

THE NILES ROTARY PINION

December 2017



ROSE'S RUMINATIONS November in Review

It's December my favorite Month – I love Fall, I love all things Christmas and this month is always a great family month. December is the month that I truly stop and make time to visit with the friends and family that are important to me.

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November was a bit of a resting month for me. The first meeting of the month we had Alex Schubek our first City Manager of Emergency Services. Alex is from Germany and was very interesting. He gave us the 3 steps of getting prepared for a disaster. I'm so proud that our City has given so much thought to keeping us safe. Also in this meeting Tim Gavin shared information after participating with others at Stanford University at an event put on by the Institute for Economics & Peace. Building Sustainable Peace: The eight Positive Peace factors that the Global Peace Index (GPI) identifies correlate strongly to other measures of progress, including the UN's Sustainable Development Goals. This makes the GPI useful to NGO's like Rotary in assessing the impact of their development projects. The graphic slide shows how Rotary's principles and its six areas of focus connect to the optimal conditions for a sustainable peace. Thanks to Jeff S for the write up on Face Book; we look forward to hearing more about this in the future Tim.

My next meeting was an Area 3 meeting. Jim Bell our assistant District Governor returned this year with an ever changing yet emotional and fascinating historical Veterans Day program. My favorite part, although all interesting was the video about the Star Spangled Banner. Jim was right I will never sing that song the same way again. To know the way our flag was being held up is an amazing piece of history. Thank you so much Jim for another program very well done.
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Rose's Ruminations (continued)

The third meeting of the month was Brian's meeting to chair. We had our Reverse Raffle Draft. This year Brian is changing things up and he did an Elimination Draft. He literally pulled names out of a hat and assigned people to teams with the help of Tammi Souza. Every 10th name won a Bundtlet; thank you Chiral from Nothing Bundt Cakes for the fun prizes. The last name called Geeta Kadambi got to pick between Bourbon or a charger. She picked the Bourbon and Margaret Thornberry went away with the Niles Charger. It was a fun meeting and I am very excited about my team – but we need a name!!! The next Thursday we were dark so I was literally out of the pulpit for 3 weeks in a row, nice little rest but still lots of time with the club.

We ended our November with Jan and Pricilla Schultz from Das Brew. He gave a great talk about our local Das Brew, family owned and growing. He talked about the making of beer and the best part was that Das Brew is coming to Niles. I am looking forward to frequenting their little spot. A highlight of the week for me was I became a Great Grandma of a beautiful baby girl -- Isabella Rosalina. Both my granddaughter and her baby did great and are both very happy and healthy. Sorry folks - can't let that beautiful moment go unmentioned. Sancho and Gina first time grandparents are over the moon in love with this little one. Another highlight of the day was Padmaja did her very interesting icebreaker; this girl is on a roll to get her Blue Badge in record time.

Community Service this month began the first Saturday of the month with tearing down of the Ghost House, IN THE RAIN. I was not present but if you check out the photos you will see that Ms. Margo Hood looked like she was having a lot of fun. She was joined by Paul Andrus, Jeff Schinkel, Sandi Pantages, Wendy Mills, Steven Springer, Kathy Laidlaw and Paul Iannacconi just to name a few. Rain or shine we get it done and have fun! We ended the month at the Free Dinning Room for Feed the Hungry – Meat Loaf was back on the menu and appreciated by all of our guest diners. Our Feed the Hungry group is growing as we had

Chiral, Larry, Sophia and Rav join us for the first time. Thank you to The Jones, Rosemary, Rakesh, Merna, Margo, Chuck, Sandi P, Mary Lynn, Steve Cho, Don, Jeff S., John D. and my guy Randy for all of the support and help. It was a great evening and a great way to end the month.

November was also a very social month with our 2nd Social Change event at Fremont Flowers. Sophia and Aziz hit this one out of the park with a Chef demonstration of three appetizers and two drinks. The food was amazing and the drinks were incredibly good. The company was the best as we laughed, ate, and drank together in a getting to know you kinda way. We also went bowling. Steve Cho along with Angus put together a bowling event at Cloverleaf Bowl. A big group of Niles Rotarians and family arrived to get their Bowl on. There was very tough competition as usual. Jeff Falk came out the BIG winner with highest score men with a 177 and Audrey Kearns came out the winner for the ladies with a 154. Audrey was also awarded the most memorable moment award for throwing her bowling ball the opposite way of the pins. Pizza, Beer and Soda were on the lunch menu. Be looking for this event next year, I think it may become a Steve Cho Annual event.

