



YMCA Of The Desert: Leading With Passion and Purpose

The Palm Springs Air Museum

The Museum has recently announced a \$3 million expansion and volunteer **Ed Miccio**, an Army veteran who served in Vietnam, will join us on August 27 and tell us more about the construction project and the Air Museum itself. Founded in 1996, the Palm Springs Air Museum offers one of the world's largest collections of static and flyable aircraft from WWII through the War on Terror. The Museum draws over 150,000 visitors a year and features five air conditioned hangars displaying over 75 military aircraft and helicopters as well as related displays, a library and café. In addition to the displays, visitors can also book Warbird rides and fly in several different museum planes. Construction has already begun on the expansion project which will renovate the Museum's entrance as well as add a 400-seat classroom, a new gift shop and new corporate offices.



Upcoming Speakers & Meeting Schedules

- **August 27 – Palm Spring Air Museum, Ed Miccio**
- **September 3 – Variety of the Desert, Nick Rossi & Lupita Garza**
- **September 10 – Palm Desert Civic Academy, Ryland Penta**
- **September 17 – American Red Cross, Avery Bell**
- **September 24 – Friends of the Desert Mountains, Karin Jaffie**

WHAT HAPPENED LAST WEEK

Tony Gentry, Maria & Mark Meyer, Angelique Ontiveros and Maryalice Alberg Owings talked about their RI Convention experiences in Singapore. And, Amy Laboda made the exciting announcement that she's running for District Governor.



Our Rotarians were out in the community helping at both the Galilee Center and the Coachella Valley Rescue Mission, filling backpack with back-to-school supplies for the children these organizations serve.



More opportunities to help in our community and across the world ...

ShelterBox Donation Information

Ways to help the CV Animal Campus

Angels of Service Schedule

* Contact Buffy Cavaness for future dates for Angels of Service and if you would like to volunteer.

310-410-0001 only.buff.2020@gmail.com

(You can also support the AOS with a Happy Dollars donation or the PayPal link below.)

Galilee Center

Volunteer Opportunities

Tuesdays 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Fill food baskets

Thursdays 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Fill produce bags

Thursdays 3:45 pm - 5 pm

Help load food boxes into the vehicles' trunks. Fast-Paced.

Must be able to lift approx. 25lbs.

Monday - Saturday 9 am - 5 pm

Help in store, warehouse and food storage.

Sweep, mop, organize, sort items & clothing, move furniture.

To volunteer or get more information on the Food Basket Distributions dates and times, call 760-396-9100 or email ltorres@galileecenter.org.

Mark your Rotary Calendars for these Events

THIRSTY THURSDAYS



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Technology Dr,
Palm Desert

Off Gerald Ford, just
west of Cook St.

Yes, we're going back for the award-winning beer, food and fun at the

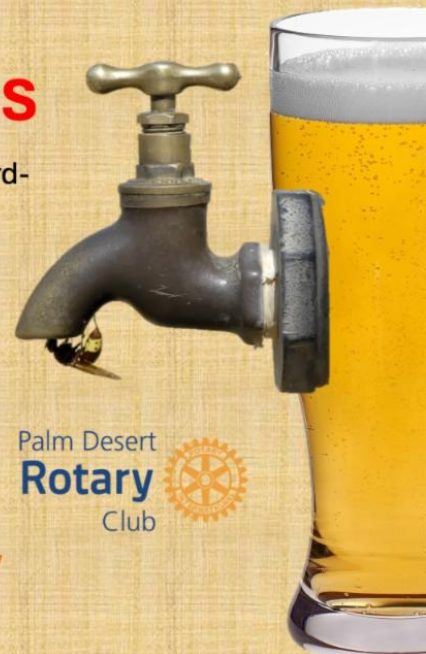
La Quinta Brewing Co.

September 5, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

No reservation required

Great craft beers, pub food, wine, cider, seltzers and assorted non-alcoholic drinks are all available.

<https://www.laquintabrewing.com/>



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PANCAKE BREAKFAST 2024

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Just
\$10!



WHEN

October 27, 2024
8 AM-11 AM

WHERE

Corner of El Paseo &
San Luis Rey in Palm Desert

TICKETS

\$10 at the door or buy online
at EventBrite. Click [here](#).

Join us before the **Palm Desert
Golf Cart Parade** for pancakes,
eggs, sausage, coffee & juice.

Proceeds from the Pancake
Breakfast provide scholarships,
development experiences, and
much more to the youth of
Coachella Valley.

Over \$100,000 back to the
community in the last 12 months.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Contact Mark Stanley at
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You can also pay with
PayPal using the
QR code.

November 18, 2024
The Rotary Golf
Fundraiser will be held
at Shadow Mountain
Golf Club. Watch for
more information!



Meeting Information

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\$125 LUNCH TICKET

\$25 **\$25** **\$25** **\$25** **\$25**

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Weekly Rotary Meeting Information

We meet in person at 11:45 am on Tuesdays at the Palm Valley Country Club, Palm Desert. The meeting starts promptly at 12:00 noon so arrive early to register and socialize.

We also offer a Zoom option for our out-of-town members. We ask all Rotarians and guests who are able to, to please attend in person.

NEW-Regular Zoom Meeting Link

The Zoom Room opens at 11:45am and the meeting begins at 12 Noon.

Join by CLICKING HERE
 or Join Zoom Meeting via the Zoom web:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83770058317?pwd=OQtHdFBhM1BJbXgzcmYvTHliZzNTQT09>

Dialing in? Find the number by your location at:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83770058317?pwd=OQtHdFBhM1BJbXgzcmYvTHliZzNTQT09>

Meeting ID: 837 7005 8317
 Passcode: PD885



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Rotary Club of Palm Desert Board of Directors 2024-25

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