



Rotary



Club of  
Vacaville

Monday, December 7, 2020

### Meeting Information

Vacaville  
The Opera House  
Thursday at 12:15 PM

### Club Officers

**Barton Brierley**  
President

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President-Elect

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Chair

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Club Director

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Club Director  
Sergeant-at-Arms

**Donna L. Scolaro**  
Club Director

### This Week's Presenter

**\*\*Zoom Meeting\*\***

**Sandy Rosenthal** founded the non-profit Levees.org in 2005. The group's focus is educating the public that the flooding of New Orleans during Hurricane Katrina was due to federal engineering mistakes, not the wrath of nature.

Her book, *Words Whispered in Water*, is about how, against all odds, she changed the national narrative about the flooding disaster. Mango Publishing, based in Miami.

In March of 2019, Rosenthal unveiled the Flooded House Museum at a major breach site. She initiated the installation of three historic plaques vetted by the state preservation office, hosts an annual levee breach bike tour, and much more.

For those efforts, Rosenthal has been honored with numerous awards most recently including *Outstanding Social Entrepreneur* of the Year from Tulane University and *Most Influential Woman* from Mount Holyoke College. Rosenthal is an advocate for the 55% of the American population living in counties protected by levees.

Sandy's powerful message is bringing to light a mostly unknown yet dangerous situation in many parts of our country and she's an inspiration on how to truly mobilize citizen participation.

### Join Zoom Meeting:

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**John William Seiden**  
Rotary Foundation  
Chair  
Service Projects

