

Rotary

Club of Indio



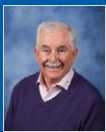
Club Meeting

Indio
Meets at Fantasy Springs
Resort Special Events
Center 84-245 Indio
Springs Dr. Indio, CA
92203
Fantasy Springs Resort
Casino/Special Events Ctr
84-245 Indio Springs
Parkway
Indio, CA 92203
Time: Tuesday at 12:10
PM

Events

No Events found

Club Leaders



Dennis J. Sheehan
President



Avisinia Rodriguez
President-Elect
Secretary



Jennifer Schultz
Treasurer



Dr. Mark Zacovic
President-
Nominee

Stacy Fifield
Rotary
Foundation

Pancake Breakfast & Golf Cart Parade

Pancake Breakfast



Some of our club members expressed an interest in helping at the pancake breakfast given by the R C of Palm Desert, this coming Sunday, Oct 27th, starting at 8 am If you plan on helping with the Pancake Breakfast or walking in the golf cart parade please let Dennis know by Thur Oct 24: djsheehan46@gmail.com

Bulletin Oct 22, 2024

Members Present: Randy Bateman, John Dolan, Stacy Fifield, Bob Firing, Ben Guitron, Bruce Latta, Steve Morgan, Chris Pickering, Dennis Sheehan, Sue Steding, Merlina Tate.

Guests & Associate Members: Rich Gross (Dr), Nick Pickering, Irene Dolan, Diana Cabott Nimsick,



Chair



Bruce Latta
Membership
Chair



Chris Pickering
Webmaster



Merlina Tate
Webmaster



Benjamin
Guitron IV
iPast President

District Leaders

Judy A. Zulfiqar
District Governor
Nyron H. McLean
DG-Elect

Douglas W. Baker
District Foundation
Chair

Albert R. Rubio
District Membership
Chair

Calvin B. Boothby
Assistant Governor

William R. Chase
Assistant Governor

Stacy Fifield
Assistant Governor

Richard F. Lemire
Assistant Governor

Bill Orr
Assistant Governor

Chris Schultz
Assistant Governor

Mary Towne
Assistant Governor

Jamie M Zinn
District Treasurer



Ed Klasson, Brian Klaver, Tom Browser,

Opening: The meeting was opened by President Dennis Sheehan. The flag salute by John Dolan & the 4-Way Test by Merlina Tate. The Rotary Moment will be a video on World Polio Day which is Oct 24. The video will be shown next week.

Guests: Jenn Schultz introduced the Associate Members & guests attending.

Announcements:

- Ben Guitron presented the Golf Ball Drop Information. The golf ball drop & BBQ will be Nov 9th at the Center Stage Park in Downtown Indio at Smurr & Miles. A golf hole will be cut into the grass & balls dropped from a firetruck at around 4 pm. All Rotary members are asked to sell at least 10 tickets. Tickets are 1 for \$10, 3 for \$25, 12 for \$100. Ben has the tickets now. Call Ben & he will deliver tickets to you. Office: 760-559-1621 or Cell: 760-342-5951. Proceeds will benefit our Foundation's Charitable Events. **MOST IMPORTANTLY: BE SURE ALL TICKET STUBS ARE TURNED IN TO BEN OR BROUGHT TO THE GOLF BALL DROP ON NOV 9TH.** Rotarians are asked to be at the BBQ & golf ball drop from about noon to sell tickets before the drop. Interact Students will also be selling tickets.

Golf Ball Drop

November 9, 2024

PRIZES: Hole-in-One: \$1,000
CLOSEST TO THE CUP: \$350
FARTHEST TO CUP: \$250

All proceeds will help fund local projects for Indio Rotary Clubs
Indio Rotary Foundation Tax #95-3842510

1 ticket for \$10 or 3 tickets for \$25

Ball drop will be at 4:00 PM during the
Annual Indio BBQ Festival at the
Indio Center Stage, 82-881 Miles Ave., Indio, CA
November 9, 2024

Contact: IndioRotary@gmail.com or (760) 626-5355

Ticket # 0286

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NAME: _____

PHONE #: _____

EMAIL: _____

Ball drop will be at 3:00 PM during the Annual Indio BBQ Competition Festival at the Indio Center Stage 82-881 Miles Ave., Indio, CA November 9, 2024

