Today’s Meeting
Jim Pope CA ISO

Officers for 2023-2024
At our last meeting the club elected the slate of officers nominated for the 2024-25 year. Our President Nominee is Marcia Gerg. The three board members will be: Prem Abraham, Ken Anderson and Ivan Kerr.

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

Japan Beckons.
Trudy Cumming

The Kohoku Rotary Club of Tokyo, Japan has contacted us; they are very excited to resume the Student Exchange Program we have with them. They have a couple of students ready to come over this summer.

If we are to participate in the Exchange Program, we need to act fast. Please submit names of young people interested in experiencing Japan this summer ASAP! We
will have the opportunity of submitting names to one week. Sorry for the short notice but, we have to select someone prior to the end of this month. Get those names into me and I will contact you with instructions on the step to selection.

**Bocce Ball Challenge.**

**PE Gordon Fischer**

A whole bunch of Rotarians showed up to play Bocce this past Saturday. No trophy’s but everyone was a winner with the fun and camaraderie. Congrats to our team that took second place!

**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.

**The Ladies of Rotary**

are at it again! Check out their latest gathering at Benihana in Concord celebrating the birthdays of Rose, April and Shalini!

**Coming meetings & events...**

- May 23: Ernesto Avila, President CCC Water District
- May 27-31 RI Convention, Melbourne, Australia
- May 30: Erna Grasz, CEO Asante Africa Foundation
- June 6: Alexandra Birnback Ygnacio Valley Library
- June 13: Cindy Silva State of the City
- June 20: Jon Haveman, Ex Director Economic Education Delegation
- June 27: Demotion party @ 5:30pm
- July 4: Holiday: Dark!
- July 8: Rotary Academy Awards. 2023-24 Installation Gala
- July 25: Lisa Mistry Ghatala Ayurvedic Medicine Benefits

*Check out...*

The functions neighboring Rotary Clubs are sponsoring on the last page of our newsletter!
# 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=dVBnK1hPV3NhcStWaitqUTU0YXdxQTY9
Meeting ID: 844 1076 5063 Passcode: Rotary
Local dial-up audio numbers: San Jose 1.669.900.6833 or Houston 1.346.248.7799.

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.
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)

**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

**(GF) (Vegan) Includes Piece of Fresh Fruit & Chia Seed Pudding
**Mariposa Gluten Free Bread
70's Themed Bingo Night

Get your boogie on with Diablo View Rotary and Sustainable Contra Costa! Featuring dinner, bingo with prizes, costume contest, raffles and a dance party! Proceeds to benefit local 501(c)(3) entities.

When: Saturday May 20th, 2023
Where: Creekside Commons, Lafayette, CA
Time: 5:30pm - 9:00pm
Price: $70 ($60 until 3/31/23)

To purchase tickets, scan our QR code or visit us at: diabloviewrotary.org/bingo

For more information, email us at: bingonight@diabloviewrotary.org