

Chips from the Buzzsaw

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Karen Larsen Yolo County Health and Human Services

By President David Kamminga

Karen Larsen has been with the Yolo County Health and Human Services for over 8 years. She enjoys the community of Yolo County/West Sacramento.

She made her presentation using the Zoom link.

Covid

The Omicron Strain is the most prevalent strain in Yolo county currently accounting for 95% of the cases. She encourage people to wear N95 masks and get their vaccine and boosters. The Case rate is at an all time high since the covid pandemic started. The Omicron is also much milder than previous strains and it is more like a cold/mild flu. Karen also shared the new isolation guidelines. Covid positive people should isolate for 5 days if no symptoms are present and now a negative test, but still wear a mask for the next 5 days. Health Care workers have longer isolation times, unless there is a health care staff shortage, then the isolation period is either shortened or eliminated.

Homeless

Project Roomkey is funded by the State and it's objective is to protect public health, Isolate medically vulnerable, and lessen the demand on local shelters. The County is partnering with the Cities of Yolo County, The Public Defenders office and service providers (non profit charities) to work on these issues.

Crisis Now

There are four core elements of transforming Yolo County Crisis Services. HighTech Crisis Center/24/7 mobile crisis/Crisis Stabilization Programs/Essential Principles and practices. 50% of the 5150 cases that go to the hospital are just released and the remainder of them are released in 2-4 days.



Club 558 of District 5180
PO Box 288
West Sacramento, CA
95691
Meets Every Friday at
Club Pheasant, 12:15

MEETING RECAP

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Photos courtesy of
Tim Kwong



Tammy Linkler tries for the Joker but wins a free lunch



Troy Bird



Marty Garozzo won a free lunch after drawing the Ace of Spades

Visitors and Guests January 14th, 2022

Guests
None

Visitors
Paul Friedrich — Point West

January 14th, 2022 Meeting Summary

Presiding: **David Kamminga**
Pledge: **Ken Wilson**
Opening Blessing: **Marty Garozzo**
Song Master: **Dick Marshall**,
"America the Beautiful"
Raffle: **Tammy Linker**, King of
Spades, \$578
Foundation Raffle: **Peter Anderson**

January 7th, 2022 Meeting Summary

Presiding: **David Kamminga**
Pledge: **Peter Anderson**
Opening Blessing: **Marty Garozzo**
Song Master: **none**
Raffle: **Marty Garozzo**, Ace of
Spades, \$541
Foundation Raffle: **Marty Garozzo**

Save the Dates



Marty Garozzo

Club Calendar

January 28th — District Governor Visit
February 1th — Anniversary Dinner
February 25th — Speech Contest




David Kamminga and Troy Bird



Above: Bill Bevier, Peter Anderson, Barry Kalar, Ron Chambers, and Dick Marshall

Right: Tammy Linkler and Jay Stewart





Mondays: Route 9

1/24 Paul Kolarik and John Hills
1/31 Tom Wallace
2/7 Joanie Kapell and JoAnn Moffett
2/14 Tom Wallace

Wednesdays: Route 1

Jeff Post and Kent Ramos—Every Week

Wednesdays: Route 6

1/26 Pedro Cisneros and Dustin Dumars
2/2 Steve and Donna Heringer
2/9 Shaun Morrow
2/16 Dan Ramos and Mike Campbell

SPEAKER PROGRAM

January 21st

Steve Binns
Chief, West Sacramento Fire Department

January 28th

Desiree Wilson
District Governor

February 4th

TBD



Future Rotarians

Chunks from the Buzzsaw

River City High School Interact Club News

Dear Rotary Club of West Sacramento,

River City High School's Interact would like to thank the Rotarians who purchased a charity ticket at this past meeting. We are proud to say that we have sold 100 tickets, raising 850 dollars for our club. The money raised from this fundraiser will be going to this years focus for our international event, supporting organizations that help indigenous peoples in Canada. Thank you once again.

Sincerely,

Cara Mann

FUTURE ROTARIAN



Kalia Quenga

Kalia is a senior at River City High School. She is very involved in Interact, serving as a Former President and the Club's Webmaster. Her goal for the club is "to reach out to more students at River City and participate in more events throughout the community now that we are coming out of isolation from the pandemic." After graduation Kalia is moving to Japan and will attend university there after taking a gap year.

