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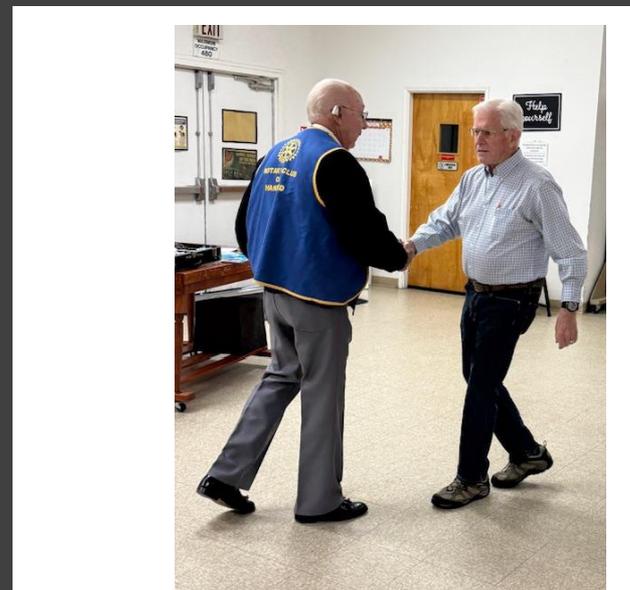


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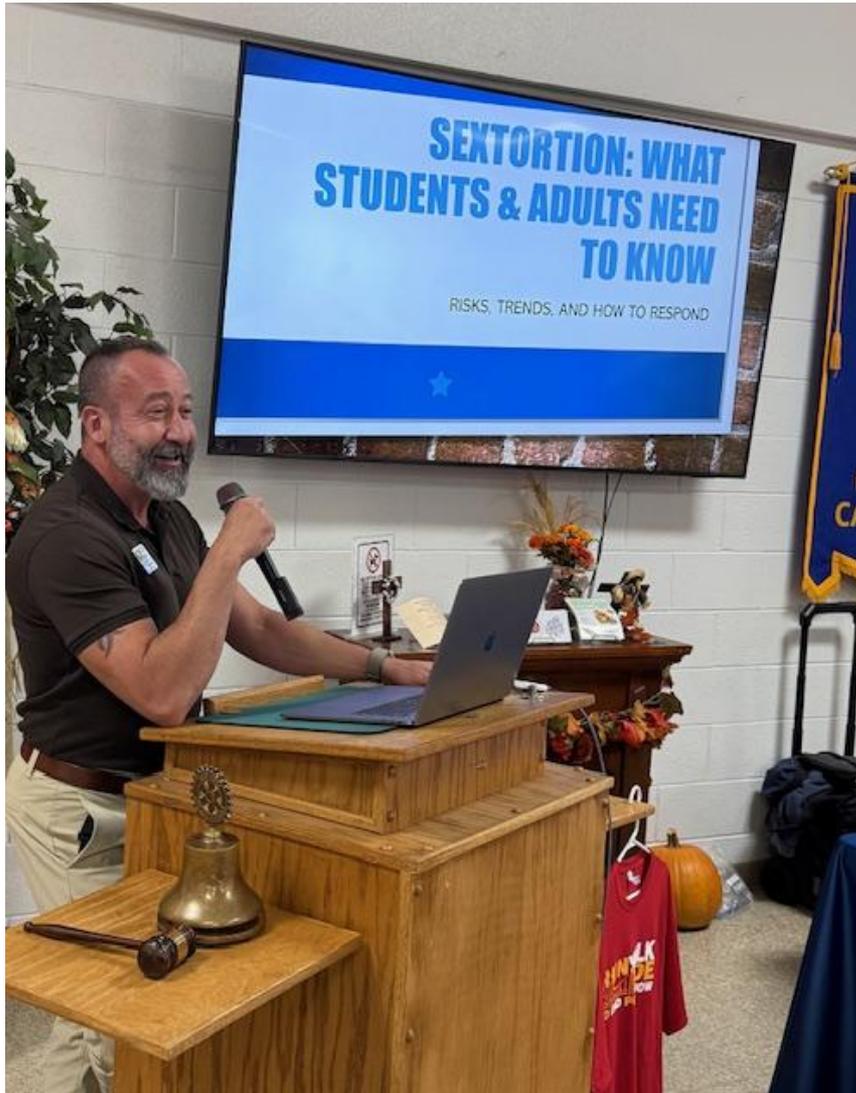








