

PALM DESERT, CA



DESERT BREEZE

PALM DESERT ROTARY – DISTRICT 5330

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Enjoy the 4th, stay safe, and remember, the club will not meet this Tuesday. To fill the void in our social schedules, we are hosting a get-together this coming Thursday. *(see info below.)*

Regular meetings will resume on July 11 when the program is ... You! Be sure to attend so you too can have a voice on the future of the club as we have an open forum on strategic planning.

THIRSTY THURSDAYS

Join us for the FIRST Thirsty Thursday

July 6th 2023, 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm

No reservation required

Food and cocktails available for purchase



This Month's location:

COWBOY CANTINA

72620 El Paseo, Palm Desert, CA 92260

First
Thursday
of Each
Month



Upcoming Speakers & Meeting Schedules

- July 4 – No Meeting
- July 11 – Club Strategic Planning
- July 18 – RI Convention Report, Mary Alice Alberg Owings
- July 25 – All About the RI Foundation, Jennifer Loretta, Foundation Chair.

Rotate the Wheel Dinner





A great crowd, great fun, and a perfect end to a great year.

Amy give out kudos, certificates, presents and a beautiful orchid to Nancy Westerholm to celebrate her long tenure as Foundation Chair. Don Wiley entertained with his guitar. Carol kept things moving as MC and filled in as assistant with all the gifts, John amused us with some "Amy" stories. Leroy and Carol wrapped things up with gifts for Amy and Leroy introduced his board. We all received mini-gavels, Leroy hats and bells to ring in the new Rotary Year.

To top it all, we enjoyed a tasty taco bar, coconut shrimp and churros for dessert. Yum.



Angels of Service Schedule

July 6 – CSUSB

July 17 – Food Now/St. Margaret's

July 31 – Joslyn Center

AOS is only a 2-3 hour commitment on a Monday morning from 9-noon.

If you have one of these dates open, call Buffy!

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

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

Galilee Center

Regular Weekly Volunteer Opportunities

Tuesdays 10am - 11am - Fill food baskets

Thursdays 10am - 11am - Fill produce bags - **Thursdays 2:45pm - 4pm**

Help load food boxes into the vehicles' trunks.

Interested in volunteering? Please give call 760-396-9100 or

email ltorres@galileecenter.org.

Meeting Information

Palm Desert
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**Help the Club save money by
buying a lunch ticket or paying
with cash for lunch**

Do you pay for your lunch with a credit card? Consider buying a 5 punch lunch ticket so we pay credit card fees on 1 transactions instead of 5. The more we save on administrative cost, the more club funds go to doing good!

Weekly Rotary Meeting Information

We now meet in person at 11:45 am on Tuesdays at the Palm Valley Country Club, Palm Desert. 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.

- Please make a reservation by the Thursday before. You can RSVP by sending an

email to palmdesertrotary@gmail.com or replying the reservation request e-mail. that goes out each week.

- The meal is a buffet so please arrive at 11:45 am at the latest to register, socialize, and serve yourself so the meeting can start promptly at 12:00 pm.

Please Note: If you have reservation and do not cancel, you may be asked to pay for the lunch if we fall short of our reserved headcount.

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/7942121195?pwd=cHZWNTJpdmRrOXM0bU9LOTFPUE3dz09>

Dialing in? Find the number by your location at:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7942121195>

Meeting ID: 794 212 1195
Passcode: 0764601



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Your Rotary Board

Rotary Club of Palm Desert Board of Directors 2023-24

President – Leroy Johnson
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Membership – Priscilla Dewing
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Vocational Service – Andrea Durrett
Youth Service – Maryalice Alberg Owings
International Service & Club Foundation President – Ricardo Loretta

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