**Rick Allen Strand**  
Club Director  
Community Service  
Chair

**John P. Thompson**  
Club Director  
Grants

**Lee Eugene Williams**  
Assistant Governor

**Membership Anniversaries**

Theresa C. Hite  
12-01-1992  
28 Years

Carlos R Mendoza  
12-06-2001  
19 Years

Carol Landry  
12-09-2004  
16 Years

S. Scott Reynolds  
12-12-2007  
13 Years

Shelley Long  
12-01-2010  
10 Years

Jason O'Brien  
12-12-2013  
7 Years

William Frank  
Newton  
12-01-2016  
4 Years

**Birthdays this Month**

Louie DeBartolo  
December 1st

Marjorie Traywick  
December 9th

Jane Shamieh  
December 12th

Brent E. Terrill  
December 14th

Bob Hampton  
December 18th

Denise Smith  
December 24th

Joanie Erickson  
December 26th

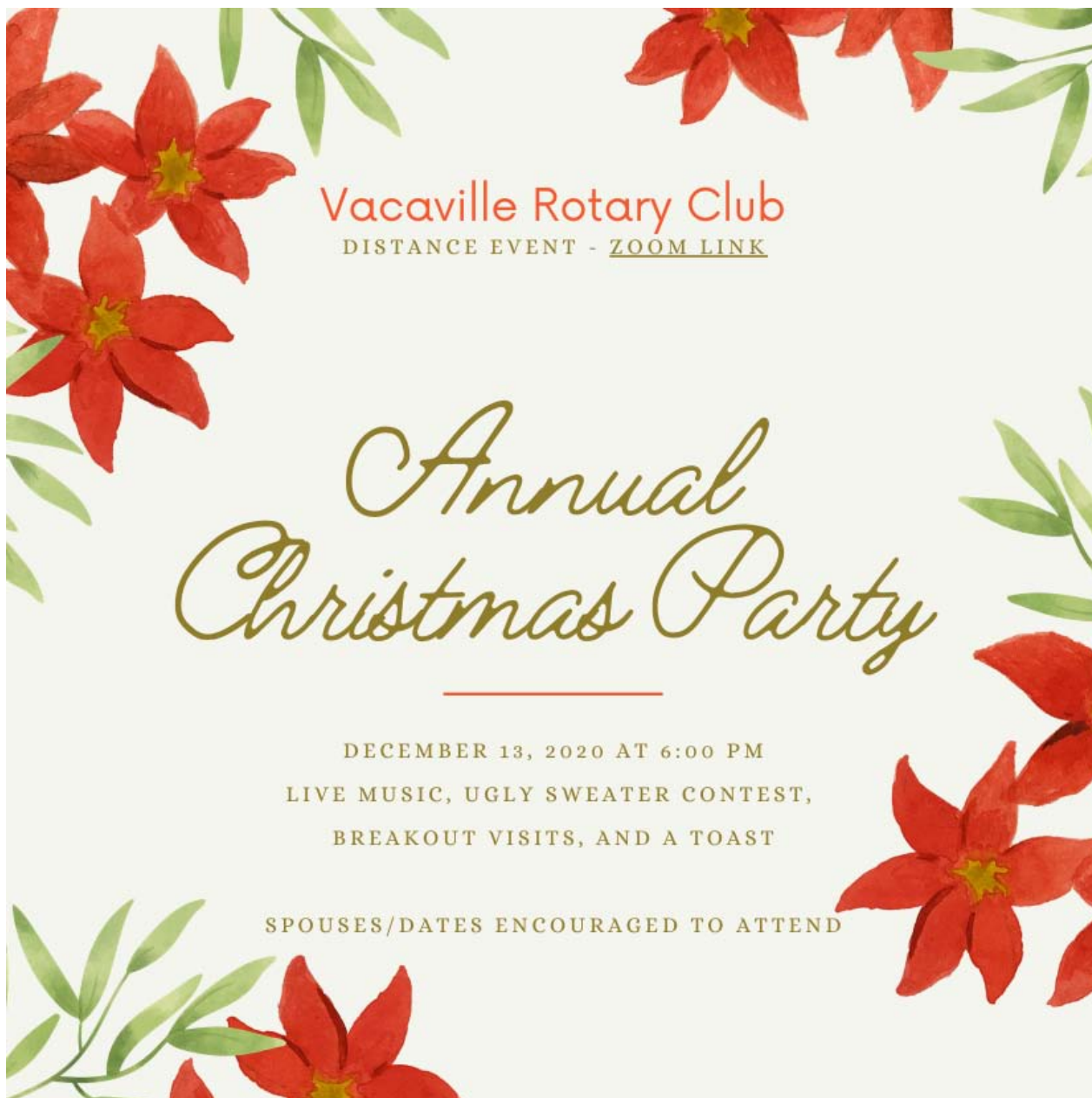
Sherri McBride  
December 30th

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**Rotary Christmas Party 2020**



Vacaville Rotary Club  
DISTANCE EVENT - ZOOM LINK

*Annual Christmas Party*

DECEMBER 13, 2020 AT 6:00 PM  
LIVE MUSIC, UGLY SWEATER CONTEST,  
BREAKOUT VISITS, AND A TOAST

SPOUSES/DATES ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

**Zoom Link - [https://zoom.us/j/6925615594?](https://zoom.us/j/6925615594?pwd=OW1PRXlwS2E5TG81RERoai9wWUlvZz09)** pwd= OW1PRXlwS2E5TG81RERoai9wWUlvZz 09



**Salvation Army Bell Ringers Needed**



Rotarians will support the Salvation Army Kroc Center this season by ringing the bell on Saturday, December 12, from 10 AM to 6 PM. One-hour slots for two ringers are available. Contact Jan Larsen at [jlarsen1153@yahoo.com](mailto:jlarsen1153@yahoo.com) or (707) 334-5064.

**Rotary Gleaning Service Project**

Rotarians,

As some of you know, part of our District Grant, Rotary Feeds Families, includes a Gleaning Project. The Fairfield-Suisun Club makes contact with local homeowners who have trees with ripe fruit. We have found that many people leave the fruit for the birds and other animals as they can not pick the



fruit themselves. We make arrangements to pick the fruit and donate it to the Solano Food Bank, Meals On Wheels or Salvation Army Kroc Center. We have found that we need more hands on deck to pick the fruit and that many Clubs are looking for work projects for their members. I am contacting you to let you know location, date & time of the next few weeks of gleaning. Please feel free to circulate amongst your members. There is no obligation, we just thought if anyone was interested they may want to join in. You can also come and learn what we have done and duplicate it for your own work projects. Please let me know if you have any questions. I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving!

