



Dr. Wen Chen

By President David Kamminga

This Meeting's speaker was Dr. Wen Chen. She shared with us some of what has happened with Chinese Art and Culture. There is a current interest and movement of restoring some of the magnificence and splendor. China has had a centuries old vibrant and glowing culture filled with beautiful art. The art of dance in China originated from the martial arts. China also had a great musical culture. In the late 1940s when the Authoritarian Marxist-Leninist Communist party took over China, they saw the free expression of art as a threat to their power and they did what they could to completely erase and wipe it from existence, even the owning of antique artifacts and art pieces was banned and the antiques and art was confiscated and destroyed. This is a common practice when an authoritarian regime takes over a country.

Part of the movement to restore some of the art and culture from China and share it with the world is the Shen Yun Performing Arts show. This show began in 2006 and was started by the Falun Gong practitioners. As Dr. Chen shared with us on her visit with our club last year, the Falun Gong practitioners in China are being persecuted by the Chinese Government.

If you'd like to check out the Shen Yun show it will be in Modesto at the Gallo Center for the Arts-Mary Stuart Rogers theater October 19, 20, 26, 27. You can get ticket information at <http://shenyun.com>



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Meets Every Friday at
Club Pheasant, 12:15

MEETING RECAP

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Amy Busch



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Visitors and Guests
October 1st 2021

Guests
None
Visitors
None

October 1st, 2021

Meeting Summary

Presiding: **David Kamminga**
Pledge: **Troy Bird**

Rotary Meeting Next Week

Steve Heringer and **Mike Campbell** invite you to our October 15 meeting at the 1883 Schoolhouse in Clarksburg. The meeting will begin at 12:15 and members are invited to arrive early to tour the Schoolhouse. The Schoolhouse is located across the street from Husick's Tap House. The meal will be catered and the cost will be \$20.00.



Photos courtesy of
Tim Kwong

Hear the Call of Rotary Service



Membership in Attendance

Save the Dates

SPEAKER PROGRAM

October 8th

DARK

October 15th

On Location

Old Schoolhouse Project,
Clarksburg

October 22nd


In person at Club Pheasant

Program TBD

October 29th

In person at Club Pheasant

District 5180 Governor



Mondays: Route 9

10/4 Tom Wallace (Tues Delivery)

10/11 Paul Kolarik and John Hills

10/18 Tom Wallace

10/25 Joanie Kapell and JoAnn Moffett

Tuesdays: Route 7

Wednesdays: Route 1

Jeff Post and Kent Ramos—Every Week

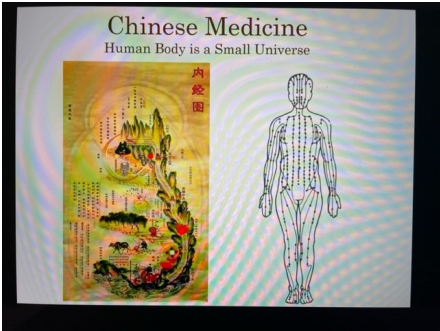
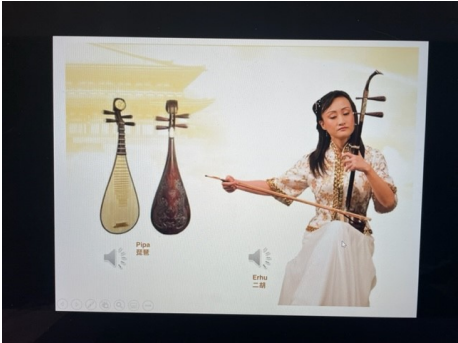
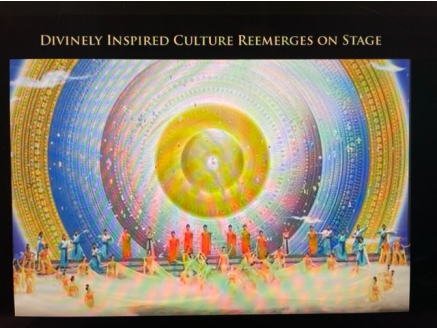
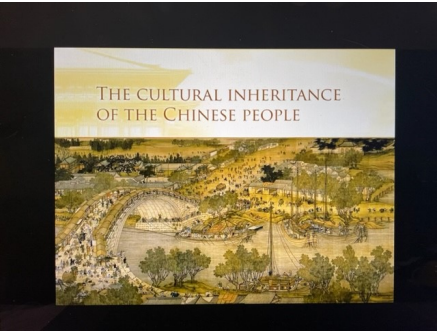
Wednesdays: Route 6

10/6 Pedro Cisneros and Dustin Dumars

10/13 Steve and Donna Heringer

10/20 Shaun Morrow

10/27 Dan Ramos and Pedro Cisneros



Speaker Slides

The President's Page



Steve Heringer



Kumar Sivakumaran

Remarks from President David Kamminga

Greetings my Rotary Family.