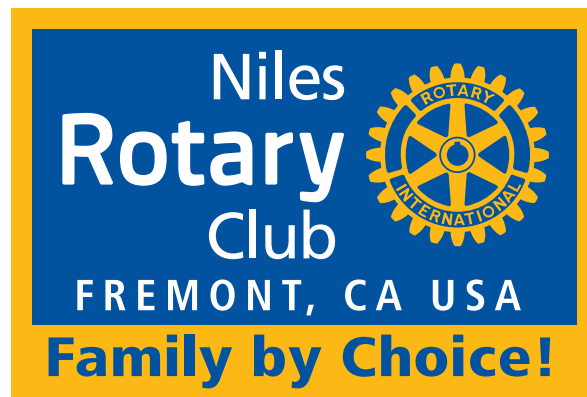
Chuck Canada and Geeta Kadambi put together our 2nd quarter mentoring check-in held at the beautiful home of Geeta. Thank you Geeta for hosting this event once again. We had a great turn out of new Rotarians, membership committee members, mentors and sponsors. Chuck and PE Brian shared great information and of course it was all done as we grazed on light appetizers and wine, thank you PP Lisa. PP

Paul Iannacconi has been hard at it in the Paul Harris Department. This month Gary Basrai gave his daughter her Paul Harris and PP Lisa Lorenz awarded Madhu a Paul Harris to her son. This month the following Rotarians were awarded with their Paul Harris + pins. Tami got her PH + 1, Margo PH +2, Tim Gavin PH + 5. A special honor for Margo and me was when we visited Steve

Barnett and awarded him with his PH + 3 pin. It was a great visit and Steve is looking great. Last but certainly not least – this month Daren announced that our Chili Pepper Challenge has broken all goals by netting over \$65000. Great Job Area 3 Rotarians and it really was fun! At our final meeting of the month Daren also announced that for the second year in a row Dryco, the premier paving company in Fremont, won the Bocce tournament netting \$7500.00. Dryco will be donating the money to Niles Rotary who will turn around and donate it to the District 5130 Fire Victim Relief Fund. Thank you for your generosity Daren – We all truly win!

Until next month have a great December, stop and take time for the ones that are special to you. Enjoy all the holiday traditions of the season.

Fondly, *President Rose*



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- December 15 at 6:30 p.m. – annual holiday party at the home of Sandra & Daren Young**
- December 16 from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. – Pizza With Santa at Centerville Pres. Church – contact: President Rose**
- Wednesday January 3 at 6 pm – RI President Ian Riseley dinner – Doubletree Hilton, San Jose*
- February 16-19, 2018 – Paso Robles Wine Trip – contact: Chuck Canada**
- Saturday March 24, 2018 – Annual Niles Rotary Reverse Raffle **
- Thursday March 29 – Warriors vs Milwaukee basketball – contact: Sophia Ahmad
- Friday April 13 – Save The Date -Music at the Mission Masquerade Ball – honoring Niles Rotary!! Contact Gael Stewart or Sandi Pantages
- June 15 – 16 – Yosemite – contact: Frank Pirrone**
- June 23 – 27, 2018 – RI Convention in Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

*good Area or District activity for Red Badgers

** good Social or Community Service activity for Red Badgers

*** For current calendar information, check the club website – calendar and Events sections

CLUB PROGRAMS

December 7 – Holiday Music at **Harbor Light Church**

December 14 – Pizza With Santa – Stories and Reflections

December 21 – Rick King Sing-Along

December 28 – no meeting

The weekly eBulletin lists each club program

Club programs are listed on the club website:

www.nilesrotary.org

MEMBERSHIP

President Rose reminds us to keep bringing guests to our club meetings. Membership Development, Engagement, and Retention are the keys to our future and to the continued success of Niles Rotary.

The following members have joined Niles Rotary since July 2016. Please make sure you have met them, know who they are, and that they know you.

Aziz Akbari - Accounting
Martin Herter – Senior Living – Administration
Sophia Ahmad – Attorney, Business/Immigration
Gael Stewart – Coffee House/Catering
Maggie Gilbeaux-Chambers – Nursing-Emergency
Linda Anderson – Education, Public
Padmaja Magadala – Physician, Global Health
Chiral Desai – Bakery – Retail/Boutique
Larry Day – Industrial Boilers

When someone asks us what is Rotary, here is what we can say – the short version:

- It's a leadership organization ... We're made up of local business, professional and civic leaders.
- We meet regularly, get to know each other, form friendships, and through that, we're able to get things done in this community.

CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – OCTOBER-NOVEMBER

A few photos from October 26 club meeting:



October 26 – new member Larry Day with Pres. Rose And sponsor Nader Ayad



Blue badges to Maggie Guilbeaux-Chambers and Rav Barring



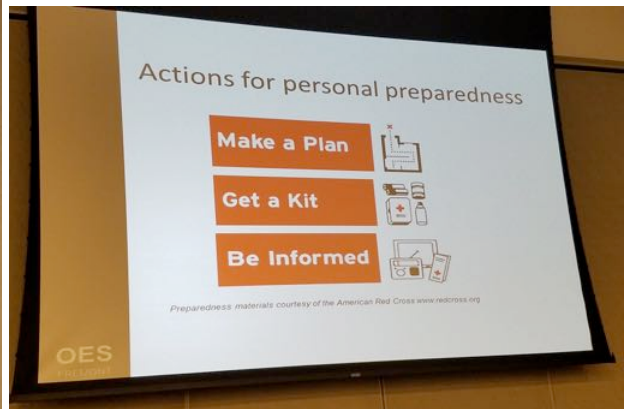
Paul Harris Fellowship to Caroline Wood, Rosemary's Daughter



Hot chilis from Padma
Hot!Hot!Hot! Chili Challenge raised over \$64,417!!



November 2 program – Alex Schubek – Emergency preparedness



CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER (continued)



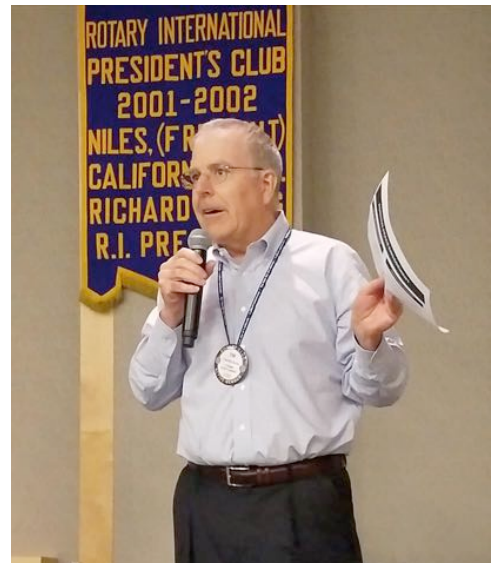
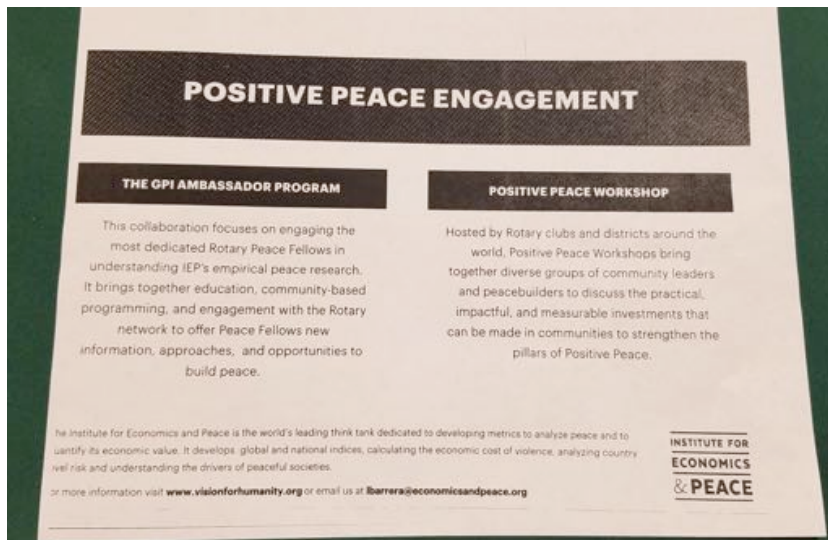
November 2 – Paul Harris Fellow to Jasmine Basrai From Gary