Victor Rosa



TYPICAL PATHWAYS

- SCREEN-RECORDING OF VIDEO CHATS; OR THEFT OF DEVICE/CLOUD CONTENT VIA COMPROMISED ACCOUNTS.
- THREATS: "PAY NOW OR WE'LL POST TO YOUR FAMILY LIST" — NAMES PULLED FROM FRIEND LISTS/CONTACTS.

WHAT IS SEXTORTION?

- SEXTORTION IS COERCION USING SEXUAL IMAGES OR INFORMATION.
- AN OFFENDER OBTAINS OR FABRICATES INTIMATE IMAGES OR CHATS.
 - THEY THREATEN TO SHARE IT UNLESS THE VICTIM PAYS, SENDS MORE CONTENT, OR COMPLIES WITH DEMANDS.
- TWO COMMON FORMS:
 - FINANCIAL SEXTORTION — DEMANDS FOR MONEY/GIFT CARDS/CRYPTOCURRENCY
 - SEXUAL-COERCION SEXTORTION — DEMANDS FOR MORE IMAGES, LIVE-STREAMING, OR IN-PERSON ACTS.

IF YOU OR A STUDENT IS TARGETED

- DO NOT PAY, DO NOT SEND MORE CONTENT. PAYING FUELS MORE DEMANDS.
- STOP ALL CONTACT. SAVE EVERYTHING: USERNAMES, CHATS, SCREENSHOTS, PAYMENT INFO.
- REPORT TO PLATFORM, LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT, SCHOOL ADMIN, AND THE FBI IC3 (IC3.GOV).
- ASK PLATFORMS TO REMOVE CONTENT; USE TOOLS LIKE NCMEC'S TAKE IT DOWN TO HELP REMOVE IMAGES.
- TALK TO A TRUSTED ADULT RIGHT AWAY: COUNSELOR, PRINCIPAL, PARENT/GUARDIAN.

HIGH-RISK TACTICS TO WATCH FOR

- SUDDEN ROMANTIC INTEREST FROM A STRANGER; INSISTENCE ON PRIVACY OR SPEED.
- REQUESTS TO MOVE TO NEW APPS; PRESSURE TO TURN ON CAMERA OR SEND PICS.
- USE OF CRYPTOCURRENCY, GIFT CARDS, OR PAYMENT APPS; DEMANDS FOR SECRECY.
- TIME PRESSURE AND DOXXING THREATS (NAMING YOUR SCHOOL, FRIENDS, OR FAMILY).

PREVENTION & SUPPORT

- NORMALIZE CONVERSATIONS ABOUT ONLINE MISTAKES; EMPHASIZE THAT HELP IS AVAILABLE.
- SET PROFILES TO PRIVATE; LIMIT WHO CAN DM; DISABLE AUTO-SAVING OF CHATS TO CAMERA ROLL.
- TEACH "PAUSE BEFORE YOU POST" AND HOW TO CAPTURE/REPORT EVIDENCE.
- REHEARSE A RESPONSE: "I WON'T ENGAGE. I'M REPORTING YOU AND TELLING AN ADULT."
- MONITOR MENTAL HEALTH; INVOLVE COUNSELORS PROMPTLY IF SHAME, PANIC, OR ISOLATION APPEAR.

Today Victor gave an informative but scary program on sextortion. You can read through the slides to get the gist of the program. If you weren't in attendance today and you have questions talk to Victor. Great job Victor.





Fines!

Dean paid \$40 for his travels to Italy.

John R paid \$20 for having no outside of work life.

Bob J paid \$20 to help Steve with fines.