We have some fruit picking poles & ladders, but if you have any please bring your own.  
Here are the next several weeks assignments:

Dec 5<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 am

901 Via Palo Linda

Fairfield CA

Lemons

Wear Gloves & Long Sleeves to protect from thorns

Dec 12<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 pm

6092 Lakeview Circle

Fairfield CA

Oranges

Dec 19<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 am

692 Alpine Court

Fairfield CA

Oranges

Thank you!

Joan Lovell

President 2020-21

Fairfield-Suisun Rotary

(707) 290-3591

## Volunteer Position Available

### Rotary Club Volunteer Position Available

Rotarians, I have been asked to chair the Scholarship Committee for the Club's Endowment Fund. I am excited to assume this role after serving as a member of this committee for four years. However, I ask in turn that another Rotarian become the publisher of this weekly e-Bulletin. DACdb modules are used to prepare the information as well as to publish the file. There's training and inquiry support within the club, district, and beyond. Once up to speed, it takes 1-2 hours each week to complete the tasks.

Please contact me if you are interested in learning more about the e-Bulletin publisher position.

Thank you,

Becky Craig

[Becky@VacavilleChamber.com](mailto:Becky@VacavilleChamber.com)

PH (707) 290-1737

## Bell Ringers

	<p>December 16 Maria Martinucci Milton Steck</p>	<p>December 24 Jan Larsen</p>	<p>December 31 Jeanne Coupe Carlos Mendoza</p>
<p>January 7 Tim Healer Will Hite</p>	<p>January 14 Joanie Erickson Jennifer House Steve Leonetti Dave Plessas</p>	<p>January 28 Louie DeBartolo PJ Goodson Frank Newton Scott Reynolds Jerry Sullivan</p>	
<p>February 4 Shawn Paschal Michael White</p>	<p>February 11 Marleen Maltby Tom Phillippi Lauren Runow Brent Terrill</p>	<p>February 18 James Haskell Paul McGuire Scott Reynolds Bill Seiden</p>	<p>March 4 Carol Landry</p>

## The Rotary Foundation - Club Activity



The mission of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International ("TRF") is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty. Its primary project is to eradicate polio worldwide. Rotarians may contribute to TRF through one-time gifts or ongoing by direct deposit. Every Rotarian is encouraged to donate an amount Every Year. For each \$1,000 donated over any period of time, a Rotarian is designated a Paul Harris Fellow ("PHF", with each subsequent PHF identified with +#). Additionally, a Rotarian who donates \$1,000 annually is designated a Paul Harris Society Member. A Benefactor is a Rotarian who has included TRF in their estate planning. Contact [Bill Seiden](#), Foundation Chair, to learn more.

Click here to [Donate Now](#).

Rotarian	Donation Level		Rotarian	Donation Level
David Aronson	PHF +6		Carlos Mendoza	PHF +1
Greg Banks	PHF +1		Jack Miller	PHF
Barton Brierley	PHF		Frank Newton	PHF
Brian Conner	PHF		Lisa-Ann Nouchi	PHF +8
Jeremy Craig	PHF +1		Randy Osborn	PHF
Becky Craig	PHF +2		Shawn Paschal	PHF +2
Chuck Crouse	PHF		Cynthia Peffers	PHF
Louie DeBartolo	PHF +2		Traci Perry	PHF
Chris Donhost	PHF +1		Tom Phillippi	PHF +1
Jeannie Faller	PHF +3		Dave Plessas	PHF +3
Dave Fleming	PHF		Walt Quinn	PHF +1
PJ Goodson	PHF +1		Tony Ramos	PHF/Benefactor
Bob Hampton	PHF +1		Joe Rapisarda	PHF
Sarah Harper	PHF		Scott Reynolds	PHF +15/Benefactor
Theresa Hite	PHF +3		Donna Scolaro	PHF +5/Benefactor
Dallas Jackson	PHF +6		Bill Seiden	PHF +8/Benefactor
Curt Johnston	PHF		Rob Sesar	PHF +1
Steve Kappel	PHF +1/Benefactor		Milton Steck	PHF +1
Jim Kellogg	PHF +2/Benefactor		Joe Stocking	PHF +3
Kathy Krohn	PHF		Andy Suihkonen	PHF +3
Bob Kyle	PHF +1		Jerry Sullivan	PHF
Carol Landry	PHF +3		Jerry Swank	PHF +1
Jan Larsen	PHF +2/Benefactor		Brent Terrill	PHF +1
Steve Leonetti	PHF +3		John Thompson	PHF +9
Frank Lopez	PHF+1/Benefactor		Michael Vieira	PHF +7
Marleen Maltby	PHF +1/Benefactor		Michael White	PHF +5
Maria Martinuuci	PHF		Martha Williams	PHF +6/Benefactor
Paul McGuire	PHF +1		CC Yin	PHF
Shea McGuire	PHF			
			<i>Per District Report on July 24</i>	

