



Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek
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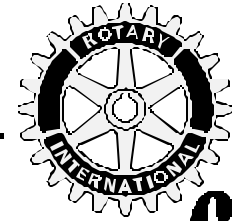
Upcoming Events

Yosemite Weekend—Sept 26-28. Three spots available. Call Gill Bordenave 938-2122.
Crab Feed Fundraiser, January 31, 2004, Centre Concord

Upcoming Meeting Programs

August 12 Al Hart, KCBS radio.
August 19 Commander Jeff Saine, The Coast Guard: Port Security and your tax dollars at work
August 26 Connie Crawford, District Governor 2003-2004 visits at hour noon meeting, and at a Special Luau Dinner to be held at Palmer School (mai tais at 5:30, dinner 6:30, entertainment at 7pm).

For the latest “scoop” on upcoming meeting programs, visit our website and click on the link on the home page:
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The Walnut Leaf

ROTARY CLUB OF WALNUT CREEK

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This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding	Jack Fischer	Birthdays.....	Gary Pokorny
Team Captain	Carl Manna	Anniversaries.....	
Thought/Pledge.....	Mel Bacher	Song Leader.....	Doug Goodrich
Guest Intro & Mic.....	Sharon Camandona	Bulletin Editor.....	John McClintic
Speaker Intro.....	Carl Manna	Next Bulletin Editor....	John McClintic
Set-Up/Take-Down.....	Layton Hansen		
Ticket Sales.....	Bob Schroeder		

THIS PROGRAM

Camp Royale participants

**Welcome to
Keita Arai,
our guest from the
Rotary Club of Tokyo-Kohoku, Japan**

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**CLUB NO. 465
ROTARY
INTERNATIONAL
DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

Jonathan B. Majiyagbe
International President

Lend A Hand

Connie Crawford
District Governor

Brian D. Thiessen
District Governor Nominee

Jack Fischer
President

Gill Bordenave
President-Elect

Bruce Cockerham
Immediate Past President

Clint Collier
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Attendance Secretary

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Rod Uffindell
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Russ Anderson Honored with the Adrian Mendes Award

The Club Board of Directors honored **Russ Anderson** with the Adrian Mendes Award, given by our Club from time to time to recognize outstanding, consistent, and wide-ranging service to the Club, the Community, and the World. Russ' contributions are almost countless, and he remains an inspiration to us all. Russ humbly thanked the Club for this great honor, and vowed to continue to try to live up to the standard set by Adrian and the other previous honorees. Well done, Russ!

Sit Up Front!

President Jack invites us all to fill the front tables first. He will be levying a "back benchers" tax on those who continue to insist on sitting towards the back of the room.

Other Recognitions

John Milsap enjoyed a recent outing to Oregon with hundreds of other MG drivers and enthusiasts from around the world.

Dictionary Project

Our Club again will be working on a project to purchase and deliver dictionaries to all of the 4th grade students in Walnut Creek. John Milsap and Joe Anthony are heading up this project. They anticipate purchasing and delivering over 300 dictionaries. Volunteers will be needed to visit the local classrooms to present the books to the students in September.

CPR Class and Annual Lunch Meeting at John Muir Medical Center

A CPR Class will be offered again at John Muir Medical Center on the morning of Sept. 9, from 9-12 AM. This is immediately prior to our annual Club meeting at John Muir. Signup sheets for the CPR Class and the meeting will be available at our weekly meetings beginning August 19. Registration for the CPR class requires a payment of \$25.

The meeting of the Rotary Club of Walnut Creek on Sept. 9 will take place in the Ball Auditorium, directly under the Main Lobby. The program is titled "The New John Muir Medical Center," and the speakers will be Ken Anderson and Ken Meehan. Ken Anderson is CEO of the John Muir/Mt. Diablo Health System, and Ken Meehan is the President and CAO of John Muir Medical Center. The discussion will describe the fabulous planned expansion of the John Muir Medical Center. A superb lunch will be served at noon, and the meeting will begin at 12:30 PM. Signup sheets for the CPR Class and the meeting will be available weekly beginning with our August 19 meeting. Call **Marv Epstein** at 939.2077 if you have any questions.

Prospective Member

Tom Kopp, AVP/Branch Manager of US Bank, has been proposed for membership. Please direct any comments to the Club Secretary, **Clint Collier**.

Crab Feed Fundraiser—Saturday, January 31, Centre Concord

Mark your calendars now for this year's Crab Feed fundraiser, to be held January 31, 2004, at the Centre Concord. Start lining up large and small auction item donations.

Amphitheater Project

Thanks to the work of twenty-two of our members, and several park rangers, the amphitheater at Borges Ranch is 95% complete. The handicapped ramp will soon be installed and, with some finish work and painting, the project will be complete. Special thanks to the following: Quent Alexander, Russ Anderson, Rem Barnard, Gill Bordenave, Hari Boukis, Jack Fischer, John Gardner, Doug Goodrich, Tony Gorkani, Layton Hanson, Larry Henson, Ivan Kerr, Bill Larmer, Marty Larsen, Carl Manna, Jack Matkin, Tom Rockwell, Jesse Smyers, Fletcher Tyler, Rod Uffindell, Allan Wesdorf, John Young.

Rossmoor Medical Center Golf Classic September 29 11am Start

Sign up to play with fellow Rotarians in the Rossmoor golf classic. \$125 per person (and maybe a discount if we go as a package). See Russ Anderson if you want to join with us.

Yosemite Weekend—September 26-28 2nd Deposit Installments Due; Space Still Available

Please be sure to make your 2nd deposit installment to **Gill Bordenave**. If you haven't signed up but want to go, please sign up with Gill at 938-2122. There are 3 spots available.

Dues Statements Sent to Club Members on the Mid-Year Billing Cycle

Invoices for membership dues for those members on the July billing cycle have been mailed. Payment is due the first of July and becomes past due after July 30th. Payment may be sent to our PO Box in the envelopes provided or may be turned in to Clint Collier.

Rotary International Directory 2003-2004 Now Available

We have received the 2003-2004 Rotary International Directory. As they began doing two years ago, it is distributed on CD-Rom. Any member of the Club who would like a copy of the CD can request it from the Secretary, **Clint Collier**. There is a small charge for producing a copy. Anyone wishing to borrow a copy for a week can do that too; again Clint has the lending copy available (unless someone else has already borrowed it!).

Sunshine Committee—Contact Milt Smith with Information

Help the Club send good will wishes and support for Rotarians and spouses recovering from surgery or experiencing prolonged illness. Contact **Milt Smith**.

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 clintc@rotarywc.org.

Get Your Rotary Announcements in the Bulletin:

Our regular publishing deadline is Sunday night. You can phone your bulletin announcements to **John McClintic** by 9:00pm on Sunday to be sure to be included. Call John at 930-7352 and leave your message on the answering machine, or fax to 925-945-8932, or email to johnm@rotarywc.org.