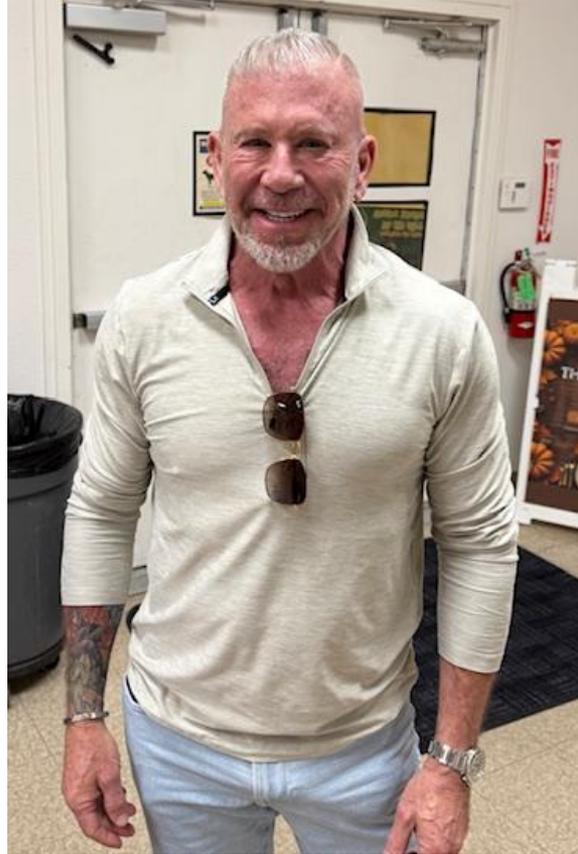
Kathy paid \$20 to say that Bruce and Lori had quite a hike to the Golden Gate area for the polio walk because the parking lot was shut down due to the government shut down.

Steve paid \$25 for the polio shirt and the fire station participation.



Kathy

Welcome John Lieberman



Drive, tracked, overcharged.

You've probably seen this pitch from your insurance company: "Drive safely and save. Sign up for our smart driving program today!"

You've got a squeaky-clean record, so what's the harm, right? Before you sign up, let's pop the hood.

🤖 What they're tracking

These programs use an app on your phone or a gadget in your car to monitor how you drive. It tracks:

- Speed
- Hard braking
- Quick acceleration
- Late-night driving
- Phone use behind the wheel

That data gets mixed with your age, ZIP code and driving history to build a score. If your score's high enough, you might get 10% to 30% off your premium. Sounds good, but there's more to it.

💰 Your driving habits = gold mine

State Farm dings you if you go just 8 mph over the limit, even to avoid an accident. GEICO and Allstate frown on nighttime driving. That's fine if you're in bed by 9, but not if your kid's practice wraps up after dark or you work the late shift.



You can use!

News you can use cont.

You can bet every insurer, including Progressive, Travelers and, yes, State Farm, tracks phone activity. That means if your screen lights up in your pocket, you're "distracted."

Use Do Not Disturb While Driving mode and stash your phone in a compartment or mount. Even pocket motion can trigger a flag.

🔮 **Your data doesn't disappear**

Here's where it gets sketchy. Some insurers raise your rates if they think you're risky, even if you never file a claim. And they're not always transparent about how long they keep or share your data.

👉 **Save without tracking**

- Bundle home and auto insurance.
- Look into pay-per-mile if you don't drive much.
- Take a defensive driving course (easy discount).
- Shop around every year, and compare real quotes.



This info is from the Kim Komando newsletter.

GM got slapped by the FTC this year for selling driver location and behavior data. And Texas sued Allstate, claiming they bought tracking data from mobile apps without people knowing. Yikes.

