

**ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2018 - 2019**

President..... Wes Walker  
Secretary ..... Ian Mackenzie  
Treasurer ..... Ian Mackenzie  
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... Michael Hughett & Tana Widdows  
President-Elect ..... Ross Condit  
Program Coordinator ..... Ross Condit

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**SENIOR DIRECTORS**

**JUNIOR DIRECTORS**

Peter Dean ..... Tom Castillo – 1st Qtr. Programs  
Chris Murphy ..... John Dickinson – 2nd Qtr. Programs  
Jeanette Pagliaro ..... Kris Munro – 3rd Qtr. Programs  
Jill Stone .....Debbie McCarroll – 4th Qtr. Programs

**CLUB SERVICE - Jill Stone**

Attendance ..... Jeanette Pagliaro  
Bulletin ..... T. Castillo, C. Gonzalez, J. Dickinson, B. Brokaw  
Classification ..... Ian Mackenzie  
Club Drawing ..... Masi Bayless  
Detective ..... Sid Slatter  
Historian ..... Marv Jensen  
Invocations ..... Annie Asche  
Membership Background ..... Wally Dale  
Membership Development ..... Aleene Althouse  
Red Badge Advisor.....Aleene Althouse  
Music..... Michael Harrison  
Photographer ..... Donna Maurillo  
Public Relations..... Jill Stone  
Rotary Information ..... Stephen Karon & Gary Reece  
We Care..... Jeanette Pagliaro  
Web Master..... Peter Huemer  
Song Master ..... Jan Derecho  
Fellowship/Greeter ..... Jill Stone & Chris Murphy

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

Club Barbecue ..... Sid Slatter & Wes Walker  
Fundraiser ..... Ross Condit  
Holiday Program..... Stoney Brook

**ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ COMMUNITY FUND**

President ..... Annie Asche  
Secretary/Treasurer ..... Ian Mackenzie

**Be the Inspiration**

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**COMMUNITY SERVICE - Jeanette Pagliaro**

Benevolence and Grants..... Fred Gawlick  
Community Project ..... Jeanette Pagliaro  
Senior Citizens..... Jeanette Pagliaro  
RotaCare ..... Larry Fogelquist  
Salvation Army Bell Ringers ..... Sam Bishop  
Parklet Project Manager ..... Sid Slatter  
Beach Clean Up.....Donna Maurillo  
R.Y.L.A..... Molly Parks  
Interact..... Molly Parks & Kris Munro  
Rotaract ..... Peter Cook  
Speech Contest..... B. Bosso & A. Schwartz  
Youth Exchange ..... Maurice Carillo, Aleene Althouse  
Club Youth Service Chair ..... Elizabeth Clifton-Doolin  
Club Youth Protection Officer..... Jeanette Pagliaro

**VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Peter Dean**

Club Directory ..... Ian Mackenzie  
Career Planning ..... Peter Dean  
Magazine ..... Peter Dean  
Academic Scholarships ..... Richard Beach  
Vocational Scholarships..... Michael Harrison

**INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Chris Murphy**

World Community Service..... Chris Murphy  
Rotary Foundation..... Sid Slatter  
Sister City Coordinator ..... Bill Schuette

**ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ ENDOWMENT**

Chairman ..... Linda Burroughs  
Secretary.....Donna Maurillo  
Treasurer ..... Ian Mackenzie

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS 2018 - 2019**

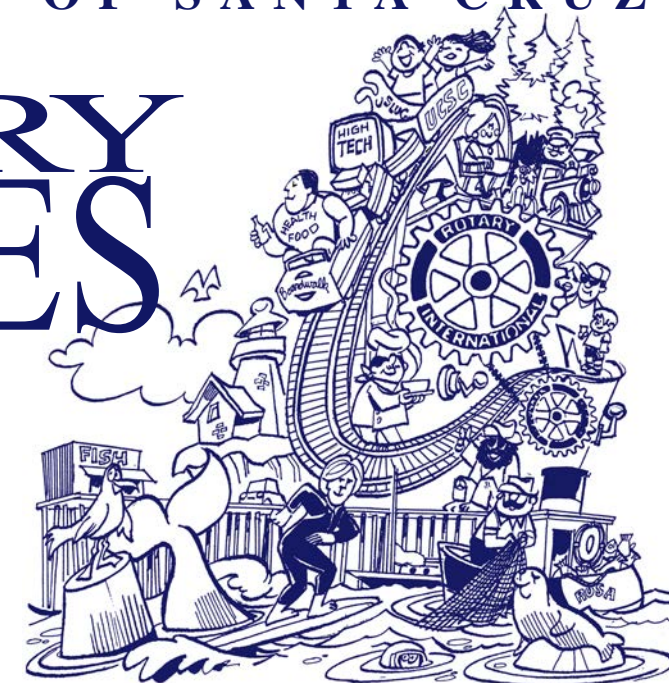
President..... Barry Rassin  
District Governor 5170 ..... Timothy Lundell  
International Convention..... Hamburg, Germany  
Assistant Governor, Area 7 ..... Karen McNamara

**CLUBS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY**

Scotts Valley..... Scotts Valley Hilton ..... Mondays 12:15 PM  
Santa Cruz Sunrise... Back Nine Grill & Bar ..... Tuesdays 7:15 AM  
Freedom..... Valley Heights..... Tuesdays 12:15 PM  
San Lorenzo Valley...Cosa Nostra Restaurant...Wednesdays 7:15 AM  
Ben Lomond  
Watsonville..... Elks Club.....Wednesdays 12:15 PM  
Capitola / Aptos..... Seascape Golf Club..... Thursdays 12:15 PM

**ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ**

**ROTARY SPOKES**



P.O. Box 497 – Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Meets Friday at 12:15 p.m.