FUTURE ROTARIAN



Cara Mann

Cara Mann is a senior at River City High School. She has been in Interact for all four years. Throughout her years she has led as secretary, vice president, and currently president. Last year, the club's national project was to raise funds for Kisaan Farmers and this year, she looks forward to raising funds for indigenous people in Canada. A fun fact about Cara is she enjoys snowboarding.



Left: RCHS Interact Members decorated the Teen Center

Right: RCHS Interactors helping Shaun Morrow and the Rotary Club of West Sacramento with the YCCA Toy Distribution



The President's Page

Remarks from President David Kamminga

Greeting Fellow Rotarians,

Well the Zoom Simulcast of our meeting this past week went quite well. We do need a sound system to be complete. Not only did we have some members attend the meeting remotely, we also had both a visiting Rotarian (Paul Friedrich of Point West) who made a presentation about a global grant project that we can participate in. We also had our speaker make her presentation via the Zoom call.

We will be getting a sound system in place and then we are able to project the zoom call with sound so we can all see and hear the remote attendees.

If you cannot attend the meeting in person, you are encouraged to attend remotely via Zoom.

Next up.... The By Laws presentation. The Executive Board has prepared modern bylaws and a constitution that are in line with the Rotary International ones. We will be emailing these out to the whole club in the next few weeks (Hard copies will be made available at meetings and upon request) Then after we have had a few weeks to look them over, we will set a date for a vote of the whole club to approve them. You may vote at the meeting or on Zoom attending the meeting.

Yours in Rotary Service,
David Kamminga, 2021-2022 President
Rotary Club of West Sacramento



The President's Page

David Kamminga's

OPENING REMARKS: *"This Week in History December 18th—January 7th"*

1955 – Carl Perkins recotdded his famous Blue Suede Shoes

1957 – Elvis Presley's Christmas Present was his draft notice, it was served to him at his home in Memphis

1964 – Brian Wilson of the Beach Boys suffered a nervous breakdown during a flight from Los Angeles to Houston. He gave up performing and was replaced for gigs by studio musician Glenn Campbell and later ex Rip Chords member Bruce Johnson.

1960 – Johnny Cash played his first of many free concerts at San Quentin Prison, Country star to be Merle Haggard was a convict in the audience.

1965 – California Dreaming by the Mamas and the Papas was released

1967 – The Beatles album Magical Mystery Tour charted in the US eventually rising to Number One where it stayed for 8 weeks.

1969 – Diana Ross and the Supremes made their final TV appearance together when they performed Someday We'll be together on the Ed Sullivan Show

1974 – Carly Simon, Joni Mitchell, Linda Rondstadt, and James Taylor enjoyed Christmas Eve by singing Christmas Carols Door to Door in Los Angeles

1986 – The Bangles Walk Like an Egyptian became their biggest hit topping the charts for the first of four weeks

And the number one song in 1961 – The Lion Sleeps Tonight by the Tokens

David Kamminga's

OPENING REMARKS: *"This Week in History January 7th—January 14th"*

1944 – Jo Stafford formerly of the Pied Pipers had her first of 78 top 100 singles Old Acquaintance which reached the charts on its way to number 14, her seventy eight hits were compiled in only 13 years from 1944-1957

1946 – Elvis parents bought him a guitar for his eleventh birthday from a Tupelo hardware store, Elvis wanted a bicycle but his mother was afraid he might get hurt.

1956 – Rock and Roll took an exciting turn with the release of Frankie Lyman and the Teenagers "Why do Fools Fall In Love" #6 on Pop #1 on R&B

1964 – The Beatles "I Want To Hold Your Hand" debuted on the American charts at #80 from advance orders and airplay even though it was still two days from being released

1965 – The Righteous Brothers were in London, their new single "You've Lost That Loving Feelin'" was featured on the TV show Juke Box Jury, all four panelists voted it a miss and one even questioned if it was being played at the right speed. By February 4, it was number 1 in Both the United States and England

1969 – While filming the TV Show "Get Back", George Harrison announced he was Quitting the Beatles. Ringo Starr summed it up by saying "George had to leave because he thought Paul was dominating him, Well, He was. Adding to George's displeasure was the constant intrusive behavior of the ever present Yoko Ono

