

THE WALNUT LEAF

Rotary Club of Walnut Creek



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL
DISTRICT 5160 CLUB 465

2020-2021 Theme:

"Rotary Opens Opportunities"

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Next Week's Program: Robert McNally, on his book "The Modoc War: A Story of Genocide at the Dawn of America's Guilded Age"

The Rotary Four-Way Test of All We Think, Say, and Do:

Is it the Truth?

Is it Fair to all Concerned?

Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?

Will it Be Beneficial to All Concerned?

Our Weekly Zoom Meetings on Tuesday now have a Permanent Meeting ID number 857-9920-0431, and local dialup audio numbers San Jose 1-669-900-9128 or Houston 1-346-248-7799.

If you have pre-registered but lost the above information, you can use these to login. If you have not preregistered, please contact Pres Cathy cathydurfee@yahoo.com for the details on how you can pre-register.

The Zoom session starts at 12:20pm with the meeting officially opened at 12:30pm.

Meals on Wheels Thursday Delivery Volunteers Needed. We picked up one new volunteer but we still could use a few more Club members to share our Meals on Wheels delivery route on Thursdays. Please contact Jerry Benoit 925-457-8071 gsb94598@gmail.com if you can join in the rotation, or perhaps be an emergency substitute.

Join the Club Zoom Happy Hour on Thursdays at 5:30pm. Watch for an email on Thursday morning from Darren Kelly with the connection info, or contact Darren at darren@dmkarch.com.

Paul Harris Fellow Recognitions: Thanks to Jean Renette and Jerry Benoit for each completing another level of Paul Harris Fellow

contributions to the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. For each \$1,000 contributed, the donor (or a designee) achieves another level of recognition as a Paul Harris Fellow.

Family Picnics. Saturday Sept 26 11:45am to 2pm, Location TBD. Some Club members and their families are hoping to have picnic lunches at a local park to be determined. Families must comply with the Covid-19 restrictions then in effect. More information will be provided.

Borges Ranch Community Service Project: On Saturday October 10 we will be helping with maintenance at Borges Ranch from 9:00am to noon. To comply with social distancing, we will stick to fence painting and possibly other "easy to space" projects. In the future we hope to help on a quarterly basis. If you would like to participate please contact Jesse Smyers by email: jesse.smyers@comcast.net or text 925-788-5411.

In Memoriam: We have learned from the Rotary Club of Tokyo Kohoku Japan that Mr. Saburo Tanaka passed away on August 25. He and Adrian Mendes started our student exchange program with the Kohoku Club over 50 years ago

Ruth Bancroft Gardens' Virtual Fundraising Gala September 19, 2020 from 5pm to 6 pm.

They say this is "An Opportunity to go Pantless but not Plantless", featuring a live and silent auction. For info go to www.ruthbancroftgarden.org.



Pass the Word and Get your PPE and salon care products online through Olivia Garden, while supporting our Community Foundation! Thanks to **Jean Renette** for making this fundraiser available to us. His company donates 15% of all online sales to our Rotary Club of Walnut Creek Community Foundation.

Remind all of your friends, family, and other contacts to shop online for their PPE and hair care/salon product needs at oliviagarden.com and reference ROTARY at checkout. See sample email and other details reprinted at the end of this Bulletin.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- Tues Sep 15 Michael Samuel, "Covid-19 from an Epidemiologist's perspective"
- Tues Sep 22 Dr. Irving Pike, Chief Medical Officer of John Muir Health, "How John Muir is working with Covid-19 and preparing for the upcoming flu season".
- Tues Sep 29 Mary Azevedo, "My Year on the Contra Cost County Grand Jury"

LN-4 Artificial Hand Delivery Projects: Bob Romero invites us to plan to join with him on LN-4 Artificial Hand deliveries in Spring 2021. Projects are planned for Mexico (three cities Xalapa, Chilpancingo & Puebla (March 12 to 22), and then for Peru (two cities Pucallpa and Chimbote April 23 to May 3) continuing on to Ecuador (Manta May 3 to 10), and then to Argentina (Resistencia May 11 to 17). For more details and to let Bob know you are interested in travelling to on either trip, please contact **Bob Romero** romero0425@aol.com or (925) 457-4291.

Sample email about Olivia Garden's offer to make donations to the Rotary Club of Walnut Creek Community Foundation from website sales.

To: [Recipient email address, for example Salons, Stylists, Rotarians and Friends]

From: [Rotary Sender Email address]

Subject: Olivia Garden Supports Rotary!

I am excited to share with you the news of a generous offer from Olivia Garden which will provide support for our Walnut Creek Rotary Club Community Foundation.

With its introduction of a line of face masks (disposable, printed fabric, and fabric), clear plastic face shields, capes and other salon personal protective equipment, OLIVIA GARDEN enlarges its extensive range of professional hair brushes and high quality appliances that will fit your needs.

And to celebrate, Olivia Garden will donate 15% of the net amount for all products purchased through its website oliviagarden.com which reference ROTARY at checkout.

All the customer needs to do is enter "ROTARY" in the discount code field on the checkout page when completing its purchase.

Please share this information with family, friends, and other supporters of Rotary.



was founded in 1967 on the principles of providing hairdressers with high quality, innovative, beautiful & cutting-edge salon tools. Today, Olivia Garden enjoys a position as market leader & has earned over 55 patents making its products widely popular with hairdressers in more than 102 countries. Olivia Garden tools are also used backstage at New York Fashion Week as well as often spotted on TV shows, on movie sets & used by celebrity stylists worldwide. Olivia Gardens co-founder Jean Renette is a proud member of the Rotary Club of Walnut Creek in Walnut Creek, California, USA.



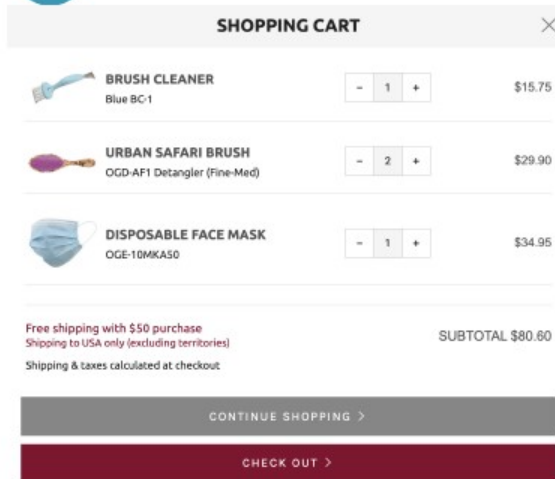
The Walnut Creek Rotary Club Community Foundation is an IRC §501(c)(3) charitable organization. The Foundation operates pursuant to the goals, ideals and rules of Rotary International, and dedicates itself to enhancing the quality of life for members of the greater Walnut Creek community, and to other purposes consistent with the ideals of the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

4 easy steps to raise funds for the Rotary & Protect your family and friends against COVID-19

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Cape

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Disposable Face Mask
Printed Fabric Face Mask
Reusable Fabric Face Mask

Face Shield

Sanitation

Salon accessories that help customers feel safe in the salon

Show customers hygiene is important



Clean Bags



Disposable Cape



Disposable Chair C



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Essential Cape



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