Nov. 2 – Paul Harris plus 2 to Margo Hood



Nov. 2 – Paul Harris plus 5 to Tim Gavin

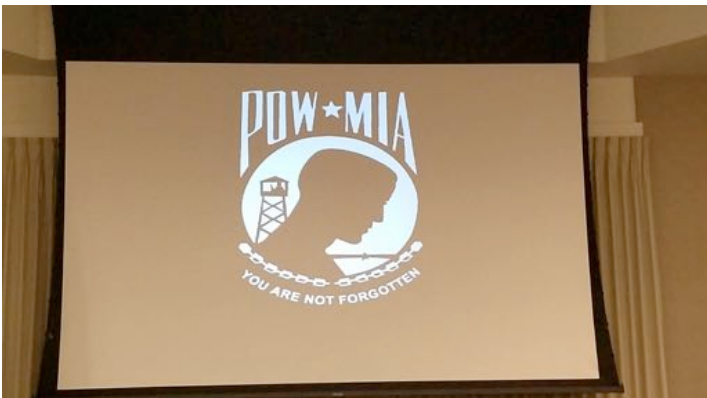


Positice Peace Engagement program – hosted by Rotary clubs and districts around the world – attended by Tim G.

CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER (continued)



November 9 program – Veterans Day program with Jim Bell – lots of information and visuals To make quite an impact. Jim served in Vietnam in the Airborne Infantry, earning a Purple Heart. He tells the story of the POW-MIA table set up before the podium



Nov. 16 – Patricia Picard from Inner Wheel selling tickets Nov. 16 – guests from WHS Interact

CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER (continued)

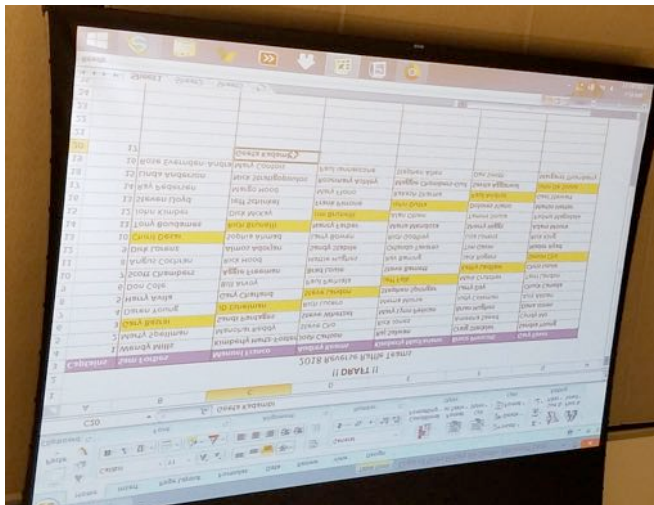
November 16 program – drawing for team names for Reverse Raffle – The event kickoff is on December 14 – the theme will be revealed and team ticket sales will begin. Brian expects to sell most of the 325 tickets that day! Come with money/checks to buy tickets, which are \$200 each. Reverse Raffle is on March 24.



November 16 – Brian Hughes and the Reverse Raffle preview and team drawing by team captains



November 16 – Reverse Raffle drawing – Tammi kept track of it all. Bundlets given to every 7 or so people whose names were drawn.



The teams

CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER (continued)



Nov. 16 Chiral provided the Bundlets – thank you!



Last 2 names drawn received prizes – Geeta won the whiskey! And Margaret won the Niles Rotary cell phone charger



November 30 – back table – Martin, Sam, Sophia, Cyndy Mo Contractors’ Invitational Charity Bocce Tournament – the \$7,500 prize was donated to Niles Rotary Foundation, which in turn donated it to Rotary District 5130 for the North Bay fire disaster relief. Thank you Dryco and Niles Rotary Foundation!!



Big check from Dryco, whose team won (again) the Contractors’ Invitational Charity Bocce Tournament – the \$7,500 prize was donated to Niles Rotary Foundation, which in turn donated it to Rotary District 5130 for the North Bay fire disaster relief. Thank you Dryco and Niles Rotary Foundation!!



Nov. 30 – Padma does her icebreaker

CLUB MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS – NOVEMBER (continued)



November 30 program - Jon and Priscilla Schutze from Das Brew Sri (WHHS a-v staff), Jon, Priscilla, Scott



November 30 – Paul Harris Fellow for Madhu’s son

Nov. 30 – Paul Harris plus 1 for Tammi



Niles Rotarians at a Washington Hospital tree lighting

COMMUNITY SERVICE and SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

FEED THE HUNGRY – November 30



Door counter, survey taker, table servers and kitchen crew

BOWLING SOCIAL -

A group of 27 Niles Rotarians, family, and friends convened at Cloverleaf Bowl on November 11 – High game-women was Audrey Kearns with a score of 154 – she is now known as “wrong way Audrey” for throwing the ball behind her! High game for men was Jeff Falk with a score of 177.