WHITE CHICKEN ENCHILADAS

Ingredients

- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 3 bell peppers, diced
- 1 onion, diced
- 2 ½ cups chicken broth
- 1 ½ cups heavy cream
- 2 cups shredded chicken
- 4 tbsp butter
- 4 tbsp flour
- 3 cups shredded Monterey cheese
- ¼ cup sour cream
- 8-12 tortillas
- 1 tbsp paprika
- 1 tbsp chili powder
- Salt & pepper
- 1/2 cup cilantro
- Fresh salsa to top each portion



Instructions

1. Add peppers and onions to a large oiled skillet. Cook until softened.
2. Add in 1 cup chicken broth & 1 cup heavy cream. Season with pepper and chili powder. Add in shredded chicken, stir, and set to the side.
3. Grab a separate pan for the sauce. Melt butter, add in flour, and cook down for a couple of minutes. Slowly add in remaining chicken broth and heavy cream. Once well mixed, add in 1 ½ cups of cheese & let completely melt in sauce. Season with paprika, salt and pepper.
4. Grab a casserole dish. To each tortilla, add the chicken and pepper mixture. Roll up & place each one into the casserole dish.
5. Pour the sauce over the top of the enchiladas. Sprinkle remaining cheese on top along with fresh cilantro.
6. Bake on 350° for 30 minutes & broil last minute.
7. Top each portion with fresh salsa and cilantro



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Recipe corner...Make it!



Special Club Events

Sometimes someone unexpected comes into your life outta nowhere, makes your heart race and changes you forever. We call these people cops.

October 23 Adventist Health Heart to Heart

October 30 Wreaths of America

November 6 A trip to Berlin Roger and Dahne Watson

November 13 Boys and girls clubs of the Sequoias Delia Medrano-Nuno

November 20 Red Cross Maria Stevens

November 27 *DARK*



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

Victor thanked those that participated in the Bourbon Trail!



See Susan's below flyer!



Polio walk was a success. Bruce B brought back a shirt for Steve.

See Michael's flyer below.

Joe said check the placemat to make sure your Rotary anniversary date is correct@





- **Announcements!**
- **From Kathy**

Hi Everyone! went in and updated the YT channel. The link is <https://www.youtube.com/@RotaryHanford>

Joan, you may share the above with a note to everyone to please subscribe to the channel.

This dog never wants to hear anyone complain about his barking ever again.



From Bruce Mackey

Congratulations! The Rotary Club of Hanford will be receiving the Rotary International Foundation award for 2024-25 as the First Place Club for Annual Fund per capita donations in District 5230. Your support for both the International Rotary Foundation and our District is appreciated.

The luncheon will be held on Wednesday, November 5, 2025, from 12:00 pm to 1:30 pm. PDG Michael Rabara and the Rotary Club of North Fresno will be hosting. We are very excited that the Rotary International President Designee for 2027-28, Larry Lunsford will be the featured speaker. The event will be held at The Painted Table Event Center, 5080 N. Blackstone Avenue, Fresno. Tickets are \$35.00 and are available through this link:

[EventGroove](#)

Birthdays/Club Anniversaries

October Birthdays

- John Van Andel 10/14
- Bobby Garcia 10/18
- Ken Baird 10/21
- Tim Harper 10/22
- Crystal Jackson 10/24
- Victor De Castro 10/31



