





If you missed our February 13th program, *Richard Bailey: Climbing to the Top of the World*, you may click on the picture below to view a video of it.

February 13 2025 Richard Bailey
Jordan Maharaj



THE BASICS

- 1 Everest background and preparation.
- 2 From Kathmandu to Everest Base Camp.
- 3 Strategy behind acclimatization rotations
- 4 Step by step to the summit
- 5 Why do people climb?



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Thank you to this week's news sponsor Maya Madsen of Maya's Cookies. How did you like this week's program? Take the survey by clicking [HERE](#).

Next Meeting February 20th

Dr. Jacopo Annese: The Brain Observatory



Cannot attend in person? Here is the weekly recurring [ZOOM LINK](#) to tune in virtually at **12:30pm.** You may also phone in to listen to the meeting: Phone: 1-669-900-6833

Password: 84935003462# (include the "pound" sign).

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

February 27

**Camp Enterprise Kickoff:
Featuring Sean Meer, CEO of CleanTech Inc**

March 6

**Dan Denham
San Diego County Water Authority GM**

WELCOME NEW MEMBER



Please welcome our newest club member Betsy McKewon. You can learn more about her by clicking on the picture on page 1 and watching the video of this week's meeting where she introduces herself, or by clicking [here](#).

FEBRUARY 17–23 BIRTHDAYS

February 20: Anne Myers, Bart Conn, Larry Stirling, Amie Brown

February 23: Michelle Candland, Jordan Maharaj

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES

The Girl Scouts will be in the lobby again this week.



They will be selling cookies for \$6-\$7 a box.

PAC FUNDING APPLICATIONS

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For all of our committee Chairs, Co-Chairs or Vice Chairs:

Through our annual Project Allocation Committee (PAC) process, I am pleased to inform you that the grant application window for the next fiscal year (July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026) is now open. The final date that applications will be accepted is Thursday, March 20, 2025. However, as the committee needs to go through each application and score them, it would be most appreciated if you could submit your application as soon as possible so that the committee has adequate time to carry out their task.

The form may be accessed here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdJ0k5FzjU6bx1v7NmKU3dZV-CfJiuJr93a3k_fR1IX_pny-g/viewform

Should you have any questions, please contact Steve Coopersmith stc@STEVECOOPERSMITHLAW.COM, Vice Chair Daniel Amaro at damaro@klarinetsolutions.com or our Executive Director Jordan Maharaj at jordan@rotary33.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 27th-March 1: [Camp Enterprise](#)

March 4th: SPARK Event – [Equal Pay Day](#)

March 20th: [Prospective New Member Reception](#)

March 29th: District Training

April 5th: [Peacemaker Awards](#)

April 26th: Rotarians At Work Day

LOBBYING



You can support 2025 Camp Enterprise by purchasing a quarter-zip sweater celebrating 50 years of Camp Enterprise!



See the CE Committee in the lobby this week before and after the meeting.

\$50 each

FACES IN THE CROWD

Photos courtesy of Paul Nestor



(Lt.) Bobby Russell, Bob Russell, Norbert Sanders, Wendy Urushima-Conn, Dick Green, Andy Hewitt, David Oates and guests. (Rt.) Camp Enterprise shirt sale team: **Bridget Meckley, Mark Burgess, Beatriz Valencia, John Hill, Bruce Doole and Andrea Brito-Bokosky.**



(Lt.) Bink Cook, Nancy Scott, Carol Dedrich, Wendy Urushima-Conn, Toni Giffin, Lisa Miller, Jo Dee Jacob, Ben Clay, Kim Benson, Constance Carroll and Peg Eddy.
(Rt.) New member **Betsy McKewon** is pinned by **President Mia**.



(Lt.) Our **Club 33 Singers**, accompanied by **Bryan Verhoye** sing “What the World Needs Now.” (Rt.) **President Mia**, Guest Speaker **Richard Bailey**, Chair of the Day **John Morrell**, and IDEA Personal Reflection Speaker **Michelle Candland**.