Captain	Ursula Beheil	Anniversaries.....	
Guest Intro & Mic.....	Stan Hill	Song Leader.....	Doug Goodrich
Thought/Pledge.....	Alex Lommel	Bulletin Editor.....	John McClintic
Speaker Intro.....	Gill Bordenave	Next Bulletin Editor....	John McClintic
Set-Up/Take-Down.....	Jack Matkin		
Ticket Sales.....	Valerie Ridgers		

THIS PROGRAM

Today: The Tournament of Roses Parade

Holiday Party, Saturday December 11th,

Palmer School, 5pm to 9pm

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**CLUB NO. 465
ROTARY
INTERNATIONAL
DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

Glenn Estess Sr.
International President

Celebrate Rotary

Mike Garver
District Governor

Brian D. Thiessen
District
Governor Nominee

Gill Bordenave
President

Oscar Wu
President-Elect

Jack Fischer
Immediate Past President

Hari Boukis
Secretary

Quentin Alexander
Attendance Secretary

Marvin Epstein
Treasurer

Jack Matkin
Sergeant At Arms

John Gardner
New Member Coord.

Hari Boukis
Webmaster

John McClintic
Bulletin Editor

Directors
2004-2006
John Milsap
Remsen Bernard
John Young
2003-2005
Gordon Fischer
Tony Gourkani
Pam Raumer

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Jack Fischer
Gill Bordenave
Oscar Wu
Jim Campana
Rod Uffindell
Sharaon Camandona
Carl Manna
Doug Goodrich
Jack Matkin
Russ Anderson
Bob Morgan
Milt Smith

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holiday Party, Saturday December 11th, Palmer School, 5pm to 9pm

See **Mike DeMeo** to volunteer to help with your annual Holiday Party.

The 2005 Presidential Dinner, Monday, January 3, 2005

Honoring Rotary International President Glenn E. Estess, Sr.

This year's dinner is at the Hyatt Regency Sacramento, 1209 L Street, Sacramento, California ,6:00 p.m. – No Host Reception, 7:00 p.m. – Dinner, \$45 per person · Black Tie Optional Reserved Seating. For a reservation form, download at www.rotary5160.org, or call (916) 443-1433 or email: jenifer@rotarysacramento.com

Rotary Reno Train Trip January 23-24

You can still sign up with **Randy Walker** for this annual fun trip with Rotarians from all over the Bay Area. \$215 single occupancy, \$205 double occupancy.

Crab Feed Fundraiser February 5th

Tickets Are on Sale Now

See **Pam Raumer** to buy your tickets. We want to have another capacity crowd of 400+ so each member is encouraged by buy 4 tickets and bring friends to join us.

Auction Items

Start lining up donations for silent and live auction items for the Club fundraiser on Saturday, February 5th. See **Bob Morgan, Lu Hughes, or Doug Goodrich**. When you have a donation,, the Silent Auction Committee requests that you furnish the name and address of the actual donor, if other than the Rotary member. For example: If a local restaurant donates a gift certificate and you, the member brought it in, then

the Committee needs to have the information of the actual donor as well as the member. A report form is available from Bob or Lu.

Premium Wine Donations for the Wine Barrels

Bring in your premium wine donations (2 bottles per member, \$15 per bottle value or up) for the wine barrel auction and the wine barrel raffle. This is one of the big fundraisers at the event, and these barrels always include some very good items. See **Russ Anderson**.

Rotary Foundation Fun Day/Fundraiser Rescheduled for April 30, 2005

The Rotary Foundation fun day and fundraiser will be held on April 30, 2005. Join Rotarians



from throughout our District for a picnic and BBQ and celebration of another great Rotary year. Raffle and silent auction to benefit Rotary International.

Rotary International Convention, Chicago June 18-22, 2005

Travel via Train. Join District 5170 Rotarians and take a 3 day / 2 night train ride to Chicago on the California Zephyr and fly home after the Convention. Coach Seats \$299 per person, Standard Sleeper \$549 per person, and Deluxe Sleeper \$799 are available. District Governor Mike recommends Deluxe Sleeper, and will be traveling both ways via the train. Contact Howard Tours

for info 510-834-2260, or Rotary@howardtours.net.

Hotel Reservations. RI recommends that individual Rotarians looking for hotel reservations contact "One-Stop Chicago", the housing bureau, as the best source for downtown hotel reservations. The hotels do have rooms remaining, but can not accommodate requests for large blocks of rooms any longer. The telephone number provided for One-Stop Chicago is 1-847-282-2529. For those traveling as a group, the best option is to search for hotels in the O'Hare airport area. There will be shuttle transportation to the convention locations downtown. There are some very fine op-

tions in the \$129-\$169/ night range at O'Hare, including a Hyatt (\$169), Sofitel (\$169), Embassy Suites (\$140, including breakfast), Westin (\$154), and Holiday Inn and Best Western (\$129/\$139).

November Birthdays

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians celebrating birthdays in November: **Joe Anthony, Les Howard, Jack Fischer, Fred Scheffler, Rem Barnard, Al Sevilla, and Rod Uffindell.**

November Anniversary

Congratulations to Al and Cindy Sevilla, the only Rotarian and spouse celebrating their wedding

anniversary in November:

Sunshine Committee

Help the Club send good will wishes and support for Rotarians and spouses recovering from surgery or experiencing prolonged illness. Contact **Milt Smith**.

Get Your Rotary Announcements in the Bulletin:

Our regular publishing deadline is Sunday night. You can phone your bulletin announcements to **John McClintic** by 9:00pm on Sunday to be sure to be included. Call John at 930-7352 and leave your message on the answering machine, or fax to 925-945-8932, or email to johnm@rotarywc.org.

RECENT CLUB INDUCTEES

Be sure to introduce yourself and welcome the following new members who have joined the Club during the past few months: **Kim Brandt**, owner of Diablo Books, **Matt Gheisari**, Aladdin Persian Rugs, **Saied Gorbani**, Gorbani & Associates, **Zach Sahar**, Capital Tax & Financial Services.