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Kings Symphony



Bill Wilkinson is a music teacher based in Hanford and is associated with the Hanford Elementary School District. He has been a speaker for local community organizations. Bill is recognized locally for his contributions as a music educator and involvement in community music events.

Bill serves as the conductor for the Kings Sympathy Orchestra in Hanford. His role entails leading the musical direction of the orchestra, organizing performances, and likely engaging with community and outreach activities related to the symphony. He is a visible figure within local music circles, sharing insights and updates about the orchestra at public speaking events.

Kings Symphony cont.

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- David Green talked as well about the Kings Symphony. David is from Bakersfield, and he organizes the symphony events along with Bill. He said it costs about \$6000.00 per performance. Some of the musicians are paid. There are 60 musicians and only 10 live in and around Kings County. Symphonies are shrinking. They aren't the popular genre compared to marching bands. The Kings Symphony will have 4 concerts next year. The first one is Fall Classics. 2nd is Christmas, 3rd is Traditional Symphony, and 4th is the free Concert in the Park. They both said how they appreciate the grant money from the Rotary Club of Hanford.





Johnny paid \$50 for getting back from Kenya safe and sound!

Michael paid \$ 20 for negatives from Karen S.



Pauline paid \$20 for grandson's wedding.



HOME COVID TEST

1. Pour a large glass of red wine, try to smell it.
2. If you can smell the wine then drink it & see if you can taste it.
3. If you can taste & smell it confirms you don't have Covid.

Last night I did the test 19 times, & all were negative, thank God.

Tonight I am going to do the test again, because this morning I woke with a headache & feel like I am coming down with something.

I am so nervous!



Roger

Fines!



Patrick Paid \$20 for his son's 1st birthday.

Ken N paid \$100 for his travels to Norway.

Rushi paid \$50 for a successful trip to Kenya and Istanbul for the Turkish bath. Rushi explained that it's men scrubbing men. Joan said eww and Victor paid \$10 for his remark that he had never heard of the Turkish bath.

Wayne paid \$25 for moving his sister-in-law into his house.

Joe paid \$25 for Steve's upcoming fishing trip on Ron Casey's boat.

Ken B paid \$25 for Bill playing his trumpet at the bell ringing last year.

Kristi paid \$20 for her office approving Paulines grandson getting married.

Joan paid \$20 for the golf tournament success.



You can use!

 **Make sure your car's safe:** About 1 in 5 cars on the road have an open recall that hasn't been fixed. Check yours at the [NHTSA website](#) by choosing your **state** and entering your **license plate number** or **VIN**. FYI: You can also search recalls for **tire brands** and **car seats**.

1 Preheat oven to 350°F (180°C).

2 In a large pot or dutch oven, cook macaroni according to package directions, salting the water with 2 teaspoons of salt. Drain and return to the warm pot. ▶

3 Add butter to warm macaroni and mix until melted. Season with the remaining salt and pepper. ▶

4 Add half of the cheddar cheese, mozzarella, provolone, gouda, and feta cheese. Mix well. ▶

5 Add eggs and evaporated milk, mix until fully incorporated. ▶

Ingredients for

5 servings

- 5 +

elbow macaroni 1 box

evaporated milk, 1 can 12 oz

egg 3

unsalted butter 8 tablespoons

shredded cheddar cheese, shredded and divided 2 cups

shredded mozzarella cheese, shredded 1 cup

feta cheese, crumbled 2 tablespoons

provolone cheese, cut into small pieces 1 cup

smoked gouda cheese, shredded ½ cup



6 Transfer to a 9x13-inch (23 x 33 cm) baking dish and top with the remaining cheddar cheese. ▶

7 Bake in a preheated oven for 40-45 minutes, until the top has nicely browned. ▶

8 Enjoy! ▶

salt, divided 4 teaspoons

black pepper 2 teaspoons

Mac and Cheese! Make it!



RECIPE Corner !