Remember October 15 (Next Friday) We will be meeting outside at the 1883 Schoolhouse Project. The meals will be catered and will still be the same \$20 as normal meetings. Then October 22 we will be back to in person meetings outdoors at the Pheasant Club Patio. Thank you all for the patience as we deal with getting life back to normal through this Pandemic.

October 29 is the visit from our District Governor Desiree Wilson. We will be at the Pheasant Club back patio.

The Board of Directors has been working on some more exciting news for the meetings of the future.. stay tuned for that in November.

Yours in Service,

**David Kamminga, 2021-2022 President
Rotary Club of West Sacramento**



David Kamminga's

OPENING REMARKS: *"This Week in History September 18th—October 1st"*

1930 – Ray Charles was Born September 23

1957 – Elvis Presley, doing his public service best, appeared on WKNO-TV in Memphis to promote driver education and traffic safety. At this point in his life he had already had a half a dozen speeding tickets

1959 – The Isley Brothers hit the charts with "Shout" their first of 41 top 100 hits in a 38 year period

1961 – Bob Dylan recorded his first album for Columbia Records

1967 – Aretha Franklin's A Natural Woman was released eventually reaching number 8

1970 – The Partridge Family TV Show debuted on ABC it ran for 96 Episodes it was modeled after the real life group The Cowsills

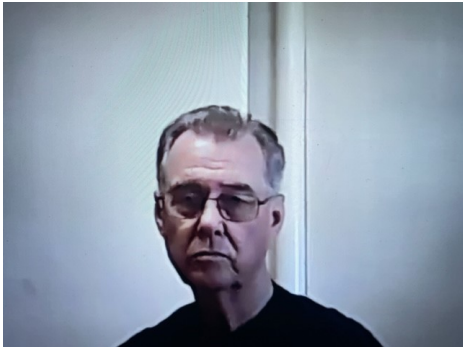
1979 – The Buggles - Video Killed the Radio Star charted in Britain on its way to #1, Ironically, it would become the first video to be played on America's new MTV network

1986 – The Bangles Walk Like an Egyptian ran onto the hot 100, finally stopping at #1

And the number one song in 1969 – Sugar Sugar by the Archies

MEMBERSHIP SPOTLIGHT

Leadership Team	
President	David Kamminga
President-Elect	Jaclyn Powell
Immediate Past President	John Raney
Secretary	Amy Busch
Treasurer	Dustin Dumars
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Club Service	Shaun Morrow
International Service	Kumaraswamy Sivakumaran
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Rotary Foundation	Barry Kalar
Vocational Service	David Santiago
Community Service	Shaun Morrow
Rotary Youth Exchange	Steve Oren
Meals on Wheels	Tom Wallace
Scholarships	Ken Wilson
Club Prayer	Marty Garozzo



Dick Marshall




Shaun Morrow

Birthdays & Anniversaries	
October Birthdays	
Don Clark	5th
Bob Collins	12th
Jeremiah Smith	13th
Ed Rounthwaite	14th
Dean Labadie	22nd
Wayne Enke	27th
Tammy Linker	29th
October Anniversaries	
Bill and Robin Bevier	5th, 36 years
Dean and Janice Labadie	10th, 37 years
Katie and Oscar Villegas	17th, 29 years

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

Wade “Steve” Thorpe



Steve, has been approved by the Board as a prospective member. If an active member has any concerns or objections to a proposed new member, he/she should contact Membership Chair Denice Domke, or any Rotary Club of West Sacramento Board Member.

Steve is a West Sacramento resident and a past member-in-good-standing of the Mighty Rotary Club of West Sacramento (1983-2010). H’s proposed for membership and sponsored by Barry Kalar. While technically “retired”, Steve fills his days as an Adjunct Professor (Sac City College), Chair of the Yolo County Retired Peace Officers Assn and Committee Member of the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

Brian Russ



Brian has been approved by the Board as a prospective member. If an active member has any concerns or objections to a proposed new member, he/she should contact Membership Chair Denice Domke, or any Rotary Club of West Sacramento Board Member.

Brian is a West Sacramento resident and a past member-in-good-standing of the Rotary Club of Santa Cruz, CA (2008-2011) — category Law-Business. He’s proposed membership and sponsored by Peter Anderson. Brian is a Paul Harris Fellow and looks forward to being active in our club. His law firm, Brian Russ Law, Inc. is based in West Sacramento. Brian is the Vice President of the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce.

