

Rotary

Club of Palm Springs



Friday, April 4, 2025

Palm Springs
Meets at Tapestry Room
(off lobby entrance)
Palm Springs Hilton 400
E Tahquitz Canyon Way
Palm Springs, CA 92262
Time: Wednesday at
11:45 AM

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By Michele Nobleman



Gina Rotolo VP of Marketing and Team Business Services. She has worked in Sports and Entertainment for about 20 years. She has launched several different new teams. She came to work for the hockey team, but now there are 4 business units that have expanded from Acrisure & Firebirds Hockey. There is a Berger Foundation Iceplex, a community skate center for community hockey teams, and kids skating. Also, there is now the One Valley Foundation, a non-profit foundation which has been developed. The

foundation focuses on anti-bullying as well as a program called, Stick to Reading.

The hockey players join the Firebirds team at about age 19, and grow up on the Acrisure Arena ice. There is a commitment to the community, so the Fuego mascot is everywhere!



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Birthdays

James Griffes
April 15th

Timothy A. Ellis
April 23rd



Tom Koch was the recognition master, with trivia on April Fools Day.

President Karl was the lucky holder of the ticket number, but no joy in choosing the black

Angel View Prom



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE March 23, 2025

Rotary Club of Palm Springs Hosts 19th Annual Angel View Prom for Individuals with Disabilities

For nearly two decades, the **Rotary Club of Palm Springs** has brought joy and celebration to more than 100 Angel View residents through this special prom experience. Originally founded to assist children affected by polio, Angel View has since expanded to support individuals with orthopedic and neuromuscular disorders, providing essential care and services. Each year, Rotary members dedicate months of planning to transform the

venue into an unforgettable prom setting, complete with decorations, music, a DJ, a portrait photographer, and delicious food. The event, held on the **picturesque outdoor patio of Cahuilla Elementary School**, is a testament to the Rotary Club's commitment to community service and inclusion.

As guests arrive, they are warmly welcomed by **Folklorico dancers from Palm Springs High School**, followed by the cherished tradition of receiving corsages and boutonnieres before having their official prom portraits taken. Once inside, Rotary members and **Palm Springs High School Interact Club** students will join the Angel View clients in dancing, socializing, and celebrating a truly special evening.

"The clients absolutely love dancing with the high school students-it's a moment of pure joy that we look forward to every year," said **Judy Bronstein, Committee Chair**.

Funding and Community Support

The Angel View Prom is one of the Rotary Club of Palm Springs' **major community service events**. Each year, the club applies for the **Rotary District Wallis C. Jones/Rotary Friends Grant**, which supports programs that connect young people with elderly or disabled individuals. These funds help ensure that this cherished event continues to thrive and bring happiness to the Angel View community.

About the Rotary Club of Palm Springs

The **Rotary Club of Palm Springs** is dedicated to serving the local and global community through impactful service projects, fostering youth leadership, and promoting goodwill. As part of **Rotary International**, the club aligns with its mission to create lasting change in communities worldwide. The Palm Springs Rotary Club is always looking for more members

For more information about this event or the Rotary Club of Palm Springs, please contact **Judy Bronstein at (760) 567-2464 or Jbronstein@dc.rr.com**.



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Upcoming

April 11 Club Assembly Club Financials, District Training, Schedule for YE and transition of boards

April 16 Nicolas Gonzalez Dir Parks & Recreation for the city of Palm Springs

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**You are Invited to
Rotary Day at Galway
(Site of Olympic
Equestrian '28) -
District Conference,
Celebration, &
Community**

**May 17th, 2025
10AM Interact
Conference Begins
11 AM to 6 PM - Epic
Day of Service, District
Conference, Peace
Pole Dedication
Galway Downs
Equestrian Facility in
Temecula Wine
Country**

**Ticket prices range
from \$31-\$42
Full Meal included in**

Rotary
District 5330



TRAINING

ASSEMBLY

Preparing Rotarians to Shape the Future

SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2025

CHECK IN @ 7:30 AM

\$30.00 PER PERSON

OPEN TO ALL ROTARIANS

TAHQUITZ HIGH SCHOOL

4425 Titan Trail, Hemet, CA 92545



REGISTER @
www.rotary5330.org

the \$42 ticket price
Additional food and
drinks available for
purchase

No-Host Bar Onsite

Tickets on Sale Now: <https://www.district5330.org/rotary-day-at-galway-district-conference-celebration-community/>