

Welcome
December 2, 2025

President – Lori Hope





**Please stand for the
Flag Salute**

Michael Green, Sergeant of Arms



Rotary



THE FOUR-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**
& **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4 Will it be **BENEFICIAL**
to all concerned?

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And #5 – For Penn Valley.....



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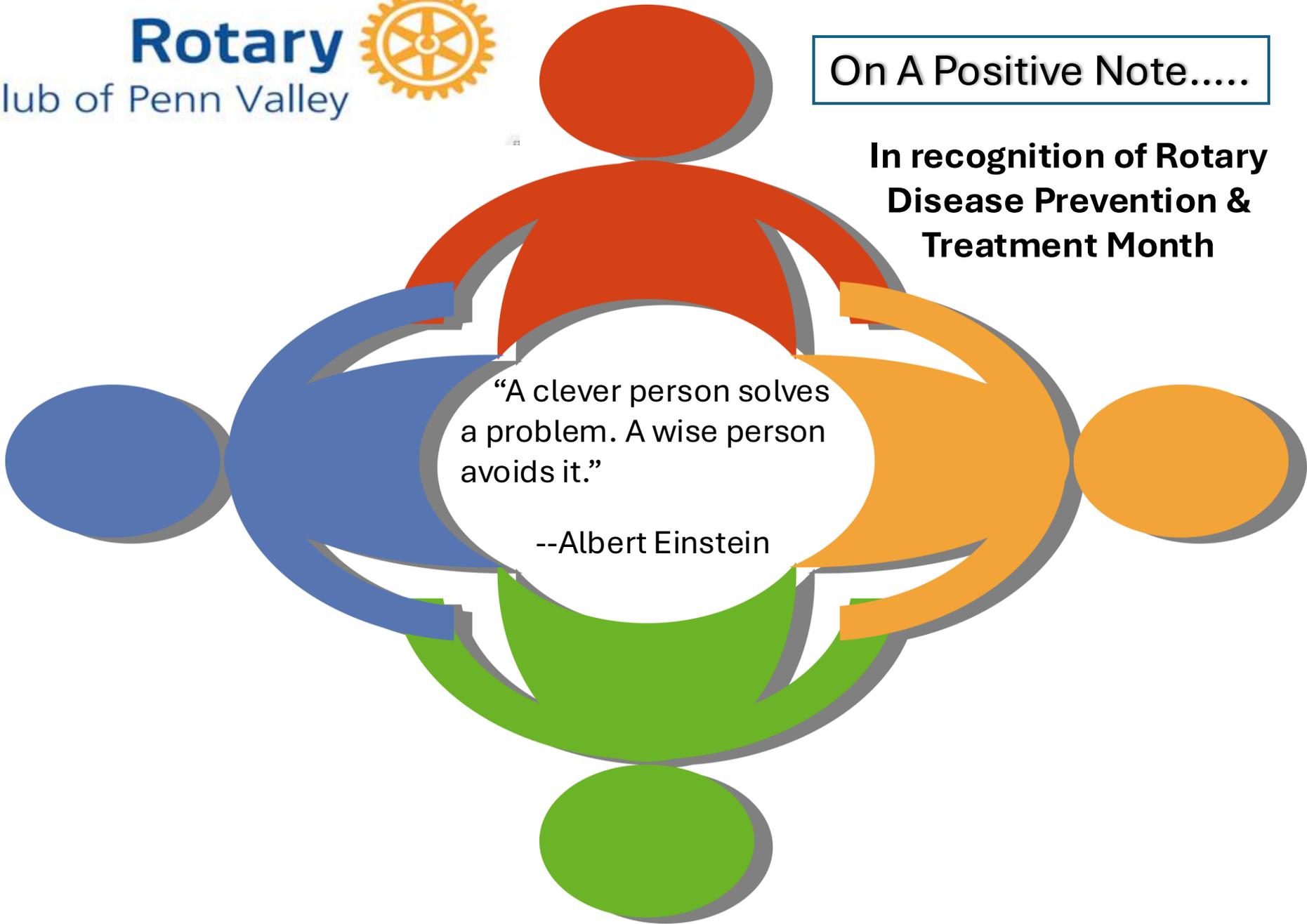
Club of Penn Valley

On A Positive Note.....

**In recognition of Rotary
Disease Prevention &
Treatment Month**

“A clever person solves
a problem. A wise person
avoids it.”

--Albert Einstein



Visiting Rotarians & Guests

Welcome



CELEBRATE GOOD TIMES

December Birthdays and Anniversaries



December Birthdays

Bruce Golder	Dec 5
Pamela Yazell	Dec 31

Rotary Anniversaries

Kathy Williamson	37 Years	Dec 1
Nicole Fan Vacas Gagnon	10 Years	Dec 1
Christi Savoy-Kelly	4 Years	Dec 31

**UNITE
FOR
GOOD**

Project: Hospitality House

We cook and serve on the 4th Wednesday (Exception: Not in December)

Next Service Date: January 28, 2026

To help cook and serve,
contact Pamela Yazell 530-277-8349







Today's Guest Speaker

Sienna Crawford, Development Director





***Sienna Crawford
Development Director
Bright Futures for Youth***



**THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB
NEO | SAFE**



How We Meet the Needs of Our Youth

THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB

NEO

SAFE



Stronger Together

BRIGHT FUTURES FOR YOUTH



**The
Friendship
Club**



- Leveraging resources
- Increased ability to raise funds
- Youth can participate & benefit from all three programs