Winner need not be present

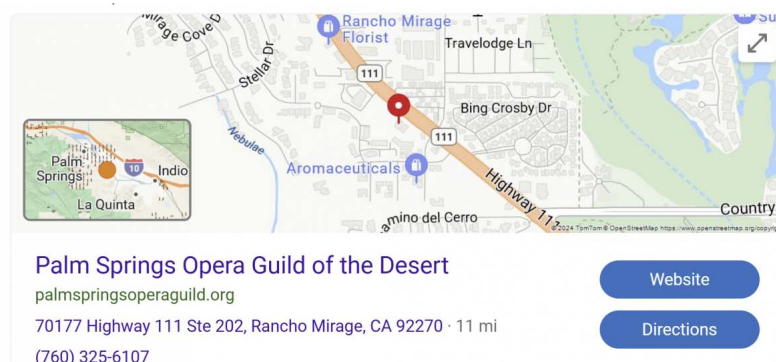
- The Indio Handel's Ice Cream Store & Texas Roadhouse will support Scholarships from Rotary for Shadow Hills High School Scholarships. For anyone that presents the flyer or mentions the flyer at Handel's on November 14, 20% of that person's purchase will go back to the Rotary Club of Indio's Foundation Account. Texas Roadhouse info will follow at a later date.

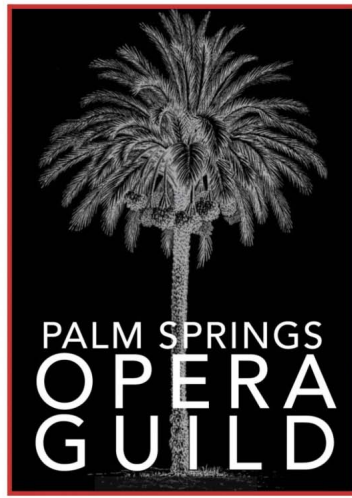


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- Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of purchases of those that show the Rotary Flyer or mention the Flyer when they purchase at the Texas Roadhouse on Nov 6. Randy Bateman suggested we all go to the Texas Roadhouse on Nov 6 at 6:30 & wear our Rotary Shirts. The Flyer & more info will appear later.

Speaker: Laurie Baldwin, Executive Director of the Opera Guild of Palm Springs.

She explained that an Opera Company performs & an Opera Guild funds & supports.





The PS Opera Guild invites everyone to join the Guild family and participate in its numerous events and programs. The PS opera Guild was established to support and promote the operatic arts through outreach, education, fundraising, service, and continues to contribute its growth today as one of the leading Valley's fine arts companies. What are you waiting for? Join today!

OPERA EDUCATION

Impacting and exposing people, both young and old, will continue to keep opera alive. Opera in the Schools is a two-week interactive educational that is popular with more than 25,000 students in grades K-12. OPERAtunity, one of our most recent endeavors, is an extensive program for young adults interested in exploring a career as a singer, or in the administrative world of classical music.

VOCAL COMPETITION

The Palm Springs Opera Guild Vocal Competition for talented young singers aspiring to a professional career in opera, is an annual winter event. The competition is open to residents living in the Western United States and Territories. Competitors must be citizens or have the right to work in the U.S. The age limit is 21 years to 32 years old for the applicants.

Participants compete for prestige and monetary prizes during the event. Eight finalists compete for more than \$30,000 in cash scholarships – one of the largest prize purses in the nation for young artists. The next Vocal Competition will take place in December 2024. Watch for details.

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Laurie@palmspringsoperaguild.org

JoAnne Thompson, Executive Assistant –
Joanne@palmspringsoperaguild.org

World Polio Day is Oct 24



Show Your Support for World Polio Day

In her [World Polio Day](#) message, Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick calls upon the Rotary community to build on our incredible progress, face the challenges ahead with tenacity, and stay focused on our ultimate goal: a polio-free world.



[Watch video](#)

Golf Ball Drop Nov 9

At about 4PM on Saturday, November 9, the third annual Indio Rotary Ball Drop will take place in Downtown Indio, alongside the City of Indio Barbecue Festival. This is your opportunity to participate in a fun, community-driven event with the chance to win.

