

Rotary Club of West Sacramento

CHIPS FROM THE BUZZSAW
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Revitalize
ROTARY

**SERVICE
ABOVE
SELF**

2022-2023 Leadership Team

President	Jaclyn Powell
President-Elect	JoAnn Moffett
Immediate Past President	David Kamminga
Secretary	Amy Busch
Treasurer	Dustin Dumars
Membership	Denice Domke
Club Service	Shaun Morrow
Foundation	Barry Kalar

Upcoming Meetings

Rotary Social Hour

Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:00PM

Location: Streets of London

2200 Lake Washington Blvd, West Sacramento

Regular Meeting

Friday, April 28, 2023 at 12:00PM

Location: Jackrabbit Brewing Co.

1323 Terminal St, West Sacramento, CA 95691

Speaker: Jessica Hubbard, Yolo Community Foundation

Regular Meeting

Friday, May 5, 2023 at 12:00PM

Location: Jackrabbit Brewing Co.

1323 Terminal St, West Sacramento, CA 95691

Speaker: Matias Bombal, Matias Bombal's Hollywood

Rotary Social Hour

Friday, May 12, 2023 at 4:00PM

Location: Bike Dog Brewery/Baker Family Wines

2568 Industrial Blvd #110, West Sacramento

MEETING RECAP

APRIL 14, 2023

On Friday, the club gathered for a regular meeting. We were joined by our Speaker, Chris Powell with Jackrabbit Brewery. Chris shared the background of the brewery and taught us a lot about beer! Members also got to enjoy a tasting of three special Jackrabbit beers.

We played two truths and a lie with new member, Christy Jourdan. Turns out Christy had her car hot wired by a famous punk rock band and personally hand delivered newspapers to Ronald Regan, but she did not get attacked by a bear.

Other highlights included celebrating Suzanne Haendel's mom's birthday! Ann turned 91 on Friday and chose to celebrate with the Rotary Club! Siva also shared updates on the international project in Sri Lanka, and he presented a gift from the Sri Lanka Club.

And finally, we voted in an amendment to the Bylaws! Thank you everyone for helping us clean things up as we prepare for Joann's epic year!



MEETING RECAP

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Guests

Rick Hart
Tim Campbell
Ann Garske
Pancho
Dave Jackson



Celebrations

Suzanne Haendel
Tom Wallace
Chris White
Marty Garozzo
Katie Villegas
Dan Ramos



MEETING RECAP

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Celebrate

April **BIRTHDAYS**

Matt Morrow
Barry Kalar

April 5
April 25



April **ANNIVERSARIES**

Christopher and Stina Bradford
Thomas and Lanell Wallace
Alicia and Andrew Mittleman
Dan and Julie Ramos

April 11
April 16
April 26
April 29



Service

Team Leads



Meals on Wheels
Interact Advisor
PR/Social Media

Celebration Masters

International Service
Scholarships
Youth Service

Speaker Chair(s)

Sargeant at Arms
Photographer
Sunshine Chairs

Tom Wallace
Kat Gallagher
Babs Sandeen
Danielle Bettencourt
Marty Swingle
Babs Sandeen
Kumaraswamy Sivakumaran
Ken Wilson
Joanie Kapell
JoAnn Moffett
Troy Bird
Jaclyn Powell
Katie Villegas
David Kamminga
Patti Palamidessi/Alicia Mittleman

Meals on Wheels



Route 9

4/3
4/10
4/17
4/24

Paul Kolarik and John Hills
Kat Gallagher
Tom Wallace
JoAnn Moffett and Joanie Kapell

Route 1

Every Wednesday

Jeff Post and Kent Ramos

Route 6

4/5
4/12
4/19
4/26

Steve and Donna Heringer
Shaun Morrow
Dan Ramos and Mike Campbell
Dustin Dumars and Pedro Cisneros

Service

Meals on Wheels is in need of volunteers who can deliver meals in West Sacramento. Our Rotarians have assisted with their efforts for many years! If you're interested in signing up for a delivery route please contact Tom Wallace at tswhm@calbroadband.net



Service

The RCHS Interact Club is collecting hygiene items for a local nonprofit. Please bring hygiene items to the meeting to donate (including deodorants, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, etc.) and Lee will continue to collect them and pass them on to Interact!



Service

On Saturday, April 16, 2023, the Rotary Club got together for "People of Action Day" and put together gift bags for our adopted school, Westfield Village Elementary School! This group compiled 500 bags for the kids in record time and had a great time doing it!



Member Spotlight



Dan “Danny” Ramos

Profession:

Real Property Development

Spouse’s Name and Profession, if any:

Julie Ramos – (La Jefa) Office Administrator

Children’s Names and Ages, if any:

Patrick 38, Matthew 37 and Courtney 34

If you have children, which child is your favorite and why? (It's okay, you can tell us...)

The are all my favorite because together they produced 7 wonderful Grandkids!

If you had to be stranded on a desert island with a Rotary Member, who would you pick and why?

Quite honestly – I would like the entire Rotary Club to be on Fantasy Island with me – it would be one great Rotary party!

What is one thing most people don’t know about you?

I actually don’t hate Notre Dame, UCLA, Cal, or Stanford Football – I really enjoy the rivalries very much – Fight On!

What is your favorite part of Rotary?

I enjoy breaking bread @ every meeting along with new members & old members and sharing the Rotary Spirit!

Name three things you can’t live without (can’t be people):

My doggies, the 49ers and the many hunting/fishing adventures I’m very fortunate to enjoy with family and friends!

Save the Date

Celebration of Life for
Leonard "Len" Strickland
"Strick"

1944-2023



WHEN: Saturday, April 22, 2023

TIME: 12pm-2pm

WHERE: West Sacramento
Community Center

1075 West Capitol Ave.
West Sacramento, CA 95691

ROOM: Community Room

*Light refreshments will be served.

If you have memories or stories that you would like shared at the Memorial, please email Paul Kolarik at pesko@sbcglobal.net.

PRESIDENT'S NOTE

Dear Mighty Rotary Club of West Sacramento,

Thank you to everyone who joined us this week at the meeting and the service project! It is always so much fun to see the club come together, and get excited for meetings and service projects!

This week we have our Social Hour. Come on by for an after work drink and fellowship with your fellow Rotarians! These Social Hours are extremely casual - friends, families and even the co-worker you don't particularly like, are all invited.

Sincerely,
Jaclyn Powell



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