Special Club Events

**Raise your hand if you
ever had to read
cooking directions
from a package in the
garbage.**

October 2 History of the crab feed.
October 9 K.A.R.T Angie Dow/Heather
October 16 Alliance to stop period
poverty Kristi Delude



It's easy to make a monthly donation to
H.R.C.F. Just ask Bruce to bill you!

Wayne announced that there will be 3 \$1000.00 scholarships available to members that want to go to Guatemala, See Wayne or Robert for applications. Deadline is September 30, 2025.

• **There will be another Rotary shirt order. See Lori!**

• **Steve reminded the members today that being a Rotarian carries a responsibility, and we should be thinking the 4-way test before responding to social media.**



Strasbourg, France

If you want to attend the Bourbon Trail event see Victor. He only has 7 tickets left for sale.

Robert and Susan have CASA tickets.

Birthdays/Club Anniversaries

September Birthdays

- Robert Butts 9/1
- Frances Burriss 9/2
- Dusty Ference 9/8
- James Laporte 9/8
- Lee Fausett 9/9
- Alex Perez 9/11
- Kathy Andes 9/14
- Joe Casey 9/21
- Dean Osterling 9/29



Happy
Birthday!

September Anniversaries

- John Kuykendall 9/18
- Jason Fry 9/23
- Lee Fausett 9/26
- Pauline Hershey 9/27



- Carl Nelson/Terri 9/9
- Wayne Kuhn/Judith 9/10
- Gaby Curtis/Michael 9/13
- Alex Perez/Caty 9/17



**I JUST POSTED A
SELFIE AND PEOPLE
TOLD ME TO GET WELL
SOON! 🤔**

8TH ANNUAL SAVOR THE FLAVORS

FIELDS OF HOPE

Rockin' Retro Dinner Dance

JOIN US FOR A 1950S-INSPIRED EVENING
TOGETHER WE'LL CELEBRATE LIFE, HONOR LOVED ONES AND RAISE FUNDS FOR
A FUTURE WITHOUT CANCER



RELAY FOR LIFE OF KINGSBURG | FOWLER | SELMA

SATURDAY
OCT. 11, 2025
6PM - 9PM

\$65
PER PERSON

AT THE PRIVATE RESIDENCE OF
JOAN DARLING
6784 E. SAGINAW AVENUE
SELMA, CA

LIVE MUSIC
JUZZT UZ BAND



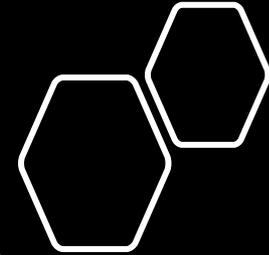
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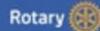
A BENEFIT FOR THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

District Conference:

May 1-3, Grand Sierra
Resort, 5 Districts, open
for registration and hotel



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Far West Fest

May 1-3, 2026 - Grand Sierra Resort
Reno, Nevada

Welcome Rotarians
District 5130 - District 5170 - District 5190
District 5220 - District 5230



Any interest in going by
train?

*See Victor
for more
info!*

Hanford Education
Foundation



Bourbon TRAIL



Saturday
October 4, 2025
5:30PM
HJUHS Ag Farm

Bourbon Tastings & Dinner

Just \$75 per person

Three Tasting Trails

1. High-end Bourbons
2. Top-rated Bourbons
3. Flavor Trail (Flavored Bourbons)

- Craft Bourbon Tastings
- Dinner by Dowd's Catering
- Silent Auction
- Door Prizes
- Ice Cold Beer and Seltzers
- Signature Cocktails
- Live Entertainment

Call Victor Rosa (559) 217-3112 for more details!

