

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2024 - 2025

President Jill Stone
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Wes Walker Bill Bonsall - 1st Qtr. Programs
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Ashley Thompson Jan Derecho - 3rd Qtr. Programs
Matt Falconer Jim Courtright - 4th Qtr. Programs

CLUB SERVICE - Wes Walker

Attendance..... Todd Bayless
Bulletin Erik Dybdahl, Galaham Zuanich,
Sharon Caiocca, Steve Solberg
Classification Ian Mackenzie
Club Drawing Fred Leung
Detective Tom Castillo
Historian Marv Jensen
Invocations Elizabeth Hammack
Membership Background Gary Reece
Red Badge Advisor Chris Murphy/Sarah Madsen
Membership Development Chris Murphy/Sarah Madsen
Music Michael Harrison & Sam Bishop
Photographer Donna Maurillo
Public Relations Jill Stone
Rotary Information Gary Reece
We Care Janet Krassow
Web Master Peter Huemer
Song Master Jan Derecho
Fellowship/Greeter Michele Costa

SPECIAL EVENTS

Club BBQ Wes Walker
Fundraiser Ian Mackenzie
Holiday Program Aleene Althouse

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ COMMUNITY FUND

President Angelo DeBernardo
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COMMUNITY SERVICE - Sarah Madsen

Benevolence and Grants Fred Gawlick
Community Project Sarah Madsen
Senior Citizens Jeanette Pagliaro
RotaCare Larry Fogelquist
Salvation Army Bell Ringers..... Sam Bishop
Beach Clean Up Donna Maurillo
R.Y.L.A.Molly Parks & Jim Courtright
Interact..... Molly Parks & Kris Munro
Rotaract .. Sarah Madsen
Speech ContestBob Bosso, Peter Dean & Elizabeth Hammack
Club Youth Service Chair Michele Costa
Club Youth Protection Officer David Terrazas

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Ashley Thompson

Club Directory Ian Mackenzie
Career Planning Ashley Thompson
Magazine Ashley Thompson
Academic Scholarships Richard Beach & Sarah Madsen
Vocational Scholarships..... Michael Harrison

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Matt Falconer

World Community Service Matt Falconer
Rotary Foundation Annie Asche
Youth Exchange David Terrazas
Sister City Coordinator David Terrazas

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ ENDOWMENT

President Linda Burroughs
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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS 2023 - 2024

President Stephanie A. Urchick
District Governor 5170 Jill Duerig
Assistant Governor, Area 7 Jerry Souza
International Convention Calgary, British Columbia, Canada

CLUBS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

Scotts Valley Brookdale Senior Living Mondays 12:15pm
Freedom Go to www.freedomrotary.org for meetings times
Watsonville Elks Club Wednesdays 12:15pm
Santa Cruz Sunrise DeLaveaga Golf CourseThursday 7:15am
Capitola / Aptos Seascape Golf Club Thursdays 12:15pm
San Lorenzo Valley Scopazzi's Thursdays 7:00pm

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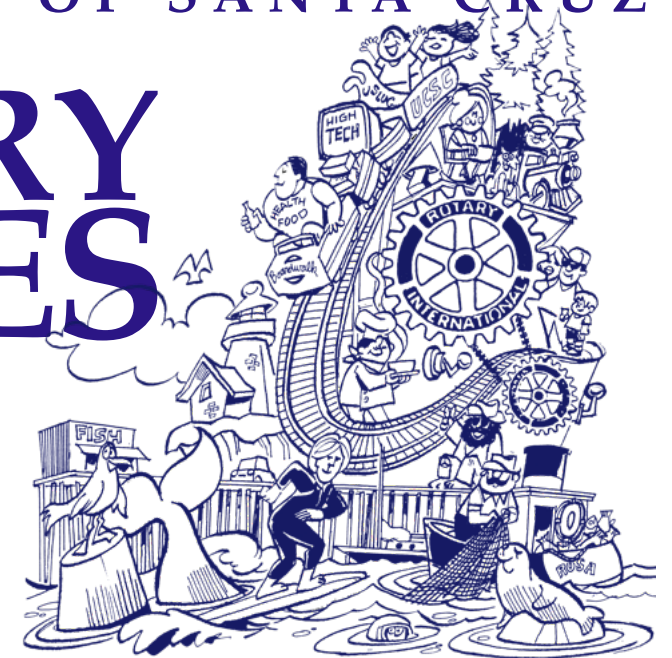
ROTARY SPOKES

P.O. Box 497 - Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Meets Friday at 12:15 pm

The Elks Lodge - 150 Jewel Street

The Magic of Rotary



November 8, 2024

President - Jill Stone

Editor - Galaham Zuanich

Heart Song Animal Healing - Cindie Ambar

Cindie Ambar’s life purpose is to bring joy, healing, and transformation to animals and their human companions. She holds advanced degrees in health policy and sciences, but left a high-paying Silicon Valley career to pursue her calling. Her healing journey began after an accident led her to explore alternative therapies, which sparked her remarkable recovery and revealed her own healing abilities. Now an animal communicator and healer, Cindie helps empower women and boost their business success while specializing in trauma healing for shelter and sanctuary animals. Trained in over 20 healing modalities, she combines gentleness and strength in her approach.

