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- Malibu Rotary Club Website: www.MalibuRotary.org
- Rotary International Website: www.Rotary.org
- Rotary District 5280 Website: www.rotary5280.org/

- Rotary District 5280 “Rotarians Doing Business With Rotarians” Website:
<http://yp5280.org/>

Benefit
Held at NBA Stars Mansion
in Pacific Palisades for
Malibu Rotary Club
www.maliburotary.org
\$100 individual
\$150 per couple
Checks must be received by May 22nd Made Payable & Mail
to: Malibu Rotary Club: PO BOX 716, Malibu Ca, 90265
Brazilian Blowout Bash
Includes Brazilian BBQ - Wine- Fire Eating Show- Poi
Performance
Shuttle service from Calvary Christian Church
701 Palisades Dr. Pacific Palisades , 90272

Wednesday, May 29th 5:30 - 9:30pm
For Tickets Email: hubsden@aol.com
Or Call : 310-457-6822

Listed below are Silent auction items many
more to come !!

 Rick Springfield Concert & CD & Autographed Pic
www.rickspringfield.com

 L'Enfant by Sculpture Danielle Anjou
www.Anjou-sculpture.com

 Romantic Dinner for 2 Prepared by Austrian
Chef Patrick Brand patrickmalibu1@icloud.com

 2 Tickets to Love Letters Starring Sam Elliott and
Katherine Ross Benefit's Malibu Playhouse
www.malibuplayhouse.org/love-letters-june-29th/

 Custom Designed Hat from 10 Year Old Entrepreneur
Ricco Shlaimoun www.islandwear.com

 Home Entertainment Consultation and Design by
By Aaron Guttman and Bria Little
www.soundenvironmentinc.com



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**How A
small Dinner
Party Planed
for May
29th
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Event—
Malibu
Rotary Club
Brazilian
Bash
Blowout**

If you were at the
May 1 Malibu
Rotary Club
meeting you had
an inkling that
Maggie

Luckerath was planning to have some kind of dinner party at a mansion that was recently sold by Malibu Rotarian and Realtor (of her own Solstice International Realty) **Donna Bohana**. Donna is also the property manager for the estate, which is owned by an NBA star who is currently in the NBA Playoffs (probably the eventual winner of this year's NBA Championship)

At that first meeting the "Dinner Party" was going to cost about \$20 to \$25 per person. What a difference a week makes when Maggie starts working on things.

The \$20 to \$25 dinner has now become the major Rotary Club Fundraiser for year—perhaps for the decade! It features Brazilian food, wine, Brazilian fire dancers and fire eaters, a whole array silent auction items, and a ticket price of \$100.00 for single, or \$150 for couple. The event, called the **Brazilian Bash Blowout**, is now featured on the Rotary District 5280 event calendar, and hopefully in other local media. Any Rotarian in district 5280 can register on line for \$75.00 using his or her ClubRunner login either clicking on the event on the Rotary District Calendar or on Malibu Rotary Club's own www.maliburotary.org. There they will see the following details:

Event will be held 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. at an NBA star's Pacific Palisades mansion, the location of which will only be divulged to those who pay to attend. Ticket prices \$100.00/single \$150.00/couple \$75.00/Rotarians and Guests of Rotarians Registering on line. For reservations e-mail event chair Maggie Luckerath: hubsden@aol.com. Payment by check must be received by May 22, 2013 at Malibu Rotary Club BBB, PO Box 716, Malibu, CA 90265. Price will include shuttle service from Calvary Christian Church parking lot, 701 Palisades Dr, Pacific Palisades, CA 90272 to \$9.4 million mansion which will feature outstanding Brazilian food buffet, wine, and Brazilian fire dancers, fire show, fire breathing, fire eating, poi and much much more!

- **For too much partying there will also be represented: Dr. Taber Chinn - Doctor of Chiropractic - Shannon Hearn - Massage Therapist/Neuromuscular Therapy and Trigger Point Therapy - complimentary massage and Tracey Brown, Health & Nutritional Coach.**
- **A silent auction including the [following items already donated](#) and more to come.....**
- *Danielle Anjou's sculpture L'Enfant www.anjou-sculpture.com - Prior charity received \$24,000. Sells for \$2,900*
- *Rick Springfield: www.rickspringfield.com -Signed CD - Priceless*
- *Rick Springfield: www.rickspringfield.com - Rick's Concert Saturday Sep 21 2013 / JACK's 8th Show @ The Theatre at the Honda Showtime starts at 5PM --Other artists are Blondie, Tears for Fears ABC and possibly Adam Ant- Value - \$800*