HOLIDAY SOCIAL AND CAROLING – December 1

Scott and Joy Chambers hosted a holiday social and caroling party at their spectacular home on Espada Court. Holiday decoration viewers in the court were entertained by the Niles Carolers.



beautiful Chambers home



lots of good food



an elf and Mrs. Claus



our hosts Scott and Joy – Thank You!!



MENTOR CHECK-IN MEETING – November 14

The quarterly mentor check-in meeting with new members plus their sponsors and mentors, in addition to Membership Development Committee members met at Geeta Kadambi's home to review new member progress. Thank you for hosting, Geeta.



SOCIAL CHANGE MEETING – November 16

A Niles Rotary membership development strategy and a public relations outreach to young people (under 40 years old) in our community who might be attracted to Rotary. Led by Sophia Ahmad and Aziz Akbar, the meetings will feature various events to attract the target audience. The November 16 meeting, hosted by Fremont Flowers (thank you Dirk & Lisa), featured a chef who made delicious snacks and special holiday drinks.



AREA 3 NEWS

FREMONT MORNING CLUB – new name and logo



NEWARK ROTARY CRAB FEED

Saturday January 27 at 5 pm at the Newark Pavilion. Tickets available from Stephen (sa@allendesign.com) or Nancie Allen. Cost: \$50 per person for all the crab you can eat, plus salad and pasta. Auction and raffle. And great Rotary fellowship.

FREMONT ROTARY – EVENT

Rotary Rocks the Holidays – Saturday December 16 from 6 – 10 pm at Mission San Jose Dominican Sisters Center

Wine Reception – Buffet – Live Music by the ideaband \$75 per person

RSVP – President John Rehnberg (jmrehnberg@yahoo.com)

23 Years of the Niles Rotary Elimination Raffle History

In the early 90's a concept called an elimination raffle was beginning to become popular with nonprofits as a way to have fun, spend time with friends and make money for the nonprofit organization. A successful example was Rich Brunelli and the YMCA and Steven Lloyd with several nonprofits that benefitted the public schools and his church.

Steven Lloyd was inducted into Niles Rotary the end of 1993 at 26 years old. Within about 3-4 months with his overhead projector, black marker and transparencies in hand in the back room of Lucia's Restaurant, he began selling the club on the idea of an elimination raffle for Niles Rotary.

The big issue at hand was "is it legal???" Steven set a meeting up at the Pot Belly Deli with Dick McKay, Charlie Gallagher, and his very good friend and attorney, non-Rotarian Bruce Prescott. The meeting went well and Charlie and Dick gave it a thumbs-up!

The first ever committee meeting was at Steve Barnett's home with interested Rotarians and of course including Rich Brunelli. Rich agreed to run the raffle part of the evening and has for 22 years. Steven Lloyd's idea began to become a reality.

Steven also had a great relationship with another very creative non-Rotarian Stephen Allen whom he turned to for marketing and ticket creation. Together they began the initial marketing materials from things Steven had done in the past. The font on the ticket is still the same as it was 22 years ago and was taken from the album Guns and Roses Illusion I and II, Steven Lloyd's favorite band at the time. Bruce Prescott also wrote all the disclaimer information so that the tickets met the legal standards at the time.

Charlie Gallagher, then President-elect (PE) for Nancy Farber, worked with Steven Lloyd to kick off the first Niles Rotary Elimination Raffle and dinner event in 1996. It was held at Sunol, was fun and successful. The first year of including silent auction items was in Dave Coon's PE year in 2000. Baskets were added, silent auction items grew, and a few items were included in a live auction.

In 2002 Harry Avila approached the then President-elect Tony Boudames about auctioning off a car – Tony agreed it was a good idea and we have live auctioned several cars since including Jack Rogers' Mercedes and Marty Spellman's hotly contended for Vega just to name a few. Also 2002 year was our first attempt at basket ticket sales.

