



# Munchkin' Land PWR News



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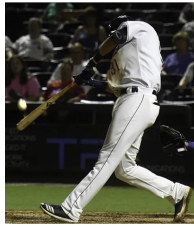
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## Rotary Visits Baseball For Polio



Would you like to support Rotary's efforts to eradicate polio and go to a fun event at the same time? Come on out to Sutter Health Park on Sunday, May 22 for the Rotary District 5180 Rotary Day at the River Cats. The game is at 1:05 PM vs the Tacoma Rainiers. This is a fun group event for the whole district and another good way to participate in a Rotary program as part of the proceeds will go the End Polio Now campaign. Several ticket levels are available and you can support this event buying the tickets to use for games in the future. Contact Tom Cicchini (916.773.1938 or tom.cicchini@raymondjames.com) to order tickets. Let's knock polio out of the ball park and off the planet!



## Point West Rotary Meeting Recap

- Today's Live/hybrid meeting at DPCC.
- **Tim Hayes** leads the pledge.
  - **Lyndsay Burch** is the song leader.
  - **Tom Cicchini** remembers the Four Way Test.
  - Thought for the day is by **Paul Cunha** on Zoom.
  - The demotion party for **Mary Lyn** is June 25 announced by the host **Lee Homes**.
  - **Dave Randolph** invites all to the Golden State Pinball Festival in Lodi.
  - The rookie of the year is announced by **Dominic Porrino**. **Joanie Mather** is the deserving recipient this term (on her birthday).
  - **Dan Hall** reports on the Point West Rotary Foundation beginning foundation month.
  - **Daniel Baker** announces a service project to refurbish the community room at St. John's Center on 5/28.
  - **John Price** requests volunteers for the Greer Elementary School Staff and Teacher appreciation luncheon on 5/26.
  - Our speaker today is **Michele Wong**, Executive Director of MO-SAC, SMUD Museum of Science and Curiosity with introductions by **Paul Adams**.
  - **Nancy Cofer, Bill Dunk** and **Don Levin** ring the bell.

## Rotary Events Happening

### PWR events

- 7/23-30/2022—PCT Hike Fundraiser *Trek Against Trafficking*
- 10/24/2022—new date for the PWR Golf Tourney at El Macero Country Club.

### District 5180 Events

- May 21, 2022, 12:30p - Bowling for Boxes at Steve Cook's Fireside Lanes, Citrus Heights
- 5/22/2022 - Rotary Day at the River Cats
- Jun 10, 2022 - Bet on Rotary - Game Night and Fundraiser - Empire Ranch Golf Course

## Point West Rotary Foundation Month

The Point West Rotary Club Foundation designates May as the month to review our foundation activities and renew our commitment to the foundation and our club. The club created the Foundation in 1998 with the mission to "To manage and grow the funds entrusted to it in a lawful manner and to make available charitable funding in perpetuity for qualified beneficiaries selected by the Rotary Club of Point West." The Board elections for new trustees will be 3 June. We would love to get 100% participation in our Foundation.

## Rotary responds to the war in Ukraine



By Rotary International  
The war in Ukraine is having devastating consequences on civilians as families flee their homes. According to the United Nations, more than 5 million people, most of them women and children, have sought refuge in neighboring countries and across Europe, while about 7 million more people have been displaced within Ukraine. Rotary and Rotaract clubs in Europe and around the world have taken swift action and are working with members nearby to provide food, water, medical equipment, and shelter for refugees. Because of our generous donors, The Rotary Foundation has received more than \$15 million in contributions that will be prioritized for disaster response grants.

### KEY DATES

- May 20th** - \*6PM in-person/hybrid, Sofia/B Street Theater\*  
Toastmasters Rep and Carol Van B. Africa School
- May 27th** - DARK Memorial Holiday
- June 3rd** - In person/hybrid Northridge CC  
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