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John Bennett

The Salvation Army: Do Something!

Since its crazy and radical inception in 1865, The Salvation Army (TSA) has grown into a major organization helping those in need in 132 countries throughout the world.

John Bennett will share some of the history and memorable work of the Army from its foundation in England to its work in Monterey County.

John is the current Corps Officer overseeing TSA's work in Monterey Peninsula. TSA in Monterey Peninsula provides daily human services through its Good Samaritan Center in Sand City: Food; Rental Assistance; Homeless Showers and Laundry; and other assorted services. In addition to its services at Good Sam, TSA provides a 19-unit emergency and transitional housing program for homeless families.

From 2013- 2020 John served in Hawaii as business secretary over TSA's work for the Hawaiian and Micronesian Islands, and also served as the coordinator of TSA's work in the Marshall Islands.

From 2010-2013 he served as the County Coordinator for TSA's work in Colorado Springs, which included the county's only homeless shelter, open every day of the year. During that time, he served on the Butterfly Committee for the Local Rotary which was the major fundraising gala. From 1999 to 2010 he served in South Denver as TSA Corps Officer - creating a regional human services office. From 1996-1999 he served in South Colorado Springs as TSA Corps Officer, reopening the Corps with an emphasis on Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation in conjunction with the TSA's Adult Rehabilitation Center.



The Rotary Club of Monterey Holiday Luncheon

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| 11:30-12:00 | Welcome & Fellowship |
| 12:00-12:30 | Lunch |
| 12:30-1:00 | Monterey High School Choral Group |
| 1:00-1:15 | Holiday Reflections - John Bennett |
| 1:15 - 1:25 | Awards, Festive Sweater & Holiday Tie Closing and Holiday Wishes |





SAVE THE DATE



Rotary Club 633
February 10, 2024

CLUB EVENTS

Rotary
Club of Monterey

Tuesday, January 16
COG Meeting
5:30 PM
Hilton Garden Inn

Thursday, January 18
Board Meeting
10:30 AM
Hilton Garden Inn

Saturday, February 10, 2024
RCoM 100th Year Anniversary
Del Monte Hotel, NPS

DECEMBER 2023

Thursday – 12/21 NO MEETING – HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Thursday – 12/28 NO MEETING – HAPPY HOLIDAYS

JANUARY 2024

Thursday – 01/04 Dr. Reb Close & Dr. Casey Grover – The Dangers of Fentanyl

Thursday – 01/11 Chris Devers, CEO of Rancho Cielo – Rancho Cielo What Is New?

Tuesday – 01/16 COG Meeting – 5:30 PM – Hilton Garden Inn

Thursday – 01/18 Board Meeting – 10:30 AM – Hilton Garden Inn

Thursday – 01/18 Jesse Juarez, YAC – Youth Arts Collective – YAC To The Future

Thursday – 01/25 Melanie Rhodes, Deputy Director Behavioral Health MOCO Behavioral Health

Friday – 01/26 Final Friday – TBD

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BIRTHDAY!

Pag Pagnillo - December 2
Monica Lal - December 2
Jonathan Geisler - December 7
Adam Hughes - December 8
Dennis McCarthy - December 11
Yutaka Uyeda - December 15
JR. Williams - December 20
Anthony Cosentino - December 21
Richard Patterson - December 23
John Scherer - December 25

December Membership Anniversaries

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|------------------------|----------|----------|
| Denis Horn | 12/08/88 | 35 Years |
| Carl Anderson | 12/01/89 | 34 Years |
| Rich Patterson | 12/01/11 | 12 Years |
| Jeanette Tuitele-Lewis | 12/07/17 | 6 Years |
| Kirby Garry | 12/15/22 | 1 Year |



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- Acknowledgment from the podium
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- Acknowledgment as Presenting Sponsor on website, and communications
- Company's marketing materials/photos to be displayed in our 'Hall of Fame' display featuring historical articles from our Club's archives
- Recognition in the La Rueda as a sponsor from date of commitment through February 2024

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- Inclusion on Electronic Invitation
- Reserved preferred seating up front (if you buy tickets)
- Quarter Page tribute in evening program
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- Recognition on step and repeat
- Recognition on website
- Recognition in the La Rueda as a sponsor from date of commitment through February 2024

\$2,500 – GOLD SPONSORS

- Inclusion on Electronic Invitation
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- Recognition on step and repeat
- Recognition on website
- Recognition in the La Rueda as a sponsor from date of commitment through February 2024

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- Recognition on step and repeat
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