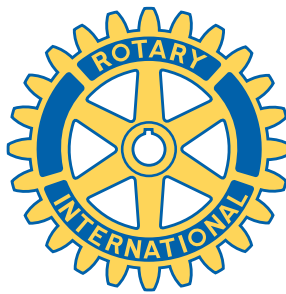


Wednesday Mornings - 6:45 a.m.  
Burrage Mansion  
1205 W Crescent Ave, Redlands, CA 92373



Tuesday Evening - 6:00 p.m.  
Assistancia  
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Week of: August 14, 2023

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## ROTARY CALENDAR

### **SPEAKERS**

- August 15 - RSRX Erica Horan - Owner of Happy Camper Creamery
- August 16 - MCCA
- August 23 - Brian Seghers - Owner Rendition Tadoo
- August 29 - RSRX @ Whiskey republic
- August 30 - Erica Horan - Owner of Happy Camper Creamery
- September 6 - Chris Alvarez - Rotary Club of Redlands
- September 13 - Lynn Whitmer - Redlands Community Foundation
- September 20 - Student of the Month  
Craft Talk
- September 27 - Shelli Stockton - Town & Gown

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- President - Lance Bauer
- President Elect - Beth Sanders
- President Nominee - Jonathan Shidler
- Chairman RSRX- Mike Schaefer
- Secretary - Amy Cranfill
- Treasurer - Sue Reid
- Past President - Ryan Holloway
- Seargant at Arms - Al Hernandez

### **Directors**

- Kelley Bowden
- Mick Gallagher
- Shannon O'Conner
- Rich Sessler



**Ushering at the Redlands Bowl**

## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Aloha to our friends in the Rotary Club of Maui who I have been communicating with. I was told we were one of the first Club's to reach out to them, Mahalo, after the devastating fires. Many of our Club have visited the Hawaiian Islands and have experienced paradise. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers.

As we go about our busy days, lest we never forget how fortunate and blessed we are. While wildfires are commonplace to many of us, Maui was caught off guard. They are reeling...

August will be a busy month, school is back in session (please watch out for the kiddos who are out and about), please drive carefully. Our Student Representatives are being assembled ( Erica from RCS) and Troy has offered to continue with REV 's Interact Club – thank you Troy. Dr. Martin will be taking care of Interact at Redlands Christian Schools.

Our Board for the most part has their marching orders and Sue Reid has emersed herself in the budget which is nearly finalized. Thank you Sue, Al, Jimmy, and Dan for your support. Amy and her lightning-fast typing skills are a blessing at our Board Meetings and Uncle Mick, Chief Sessler, Beth, Kelley, Jonathan, and Ryan bring world class skills to the table. I have seen first-hand our Club is made up of "doers" – very refreshing in today's world of technology overload where so many have lost sight of what is real and most meaningful. Redlands Sunrise Rotary Rocks!!!

The spirit of volunteering is alive and well with so many of our fellow Club members ( too many to name you all ) but your deeds and actions do not go unnoticed. I will never get tired of saying this but please thank our Police Officer(s), Firefighters and Military, both past and present. We owe them all a debt of gratitude.

Yours In Rotary,

Lance

## MEETING NOTES

**Thought for the Day:** Jimmy Bacca on the theme of the Four Way test of the things we say and do.

**4 Way Test:** Rachel Tolber   **Pledge:** President Lance Bauer   **Smile:** Bob Reid and Bert Block

### **GUESTS:**

Alex Moreno, Mor Distribution, LLC   Alex@mordistribution.com  
Mason Yaryan, Mor Distribution, LLC   Mason@Mordistribuuution.com

**Recognition:** Chris Martin. Happy dollars, Kelley Bowden and Rich Sessler. Rachel Tolber for her meet and greet at Mission Gables and various club members for not wearing their Rotary pin.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Kelley Bowden will be leading the next Rotary Basic Training on Wednesday, September 6 following Club meeting. Our High School Reps, Students of the Month and Business Leader of the Month programs will be starting soon.

### **SPEAKER Dr. Nathan Gonsalves, Trustee, San Bernardino Community College District**

Nathan described the mission of our community colleges is based on the premise that everyone in a democracy deserves an education.

There are two colleges in our Community College system; San Bernardino Valley College (founded 1926) and Crafton Hills College (founded in 1972).

The SBCCD serves 22 cities and communities.

47% of students pay NO FEES. It is a very diverse student body and many students transfer to 4 year colleges. 51% go on to CSU and 29% to the UC system (an aside ...Crafton Hills had a student transfer to Harvard last year!)

There is a full range of classes available for students. Top three classes for enrollment at San Bernardino Valley College are Liberal Arts and Sciences, Police Academy and Biological and Physical sciences. Nathan introduced us to the KVCR Strategic Directions plan. KVCR 91.9 Public Radio and TV Channel 24 Stations are being developed to give students more opportunity to be involved. This will open up large opportunities for careers in the media industry.



### **Meet and Greet with Rachel Tolber**



Several Club members were in attendance as member and Redlands Chief of Police Rachel Tolber was introduced and honored at a Redlands Charitable Resource Coalition sponsored "Meet & Greet" gathering at the Mission Gables House.

### **Maui Fire Relief**

Hawaiian Rotary District 5000 Foundation has established a disaster relief fund to assist those affected by the terrible Maui fires. For a tax deductible contribution, see [https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted\\_button\\_id=6C4K2SDUY8FUG](https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=6C4K2SDUY8FUG)

## PAST PRESIDENTS

John Tincher ~ Brian Holmes ~ Bob Nottingham ~ Mick Gallagher ~ Hank Hallis ~ Rick Clark  
Walt Kadyk ~ Fred Ford ~ Pat Gilbreath ~ Eric Munson ~ Jim McCallum ~ Dan Hatt ~ Ken Barr  
Roger Powell ~ Jon Hoghaug ~ Linda Frye ~ Kirk Stitt ~ Jesse Siglow ~ Sharon Guggisberg ~ Jim Petty  
Tom Fitzmaurice ~ Bryan Reid ~ Carolyn Kelsey ~ Janey Cole ~ Craig Parker ~ Sam Irwin ~ Leon Fikse  
Chris Martin ~ Randy Brown ~ Jeff Sceranka ~ Jim Bacca ~ Kelley Bowden ~ Micah White  
Al Hernandez ~ Rashid Mosavin ~ Damo Damodaran ~ Troy Molaug ~ Amy Cranfill ~ Ryan Holloway