

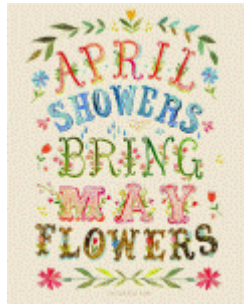


1921-2021

CENTENNIAL  
Visalia Rotary Club



## April 21, 2021 General Meeting Francie's View



### April 28th Joke Contest Bring your best Corona Virus Joke

(I have been collecting Corona virus jokes and laughing so hard I haven't been able to finish the bulletin!)

### The Blue Marble Tradition

**Rob Fox** held the winning ticket. His luck didn't hold this year like it did at the beginning of the **Blue** Marble Tradition. He did not draw the **Blue** Marble so the pot of \$35 advances to next week.



### Rotarian of the Month

Congratulations to Stan Simpson,  
Rotarian of the Month!  
Thank you, Stan, for all you do!

### Arts Visalia Visual Art Center Presents 2021 Annual Orchid Fundraiser

Real Live Orchids are back!  
\$25 per Orchid

May 1st from Noon until sold out  
214 E. Oak Avenue



#### Speakers

**April 28, 2021**

Jerry Jacobson M.D.

Controlling the Shift in the Opioid Pendulum

**April 30, 2021**

Board

Board Planning Session 2021 - 2022

**May 05, 2021**

Brent Calvin

An update on C.O.S.

**May 12, 2021**

Scott Jacobsen

Wine Auction

**May 19, 2021**

Jeff Moyer & Craig Wheaton

Annual Scholarship Awards Program

**May 24, 2021**

Cheri Barnes

Club Invasion

#### Club Meeting

Visalia

Meets at Marriott Hotel -

Downtown

300 South Court

Visalia, CA

Time: Wednesday at 12:00 PM

#### Club Leaders



Douglas A. Arnold

President

Webmaster



Elizabeth Wynn

President-Elect



Scott K. Jacobsen

President-Nominee

Club Service Chair



Mary Jane Jennings

Secretary



Wayne Yada

Treasurer

Greg Hagopian

Public Image Chair



**The Creative Center  
Foundation  
Wine, Cheese & Jazz  
Virtual Event**

Thursday, May 6, 2021  
6:00 - 7:30 pm

Admission \$50; For information contact  
Executive Director, Michelle Barrios at 559-  
773-4400

**Our Rotary Club of Visalia  
Wine Auction**

May 12 from 5:00 to 8:00 pm  
The Garden of

Stan and Wendy Simpson  
1543 W. Sierra Ave, Visalia, CA 93291

Silent Auction  
Individually Packaged Meals

Thanks to all our donors!  
RSVP to Liz Wynn



**Program  
Tim Ward,  
District Attorney**

Investigative Genetic Genealogy  
and

Solving Violent Crime: The Ransacker

**Tim Ward** walked us through the Ransacker/Golden State Killer Case from beginning to end with a wide variety of details and illustrations. From its 1974 beginning in Visalia to Sacramento, Auburn, Northern California, Santa Barbara, and Ventura, Joseph James DeAngelo, Jr. went by many names: The Visalia Ransacker, The Golden State Killer, The East Area Rapist, and he was the original Night Stalker. In 2001 the killings were linked through DNA, but they had to find the owner of the DNA. Five people and an outside consultant spent months constructing a genetic genealogy family tree back to great great grandparents. The Golden State Killer had 1,000 people in his family tree. The team narrowed down the tree to a few people. In April of 2018 Tim Ward received a call from the Sacramento district attorney saying the Golden State Killer had been found. Although Tim Ward did not have DNA associated with the Ransacker cases, there was a rare gun stolen from one of the ransacking victims used to kill another Visalia victim and was eventually matched with a gun used by the Golden State Killer. Tim presented many details to the case. In particular were the pictures of DeAngelo at hearings and trials in a wheel chair, then the view from the camera in his prison cell showing him moving around his cell totally mobile and climbing on furniture to dim his cell lights; a supreme con artist! This was a spellbinding program! Thank you!

**Announcements!**

Rotary Merchandise: SHOW YOUR CLUB SPIRIT! Go to our club website and click on "Merchandise" located just above the picture of **Liz Wynn**. You can now order quality Rotary Merchandise; our club receives a portion of the proceeds from these sales.  
PLEASE BUY SOME STUFF! Go to <https://stores.inksoft.com/rotary/shop/home>



Diane Aden Hayes  
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Ron Hellstern  
Sergeant-at-Arms



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Chair



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Chair  
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Sherri K Smith  
Club Programs  
Chair



Debra Callahan  
International  
Service Chair



Marc Mertz  
Youth Services  
Chair



Paul Hurley  
iPast President

**Birthdays**

Carrie Groover  
April 26th

T. A. Akin  
May 2nd

Brian G. Hyde  
May 6th

Mary Jane Jennings  
May 6th

David Anthony Esteves  
May 8th

Greg Hagopian  
May 9th

Karl Pendegrift  
May 10th

April 30th: Wine Auction Planning Meeting; 1:00 to 6:00 pm; Riatta Ranch; RSVP to Liz Wynn.

May 1st: Arts Visalia Orchid Fundraiser; Noon until sold out; \$25 per orchid

May 5th: Corporate Membership Sub-Committee Meeting; after regular weekly meeting.

May 6th: The Creative Center Virtual Event; 6:00 to 7:30 pm; admission \$50; for more information contact Executive Director, Michelle Barrios at 559-733-4400

May 12th: Wine Auction from 5:00 to 8:00 pm; in the garden of Stan and Wendy Simpson, 1543 W. Sierra Ave, Visalia CA 93291

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