Historically we sold 500 tickets at \$100 each. In 2008, Jack Rogers' PE year, our attendance hit just over 500 people at Sunol and we knew we had to change. In 2009 with Arkady Faktorovich as PE we moved the ticket price to \$150 and lowered the tickets sales to 350. Because it has become such a fun event and space is limited to 400, in 2016 PE Rose moved the price to \$200 and decreased tickets to 325. The event has moved to the Doubletree by Hilton and continues to be quite successful in earning funds for the Niles Rotary Foundation. The Foundation then donates the funds to local nonprofit organizations through a grant system.



As of the end of November – the total raised is \$64,417!!!!

Each of the Area 3 Rotary clubs has determined the local non-profit organization that they will support. The organizations supported this year include: Tri-City Rotary Clinic, Salvation Army, Life ElderCare, New Haven Schools Foundation, Interact clubs in the tri-city area, Washington Township Museum of Local History, and the Area 3 World Community Service Committee.

Niles Rotary selected Life ElderCare for our beneficiary. Daren has gone to great effort and sacrifice to consume chili peppers at club meetings to inspire our club members to donate. He is helped by special beverages and other peppery consumables from Sophia Ahmad and Margaret Thornberry.



THANK YOU WEBSITE SPONSORS!

Interested in being a sponsor for our Club's website? Great! We would love for you to be a sponsor and help keep our website the award winning site that it is.

What do you receive as a sponsor? So much! You and your firm will be acknowledged in our weekly eBulletin as well as in the *Pinion*. Wow! What more can you ask for you say? How about a slide at our weekly meeting with your firm logo and a big Thank You! Too much you say? But wait, there is more! You get a monthly thank you announced at our club meeting AND you get your logo on our club website. What can be better than that? Nothing!

To be a sponsor, here are our levels:

Annual sponsorship – \$500

Quarterly sponsorship – \$150

To become a sponsor, you can complete the Sponsorship Form which can be found on our website (www.nilesrotary.org) under "About" or contact Audrey Kearns (audrey.kearns@gmail.com) or Dana Jones or let us know at a club meeting. We will get you started.

THANKS TO OUR CURRENT SPONSOR

John Dutra

510-543-6678

johnj@dutraenterprises.com



NOW ON YouTube

A Mother's Vision – an interview with Richard D. King, Past Rotary International President. Paul Andrus interviews Rick King – check it out. Thank you Paul and Aggie Freeman for your work on this interview and getting it published. You can find a link to the YouTube video on the Niles Fremont Rotary Facebook page.

Centerville Free Dining Room Food Handlers Card Information

Next Feed the Hungry is March 29, 2018– you must have a food handler certificate (unless you are the door greeter or person taking census)

From Rose Evernden-Andrade:

As a result of a recent Environmental Health Department inspection at the Centerville Free Dining Room, all Rotarian volunteers that handle food are required to have a California Food Handler card to work at Feed the Hungry dinners.

This includes all: Kitchen food handlers; Servers; Dish Washers

The only volunteers exempt for this rule are the Greeters and the person taking the Census.

Rotarians can obtain their card by going on line to www.premierfoodsafety.com.

There is a cost for the course. You must create an account, sign-in and listen to the training video, which runs about 45 minutes. There is a 40 question quiz at the end that you must pass with a 70%. It is very easy and really just goes over the basics of food handling.

Once you have passed you can print your certificate and card on your home or work printer.

There is a form that needs to be signed. If you have not yet had the form signed, you can bring a copy of your card to Feed the Hungry, and they will have you sign the form.

ROTARIANS WITHOUT CARDS WILL NOT BE ABLE TO VOLUNTEER FOR THIS PROJECT.

If you would like assistance with this PLEASE call me – I am happy to set time up in my office and walk you through the process. I can be reached at 510-304-7703.

If you have teens, spouses or significant others that attend this project they will be required to have their card and signed document also.

Thank you for your support -

PE Rose

There is a [link](#) to the California Food Handler Card Exam Study Guide at California-Foodhandlercard.com

RI CONVENTION 2018 – TORONTO

June 24 – 27, 2018

Check out the RI convention website: www.riconvention.org and follow the various links for further information. You can sign up to receive convention update information.



Niles Rotary has about 20 Rotarians and family attending the RI Convention in Toronto!

The September 2017 *Rotarian* has a good article on Toronto (pg. 30 – 41), site of the 2018 Rotary International convention. In addition, on page 12 is an article on tours from Toronto. Every issue of the *Rotarian* has a column on Toronto or some aspect of the RI Convention.