Stay Connected to Rotary



OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the: ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD: The application of ideal of service by every Rotarian to his/her/ personal, business and community life;

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideals of service.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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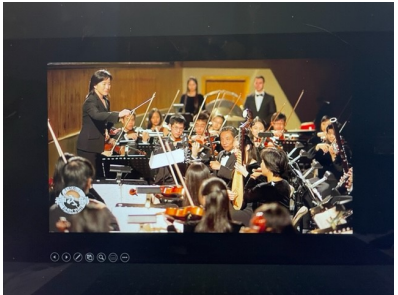
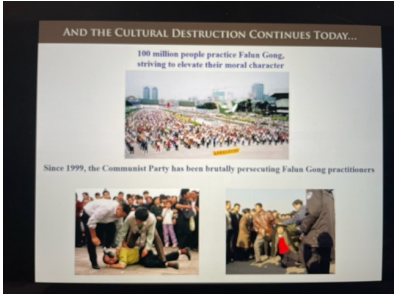
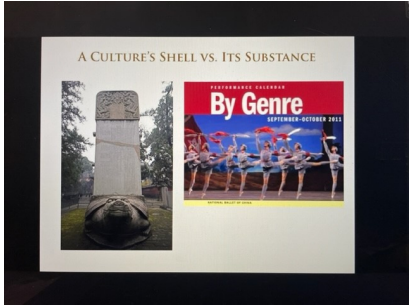
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4 Way Test

Of the Things we Think, Say or Do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and better **FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



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YOUR LINKS TO ROTARY

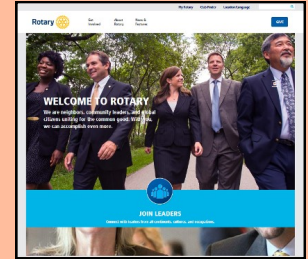


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2021-2022
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Shekhar Mehta



2021-2022
Rotary District 5180 Governor
Desiree Wilson



2021-2022
Rotary District 5180 Assistant Governor
Martha Ng



District 5180 Rotary Clubs Meeting Times and Locations So You Can Make Up Each Week

Day	Who	When	Where	Who	When	Where
Mon	Foothill Highlands	12:15pm	Lions Gate at McClellan Park	Walnut Grove	12:30pm	Tony's Place
	Sacramento	12:15pm	Red Lion Hotel—Woodlake	Fair Oaks	6:45pm	Fair Oaks Community Clubhouse
Tues	Oroville Sunrise	7:00am	The Monday Club	Oroville	Noon	The Monday Club
	Rancho Cordova Sunrise	7:00am	Cordova Casino	Marysville	12:10pm	Peachtree Country Club
	Sacramento Breakfast	7:15am	Evan's Kitchen	Rancho Cordova	12:15pm	Rancho Cordova City Hall
	West Sacramento Centennial	7:00am	Collins Teen Center	Loomis Sunset	5:30pm	Refer to Home Page
Wed	Arden Arcade	Noon	Piatti	Carmichael	6:30pm	Ancil Hoffman Golf Course Clubhouse
	Folsom Lake—Folsom	Noon	Empire Ranch Golf Club	South Placer—Rocklin	Noon	Whitney Oaks Golf Club
	El Dorado Hills	7:15am	Community Service District	Citrus Heights	12:15pm	Citrus Heights City Hall
	Laguna Sunrise	7:45am	Valley Hi Country Club	North Sacramento	12:15pm	Doubletree Hotel
	East Sacramento	Noon	Evan's Kitchen Banquet Room	Yuba City	12:15pm	Hillcrest Plaza Room
Thu	Elk Grove	12:15pm	Chason's Crab Stadium	Midtown Sacramento	5:30pm	Café Bernardo
	Historic Folsom	7:00am	Folsom Veterans Hall (VFW)	Lincoln	Noon	Lincoln Women's Club (2nd/4th)
	Roseville Sunrise	7:00am	Gingers Restaurant	Lincoln	6:00pm	Beermann's Restaurant (1st/3rd)
	South Yuba County	7:00am	Peach Tree Restaurant	South Sacramento	11:30am	Casa Garden Restaurant
	Pocket-Greenhaven	7:30am	Aviators, Executive Airport	Folsom	7:00pm	Rotary Clubhouse-Lew Howard Park
	North Sacramento	Noon	Lemmon Law Office (1st)	Roseville	Noon	Sierra View Country Club
	North Sacramento	5:30pm	Mama Kims (3rd)	Gridley	Noon	Parish Hall
Fri	Rocklin-Loomis Basin	7:00am	The Window Box Cafe	Rotart eClub	6:00pm	Next mtg February 9th
	Orangevale	7:00am	La Placita Restaurant	Natomas	7:15am	Denny's
	Point West	7:00am	Doubletree Hotel	Granite Bay	12:15pm	Cattlemens Steakhouse
	Twin Rivers	6:15pm	Aviator's Restaurant (1st and 3rd)			