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ENTRIES



KINGS ART CENTER SECOND ANNUAL SCARECROW FESTIVAL AND PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST

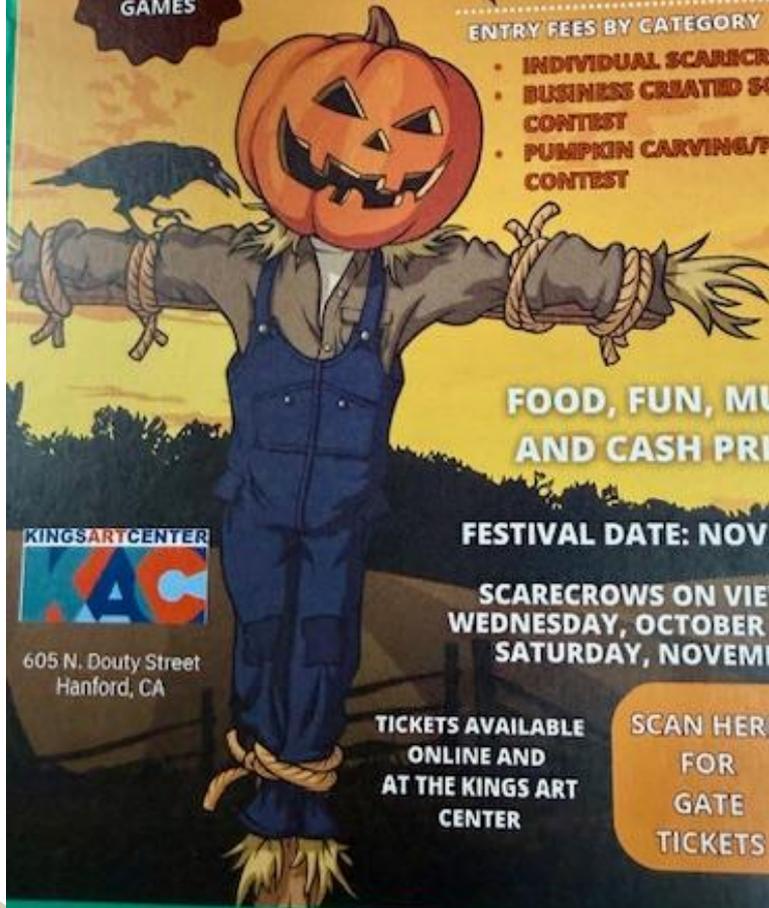
605 N. DOUTY STREET

FESTIVAL DATE:
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST
12PM TO 4PM

CORNHOLE
AND TABLE
GAMES

ENTRY FEES BY CATEGORY

- INDIVIDUAL SCARECROW CONTEST
- BUSINESS CREATED SCARECROW CONTEST
- PUMPKIN CARVING/PAINTING CONTEST



FOOD, FUN, MUSIC
AND CASH PRIZES!



605 N. Douty Street
Hanford, CA

FESTIVAL DATE: NOVEMBER 1ST

SCARECROWS ON VIEW FROM
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH UNTIL
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

TICKETS AVAILABLE
ONLINE AND
AT THE KINGS ART
CENTER

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GATE
TICKETS





MEMBERSHIP

When you invite a guest please introduce the person as your guest, not as a potential member. After your guest attends a few meetings and we think they are a good fit for the club, then you as the member will fill out a short form proposing membership. It then goes to the board for approval. After the board approves, it will go to the membership for approval or disapproval. If approved, then you can approach your guest to see if they would like to join the club. We are an invite club. We need to get back to the structured way of proposing people for membership. If you have questions, ask Kathy or Lori!

***If you Remember the truth, you
don't have to remember
anything!***



Monthly Board Meetings: All members are welcome to attend board meetings which occur the second Thursday of the month right after the noon meeting. Board President Steve Stout, President-Elect, Patrick Nelson, Vice President, Gaby Curtis, Kristi Lee, Immediate Past President, Joan Darling, Secretary, Bruce Bentley, Treasurer, Member at large Judy Holwell, Joe Casey Member at large, Joan Darling, Sergeant at Arms, Club Administration, Gaby Curtis, Kathy Andes, Membership Director, and Lori Bentley Public Image Director, Director PP Victor Rosa, New Generations Director, PDG Bruce Mackey, Rotary Foundation Director, PP, Robert Butts, International Director.

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