Opening Doors

Making Dreams Come True



Celebrating 5 Years of Bright Futures for Youth

OUR GROWTH FROM 2020 TO 2025

- Five times more kids participating in our programs
- 300% increase in meals served
- 500 youth helped by SAFE



Connecting Kids to Prevent Substance Abuse

Friday Night Live/Club Live:



- County-funded
- Hosts fun events at 6 schools
- More than 100 kids, 4-12th grade students
- Peer-to-peer counseling
- Coaching & adult role models

Positive Youth Development

Building a foundation for success with **POSITIVE ...**

EXPERIENCES



**Build
Competence**

RELATIONSHIPS



**Instill
Confidence**

ENVIRONMENTS



**Promote
Health & Safety**

RISK FACTORS

Affecting Young People

IN NEVADA COUNTY...

- **1 of every 5** children lives under federal poverty line (US Census Bureau)
- **1 in 7** youth face food insecurity (Feeding America—supplies food to food banks)
- **1 in 20** youth is experiencing homelessness (CA Dept. of Education)

Partnering with families as well as public & private organizations

PRIVATE PARTNERS

- Parents & Guardians
- Family Support Organizations
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Community Donors

PUBLIC PARTNERS

- Schools
- Health & Mental Wellness Providers
- County/City Services
- Law Enforcement

Making the Next Generation the Best Generation



Connecting with 500+ youth
every month ... and growing

- Academic, social and emotional support
- Tutors & mentors
- College tours, applications & scholarships
- Access to health care and counseling

Making the Next Generation the Best Generation



- Access to housing
- Career path development, internships
- Life-skills training
- Field trips
- Summer camps and clinics

Making the Next Generation the Best Generation

HEALTHY MEALS: A Recipe for Success

- Providing 18,000 meals, *more than double* the number from a few years ago
- SAFE program *alone* provided 2,000+ meals for youth experiencing homelessness
- 2,900+ summer meals, when many youth may not have access to school nutrition programs
- 2,000+ meals every month cooked in our commercial kitchen



Making the Next Generation the Best Generation

Internships: a win-win for everyone

- BFFY benefits greatly from our interns— from our commercial kitchen to year-round programs
- Interns learn valuable skills through the program
- Positions paid through Nevada County workforce grant



Challenges Ahead



- Uncertain economy
- Grant funding reduced or eliminated
- Fewer dollars available to promote health and wellness



How You Can Help

THE FRIENDSHIP CLUB
NEO | SAFE



Monthly Giving Matters



- Provides ongoing and consistent support
- Provides financial stability
- Helps sustain us through challenging times



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Thanks for Joining Us

... and Investing in the Next Generation

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**You are cordially invited to the
Penn Valley Rotary Club Holiday Party**

Player's Pizza, Penn Valley

On Tuesday, December 16

From 5:30 – 7:00 PM

\$10 per person (kids free)



RSVP by Friday, Dec. 12 to Lori Hope -- call or text to 916-975-4329

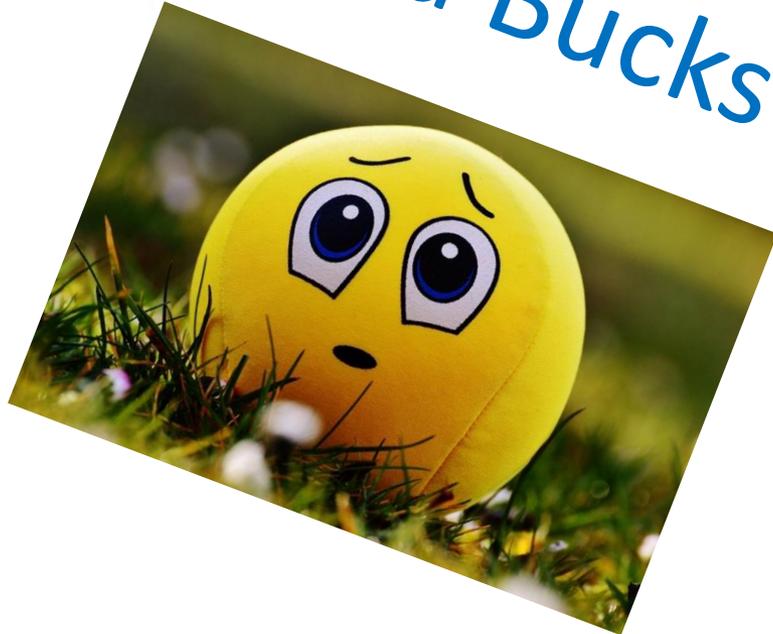
Prizes for Ugliest Holiday Sweater and Funniest Holiday Hat

Serving Pizza, Salad, Dessert and Tea/Soft Drinks

Happy Bucks



Sad Bucks





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TOGETHER WE SEE A WORLD
WHERE **PEOPLE** UNITE AND TAKE ACTION
TO **CREATE** LASTING
CHANGE ACROSS THE GLOBE
IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND IN OURSELVES



December 16, 2025: Holiday Party at Player's Pizza

