

Rotary

Rotary Club of Pleasant Hill



The
PLEASANTTREE
SEPTEMBER 1, 2022



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THIS WEEK'S MEETING

McHale Room

PH Community Center

Social 12:15 pm

Meeting Start 12:30 pm

THE PROGRAM

Dr. Lindsay Mazotti

**Update on shortage of workers in
the medical field**



Last week

**we met off site at Roger Smith Park for
Sandwiches and social time**



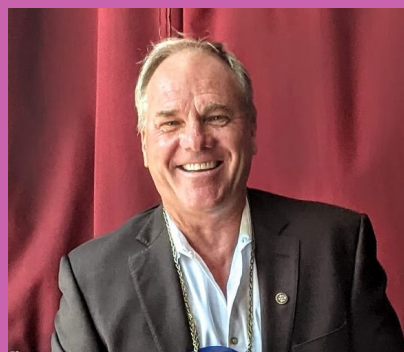




SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS



LOU ROSSI
Sept 17



JOE STOKLEY
Sept 24



RALIEGH DAVIS
Sept 29

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES





*June & Ray Catalano
Sept 6*



*Jim & Sandy Bonato
Sept 12*



*Kim & Felix Grossberg
Sept 12*



*Alan & Cheryl Thompson
Sept 24*



**This Sunday!
September 4
Sunset Concert
at the Lake**

We'll have the pop-up tent out, and encourage all Rotarians and their families to join us for a pot-luck event of social time, music, good food (if you bring it!) and fun! Gather at the tent at City Hall Park at 5:45 pm

Pleasant Hill Rotarians Party



At Concert by the Lake 8-20-17



FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 16 R.A.T.S. NIGHT

Yes, the return of RATS night (Rotarians Annual Temperance Social) will be again returning to the home of Michael Saenz.

RATS night is a member-only event, with dinner, drinks, social time and even some games . . . at times.

Do you know about the "Eleven Months of Rotary?" Rotary has identified a theme for each month except July. July is the first month of the Rotary year and is when the annual theme kicks in. This year's annual theme is "Rotary Connects the World."

The monthly themes are meant to highlight



the wide range of Rotary's good work and give clubs some suggestions, timing, and guidance for their programs and activities.

SEPTEMBER IS BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH

More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate.
That's 17 percent of the world's adult population.

Rotary's goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy. We support education for all children and literacy for children and adults.

Rotary members make amazing things happen, like:

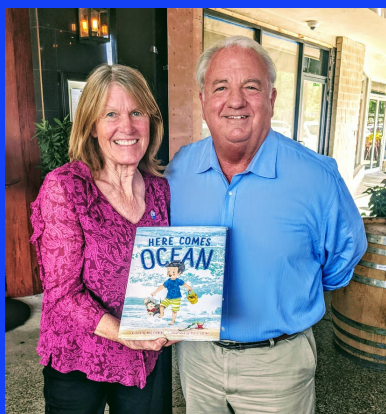
Opening schools: Our club helped build two elementary schools in Burkina Faso that are still educating about 1,000 each year.

Teaching adults to read: Rotary members in the United States partnered with ProLiteracy Detroit to recruit and train tutors after a study showed that more than half of the local adult population was functionally illiterate.

New teaching methods: The SOUNDS program in South Africa, Puerto Rico and the United States teaches educators how to improve literacy by teaching children to recognize letters by sounds instead of names.

Making schools healthy: Our club has helped the Rotary Club of Tacoa Honduras provide clean water for their schools.

Providing literacy material. Our Club donates a free book to our local library on behalf of each program speaker during our lunch meetings



Then Club Prez **Susan Wood** shows John Carpenter the book our club will donate on his behalf to the PH Library

In 2014 PH Rotarian and then District Governor **Steve Lack** went to Burkina Faso to officially open the two elementary schools made possible by a District Global Grant.

Past President **Susan Wood** traveled to Tocoa Honduras to help improve hygiene and sanitation in schools which was part of our WASH District Grant



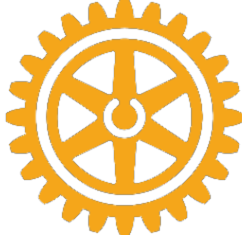
CORONA VIRUS UPDATE AS OF SUNDAY AUGUST 28, 2022

ACTIVE Covid cases: IN THE WORLD **18,531,030**
(DOWN 4% from last week)

ACTIVE cases in the USA **3,925,722 (21%)** of the world's cases)
DOWN 13% FROM LAST WEEK

- **TOTAL RECOVERED IN USA 91,469,112**
- **UP 1% From last week**
- **645,459 CALIFORNIA ACTIVE CASES #1 in the USA**
- **16% of USA Active Cases**
- **DOWN 11% FROM LAST WEEK**
- **226,396 Florida #3 DOWN 27% from two weeks ago**
- **53,848 New York #17 DOWN 4% from two weeks ago**
- **Number of Active Cases in Contra Costa County No Longer Reported**
- **Number of Active Cases in Pleasant Hill No Longer Reported**
- **7 Covid Patients in ICU in County DOWN 1 CASES FROM LAST WEEK**
- **83.7% CCC Population Received 2nd Vaccine Shot**
- **54.3% CCC Population received Booster**
- **79.6% of Pleasant Hill vaccinated**
- **56% of Pleasant Hill 16+ Years received Booster**
- **1,068,898 deaths in USA including (Up 0.3% from last week)**
- **94,959 in California (9% of USA) #1 (Up 1% from two weeks ago)**
- **Includes 1,405 in Contra Costa County +10 from last week**

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2022 St Patrick De Mayo EVENT BENEFACTORS



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