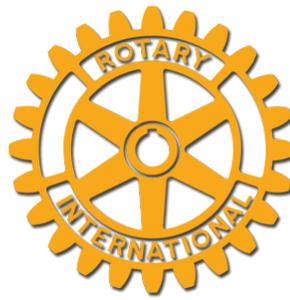


Rotary

Club of San Marino



Events

September 22nd

[Lucille Norberg - A Celebration of Life](#)

Speaker: A Community Event to Celebrate Lucille Norberg

September 29th

[San Marino Weekly Club Meeting](#)

Speaker: Craft Talks - Ellen Batzel and Edwin Ng

Subject: Getting To Know Our Members Better

October 6th

[San Marino Weekly Club Meeting](#)

Speaker: Jim Beddows - USC Keck School of Medicine

Subject: TDP Data Systems and Its Impact on Human Intelligence in REAL time

October 13th

[San Marino Weekly Club Meeting](#)

Speaker: Dr. Mona Delahooke - Best Selling Author

Subject: Brain Parenting

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San Marino Rotary Rotoscope September 22, 2022

FULL HOUSE

September 15th Program: Huntington Medical Research Institutes
Temperatures cooled but our enthusiasm for Rotary programs remained red hot last week as we welcomed Dr. Julia E. Bradsher, President and CEO at Huntington Medical Research Institutes. Many of us were surprised to learn of this world-class medical research organization operating right here in Pasadena, for 70 years! They generate scientific discoveries in key areas like cardiovascular health, Alzheimer's, kidney disease and mental disorders. In other words, the diseases that affect Rotarians. I'm hoping they will add food coma to the priority list. Bottom line, we are blessed to live near to great medical institutions and facilities and have club members who are connected to these institutions. A special thanks to Joseph Chang for putting this program together.

President Rob made note of the big crowd at last week's meeting, modestly attributing the attendance to the interesting program and the consistently good food. Perhaps the electoral calendar is also providing a bump in attendance. Rob likes to point out that "Rotary is a non-political organization." He's right. But politically minded people tend to flock to our meetings right before elections. Last week we welcomed as guests two more city council candidates, Su Viswanathan and Grant Fujiwara. The latter was accompanied by Sargent of Arms Fred Sohl. Whether or not Grant wins in November, he has already demonstrated impressive political instincts. We expect other candidates in this year's crowded field to show up in the weeks ahead. As for our two homegrown candidates, Calvin Lo and Tony Chou, they were notably absent this week. I'm guessing they were at the Garden Club drumming up votes and trying to get in front of Mitch Lehman's camera. Hopefully, they will return next week and bring Mitch with them. The important thing is that our meeting room was full and spirits running high. We enjoyed some clean Dad jokes from John Jones and it was good to see members Sean Chou and Mark Rueda back in attendance.

September 22nd Program: Celebrating the Life and Service of Lucille Norberg

Meet at 11:30 am in the sanctuary for a memorial service, followed by lunch in the fellowship hall. President Rob says this will be a celebration and we should not wear black or be overly somber.

DRIVE BY OPPORTUNITY NO BULLETS REQUIRED

Denise Wadsworth reminds us to drive by San Marino High School on Wednesday September 21 and enjoy the "Pinwheels for Peace" art installation put together on the front lawn by the SMHS Interactors in honor of United Nations International Day of Peace. How cool is that? You don't even have to get out of your car.



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International Committee Update

Breaking News from the International Committee, courtesy of J.P. Mainguy "Our Club and our Rotary District 5300 approved this week an exciting International Project with the Rotary Club Panipat Royale in India. The objective is to deliver a complete dialysis system to the health center operated by Shree Sant Jinda Kalyan Charitable Trust in their facility in Surat, India. This will benefit 35 to 75 patients per week who are mostly below the poverty level and above the age of 50. There will be no charge to patients under the poverty limit while others will pay a nominal fee of about \$4 per visit. Our Club International Projects Committee contribution of \$6,000, plus a kind \$1,000 donation from future member Michel Roy (special thanks to you, Michel!) will be added to the donation from the Panipat Royale Rotary Club and the important matching from Rotary Districts and The Rotary Foundation. The total amount for this Rotary Global Grant is \$42,000. As you can see, when Rotary clubs get together, our San Marino Club contributions can have a significant impact worldwide."

Meet Jennifer Jones, President of Rotary International.

San Marino Rotary can collaborate with other Rotary clubs overseas because we are an international organization with an international governing body called Rotary International or "RI" for short. Each year there is a new president of RI, just like there is at the club level and district level. This Rotary year, the president of RI is a woman named Jennifer Jones. I mention the gender only because she is the first woman to serve as president in the 115-year history of Rotary. You might remember that women weren't even allowed to join Rotary until about 40 years ago, starting with the Rotary club in nearby Duarte. A lawsuit ensued that went all the way to the Supreme Court. But that story is for another day. The important thing is that we have a very well qualified person leading RI. Jennifer Jones has been a Rotary member since 1997 and has served Rotary as RI vice president, director, training leader, committee chair, moderator, and district governor. She played a lead role in Rotary's rebranding effort by serving as chair of the Strengthening Rotary's Advisory Group.

Jones is the founder and president of Media Street Productions Inc., an award-winning media company in Windsor. She was chair of the board of governors of the University of Windsor and chair of the Windsor-Essex Regional Chamber of Commerce. She has been recognized for her service with the YMCA Peace Medallion, the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal, and Wayne State University's Peacemaker of the Year Award, a first for a Canadian. Jones holds a Doctor of Laws (LL.D.).

You will have a chance to meet Jennifer Jones if you attend the district 5330 (our sister district to the East) Foundation Gala in Rancho Mirage on Saturday October 8. Isaac Hung plans to attend. Contact Isaac if you are interested in attending as well.

San Marino Area Events of Interest

Saturday October 15, 6 pm. **Literary Libations at the Crowell Public Library.** "Libations" are the operative word here. Purchase tickets at the library or go to sanmarinoplif.org.

Saturday October 30, Evening. **Mid-Autumn Festival** at Sheraton San Gabriel. An annual community gala put on by the San Marino Chinese Club. One of the top social events of the year for San Marino. Isaac Hung will host a table for Rotarians. Contact Isaac directly if you want to join. Cost is \$250.

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