

Saturday, September 28, 2024

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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## **Speakers**

### October 02, 2024

Rossana Jeran Co-Founder/CEO
Hello Computer, Inc. is a social purpose, technology startup that is passionate about making positive changes to the landscape of content creation and delivery with our proprietary AI driven platform StoryTime AI.

#### October 09, 2024

<u>Charles Huff</u> LGBT Center's Food Bank

#### October 16, 2024

<u>Ivonne Moreno</u> Hansen House

#### October 23, 2024

John Gerardi
Palm Springs Unified
School District

#### **Club Leaders**



<u>Karl D. Kruger</u> President

# Coachella Valley Classical Voices - Steve Baker

By James M. Dunn Jr.



After leaving his career in technology with HP, Steve moved with his husband to Palm Springs about 20 years ago. Steve described his involvement in local non-profit arts organizations. Steve's husband is a

classically trained opera singer and as such wanted to enhance the awareness and deliver of opera here in the valley through the CV Classical Voices.

The group has performed throughout the valley. They will be performing at Mizell October 14<sup>th</sup>, see Ector if you would like to attend as seating is limited.

The group's objectives are to enrich the valley and to bring together locals with talent and the desire to perform who may may not have other outlets to do

In his talk, Steve encouraged us

to get involved in supporting local arts non-profits whether it is buying tickets, donating or simply attending an event and bringing others. Visit their website to learn more at https://cvclassicalvoices.com/





<u>James M. Dunn</u> <u>Jr.</u> Secretary



Michele Nobleman Treasurer Past President



Frank E.
Peabody
Sergeant-atArms



<u>Timothy A. Ellis</u> Club Foundation President

## **Birthdays**

David McGill
October 1st
Robert C. Allan
October 4th
Dorys Halftermeyer
October 12th
Mark Vivian
October 19th

### **Announcements**

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October 17th: PS Unified School District Annual Update will be at Palm Springs High School Richards Auditorium from 6pm-7:30pm (doors open at 5:30)



The Palm Springs Unified School District Board of Education & Superintendent Dr. Tony Signoret invites you to our

STATE OF THE DISTRICT
"Going the Distanceâ€
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2024
6PM - 7:30PM
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM
RICHARDS CENTER
2248 RAMON ROAD PALM
SPRINGS

Join us for an evening of learning more about our district, enjoying student performances, â€~Do the Right Thing'

Recognitions, and a special guest appearance by Fuego from the Coachella Valley Firebirds! Space is limited. Please register.

Annual District Foundation Fundraising Dinner November 2 â€" 2 seats left at the Palm Springs table. …see the link in the Desertarian to sign up or call Karl.

Palm Springs Post â€" The club is listed in the PS Post News online. Our club information is there so please sign-up to receive news from the PS Post. It is great publication focused on Palm Springs only news and events. Visit the Post at https://thepalmspringspost.com/

Remember to invite potential new members to future club meetings!

Member "Craft Talkâ€: email Karl to schedule your date to speak to our members about you and your life accomplishments. Five minutes or twenty-five minutes.



## **Club Accomplishments**

Our District Governor's Citations atevery meeting. Show these off

and be proud! The club accomplished a great deal last year!

Secondary School Scholarships, provided six (6) \$2,000, through

our club foundation



PRYDE camp, sent four (4) campers from Raymond Cree Elementary Coins for Kids program, purchased glasses for children in need Interact Club supported at Palm Springs High School Milt Levinson Book Giveaway presented to students at Cahuilla Elementary School

**RYLA Camp,** sending six (6) campers from PS High

**Four Way Speech and Music Competition** for club conducted & sending representatives to District competition.

**The Chamber of Commerce** engages our membership through mixers. **Community Parades**, participated in PS Pride, Veterans Day, Festival of Lights

Mizell Christmas Gifts

**Tour de Palm Springs** key fundraiser based on participation **Global Grants** 

Supported former club member GG with \$1k club and \$6k district commitment and partnered with an India host club on a global grant with support of district funds

Supported Palm Desert Rotary Mexicali weekend Project as well as past member granddaughter Ravin Levinson in graduation from nursing school. **Social Outings** Thanksgiving celebration event, Christmas and Valentines luncheons, Thirsty Thursday & Friday Breakfast monthly

Community parade Black History Month

Mizell Community PartnerProgressive Dinner Annual Chili cook-off benefitting Food Now

One PS Picnic â€" community event Ruth Hardy Park

Prom for Angel View Clients @ Cahuilla Elementary School

## **Upcoming Events**

2024/25 Board Nominations are in October - Judy Bronstein is the Nominating Committee chair - Let Judy know which area of the Board you would like to serve.

Oct 2 Hello Computer - Rossana Jeran Co-Founder/CEO

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