## Past Club Presidents

2019-20 PJ Goodson	1993-94 David Plessas	1968-69 Richard Rico
2018-19 Shawn Paschal	1992-93 Tom Phillippi	1967-68 Fred Petersen
2017-18 Katheryn Tuberty	1991-92 Andy Suihkonen	1966-67 Roy Cobble
2016-17 Scott Reynolds	1990-91 Archie Humphrey	1965-66 Bob Power
2015-16 Carol Landry	1989-90 Ken Hunter	1964-65 Will Wylie
2014-15 Tom Thurmond	1988-89 Randy Osborn	1963-64 Wallis Seidell
2013-14 Rob Sesar	1987-88 Eldon Ray	1962-63 Paul Nielsen
2012-13 Mike Vieira	1986-87 John Thompson	1961-62 Ed Power, Jr.
2011-12 Martha Williams	1985-86 Dave Aronson	1960-61 Bob Meyer
2010-11 Steve Leonetti	1984-85 Angelo Vieira	1959-60 Douglas Thompson
2009-10 Dallas Jackson	1983-84 Jack Rich	1958-59 John Rico
2008-09 John Van Vessem	1982-83 Jack Weir	1957-58 Tom Murray
2007-08 Joanie Erickson	1981-82 Gary Tatum	1956-57 Leland Stith
2006-07 Theresa Hite	1980-81 Andy Collins	1955-56 Bud Gott
2005-06 Mike Clark	1979-80 Jerry Adams	1954-55 Rudy Werner
2004-05 Donna Scolaro	1978-79 Joe Stocking	1953-54 Carl Hoffman
2003-04 Tony Ramos	1977-78 Walter Graham	1952-53 Walter Weir
2002-03 John Long	1976-77 Morris Wasserman	1951-52 Roy Shaw/Jim McCrory
2001-02 Marleen Maltby	1975-76 Charles Wynn	1950-51 Fred Schooler
2000-01 Brent Terrill		

1999-00 Steve Kappel	1974-75 Mike Conner	1949-50 Pat Heffernan
1998-99 Gregg Werner	1973-74 Lyle Welch	1948-49 Frank Douglass, Jr.
1997-98 Keith Hitzeman	1972-73 Bill Stith	1947-48 Al Johnson
1996-97 Deanna Myhre	1971-72 Otis Brown	1946-47 Ken Glines
1995-96 Jim Kellogg	1970-71 Obie Ladd	1945-46 Kadj Wolff
1994-95 Paul McGuire	1969-70 James Hanson	1944-45 Frank Douglass (Charter)

### Presentation Schedule

December 10th  
Sandy Rosenthal  
Words Whispered in Water

December 13th  
Virtual Christmas Party  
Fun Festivities for All

January 14th  
Dr Carol  
Rebalancing Your Body

December 13th  
Rotary Christmas Party 2020

December 17th  
Matt Gardner, Executive Director  
California Biomanufacturing Center

### Events Calendar

Zoom - <https://zoom.us/j/6925615594?pwd=OW1PRXlwS2E5TG81RERoai9wWUlvZz09>

December 13th - 6:00 PM  
**Virtual Christmas Party**

### Rotary Clubs in Solano County

[Benicia](#)  
[Dixon](#)  
[Fairfield-Suisun Twilight](#)  
[Solano Sunset](#)  
[Vacaville](#)  
[Vallejo](#)

[Cordelia](#)  
[Fairfield-Suisun](#)  
[Rio Vista](#)  
[Vaca Valley Eventide \(Vacaville\)](#)  
[Vacaville Sunrise](#)

### Account Leaders

Mark A. Roberts  
District Governor  
Kathleen M. Suvia  
DG-Elect