ROTARACT

Mary Lynn encourages all area Rotarians to attend a Rotaract meeting –held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. at Mission Coffee.

Check with Mary Lynn or President Martin Kludjian to confirm meeting & location before attending. (president@rotaractfremont.org)



Rotaract November meeting

END POLIO NOW – check this website for the most up to date information on the drive to eradicate polio: www.polioeradication.org

Polio Eradication Update – Wild Polio Virus- Polio endemic countries - Polio Case Countdown – Year to date (November 29, 2017)

Polio Endemic Countries	2017 ytd	2016 ytd	2016 total
Afghanistan	11	12	13
Pakistan	5	15	20
Nigeria	0	4	4
Total yr to date:	16	34	37

Rotary announces that we’re closer than ever to ending the disease for good. But our fight isn’t over. There’s still work to be done in Afghanistan and Pakistan, the two remaining polio-endemic countries.

Only 16 cases so far this year – about half as many as last year!!



ROTARIAN OF THE MONTH

July – Paul Iannaccone
For work on The Rotary Foundation



August – Chuck Canada
For Membership Development Committee leadership



September – Jeff Falk
Club Greeter



MEET OUR MEMBERS - WEBSITE

Did you know that our [nilesrotary.org](http://www.nilesrotary.org) website has a special section each quarter called “Meet Our Members”? It features 4 members along with brief bios of each. Here are the 4 Niles Rotarians featured on the website right now – all past female presidents of Niles Rotary.

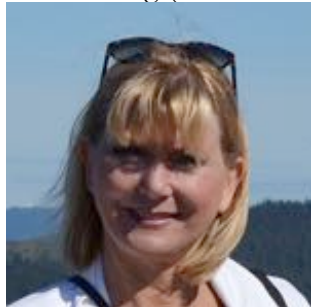
Sandi Pantages (1991 – 1992)



Kimberly Hartz Foster (2011 – 2012)



Sandra Young (2012 – 2013)



Lisa Lorenz (2015 – 2016)



ROTARY WEB LINKS

Niles Rotary: www.nilesrotary.org

District 5170: www.rotarydistrict5170.org

Rotary International: www.rotary.org

RI Theme – 2017-2018



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

2017 – 2018 RI President Ian Riseley

District 5170 Theme – 2017 - 2018



**Rotary:
-Building
Lifelong
Friendships
-Making a
Difference**

2017 – 2018 District Governor Orrin Mahoney

Niles Rotary Website:

www.nilesrotary.org

For the latest and more detailed information on Niles Rotary service projects, etc. check out Paul Andrus's blogs in the Blog/News section of the website.

WHERE AREA 3 CLUBS MEET

TUESDAY at 12 noon. Newark Rotary •
Bistro 880 at the DoubleTree by Hilton,
39900 Ballantine Dr., Newark

WEDNESDAY at 7:15 a.m. Fremont
Morning Rotary Club • Fremont Senior
Center, 40086 Paseo Padre Parkway (2nd, 3rd,
4th Wednesdays, no meeting 1st Wed. of
month) Note: new club name

WEDNESDAY at 12 noon. Fremont Rotary
• Spin a Yarn Restaurant, Fremont

THURSDAY at 7:00 p.m. F.U.N. Sunset
Rotary • Crown Plaza Hotel, Union City

FRIDAY at 12 noon. Mission San Jose
Rotary • Papillon Restaurant, Fremont

SATURDAYS (last Sat. of month at 10 a.m.)
Rotary Club of Huaren in Silicon Valley –
4500 Great American Parkway, Santa Clara

Rotaract Club meets first and third
Saturdays at 1:30 p.m. at Mission Coffee.
Contact: President Martin Kludjian –
president@rotaractfremont.org
(www.rotaractfremont.org)

Rotary eClub of Silicon Valley – meets
online www.siliconvalleyrotary.com

What kinds of meetings and events constitute a make-up for a missed Niles Rotary club meeting?

You can make up a missed club meeting either 2
weeks before or 2 weeks after the meeting of
Niles Rotary that you missed. In addition to
attending a meeting of another Rotary club
anywhere in the world (go to the R.I. or District
5170 websites to find out where clubs meet), you
can attend a club social, community service
project event (e.g. Feed the Hungry), committee
meeting (e.g. Chili Cook Off Comm.,
Membership Comm., etc.), Niles Rotary Board
of Directors meeting, District or R.I. event, or a
special event. Or check the www.rotary.org
website for an e-club make-up.

