



If you missed our August 21st program, *Shannon Mac Millan: SD Wave FC*, you may click on the picture below to view a video of it.



August 21, 2025 Shannon Mac Millan SD Wave

Jordan Maharaj



Shannon Mac Millan
CIO San Diego Wave FC

World Cup Winner in 1999
Gold Medalist at the 1996 Olympics
2002 US Soccer Female Athlete of the Year



A special *thank you* to Toni Giffin and San Diego Goodwill for sponsoring Rotary News this week!
How did you like this week's program? Take the survey by clicking [HERE](#).

August 28th, 2025

Chris Cate: SD Regional Chamber President



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

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

September 4

Dr. Tricia Bertram Gallant: Director of Academic Integrity UCSD

September 11

Deanna Mackey: General Manager of KPBS

September 18

Peace Award Program

AUGUST 25-31 BIRTHDAYS

August 25: Luisa McCarthy

August 27: Bill Thaxton, Josh Buchholz

August 29: Tom Wilson, John Hill

August 31: Tom Vecchione

BOARD NOMINATIONS

We are now accepting nominations for the San Diego Rotary board for the 2026-2027 year. Please nominate a club member to sit on the board, or to serve as treasurer/secretary for the next Rotary year, or nominate a club president for the 2028-2029 year! You may also self-nominate, but must do so by September 1st. Please let Jordan know of your nominations before then!

WELCOME BACK



Welcome back member Jon Ray. Jon is owner of PaintGreen. Watch his re-introduction by clicking on this week's video link on page 1.

2025 Bid Big! Auction



Tuesday, September 16th
Tom Ham's Lighthouse-An Evening of Outstanding
Food, Drinks, Entertainment and Giving!
In need of a ride or will to be driver? Please contact the Rotary Cares
Committee to make arrangements: Rotary Cares Club 33
rotarycaresclub33@gmail.com

[Click Here](#) before we sell out!

SPONSOR THE NEWS

Our weekly News segment is looking to round out its Sponsors for this year. Sponsorship is a unique opportunity to be featured in the News' opening introduction, and it gives great exposure to the Sponsor, while also reminding our Club 33 members of the breadth and excellence of our Members.

Participating Sponsors stand out every week!

Contact [Whitney Skala](#) for more info.



PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

The following applicant was recommended to the Board of Directors by the Membership Committee and will be approved for membership unless objections are received to the Rotary office by **August 29th**.

*Nancy Rohland-Heinrich • National University • “Education-Private University”

*Natasha Bliss • SDSU • “Education-State University-Strategic Partnerships”

*Chris Gruenwald • Bayside Networks • “Information Technology”

*Charles Baylis • Retired Ascribe • “Retired Software”

*Vino Pajonor • Catholic Charities • “Associations-Catholic Charities”

CONGRATULATIONS MR. SAN DIEGO

The Past Presidents of San Diego Rotary Club 33 have selected Tom Fetter as Mr. San Diego 2025! Please join us **October 16th** for our Annual MMM San Diego Program.



FACES IN THE CROWD

Photos courtesy of Paul Nestor



Chair of the Auction Committee **Bridget Meckley** collects wine donations and sells tickets to this year's event.



(Lt.) Check-in Committee members **Carrie Cottrill, John Hill, Duke Sobek** and **Allison Whitney**.
(Rt) Welcome back **Jon Ray** with guest speaker **Shannon Mac Millan** and a guest.



(Lt.) President **Wendy** awards **Wendy McKinney** Rotarian of the Quarter for Q\$ 2025.
(Rt.) **President Wendy**, COD **Valerie Attisha**, guest speaker **Shannon Mac Millan** and Inspirational Moment Speaker **Whitney Skala**.