

**Welcome**  
**Members and Guests**  
**to the meeting**  
**of the**  
**Rotary Club of Placentia**

*October*



*Wedding Anniversaries*

- 10/7 Kevin & Lorraine Padilla
- 10/16 Lee & Mary Castner
- 10/20 Alex & Jasmine Muolo



*Birthdays*

- 10/1 Jeff Reinitz
- 10/1 Al Shkoler
- 10/18 Debye Payne

Today's Program:

**Kelley Krahling -**  
*Craft Talk*

\*\*\* Upcoming Programs \*\*\*

- Oct 18 \*dark\* (evening social)
- Oct 25 ADG Craig Livingston -  
The Rotary Foundation
- Nov 1 Club Assembly -Nominations
- Nov 8 Jamie Cansler -  
Council on Aging
- Nov 15 \*dark\* (evening social)
- Nov 22 \*dark\* (Thanksgiving)
- Nov 29 Club Elections
- Dec 6 Club Assembly
- Dec 13 Fire Marshal Amanda Horner  
- Fire Prevention
- Dec 20 \*dark\*
- Dec 27 \*dark\*



*Club Anniversaries*

- 10/10/2018 Nelida Mora
- 10/13/2018 Craig Hall
- 10/25/2006 Roy Redman
- 10/30/2002 Turgut Cakiraga

Upcoming Events

- Sat 10/14**     **Heritage Day**  
                   also     District Chili Cookoff
- Sun 10/15     Orange Rotary Ribfest
- Th 10/26     Trunk or Treat @ Civic Ctr
- Sat 10/28     Prescription Drug Take Back
- Sun 10/29     Irvine club's Ride-for-Rotary
- Sat 11/4     Fullerton Rotary Uncorked
- Th 11/16**     **Prayer Breakfast**
- Tu 11/14     2<sup>nd</sup> Presidents dinner @ AH
- Sat 11/18     37<sup>th</sup> Festival of Trees
- Th 11/30     City Tree-Lighting
- Th 12/7**     **Tamale Fest & Santa visit**

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**Club & Community News**

*This Saturday is our City's 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Heritage Day Festival! Marching bands from various high schools will be in the parade, as well as various dignitaries and clubs – including our own TC representing Rotary! We will be cooking up and serving our famous Pancake Breakfast, starting at 6:30 am by Parkview School (adjacent to TriCity Park). If you haven't signed up for a work shift, be sure to let Kathi/TC/Alice know that you can!*

*IMPORTANT NOTICE: This month's evening social is next week, Wednesday 10/18 but will be at Craftman's Wood-fired Pizza, NOT at Rembrandts. We plan to visit some of our Cowabunga restaurants to show our appreciation for their participation at our big fundraiser, helping to make it a success.*

*The Prayer Breakfast, which we typically host in partnership with the Women's Roundtable, will be held on Thursday 11/16.*

*We plan to be involved in several upcoming City holiday events – so keep your eyes & ears peeled for the information. This will/may include Halloween Trunk or Treat on Thursday 10/26 at City Hall plaza, the*

*City Tree-Lighting and later Christmas at Whitten Center and at Gomez Center*

*Everyone's taste buds will be yearning for traditional tamales at the Tamale Fest and Santa visit on Thursday 12/7 at Old Towne. We will again have one of the beer bars and host Santa.*

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Last week's Program

**Club Assembly**

Last week was our monthly club assembly, during which an overview of upcoming events is shared. This month, our Assistant DG Daniel Gray visited us, as well as proposed corporate members Christine Stellino and Cindy Lucido (alternate) from HIS=OC.

The Chamber of Commerce will soon be moving to Bradford Avenue, near the Fire Station.

Fire & Life Safety's 2023 Pink Patch program is underway. Ward/Kelley is taking orders (\$10 for patch, \$5 for key chain)

This Veteran's Day marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of/withdrawal from Vietnam. Ceremonies will be held at the American Legion.

We will be supporting the Art Therapy Program of OC Hub by voluntary donations (funds so they can purchase appropriate supplies)

Our Global Grant for Guatemala has been approved, and our club pledge of \$10,000 will be remitted shortly. Any club member

wishing to donate may do so through our club foundation.

Club Tree Dedication - we have already planned to dedicate trees in the memory of various club leaders/members who have passed away. Two have already been planted and dedicated at Bradford Park; a third has been planted in honor Will Waite. The tentative date is Wednesday 10/28, following our regular meeting.

Blessing Boxes Update: 4 of the 5 boxes have been periodically filled by Ward & Sheila, sometimes accompanied by others. We have need of additional supplies to last the rest of the year. It was noted that the Koch Park site seems to be well-maintained and kept filled by others in the community. It was suggested that Alice/Alex check on interest from the Scout Troop on helping with periodic inspection and with any necessary maintenance of the actual boxes.

Ward will be making his fourth humanitarian trip to Ukraine. His intent is to take additional med pak backpacks, at a cost of \$390 each. Club members again authorized the expenditure, with donations to be directed toward the purchase(s). Ward mentioned that he recently met a visiting Rotarian from Ukraine, who was participating in a special school project sponsored by the Signal Hill club.

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## October is Rotary Economic and Community Development Month