The Elks Lodge – 150 Jewel Street

**Be The Inspiration**

**President - Wes Walker**

**Editor - Blaine Brokaw**

**April 26, 2019**

**Today's Program**

**John Feltz – Cruz Foam**

John Felts is Co-founder and CEO of Cruz Foam which creates sustainable and compostable packaging foam by upcycling seafood waste. John has a chemical engineering bachelors degree from UCSB and a masters degree in materials engineering from University of Washington. John, along with Marco and Xiaolin, co-founded Cruz Foam in 2017 with the mission of saving our oceans and helping end the global epidemic of plastic pollution.



**Programs - Debbie McCarroll**

**Invocation - Kasey Hinchman**

**Detective - Stephen Karon**

## April 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting Recap

**OPENING:** We sang God Bless America and Linda Burroughs offered a thought for the day. The basic message was: The only real losers are those who blame others for their own failures. I'm paraphrasing here. Words of wisdom for sure.

### May 4<sup>th</sup> Rotary Fundraiser – See Ross



**CLUB DRAWING:** John Huffman won the drawing. The gift was provided by Annie Asche and included a very nice bottle of liquor in a fancy display case (oooooh).

### **DETECTIVE REPORT:**

Tana Widdows used the theme of travel to elicit all kinds of fun vacation stories from members. The report was very well received and produced very good financial results for the club. Way to go Tana! **Can you guess who is exempt?**



I have to say, John Burroughs has professional form, excellent aim, precision timing and a beautiful follow-through. No, really, I have to say it.

### **Program:**

The program was about urban vegetable gardening. The aim is to reduce pesticides, fuel costs and grow healthier food in your own environment at home.



The speaker was Thomas Wollenberger from Aeroasis and he is a very passionate well spoken young entrepreneur. His company designs and manufactures these in-home vegetable growing enclosures that cut down on water and hasten grow times for more annual harvests. I hope it goes well for he and his company.

### **Podcasts:**

My favorites are: Hardcore History by Dan Carlin and Stuff you Should Know by Josh & Chuck. **If you have a podcast you'd like to share, let me know and I'll put it in the Spokes.**

**Next Week's Program** - Unless you want to come here and take a nap, there won't be a reason to arrive at the Elk's next week. Ross wants us to be rested for the Kentucky Derby Party! Oh, and Go Sharks!

### **Books:**

My next read will be "The History of the Future" by Blake Harris. It's about the information Google, Facebook and other tech companies use, for and against you. **If you would like to recommend a book, let me know and I'll put it in the Spokes.**

### **Birthdays**

John Kiefer	April 30
Phil Allegri	May 6
Ed Penniman	May 12
Pete Prindle	May 12

### **Club Anniversaries**

John Brokaw	April 30 – 43 years
Peter Huemer	May 2 – 7 years
Bob Ciapponi	May 4 – 35 years
Jeanette Pagliaro	May 4 – 10 years
Drew Miller	May 8 – 32 years

### **Wedding Anniversaries**

George & Nancy Gallucci	55 years
Ed & Janas Durkee	19 years
Alan & Judy Levin	63 years
Drew & Kathy Miller	41 years

### **Getting prepared for Ross Condit**

As we all know, Ross will be ascending to the office of President. He will possess no executive authority, veto power or executive privilege. He will control no militia, military authority or exercise any emergency powers. Otherwise he'll be all powerful. What I'm trying to say is: Make sure to support Ross with the new Rotary year. Say yes to volunteer opportunities and help make Ross' year as successful as this year and all our past years. Oh, and Go Warriors!

### **Rotary Raffle**

There are a few open opportunities for raffle donations. See Masi Bayless to sign up and host a prize.

### **They don't Bite!**



Make new friends right in the club. Sit with folks you don't know well. We all share common interest in Rotary and there are a lot of fun members you should get to know.

### **A Bite of Reality:**

Donna, Blaine, Janet, Peter, Fred, Jeanette all participated in the Bite of Reality event for Harbor High. Fred sold 3 boats at his leisure activities table! It was fun!

## **Coming Rotary Events**

**May 3<sup>rd</sup>** **Dark -**  
**May 4<sup>th</sup>** Kentucky Derby Fundraiser

**May 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting**  
 Speaker: Richard Hoover  
 Santa Cruz Guitar Co.  
 Invocation: Tom Parker  
 Raffle: Bob Ciapponi  
 Detective: Sam Bishop

**May 17<sup>th</sup> Meeting**  
 Speaker: Academic Scholarships  
 Invocation: Fred Gawlick