- *Rick Springfield: www.rickspringfield.com - 2 Signed Photo - Priceless*
- *Sound Entertainment (Aaron Guttman - Bria Little) Home Entertainment consultation and design by Aaron Guttman - Value \$500 (Start bid \$150)*
- *Austrian Chef Patrick Brand to cook Romantic Dinner for 2 including wine - Prepared in your home. Good looking Chef does all the cooking and his assistant does the dishes! Value - Priceless*
- *2 Season Tickets to Malibu Playhouse www.malibuplayhouse.com Value \$180*
- *Katherine Ross and Sam Elliott perform "Love Letters" - This special one night only benefit performance for Malibu Playhouse www.malibuplayhouse.org/love-letters-june-29th/ is the first - and most likely the only - time that Sam and Katherine will appear together on stage for what will surely be a magical night to remember!! Priceless*
- *Ricco Shlaimoun (ten year old entrepreneur from Malibu) www.islandwear.co Island Wear Hat - Retail Value \$49.99. Ricco and his family are committed to attend the event!*
- *Beverly Heusser hairdresser and make-up artist to the stars! www.beverlyheusser.com Hair Cut & Style - Value \$90*
- *Kristy's Restaurant - Dinner for 2 Voucher*
- *Duke's Restaurant - Dinner for 2 Voucher*
- *Signed copy of "[Rex: A Mother, Her Autistic Child, and the Music that Transformed Their Lives](http://www.rexlewisclack.com) [Hardcover] by Cathleen Lewis www.rexlewisclack.com Value - Priceless plus Rex and Cathleen will attend the event!*
- *[Oklahoma: A History: W. David Baird, Danney Goble ...www.amazon.com/Oklahoma-History-W-David-Baird/dp/0806141972](http://www.amazon.com/Oklahoma-History-W-David-Baird/dp/0806141972) W. David Baird and Danney Goble, both authorities on the 46th state, explore Oklahoma's history s intricate tapestry of themes, stories, and perspectives. An autographed book by W. David Baird who is a long term Malibu Rotarian and will attend the event!*
- *Comprehensive Eye Exam by Dr John W Elman Optometrist Including Optomap Ultra Wide Angle Laser Retinal Scan www.1800MyEyeDoc.com \$114.00 Value Dr.Elman has been a member (since 1977) of the Malibu Rotary Club and will be present at this event. John serves on the Brazilian Bash Blowout Committee.*

Click [Here](#) to see pictures of silent auction items

Because of the costs of having this event it was agreed at the May 8th meeting that if there are not at least 20 registered attendees for the May 29th event by May 22nd, it will either be cancelled or reconfigured, because of the minimum established by the Brazilian caterers, would be too costly. Tell a friend—bring a guest. Remember Rotarians can register online for \$75.00.

A visitor at the Malibu Rotary Club from the Westlake Village Sunrise Club Wen Chien on May 1 had some ideas and was able to hook the Malibu Rotary Club up with the Shuttle from the Calvary Christian Church parking lot on Palisades Dr to the event venue. The Brazilian Bash Blowout Event Committee consists of **Maggie Luckerath, as Event Chair, with Donna Bohana, Wen Chien and John Elman.**

Other News and Guests From Last Malibu Rotary Club Meeting

In Bill's absence **David Baird** presided over the Malibu Rotary Club meeting of May 8 with his "This Week in History" and several jokes.

David, Hubert Luckeath, Malibu Rotary Club President, and hopefully others will be attending the Rotary District Assembly May 18th at the Carson Center. Bill urged as many club members as possible to attend, because he said that the coming year's Rotary events and deadlines are announced there and that there are too many sessions to for one person to attend. Following the Assembly there will be an important session on changes in the Rotary Foundation and how it distributes money.

There were several guests at the Malibu Rotary Club meeting May 8. **WenChien** is a member of the Westlake Village Sunrise Rotary Club, who works as Deployment manager at HRL Lab in Malibu. That Rotary Club is sponsoring a Jazz & Wine Festival on Sunday May 19th from 1:00 to 6:00 pm at Conejo Creek Park North in Thousand Oaks. The event features wine, beer, food, and various jazz music groups. The normal cost for admission is \$55.00 but by going on line to event website <http://californiajazzandwine.com> and using the discount coupon code of **CJWF1311**, a 10% discount will be given. Several members of the Malibu Rotary Club will be attending.

Another guest at the Malibu Rotary Club meeting May 8 was **Grizalda**. We are not sure of the last name.

At the May 8th meeting John Elman was prepared to talk about the Rotary District Convention held the previous weekend at the Fess Parker Resort in Santa Barbara. He was there with his wife Lee Ann and also Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar Livia Giordano from Zurich Switzerland, who is hosted by the Malibu Rotary Club. Besides attending various functions they collected awards given to the Malibu Rotary Club. There was no time for John to give his presentation at the May 8th meeting, and hopefully he will be able to do it at the May 15th Malibu Rotary Club meeting.



(L to R) Past President of both the Malibu Rotary and Hollywood Rotary Club Paul St John, along with Lee Ann Elman, Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar Livia Giordano (from Switzerland and hosted by Malibu Rotary

Club) and Malibu Rotarian John Elman represent Malibu Rotary Club at Rotary District Convention This Month in Santa Barbara. Paul and his wife Melody have hosted 16 Rotary Youth Exchange students in their home, and founded Rotary YES/SCANEX USA Train Tour, a coast to coast American Tour for those Rotary Youth Exchange Students who completed their high school year in the USA successfully to see more than just the area around their host club.

Please see Malibu Rotary Club Website www.maliburotary.org for latest Calendar and future speakers and facebook pages for other news.

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(all Malibu Rotary Club meetings are at noon in LC 152 at the Pepperdine Drescher campus Villa Graziadio Executive Center unless otherwise noted).

May 15, 2013

**John Elman Highlights Rotary District Conference and Committee Report of May 29th
Brazilian Bash Blow Out**

May 22, 2013

[Malibu Rotary May 29th Event Planning Committee](#)

"Special Last Planning Session Before the May 29th Event (meet in Drescher EC 116)"

May 29, 2013

[Donna Bohana](#)

"5:30 p.m. Brazilian Bash Blow Out at Palisades Mansion--no meeting at Pepperdine"