

Rotary



Club of Oakley, CA, US



IMAGINE ROTARY

Club Meeting Place & Time

Oakley, CA, US
Meets at Black Bear Diner
3201 Main Street
Oakley, CA 94561
Time: Thursday at 07:30
AM

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Birthdays

Christian August
Lauritzen III
March 8th
David Greenblatt
March 24th

Wedding Anniversaries

Robert Greaff
March 19th
Octavio Joel Perez
March 23rd
Joseph Patrick Bray Jr.
March 29th

Jeff Palmquist

This week's vocational minute was brought to you by the letters J and P. Our very own Oakley Union Elementary School District Superintendent, Jeff Palmquist.



Jeff is married to his high school sweetheart, coming up on 27 years of marriage. Jeff has served much of his career in public education, beginning his career in the San Joaquin County Office of Education Court and Community School Program. He has served as a teacher, an assistant principal, a school principal, an associate superintendent, and now superintendent.

Jeff was excited to take the position as superintendent here in Oakley as he is a native of the Delta region, specifically the Lodi/Stockton area. He is a graduate of the University of California, Santa Barbara, where he received his Bachelor of Arts; and earned his Master's in Education from National University. Palmquist also holds a teaching credential from the University of the Pacific.

Jeff, we think you are not only a great fit for the Oakley Elementary School District, but for Oakley Rotary as well!

Club Announcements



**District Governor Suzanne Bragdon meeting
with the Board of Directors (Virtual on ZOOM)
Monday, Apr. 3, 5:30-6:30 pm**

**Learning & Leadership Development Assembly
@ Rodriguez High School in Fairfield
Saturday, Apr. 15, 8:30 am-2 pm (includes lunch - register by April 10th)**

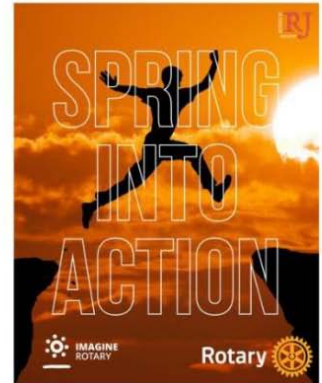
Roadside Cleanup

On March 18th a crew of Oakley Rotarians picked up trash on Main Street along side some Interact Club members. We are hoping to get back out there in April to keep this stretch of the road free of debris. If you see a yellow Rotary vest out on the side of the road, make sure to honk and wave!

Mar. 18: Roadside Cleanup Day



Minh, Joe B., and Interact Club students from Freedom HS



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Minh



Joe B, Hugh, Shannon

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Dave W., Shannon

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Shannon, Hugh, Aaron, Joe B., Dave W.



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Minh, Shannon, Hugh, Joe B., Aaron, and Interact Club students from Freedom HS



Get Involved

Upcoming Club Events

**Volunteers
Needed!**



Sunday, April 2, 11am-2pm
Kite Day - Oakley Recreation Center

Sunday, Apr. 23, 11am-3pm:
Genuine Giving (food distribution) at 4246 Empire Ave, Oakley

Saturday, April 29, time TBD:
Installing Little Free Library (Rotary Visibility Day)

Saturday, May 13, 5:30pm- 10pm:
An Evening Under the Stars (Charter Gala) @ La Grande Estates 1799 Carpenter Dr., Oakley
Don't forget to sign up for a Gala Committee assignment! This event takes participation from everyone to make it as successful as possible. *see Brenda*

Saturday, May 20, time TBD
US Map Painting @ Oakley Elementry
This will be a new map with stencil, so we need Rotarians for the morning portion of this event.
See Sarah or Shannon

Sunday, May 28, 11am-3pm:
Genuine Giving (food distribution) at 4246 Empire Ave, Oakley

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Looking Ahead



3/30: Chad Davisson, Ironhouse Sanitary District

4/6: TBD

4/13: TBD


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Cars 2nd Chance



Don't forget that The Rotary Club of Oakley is in partnership with CARS 2ND CHANCE (C2C). They are based locally in central Contra Costa County and if you have a car, truck or motorcycle, running or not, you can donate that vehicle by calling C2C at 925-326-5868. They can answer questions and walk you through the simple process. 50% of your tax-deductible donation will support the Oakley Rotary Foundation while the remainder supports local Rotary service projects in Contra Costa County and around the world. Click [Click Here](#) to learn more and to start the donation process or, contact Oakley Rotary at OakleyRotary@Gmail.com for more information.

Four-Way Test



THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

first

Is it the **TRUTH**?

second

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

third

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

fourth

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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