

# Rotary

## Club of Indio



Thursday, April 13, 2023

### Club Meeting

Indio  
Fantasy Springs Resort  
Special Events Center 84-  
245 Indio Springs Dr.  
Indio, CA 92203  
Tuesday at 12:10 PM

### Club Leaders



Chris Schultz  
President



Jennifer Schultz  
Treasurer



Barbara Dreis  
Assistant  
Governor

### Events

April 18th

#### Indio Weekly Club Meeting

**Speaker:** Regular Meeting

**Speaker:** Bronwyn Dias

**Subject:** April 18 will be a regular meeting at Fantasy Springs. The April Zoom Meeting will be held on April 25. Bronwyn Dias is the Co-Founder. Isle of Cumbrae Gin

Distillery

April 22nd

#### Indio Rotary Math Field Day

April 25th

Dear Newsletter readers:

I just received a second accounting of the April 11 meeting. Since I am not able to return to Club meetings yet, I really appreciate those that send me their notes. Since Barb Dreis did such a great & detailed accounting of the meeting, which I received after I sent out the first DACdb mail, I am sending hers now.

I hope to return in a week or so. It has been a long slow recovery process.

Merlina Tate Member Attendees: Jenn Schultz, Thom Emery, Barbara Dreis, Carla McNamara, Stacy Fifield, Chris Schultz, Bill Shinsky, John Niederkorn, Bryan Montgomery, Bruce Latta, John Dolan, Benjamin Guitron

Guest Attendees: Irene Dolan

Visiting Rotarians: Marilyn Sanserson

Pledge: Bruce

4-Way Test: John Dolan

With President Chris' encouragement, Bruce Latta filled us in on his busy family activities. Bruce was Father of the Bride last weekend and his son is now in Hawaii doing his internship in Orthopedic Medicine. This is very thrilling especially for Wanda (Mother of the Bride) because Hawaii is where she was born and raised!

Marilyn Sanderson, our District Trainer, and District Polio + Chair, (and more I couldn't write down) was in attendance to Honor Don Casper for becoming a member of the District Polio + Society. We can all become members by pledging to contribute \$100.00 to Rotary International Polio + each year. Please contact Marilyn for the form and any questions you may have. ([marilynsanderson1617@gmail.com](mailto:marilynsanderson1617@gmail.com))

Treasurer Jennifer Schultz let us know we received a check for \$6,000.00 from our volunteer hours at the Tour de Palm Springs this

## **Indio Zoom Meeting**

**Speaker:** Zoom Meeting  
Speaker: Manzoor Massey

**Subject:** For April the Zoom Meeting will be held on April 25 instead of the 18th. Manzoor Massey is a Past District Governor.

year! Our club is contributing \$500.00 of that amount to the Rotary Club of Mecca Binacional for four of their members helping us volunteer the day of the Bike Ride.

Our Speaker was Ashley Bautista, the Community Outreach Specialist at Partners Against Violence of Coachella Valley. This agency is our local Rape Crisis Provider for all of the Coachella Valley.

Below are some statistics:

- More than 1 in 4 non-Hispanic Black women in the United States were raped in their lifetime
- More than 4 in 5 American Indian and Alaska Native women have experienced violence in their lifetime
- 1 in 3 Hispanic women reported unwanted sexual contact in their lifetime
- 32.9 percent of adults with intellectual disabilities have experienced sexual violence
- 47 percent of all transgender people have been sexually assaulted at some point in their lives

. About 3% of American men—or 1 in 33—have experienced an attempted or completed rape in their lifetime.

. 1 out of every 10 rape victims are male.

Services provided by Partners Against Violence include:

Accompaniment to hospitals, law enforcement, and courts. Advocacy, Counseling and counseling referrals, 24 hour Crisis Hotline, Education, Community Projects, and a new Prevention Team. Partners Against Violence is working at expanding their services to other victims of Violence.

April is Sexual Violence Awareness Month and to help bring more recognition, April 26 is Wear Denim Day.

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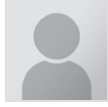
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## Birthdays



[Myron Pasichny](#)  
May 2nd



[Stephen Losh](#)  
May 11th