Programs - Aleene Althouse

Invocation - Angelo DeBernardo

Detective - Mike Allard

Announcements: The Santa Cruz Warriors and the Rotary Club of Santa Cruz will once again partner together for the Veterans Day Flag Project at Oakwood Cemetery on Monday, November 11th.

Attention, Party People of Rotary!

Get ready to pop into the holiday spirit at our November Holiday Social Pop-Up! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, November 20—location to be determined, but we promise it'll be somewhere fabulous (and hopefully not too drafty).

Expect good company, holiday cheer, and questionable dance moves. Bring your best festive energy, and maybe a map (just in case we decide on a "mystery location").

Stay tuned for details, and remember: the holiday season only comes once a year, so let's make it count. See you there!

Rotary Christmas Social Alert!

Rotarians, it's time to sleigh! Mark those calendars for December 18 because our Rotary Christmas Social is back and merrier than ever! Get ready for an evening of festive fun, fantastic food, and beverages as spirited as our holiday sweaters.

There'll be enough Christmas lights to make the fire department slightly concerned, and rumor has it that John might just make an appearance as Santa Claus—though we're pretty sure the only "gifts" he's handing out are wisecracks and dad jokes.

So bring your holiday cheer, your questionable dance moves, and your loudest sweater. It's the Rotary party of the year, and you won't want to miss it!

Detective Report: Peter Cook kicked off this week's detective report by soliciting happy dollars. Ashley Thompson was overjoyed that she managed to escape the responsibility of delivering the Rotary invocation last week, thanks to her well-timed vacation. Peter, in his classic form, doubled fines to \$10, much to everyone's groaning delight, and launched into a special "detective report for political junkies."

He decided to test our Rotarian knowledge with some memorable quotes from our very own members. First up was Bob Davidson, who proudly declared, "My rock stack is huge!" That rock stack must be something to behold! Next, fallen Sid Slatter confessed he wouldn't trust Brad Bogard with his Tinker Toy set — wise choice, Sid. And in a twist only our resident chocolatier Ian Mackenzie could deliver, he shared his skepticism about Chinese chocolate,

grumbling, "They don't even use real sugar!"

Peter then reported that the recall of Measure M, the infamous rent control measure, originated in none other than his own living room. Richard Beach, on the other hand, has reached local fame for a distinct lack of political signs in his yard — a true rarity these days.

Peter then turned to Tom Canfield, quizzing him on Measure Z. Tom confidently asserted that Measure Z is "the last measure in the book," a succinct response that only Tom could deliver. Apparently, Manu Koenig has been dubbed the board's most conservative supervisor, a title he presumably wears with pride.

And then, a crowd favorite: Proposition 36, which rolls back Prop 47 and closes that little \$900 "steal as much as you want" loophole. There was a collective sigh of relief from the room.

Peter wore a bold "Vote for Pedro" shirt, and asked Jill Stone if she recognized the movie. Alas, Jill had no idea. And finally, Peter let it slip that Bruce Dunn was the best-looking guy in the club...until he "got fat." He capped off with a shoutout to Shelli Strahle as the only registered libertarian in the room, making her our resident "Libertarian Lone Ranger."

Program:

Monterey Bay Search Dogs is one of only three search-and-rescue teams certified by the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES). As a volunteer organization, they are available around the clock, every day of the year, to assist in both wilderness and urban searches for missing persons across California. They respond to calls statewide, with dedicated volunteers who receive no pay for their service. Specializing in canine search-and-rescue, Monterey Bay Search Dogs focuses on two main disciplines: area searches and human remains detection. These highly trained dogs and handlers work together to locate missing individuals, providing an invaluable service to communities in times of need.

CLUB CALENDAR

Birthdays	
11/10 Macken, Valerie	
11/13 Brokaw, John	
11/14 Atchison, Rodney	
Club anniversaries	
11/8 Madsen, Sarah	5 years
11/8 Althouse, Aleene	18 years
11/11 Krassow, Janet	30 years
11/13 Burroughs, John	32 years
Next Meeting: 11/15	
Detective: Tom Parker	
Invocation: Buzz Anderson	
Raffle: Chris Mumomy	
Upcoming Programs: Wild Rescues	