

Rotary



Club of Temecula



IMAGINE ROTARY

Sunday, November 6, 2022

President's Message

By Kim Gerrish on Sunday, November 6, 2022



Hello Friends!

We are headed into a busy season for Rotary! We have PRYDE, RYLA planning, Thanksgiving food distribution, Holiday party, Christmas toy drive, Shop with a Cop and so much more. I urge you to participate as much as you can! These upcoming events and activities are why we are Rotary. It's also a great opportunity to get your family involved as well. They can help pack Thanksgiving boxes and Christmas bags, shop for seniors, donate items for our B.R.I.D.G.E. committee, and more! I look forward to working with you all.

It's Foundation month! For every \$50 dollars you donate to Foundation, it will be matched this month. Find out how close you are to your next Paul Harris. Contact Michael Hoover at michael.hoover@bannerbank.com with questions and help accessing the Rotary.org website where your donation information is located.

Remember, the B.R.I.D.G.E Committee will be collecting new warm socks for men and women (all Sizes), men's boxers, new medium and large, gloves and beanies for the cold months ahead for Project Touch and Homeless Outreach Team. There will be a box at all meetings from November through December where you can place your donated items.

Senior committee is collecting blankets again this year for our Seniors for the holidays. Information is below. Additionally, we are collecting food for our Thanksgiving baskets. The flier of needs is also below!

I hope I didn't miss anything! Stay tuned for updates via email and text. And, as always, please let me know how I can help make your Rotary experience the best for you! 951-265-3936.

See you soon!

Kim

You will love this month's speakers!

Club Meeting

Temecula
Meets at Mt. San Jacinto Community College Temecula
41888 Motor Car Parkway
Temecula, CA 92591
Time: Wednesday at 12:00 PM

Events

November 9th
[Temecula Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Jeremy Roenick
Subject: Former NHL Player

November 16th
[Temecula Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Eldonna Lewis Fernandez
Subject: Baskets & Beads, Kenya

November 17th
[International Committee Meeting](#)

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Chair



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Club
Programs
Chair

Alyson Drago

- **November 9 - Legendary former NHL Player, Jeremy Roenick!**
 - Jeremy is an American former professional ice hockey player who played the majority of his career in the NHL. He played for the Blackhawks, Phoenix Coyotes, Philadelphia Flyers, LA Kings and San Jose Sharks over his 20-year-season career. He also represented Team USA in several tournaments.
- **November 16 - International Committee highlight and Eldonna Fernandez - Baskets & Beads**
 - Eldonna Lewis Fernandez is the founder of [Baskets and Beads Kenya](#) and Dynamic Vision Foundation which helps women in a slum in Kenya eradicate poverty through entrepreneurship. *Baskets and Beads* provides a hand up not a handout by marketing their hand crafted baskets, beads and other products.
- **November 23 - DARK!**
- **November 30 - DARK!**
- **December 7 - Janice Mrkonjic, MSJC - Workforce Development**



Let's get busy! Tell your friends and family!

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25th Annual
Rotary Club of Temecula
**HOLIDAY
FOOD DRIVE**

For 25 years, the Rotary Club of Temecula has provided Thanksgiving and Holiday baskets for local families in need. This year, they will deliver Thanksgiving dinners, complete with a turkey and all the fixings to local families. The need grows every year, and this year we need to serve over 400 families in our community.

Your donation of canned/boxed, nonperishable foods will help your neighbors celebrate the holidays.

We partner with the following organizations and others to assist their families:



**For more information, contact Scott Davis at:
951.313.1739 or scott@themortgagehouse.com**

The Rotary Club of Temecula is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders and problem-solvers who see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change - across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.



**International
Service
Chair**



**Will Joyce
Vocational
Service
Chair**



**Cynthia
Mansell
Youth
Services
Chair**



**Cherise
Manning
iPast
President**



**Julie Ngo
Assistant
Governor**

Birthdays

- Darren Diess
November 11th
- Becky Bowie

November 17th
Mark S Banasiak
December 2nd

9th Annual Keep a Senior Warm at Christmas

We are collecting 750 blankets this
Christmas to bless our seniors in the
community.

Donate by: December 20th to
State Farm: Julie Ngo's office
41881 5th Street
Temecula

or
Paradise Chevrolet Cadillac
27360 Ynez Rd Temecula, CA

Questions:

Vickie Walker

Becky Young

Julie Ngo



Coming Soon!

- November 8 - Allen Orr memorial @ Field of Honor 4pm
- November 17 - Student of the month
- November 19 - Thanksgiving food sorting
- November 19 - Bill Locklin's memorial @ TCI 2pm
- November 21 - Thanksgiving food packing
- November 22 - Thanksgiving deliveries
- November 19-20, 2022 - PRYDE
- December 6 - Rotary Holiday Party @ the Stampede
- December 17 - Christmas toy sorting
- December 19 - Christmas toy packing
- December 20 - Christmas deliveries
- December 21 - Shop with a Cop



March 17-29, 2023 - RYLA#1

• April 14-16, 2023 - RYLA #2

- May 27-31, 2023 - Rotary International Convention - Melbourne, Australia

HIGHLIGHTS FROM LAST MONTH



What a fun time at Fazeli's! Thanks for hosting us BJ!!



Senior Committee celebrating Halloween at the Senior Center.



Our last delivery of food to seniors this year! Great work team!



Team Rotary Club of Temecula at the Michelle's Place Walk of Hope.
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Rotary Anniversaries



[Don Tucker](#)
23 Years



[Vickie L. Walker](#)
16 Years



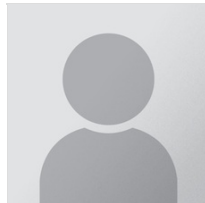
[Daren M. Walsh](#)
10 Years



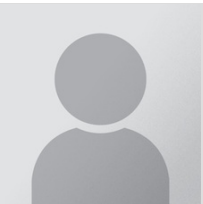
[Darren Diess](#)
7 Years



[John Kelliher](#)
6 Years



[Ryan Brown](#)
1 Year



[Michelle Brown](#)
1 Year