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Rotary Club of Walnut Creek



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DISTRICT 5160 CLUB 465

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Easing of the Shelter in Place Edition Week 14

Watch Your Email for Instructions for Joining Next Week's Virtual Meeting on Zoom

Next Week's Speaker is Michael O'Keefe, Chief Investment Officer-STIFEL, with an Economic Update

Join in our Zoom Virtual Meetings. You can connect to Zoom with your PC, laptop, iPad or other tablet, or you can dial in from any phone. Watch your email for the invitation and connection/dial in instructions.

And also watch your email for Zoom connection information for our Rotary Club of Walnut Creek Virtual Happy Hours on Thursdays.

Welcome New Member Michele McKay McCoy: Michele was inducted at our Zoom meeting on June 9. Michele is a retired judge who has spoken to our Club recently about the US Constitution. Michele was a seniors girl scout leader for 30 years, and has taught law to college students, law students, prosecutors, police cadets, police officers, and judges. As an avid seamstress, during the Covid-19 crisis she has made cloth masks. Michele is looking forward to doing other things to serve the community with our Club. Michele and her husband Gregory live in Danville.

Information from Pres Jesse and the Club Board regarding the 2020-2021 dues increase and the possibility of resuming live meetings. Please send in your annual dues before the end of the month if possible. This will help with our accounting with Rotary International. There has

been some concern about the \$50 dues increase for 2020-2021. This decision was made by the board at a time when we were looking at an annual deficit for the current year of over \$8,000 due to increased rental fees, lunch costs, Kohoku Exchange and IHouse costs. The increase would have covered less than half of that anticipated deficit. Since that time, and due to unexpected savings from cancelled events and cancelled live lunch meetings, it looks like we actually will finish this year with a surplus. But we still anticipate a need for the increased dues for the new 2020-2021 year because we now hope to be able to resume live meetings (with increased rental costs and lunch costs). However, this also is good news in that we may be able to resume live meetings at the Garden Center in August, possibly with Zoom participants on the big screen. It is difficult to predict the timing and how this will affect our budget but we are hopeful for a break-even year in 2020-2021 with the increased dues level.

Please Update your Personal Information for our Club Roster 2020-2021. You can do this online at www.rotarywc.org, clicking at the upper right for DACdb Login. After you login, click on My Data at the upper left and then click on Edit Member on the left side and make your edits. Or send your changes to **Jason Callan** at jasonc.rotary@gmail.com.



Support Our Rotary Club of Walnut Creek Community Foundation as you, your friends, family, and others shop online for PPE and for their hair care/salon products! Thanks to **Jean Renette** and his global hair care/salon products company Olivia Garden for making this great opportunity **AVAILABLE NOW**. In connection with its introduction of a line of face masks and other personal protective equipment focused on the needs of hairdressers and salons, **Olivia Garden will donate 15% of the sales price paid 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. See the email blast sent out Tuesday announcing the program, and see the details reprinted at the end of this Bulletin.

Rotary International Virtual Convention June 20-26. The following information is from 2020-2021 incoming District 5160 Governor Kathy Suvia. “The members of the DG Line and I hope that you are continuing to do well. We sincerely commend you for your ongoing efforts to assist your community. Here’s the most recent news and information regarding the June 20 – 26, 2020 Rotary Virtual Convention.

•**Now Is the Time to register by clicking [Here](#).** The schedule of events is posted for the June 20 and 21 General Sessions and the week of breakouts that follow. This is where you sign-up

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

June 23 Economic Update. Michael O’Keefe, Chief Investment Officer-STIFEL

June 30 Demotion Celebration during our regular Zoom meeting.

to attend. You can also sign up to receive timely e-mail updates regarding the convention by going to the website. Honestly, I just registered and it took me about 2 minutes.

•**Post-Convention Events:** The June 20 – 26 Virtual Convention will be followed by a number of exciting events, including the Rotaract Convention and the Youth Exchange conference. In addition, breakout sessions will be held that are organized by various Rotary programs (RAGS, Fellowships, etc.) More information about all these events will be announced shortly.

Frequently Asked Questions:

•**Will there be a Registration Fee for the Virtual Convention?** There is no fee to attend the General Sessions or the Breakouts, but online registration is required so that you can receive a link to login at the appropriate time.

•**The Session Times are all listed for Chicago (CDT/UTC-5). How do I know when my sessions will actually begin?** PDT is two hours earlier than CDT so subtract two hours from any Chicago time listed. **HINT: The General Sessions on Saturday June 20 and Sunday June 21 will be at 6:00am.**

• I don’t want to get up that early. Will the sessions be recorded? Yes. Remember this is an international event and the Convention Committee has attempted to make live participation possible for members around the world – than means we will be up at the crack of dawn! EVERYTHING that is a part of the official convention program will be recorded and stored on the RI website.

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Rotarian polio survivors Ann Lee Hussey
& Cort Vaughan

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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 and other 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.

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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.

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