

The Walnut Leaf

The Bulletin of the Rotary Club of Walnut Creek

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Today's Meeting

Dess Benedeto on family estate planning.

...and it is **PIZZA DAY**

A Little Rotary with your Coffee?

Jason Callan

Several years ago **Carl Manna** started

a "Coffee Talk" program where Rotarians

from our club were matched up with

each other and encouraged to get to know

one another on a one-on-one basis. You were

matched up with someone and you had two weeks to find a time

to get together - often for a coffee or lunch, before you'd

be matched up with the next Rotarian. It was a lot of fun

and I got to know many of our fellow Rotarians this way.

As one of our club's fellowship chairs, I'd like to get this

up and running again. Please [let me know if you'd like to](#)

[be a part of this program!](#) .



Our First Saturday NFL board

Are you in to pool yet? Here's the results from this past weekend.

The 56 total squares sold brought in \$280, with a total

prize pot of \$140. Finally, we had a lot of scoring in the

Sunday night game! There were 14 score changes

(ignoring extra points). But only the quarter-end and

final scores count for the prize pot.

- **Scott Wilson** had the correct first quarter score (Chiefs 14, Bucs 3), winning \$28.
- **Trudy Cumming** had the correct third quarter score (Chiefs 38, Bucs 24), winning \$28.

- **Jerry Benoit** had the correct fourth quarter and final score (Chiefs 41, Bucs 31), winning \$56.

No one had the correct second quarter score, so the remainder of the pot goes to the Club.

Thanks to all participants for helping the Club receive \$168!

So far, there are 49 squares sold for next Sunday, Week 5, Cincinnati Bengals v Baltimore Ravens. You can buy squares for next week or any of the remaining 14 week Regular Season Sunday Night Games. Specify the number of squares and for which weeks when you order. Contact **John McClintic**, jmclintic@bamlaw.com, 925.256.8200 by Saturday night at 5pm to be included each week. Mail your checks to RCWC, PO Box 4191, Walnut Creek CA 94596.

More Polio Plus Warrior Recognition.

At October's first meeting, Polio Plus rep **Trudy Cummings** recognized to more Polio Plus Warriors, Immediate Past President **Peter Kohn** and **Jessie Smyers**.



Early Canine Alert Fund Raiser

Marcia Gerg

This is a fund raiser for a great organization that came to our meeting a month ago. Members who wish to support them can buy tickets for this event at their web site. Tickets are only \$75 per person for dinner and the comedy show.



Coming meetings & events...

Oct 11: Sean Randolph, Sr. Director, Bay Area Council Economic Institute

Oct 18: George Sauter, Chief Strategy Officer, John Muir Health on health systems adapting to Covid-19

Oct 27-30: District Conference, Monterey

Nov 1: Sara Harris, Principal Las Lomas High on the impact of Covid-19

Nov 8: Joe Greaves, Executive Director, Alameda-CC Medical Association on Covid-19 changes.

Nov 22: Dark for Thanksgiving.

Dec 6: Gary Cavelli, League and Bowll co-founder on College Sports as a Business

Dec 20: Dark

Dec 27: Dark

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 jmclintic@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://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.

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



Box lunches will be
back next week!
Look for the Pizza!

GF BOWL BOXES

Salad Box

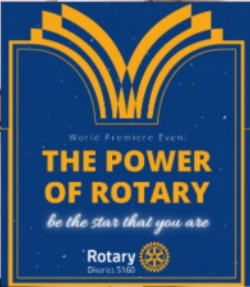
Roasted Vegetables,
Fresh Baked Roll,
Chef's Choice)

GF Bowl

Cucumber & 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



2022 CONFERENCE

YOU DESERVE THIS!
 Imagine gathering with friends and family across our Rotary world, re-engaging with friends you've missed to share a laugh or a story, building new friendships with Rotarians and Rotaractors - an infusion of new energy and ideas from us all connecting and re-connecting.



- ACTIVITIES:**
- House of Friendship
 - Golf! Golf! Golf!
 - Wine Tasting at FolkTale Winery
 - Tours of Historic Buildings
 - \$10 OFF Whale Watching
 - More to come!

OCTOBER 28-30, 2022

MONTEREY MARRIOTT
 MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA

REGISTER TODAY!

Early Bird registration of \$199 through June 1, 2022.



More details:

conference.rotary5160.org

SPEAKERS:



LEON PANETTA
 Secretary of Defense
 CIA Director
 Director of OMB
 Former Congressman



TOVI SCRUGGS-HUSSEIN
 Racial Healing in Pursuit of Rotarian Allyship



TAELEN THOMAS
 Steinbeck in Person
Become enthralled by Steinbeck's journey, his upbringing in Salinas and his colorful encounters with the real characters of Cannery Row in Monterey.

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