And the number one song in 1967 – I'm a Believer by The Monkees

MEMBERSHIP SPOTLIGHT

Leadership Team	
President	David Kamminga
President-Elect	Jaclyn Powell
Immediate Past President	John Raney
Secretary	Amy Busch
Treasurer	Dustin Dumars
Membership	Denice Domke
Speaker Chair	Dick Marshall
Interact Advisor	Kat Gallagher
Youth Service	Jaonie Kapell JoAnn Moffett
Club Service	Shaun Morrow
International Service	Kumaraswamy Sivakumaran
Sergeant at Arms	Marty Garozzo
Social Media/PR	Peter Anderson
Finemasters	Chris Bradford Katie Villegas
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



Bill Bevier and Peter Anderson



Dustin Dumars and Amy Busch



Birthdays & Anniversaries	
January Birthdays	
Ron Chambers	11th
Joe Villanueva	25th
Steve Heringer	28th
Bob Ceccato	29th
January Anniversaries	
Mr. and Mrs. Dustin Dumars	24th
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Engstrom	30th



Joanie Kapell, JoAnn Moffett, and Kat Gallagher

Peter Anderson and Troy Bird



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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Deadline for all materials you would like published in the CHIPS is Tuesdays!



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?

The West Sacramento Rotary Dome Stadium

LOCATION:
JEFFERSON BLVD.
WEST SACRAMENTO

SEATING CAPACITY:
60,740
PROJECTED COMPLETION DATE:
SEPT. 1ST, 2000

OPEN STADIUM ROOF

CLOSED STADIUM ROOF

ARTIST'S CONCEPT OF The West Sacramento Rotary Dome

WITH RETRACTABLE DOMED CEILING IN BOTH THE OPEN & CLOSED POSITIONS, ACCOMMODATING OVER 60,000 FANS REGARDLESS OF THE SEASON OR WEATHER

Stay Connected to Rotary



YOUR LINKS TO ROTARY

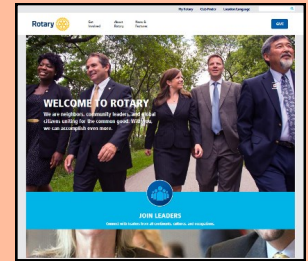


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Rotary District 5180
<http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/home.aspx?did=5180>

2021-2022
Rotary International President
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	Website	Who	When	Website
Mon	Foothill Highlands	12:15pm	Foothillhighlandslotary.org	Walnut Grove	12:30pm	Walnutgrooverotary.org
	Oroville	12:00pm	Rotaryoroville.com	Fair Oaks	6:00 pm	Rotaryfair Oaks.org
Tues	Oroville Sunrise	7:00am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/8432	Midtown-Sacramento	5:30 pm	Midtownsacrotary.org
	Sacramento	12:00 pm	Rotarysacramento.org	Carmichael	6:30 pm	Carmichaelrotary.org
	West Sacramento Centennial	7:00 am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9129	Rancho Cordova	12:15pm	RotaryclubofranchoCordova.org
Wed	Arden Arcade	12:00 pm	Ardenarcaderotary.com			
	Folsom Lake	12:00 pm	Folsomlakerotary.org	South Placer	11:45 am	Southplacerrotary.org
	El Dorado Hills	7:15am	Edhrotary.org	Citrus Heights	12:15pm	Chrotary.org
	Laguna Sunrise	7:45am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9112	Elk Grove	12:00 pm	Elkgroverotary.org
	East Sacramento	12:00 pm	Portal.clubrunner.ca/2027	Yuba City	12:15pm	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9130
	Historic Folsom	7:00am	Historicfolsomrotary.org	Lincoln	12:00 pm	LincolnCaRotary.org
	Clarksburg	6:00 pm	Portal.clubrunner.ca/13810	Placer Valley Sunrise	7:00 am	Placervalleysunriserotary.com
Thu	South Yuba County Sunrise	7:00 am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9131	South Sacramento	11:45 am	Southsacrotary.org
	Pocket-Greenhaven	7:30 am	Pgr.rocks	Folsom	6:30 pm	Folsomrotary.org
	North Sacramento	12:00 pm	Portal.clubrunner.ca/4563	Roseville	12:00 pm	Rosevillerotary.org
	Marysville	12:00 pm	RotaryClubofMarysville.org	Gridley	12:00 pm	Rotary5180.org/clubinfo/gridley
Fri	Greater Sacramento Passport One	6:00 pm	Rotarypassport.org			
	Orangevale	7:00 am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9117	Natomas	7:15 am	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9116
	Point West	7:30 am	Pointwestrotary.com	Granite Bay	12:00 pm	Portal.clubrunner.ca/9110