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MAKE-UP LOCATIONS

COVINA - Sunrise 7:15 am South Hills Country Club 2655 N. Citrus Ave., West Covina

RANCHO DEL CHINO - 7:15 am Papachinos Grill & Greens 14501 Ramona Ave., Chino

WALNUT VALLEY - 7:15 am The Diamond Bar Golf Club 22751 Golden Springs Dr., Diamond Bar

WEDNESDAY:

CHINO - 12:00 pm Chino Community Building

CLAREMONT - Sunrise 7:15 am St. Ambrose Episcopal Church 830 W. Bonita Ave., Claremont

SAN DIMAS - 12:00 pm Via Verde Country Club 1400 Avenida Entrada, San Dimas

UPLAND - 12:00 pm Landecena Community Center 1325 E. San Bernardino Rd., Upland

WEST COVINA - 12:15 pm South Hills Country Club 2655 S. Citrus Ave., West Covina

THURSDAY.

COVINA - 12:10 pm South Hills Country Club 2655 S. Citrus St., West Covina

LA VERNE - 7:30 am Univ. of La Verne President's Dining Room 1950 3rd St., La Verne

ONTARIO - 12:00 pm DoubleTree Hotel 222 N. Vineyard Ave., Ontario

FRIDAY

ARCADIA - 12:00 pm Embassy Suites 211 E. Huntington Dr., Arcadia

CLAREMONT - 12:00 pm DoubleTree Hotel 555 W. Foothill Blvd., Claremont

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ROTARY AND FAIRPLEX - Pomona Rotarians had a strong hand in the formation of the Fair in 1922, the year after the club was chartered.

Charter President Fred W. Whyte brought a group of businessmen together for what was to become the Los Angeles County Fair Association which remains active today. Through the years, Rotarians have always been members of the Association, as well as serving on the board of directors.

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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Nov 7 - Bill Harford - Humane Society

FUTURE PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Nov 14 - Students

Nov 21 - Yesenia Arias - Foothill Gold Line

Nov 28 - Inside Out art shows

Dec 5 - Raghada Khoury - District Governor

WEEK (Oct 31st, 2017)

GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS

Dolores Alba, a retired educator, and Sylvia Scott, a licensed cosmetology instructor also involved in real estate and fundraising, joined Monique Manzanares. Terri Long, vice president of academic affairs for Long Beach City College, joined Rosanne Bader. Kirk **Pelser**, deputy city manager of the City of Pomona, joined Jeff Keating.

AROUND THE CLUB

Our donations helped The Club raise a total of \$370 for Walmart gift cards for families in Puerto Rico that were affected by the Hurricanes.

PRESIDENT'S MOMENT

We have amazing Rotarians.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Tami Farley is still looking for more volunteers to help give away 120 pairs of shoes at our Leslie Lewis Good for the Sole shoe drive on November 11th from 7 to 10am at Big 5 Sporting Goods.
- Paul Capraro will be retiring from Pomona Police this winter. We will be celebrating with a get-together at Darren Krohn's house on December 8th at 6pm. Please bring \$20 to Beth Brooks to cover expenses.
- The Club will be hosting its 49th Annual Achievement Awards Gala on November 10th at 5:30pm at the Sheraton Fairplex Hotel honoring Cal Poly Pomona President Soraya Coley. If you would like to attend, contact Beth Brooks, who is putting together a few Rotary tables. She has 20 half-price tickets available.
- Find Darren Krohn and Curt Annett on Coliseum Dr. after the Trojan's Homecoming game for a tailgate party on November 4th.
- The Pomona Chamber of Commerce is hosting a mixer with appetizers and wine at the Latino Art Museum at 6pm on November 11th.
- Richard Martinez is looking for donations to cover air fare for the 7 Femineers from 11th grade at Garey High School who will be competing for \$15,000 at MIT next year with an invention to change the world.
- Pilgrim Congregational Church is hosting their annual auction on November 12th at 5pm at the Doubletree hotel in Claremont. Tickets are \$40.
- Please don't forget your check for Darren Krohn to

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Care to see all photos from last week? They can be viewed and downloaded from here: http://bit.ly/PRotary103117 or scan QR Code



Nov 7th, 2017

pay for any Rotary polo- or t-shirts.

MEMBER RECOGNITION - Gary George

- Happy birthday to Ron Vander Molen.
- Congratulations to **Carol Wilt** on her 50th wedding anniversary.
- A big thank you to Dr. **Jeff Vaniman** and his wife Roxanne for hosting an amazing Halloween party with over 60 guests at their house and inviting us all.

PROGRAM 1 - Erica Frausto



Erica grew up in El Monte as the youngest of 8 siblings (5 girls and 3 boys). After completing high school, she attended Cal Poly Pomona. She now lives in Diamond Bar with her young son and daughter, who attend the Fairplex CDC, and her husband who teaches high school history in Fullerton. Erica works as the

executive director of the Pomona Chamber of Commerce. Her hobbies include hiking and spending time with her children.

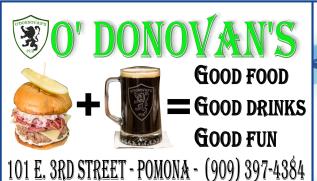
PROGRAM 2 - Monique Manzanares

Monique grew up with her parents and one older

brother in Pomona. Despite firsthand experiences with a close relative's struggle with addiction and with teen-pregnancy, she was able to complete her high school diploma at Chaparral Continuation High School in San

Dimas. She went on to purchase

her first home at only 24 years of age by working for the Department of Corrections (Salinas Valley State Prison, a level 4 maximum security facility in Solidad). In 2006, Monique suffered a severe back injury from intervening in an inmate altercation, which forced her to retire at 28 years old. Her then 5 year-old daughter motivated her to undergo intense rehabilitation and pursue a bachelor's degree to get her life back on track. Also during that time, she joined a grass-roots campaign for a friend who ran for congress, which got her involved in many local organizations, including Rotary. A year after her son graduated from high school in 2016, she decided it was time to return to Pomona (after having been gone for 17 years), where she now works as the Director of Community Relations for the San Gabriel Valley Conservation Corps. She is also an Ambassador at the Pomona Chamber of Commerce and is currently pursuing her Graduate Degree in Marriage and Family Therapy at the University of Phoenix's Ontario campus.





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