



Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek
 P.O. Box 4191
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Upcoming Events

April 20. Farewell party for visiting Russian bakery delegation.

65th Anniversary Celebration Western BBQ and Hoedown, Tuesday April 30, 2002 5:30pm Cocktails, 6:15pm Dinner, Shadelands Art Center, 111 N. Wiget Lane. See Fletcher Tyler.

District 5160 Conference Golf Tournament, Friday, May 16. If you are going to the District Conference in Ashland Oregon, play in the golf tournament at Eagle Point Golf Course. Shotgun start at noon, followed by awards dinner. Cost is \$80. Contact John Mathena mathenajo@aol.com or 503-223-1010.

District 5160 Annual Conference. Ashland Oregon, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, May 16-19. Register online at www.rotary5160.org.

Upcoming Meeting Programs

April 16 Wheelchair Foundation, Chris Lewis

April 23 Bonanza Street Books; Peter Guadagni

April 30 No lunch meeting; attend the 65th Anniversary Celebration Dinner.



The Walnut Leaf

ROTARY CLUB OF WALNUT CREEK

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This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding	Roger Dolan	Roving Microphone.....	
Team Captain		Set-Up/Take-Down.....	
Speaker Intro.....		Song Leader.....	
Thought/Pledge.....		Ticket Sales.....	
Visitors Intro.....		Birthdays.....	
Bulletin Editor.....	John McClintic	Anniversaries.....	
Next Bulletin Editor....	John McClintic		

THIS PROGRAM

Welcome to the visiting bakery industry delegation from the Russian Republic participating in the Productivity Enhancement Program!

Visit Us On The Web at: www.rotarywc.org

**CLUB NO. 4191
 ROTARY
 INTERNATIONAL
 DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

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 International President

Mankind is our Business

Susan Wait
 District Governor

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 District Governor Nominee

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rotary District 5160 Annual District Conference Ashland, Oregon

This year's District Conference offers a special setting for fine dining and fabulous theater, as well as the usual District programs and events. Send your registration form in now, and book your hotel so that you will be sure to be able to join in all of the fun and fellowship.

For information and registration, go to the District website www.rotary5160.org.

Thursday, May16-SportsDay

Afternoon **Golf at Eagle Point Golf Course**
Evening **Sports Banquet at Eagle Point Golf Course.**

Directions: Take I-5 Exit 30 (Rt62) East 8.5 Miles.

Friday, May17-Foundation Day

9:30-10:30AM - **PDG Breakfast** Windmill Inn
10:30-11:30AM (Delegates)- **Legislative Session** Windmill Inn
12:00-2:00PM **Opening Lunch** Speaker Sharon Tennison, CCI
2:00-4:00PM PEP; Russian Leadership Program; GSE Presentations; Matching Grants; Ambassadorial Scholars
5:00-6:30PM – **Club Fellowship-Buffer Dinner and Drinks**
7:30-10:30PM **Ashland Armory** Dessert with Paul Harris;
Swing Dancing with Leslie Kendall and the Jump Daddies

Saturday, May18-“NewGeneration”Day

8:00-9:30AM - **Breakfast** Windmill Inn
10:00-12:00PM - **Theater Tour** The New Theater
12:00-1:30PM - **Lunch** Windmill Inn; President's Representative
1:30-2:00PM **Entertainment**
2:00-4:00PM **Forum** Global Quest Awards; Av-

enues of Service Awards; Interact; Rotaract; Speech Contest Finalists; Ambassadorial Scholars
5:00-8:00PM **Dine Around in Ashland Restaurants**
8:00PM **Theater Night** Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf? Macbeth

Sunday, May19-Wrap-UpDay

8:30-10:00AM -Windmill Inn **Brunch** Entertainment; Outstanding Club Awards; Next Year's Conference; Closing Remarks

Accommodations

The Windmill Inn can accommodate all Conference participants. A block of rooms has been set aside for us.

Make reservations directly at:

Windmill Inn of Ashland
2525Ashland Street
Ashland, OR 97520
1-800-547-4747

The Great Valley Fly-in Sat & Sun May 4-5

See **President Roger** for information about this Rotary fun and fellowship outing.

Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarship Candidate

Our Club has approved Mary Prochiuti as a candidate for a Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholarship. She hopes to study in Spain.

Community Foundation Grant

Our Club's Community Foundation has awarded \$1,000 to the YMCA for youth programs.

Recognitions

Bob Nootbaar traveled to South America.

Bill Larmer traveled to Australia and New Zealand visiting 17 wineries (for business).

Dennis Bell enjoyed a few days in Maui.

Mel Bacher again offers \$10 for each spontaneous flub made by our flawless President Roger during the remainder of his term, and reported in The Walnut Leaf . Keep your editor informed.

April Birthdays

Many happy returns of the day to **John Roberts, Allen Wesdorf, and Stanford White.**

Fishing in the City--Saturday, April 20th.

See John Gardner to volunteer to help elementary school children from Walnut Creek learn how to fish at Heather Farms pond.

Prospective Members

Nancy “Dara” Beaumont, of Touro University (Medical School), sponsored by Clint Collier.

Gordon J. Fischer, of R.C. Fischer & Co., sponsored by Jack Fischer.

Hugh M. Walpole, financial advisor.

Benjamin Darling, account executive for Pinnacle Printing Systems and the assistant basketball coach at the California Maritime Academy.

Marian Moore, Executive Director, The Wellness Community.

Rumor and Idle Talk

Did you hear the rumor that **Prez Roger** is doing such a fantastic job this year that the Club is thinking about extending his term another year? Well, neither did we. But you can count on the rumor that the Club is planning a very special disposition for our esteemed (or is it just “steamed”) Prez at our first meeting of the new term, July 2nd. Bring you plungers because this ol' clog is going to be a tough

one to send down the drain.

ARF Golf Tournament

The club has received a flyer on the Tony LaRussa Animal Rescue Foundation (ARF) celebrities golf tournament. It is Monday June 17 at Chardonnay Golf Club, Napa. \$500 (Sponsorships \$10k to \$50k). For more information, call 925.296.3113.

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Mark your calendars and bring your spouse to celebrate our Club's 65th Anniversary.

We also need your help in locating and contacting all of the students who have participated in the Rotary Club of Kohoku Japan exchange program. We want to invite them (and their guest) to be our guests at the dinner. Please give any information you have to Fletcher Tyler.

Help Welcome Visiting Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Kohoku Japan

Fifteen members of the Rotary Club of Kohoku Japan will be coming to celebrate our 65th Anniversary with us. We will be having a Golf Tournament on Monday, April 29th, followed by dinners hosted by Club members. Sign up now to participate.

Has your personal information changed?

If your mailing address, telephone or fax numbers, email address, or other personal information changes, please tell the Club Secretary, **Clint Collier**, so that he can keep our records up to date. Contact Clint at the meetings or by email to