



## GET INVOLVED WITH ROTARY

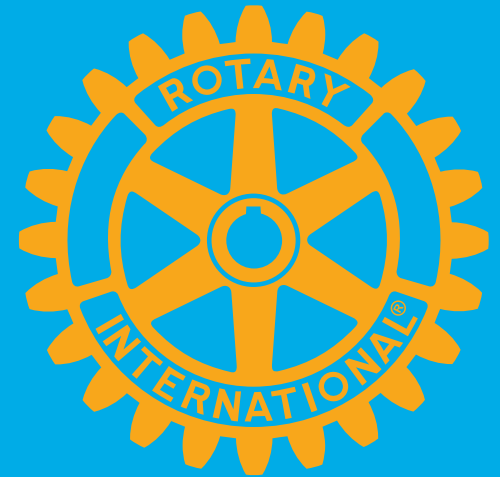
The Rotary Club of Camarillo is a nonpolitical, nonsectarian leadership organization comprised of local business and civic and professional leaders. We meet regularly to get to know each other and form the friendships that help us get things done in our community, including granting scholarships, giving annual grants to local nonprofit causes, and some of these popular local events:

- Annual scholarships to local youth and adults reentering education
- Annual Viva La Comida fundraising dinner
- Annual Hap Rapp Memorial Track Meet
- Annual Care for Kids Golf Classic to support Casa Pacifica

Join our next meeting or service project.  
Contact our club president to schedule your visit.  
We look forward to meeting you!

### ROTARY CLUB OF CAMARILLO

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## PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT

Rotary International is committed to supporting activities that strengthen the conservation and protection of natural resources, advance ecological sustainability, and foster harmony between communities and the environment. Rotary empowers communities to access grants and other resources, embrace local solutions, and spur innovation in an effort to address the causes and reduce the effects of climate change and environmental degradation.

Our club is a proud part of this community and of Rotary International. Rotary is a global network of more than 1.2 million members who believe that great things happen when dedicated minds come together. We are community and business leaders representing different professions, experiences, and perspectives but with a shared desire to connect with others and address the challenges affecting our community and ecosystem and those of communities and ecosystems around the world.

The environment is the newest of Rotary International's causes, including:

- Peace and conflict prevention/resolution
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water and sanitation
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Economic and community development

## ADVANCING EDUCATION

Solving real problems takes real effort, commitment, vision, and knowledge. Rotary has compiled the following list of books for you to help your little ones learn about solutions to problems facing our environment leading up to Earth Day this and every April 22. The following books are available either at the Camarillo Library or online:

What a Waste: Trash, Recycling, and Protecting our Planet

-Jess French (ages 6-9)

My Friend Earth

-Patricia MacLachlan, Francesca Sanna (ages 3-5)

We Are Water Protectors

-Carole Lindstrom (ages 3-5)

Don't Throw That Away!

-Lara Bergen (ages 4-6)

Over and Under the Pond

-Kate Messner (ages 5-8)

The Great Kapok Tree

-Lynn Cherry (ages 4-7)

Wangari's Trees of Peace: A True Story from Africa

-Jeanette Winter (ages 4-7)

## GET OUTDOORS AND GET INVOLVED

Crafts and hands-on activities are a great way to start conversations about the environment and get outdoors to appreciate it! Here are some ideas for projects to celebrate natural habitats this Earth Day:

Make a Nature Journal

Create an Earth Day Suncatcher

Make Your Own "Sort the Recycling" Card Game

Build Earth Day Discovery Bottles

If you are the adventuring sort, here are some kid-friendly hiking trails to trek into nature and marvel at the wildlife we are lucky to enjoy in our Ventura County back yard!

Wildwood Canyon Hill Trail

Mission Oaks Community Park Trail

CSU Channel Islands Park Loop

Las Posas Equestrian Trail

For more information, visit [AllTrails](https://www.alltrails.com) online!