Here's how it works. Tickets are \$10 for one or \$25 for three. And here's what you could win:

- First place: \$1,000
- Second place: \$300
- Furthest from the cup: \$200

You don't need to be present to win, but we encourage you to come enjoy the festivities.

The Rotary Club of Indio was recently recognized as Non-Profit of the Year by the Greater Coachella Valley Chamber of Commerce—a testament to the meaningful work we do. Forty percent of our annual budget goes directly to

This fundraiser is critical to continuing our work in the community, and we need your support. Please email me to purchase tickets, and I'll personally deliver them to you.

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**GCVCC - Greater Coachella Valley Chamber
of Commerce**

November 2024

THU November 7 @ 7:30 am - 10:30 am

7 Indio State of the Business Community, Expo and Business Awards

Fantasy Springs Special Event Center 84-245 Indio Springs
Pkwy, Indio, United States

The Greater Coachella Valley Chamber of Commerce
proudly presents the Indio State of the Business
Community, Expo & Business Awards, a premier
event bringing together business leaders, influencers,
and community ... Continued



Dear Board Members:

Oct 17 at the operating club Board made a recommendation to the club Foundation Board to approve an expenditure of \$ 1000 to fund a table for 8 at this Nov 7th event opening at 7:30 am at the Fantasy Springs Event Center.

The club has earned an award as the "Non Profit of the Year" from GCVCC which will be presented at this event.

You're all invited to attend; please mark your calendars to be in attendance so we may have an excellent representation of the RCI at this meeting.

Thank you -

Dennis J. Sheehan
president

Will Board Members please respond to Dennis Sheehan whether you will be attending the Nov 7 Greater Coachella Valley Chamber of Commerce Indio State of the Business Community Meeting or not: 760-907-8499 djsheehan46@gmail.com.

If you are not on the Rotary Club of Indio Board & would like to attend, please contact Dennis to see if there are any spaces left at the table. If the table is full tickets can be purchased at the Greater Coachella Valley Chamber of Commerce website for Nov 7.

ROTARY CLUBS OF THE COACHELLA VALLEY WALKS

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

Get ready to put on those walking shoes!



As PD President Angelique Ontiveros shared at the last Club's President meeting, our club has the fantastic opportunity to lead the Rotary Clubs of the Coachella Valley for all four upcoming community walks. With my previous experience in these events, Angelique has asked me to take charge of this coordination adventure.

We've created a unified team name for each walk: ROTARY CLUBS OF THE COACHELLA VALLEY.

Attached, you'll find a document with all the exciting details for each walk. Please spread the word to your club members and encourage everyone to join in the fun. I'm here to help with any questions you, your club, or individual members may have.

I'm super thrilled about this chance to bring together all the clubs in the Coachella Valley and can't wait to see a strong turnout of Rotarians at these walks. Let's make some unforgettable memories together!

YIRS.

Maria (Blue) Meyers



Let's get walking!



[Click Here for Information & Links to Walks](#)

3rd Grade Book Distribution

Jenn Schultz distributed books to 3rd graders at Amelia Earhart Elementary:





Business Memberships

Groups:



Thank you to our Business Memberships:



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Chris & Jennifer Schultz Mike Colby Howard Hoffenberg

Speakers

October 26th
[Alzheimer's Walk](#)

Area opens of 8:00 am Walk starts at

October 29th
[Museum of Ancient Wonders](#)



8:30 am
November 5th
[Jorge Ramirez](#)
Indio Golf Club Manager

November 12th
[Merlina Tate](#)
November 19th
[DG Judy Zulfigar](#)
DG Comments and Club Member
Awards Board at 11 am & Club
Meeting at 12 pm.

November 9th
[Heart & Stroke Walk](#)
Festival Area opens at 8:00 am Meet
up time 8:30 am
November 16th
[Mental Health Awareness](#)

Birthdays

No Birthdays Found

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Club Anniversaries

[Jurupa Valley](#)
October 6th
[Moreno Valley](#)
October 20th

[Desert Hot Springs](#)
October 9th