

## Club Meeting

Antioch  
Meets at Lone Tree  
Golf Course & Event  
Center  
4800 Golf Course  
Road  
Antioch, CA  
Time: Thursday at  
12:15 PM

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## Birthdays

No Birthdays Found

## Wedding Anniversaries



Martha  
Ellen  
Parsons  
August  
5th



Roberto  
Deloso  
August  
8th

## Years of Service



Jeanne  
Krieg  
09-01 -  
1992  
29 Years

Ron  
Parish  
08-09 -  
2011

## This Week's Speaker, Joanne Hodge

By Milanka Schneiderman on Wednesday, July 14, 2021



Joanne joined the Pittsburg Rotary Club in 2006 and has been the President twice and the secretary for several years as well. She has been in real estate since 2002 and she runs Hodge Flight Services at the Concord Airport (providing airplane rentals and training to pilots) along with her husband. She has been a member of the RotaCare Pittsburg Free Medical Clinic Advisory Council since 2012 and is currently the co-chairperson along with Dr. Hewitt.

Fun fact -- She is a minor character in a Sci Fi novel (Wounded Worlds Nihil Novum).

## Ana Cosovic named Antioch Rotary President for 2021 - 2022

By Milanka Schneiderman on Wednesday, July 14, 2021

We are happy to announce that Ana Cosovic is the new Antioch Rotary Club President for 2021 - 2022. Ana is the owner of Service Pros Plumbers in Antioch. Besides the Rotary, Ana has been actively involved in the Antioch Chamber and has been a primary fundraiser with her work at their annual gala events.

Ana is originally from Serbia and came to the United States as a teenager. She started learning the plumbing business from her step dad. Prior to being in Antioch, she lived on the East Coast and attended high school there. She met her partner, Jason in San Francisco which is where she moved to after she graduated high school. They made the decision to move out to Antioch and start their plumbing business. Ana and Jason share three beautiful children together.

Martha Parsons introduced Ana to the Rotary by inviting her to a meeting and the rest is history. Ana has lots of plans for her year including some of our traditional events: Day of Empowering Girls, Kings' Conference, the Bunny Hop 5K, Day of Golf, Holiday Party and a Luau. She also would like our newest members to take on service projects in our local community on a quarterly basis. We have also applied for a district grant to help build a dance floor for our schools and we would like to develop a committee that focuses on elementary school projects.

All of her plans add up to making a difference in the Antioch community and she would welcome everyone's participation because we are all Rotarians that want to serve.



## Upcoming Events

By Milanka Schneiderman on Wednesday, July 14, 2021

We have some events that are the planning process. Please give your feedback to Ana:

- 1) **Giants Game in September.** Joel Harris is arranging for us. The date being considered on 9/14, 9/18 and 9/19. Please let Ana know if you have a preference.
- 2) **Wineries and Dinner.** 9/24 or 9/25. Couple of wineries plus dinner at Rick Kaiser's new restaurant in Healdsburg.
- 3) **A Day on the Potomac.** Sal is working on some dates. Likley October.
- 4) **Rotary Day at the Warriors.** Velma is working on a November game for the whole district. It will be a fundraising opportunity since the Warriors will give back a portion of the ticket price to each Rotary Club that participates for children projects plus a donation to polio.

## Some Changes with the New Rotary Year

By Milanka Schneiderman on Wednesday, July 14, 2021



10 Years



Martha  
Ellen  
Parsons  
09-09-  
2013  
8 Years



Hilda  
Parham  
07-23-  
2015  
6 Years



Joseph  
Adebayo  
08-10-  
2017  
4 Years



#### **Lunch Cost to Increase to \$22.00**

Lone Tree Golf and Event Center has seen their costs rise during COVID and now we will be paying \$22.00 for lunch starting next week. We have the option of doing a plated lunch or buffet.

Please email [milankarotary@outlook.com](mailto:milankarotary@outlook.com) your lunch preference. Please note that if you bring a guest to a meeting, they do have to pay for their lunch unless it is approved by our membership chair, Martha Parsons.

#### **Fines**

Our board of directors have approved a ♦Fine Free Option♦ that is available for \$150.00. This one time cost would make you exempt from all fines except for 1) your phone ringing at a meeting and 2) not standing for the president or the guest speaker when asking a question.

#### **Bylaws for Review**

Our board of directors have updated our 20107 bylaws. The main changes are deleting items that do not apply, adding a youth director and defining a honorary member. If you have any concerns with the updated bylaws, please contact Ana Cosovic for review.

#### **Membership Dues for 2021 ♦ 2022**

We have increased our Member Dues by \$25.00 this year so that every Rotarian in our club contributes to the Foundation. The new dues are \$275.00. If you contribute monthly already and do not wish to pay more, we encourage you to change your monthly contributions at Rotary.org. Our foundation director Paul Kiruuta is available for your questions.

## **Proposed Club Member and Honorary Members for Review**

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### **Potential New Member for Review**

Brenda Hazzard has been approved by the Antioch Rotary Club board of directors for membership. Per our club♦s By-Laws in SECTION 8♦If no written objection to the proposal, stating reasons, is received by the Board from any member of the club within seven (7) days following publication of information about the prospective member, the proposed member shall be considered to be elected to membership. If any such objection has been filed with the Board, the Board shall vote on this matter at its next meeting.? If approved despite the objection, the proposed member shall be considered to be elected to membership.

Brenda owns her own home health care business and she is a registered nurse in Antioch.

### **Potential Honorary Members for Review**

Christine O'Brien and Lindy Maynes-Kolthoff have been approved by the Antioch Rotary Club board of directors for membership subject to our 2021 bylaws. Per our club♦s By-Laws in SECTION 8♦If no written objection to the proposal, stating reasons, is received by the Board from any member of the club within seven (7) days following publication of information about the prospective member, the proposed member shall be considered to be elected to membership. If any such objection has been filed with the Board, the Board shall vote on this matter at its next meeting.? If approved despite the objection, the proposed member shall be considered to be elected to membership.

## Events

### July

15th - [Antioch Weekly Club Meeting](#)

29th - [Antioch Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Tasha Johnson

**Subject:** Youth Director, City Of Antioch

22nd - [Antioch Weekly Club Meeting](#)

### August

5th - [Antioch Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Lynne Mackey

**Subject:** County Board of Education, Superintendent

12th - [Antioch Weekly Club Meeting](#)

## Club Leaders



[Ana Cosovic](#)  
President



[Ron Parish](#)  
President - Elect



[Jacqueline Clarke](#)  
Secretary



[Graeme Darlington](#)  
Treasurer



[Paul Kiruuta](#)  
Rotary Foundation  
Chair



[Martha Ellen Parsons](#)  
Membership Chair



[Tirrell Muhammad](#)  
iPast President



[Milanka Schneiderman](#)  
Assistant Governor



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