BIRTHDAYS

John Kimber	December 2
Harry Avila	December 6
Chris Louie	December 8
Rich Brunelli	December 9
NILES ROTARY	December 9
Tammi Souza	December 15
Gary Basrai	December 21
Tim Gavin	December 21
Merna Morse	December 21
Jeff Falk	December 23
Padma Magadala	December 25
Dirk Lorenz	December 26
Hattie Hughes	December 28
Larry Bowen	December 30

ANNIVERSARIES

Brad Louie & Patricia Coon	12/2/2000	17 yrs
Nader & Roberta Ayad	12/6/1992	25 yrs
Alan & Susan Olsen	12/14/1984	33 yrs
Raj & Sonia Salwan	12/26/1999	18 yrs
Steve & Lynn Barnett	12/29/1962	55 yrs
Nick & Esther Stratigopoulos	12/29/1957	60 yrs

NILES ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

Aziz Akbari	12/1/2016	1 yr
Martin Herter	12/1/2016	1 yr
Chris Louie	12/1/1983	34 yrs
Manuel Franco	12/2/2010	7 yrs
Steven Lloyd	12/2/1993	24 yrs
Aggie Freeman	12/10/2015	2 yrs
Steve Landon	12/14/2006	11 yrs
Terri Landon	12/14/2006	11 yrs
Nancy Farber	12/17/1987	30 yrs
Sandi Pantages	12/17/1987	30 yrs
Manohar Reddy	12/18/2014	3 yrs

AREA 3 and NEARBY EVENTS

December 16 - Fremont Rotary club holiday party
fundraiser.

NILES ROTARY BOARD MEETINGS:

Second Thursday of the month at 7:30 a.m. at
Washington West Room 240 – confirm before
attending

DISTRICT CABINET/LEADERSHIP

MEETINGS: Second Wednesday of the month
from 6-8 p.m. – check with President Rose, or the
District website calendar, or our Area 3 Assistant
Governor Jim Bell (Fremont Rotary) to confirm
location and date.

NILES ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS & COMMITTEE CHAIRS 2017-2018

President: Rose Evernden-Andrade
Past President & Social Chair: Angus Cochran
President-Elect: Brian Hughes
Club Administration: Dana Jones
Service Projects/Community Service: Paul Andrus
International Service: Rich Godfrey
Youth Service: Adam Moura
Vocational Service:
Secretary: Tammi Souza
Treasurer: Don Cole
Parliamentarian: Bruce Prescott
Membership Development: Chuck Canada
Club Foundation Treasurer: Larry Bowen
Sergeant-at-Arms: Sam Forbes
Program Chair: Scott Chambers
Rotary Int'l Foundation: Paul Iannacconi
Pinion Editor: Sandi Pantages
Club Photographers: Mary Lynn Pelican; Steve Cho
Club Greeter: Jeff Falk
Website/Social Media: Paul Andrus/Jeff Schinkel
Public Relations: Jeff Schinkel
Club Runner Updates: Tammi Souza
Transition & Leadership Development: Jack Rogers
Youth Protection Officer: Sandi Pantages
Weekly eBulletin: Maria Mendoza
Rotary International President: Ian Riseley
District Governor: Orrin Mahoney
Governor Area 3: Jim Bell

Niles Rotary Board Meetings are on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:30 a.m. – at Washington Hospital, San Jose Conference Room 240A

Pinion Editor: Sandi Pantages – send information & articles to: (sandipantages@comcast.net)
Photographers: Mary Lynn Pelican; Steve Cho

Niles Rotary meets Thursdays at 12 noon at Washington West, 2500 Mowry Ave., Fremont

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say, or do

- I. Is it the TRUTH?
- II. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- III. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- IV. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

CENTERVILLE FREE DINING ROOM – 2018

2018 Niles Rotary at the Centerville Free Dining Room
Dates – *mark your calendars now* for this Community Service project that we perform at the Centerville Pres. Church's Free Dining Room whenever there is a 5th Thursday of the month. **2018 dates: March 29, May 31, August 30, November 29.** Shifts are from 2-4 or 3:45 to 6 p.m. Note: a Food Handler Certificate is required for most volunteers.
Contact: Rose Evernden-Andrade.♦♦