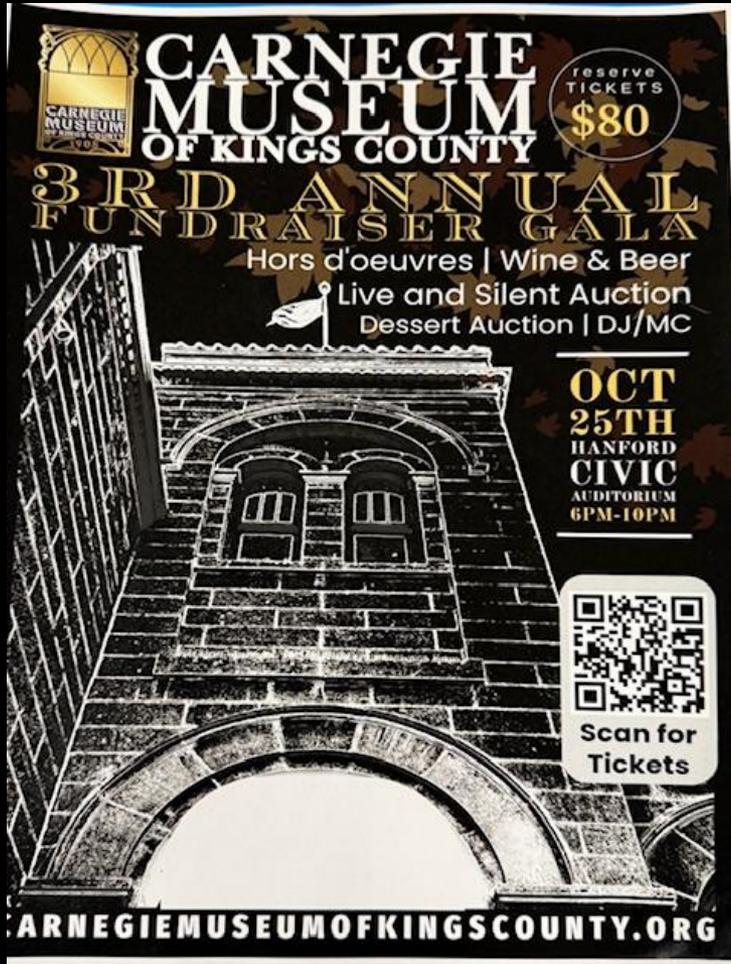
Happy
Birthday!

October Anniversaries

- Bruce Mackey 10/7
- Tom Davis 10/10
- Rodney Moffitt 10/10
- Patrick Nelson 10/13



- Ken Baird/Susan 10/2
- Ken Nordberg/Monica 10/4
- Judy Holwell/Scott 10/08
- Michael Semas/Christine 10/14
- Patrick Nelson/Johanna 10/21



CARNEGIE MUSEUM OF KINGS COUNTY

reserve TICKETS **\$80**

3RD ANNUAL FUNDRAISER GALA

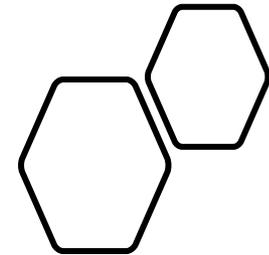
Hors d'oeuvres | Wine & Beer
Live and Silent Auction
Dessert Auction | DJ/MC

OCT 25TH
HANFORD CIVIC AUDITORIUM
6PM-10PM

Scan for Tickets

CARNEGIE MUSEUM OF KINGS COUNTY.ORG

The poster features a detailed black and white illustration of the Carnegie Museum of Kings County building, showing its grand stone facade with multiple arched windows and doorways. A flag flies from a pole on the roof. The text is overlaid on the top and right sides of the illustration.



See Michael Semas for tickets!



Hanford Fire Department
Smoke Alarm Program
Installation Event 10/18/25

Are your smoke alarms working properly?

Test them once a month!

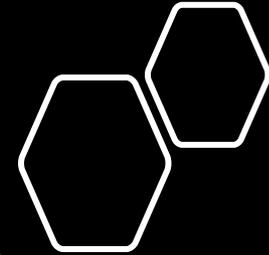
Make sure they have batteries!

Replace them after 10 years!

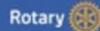
Roughly 3 out of 5 fire deaths happen in homes with no smoke alarms or no working smoke alarms, according to the NFPA.

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 Susan for tickets!

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!

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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FOR
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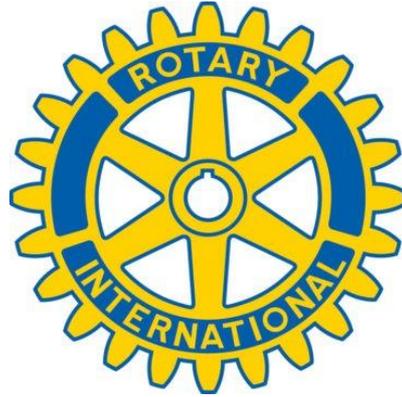
605 N. Douty Street
Hanford, CA



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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