



If you missed our October 16th program, *2025 Mr. San Diego Honoring Tom Fetter*, you may click on the picture below to view a video of it.



October 16, 2025 - Mr. San Diego Tom Fetter

Jordan Maharaj



Mr. San Diego 2025
Tom Fetter



How did you like this week's program? Take the survey by clicking [HERE](#).

October 23rd, 2025

Mark Stein: *How the States Got Their Shapes*



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

October 30
Salute to Veterans

November 6
Luisa McCarthy: Dia de los Muertos

November 13
Pantea Khodami: Biocom California

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBER

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 **October 24th**.

*Lex Gillett • Self Employed • “Paralympic Athlete”

OCTOBER 20-26 BIRTHDAYS

October 20: Joe da Rosa, Tom Herman
October 21: Ramona Walker, Guy Maddox,
Georg Hochfilzer
October 23: Phil Blair
October 24: Mike Morton
October 26: Vicki Horiye, Corey Polant

WARM CLOTHES DRIVE

San Diego
Rotary



SENIOR SERVICES COMMITTEE

Warm Clothes Drive



Collection Dates:



NOVEMBER 6TH & NOVEMBER 13TH



NEW
CLOTHES
ONLY



Our Seniors Need:

- Puffy Jackets
- Sweatpants Sets
- Socks
- Lap Blankets
- Beanies
- Scarves
- Bottom Grip Socks



Will Benefit:

- Alliance for African Assistance
- George D. McKinney Retirement Center
- The Neighborhood House Association
- St. Paul's/PACE

DISTRICT 5340



District Foundation Seminar

Saturday November 8, 2025
Pacific Highlands Ranch Library
Community Room
9:30AM-Noon



Learn about:

- Projects that benefitted from District Grant and Global Grant funding
- What makes a powerful grant proposal
- The latest from PolioPlus
- How you can support the Rotary International Foundation



... and more!

4-WAY TEST SPEECH CONTEST

Cardinals 4 Way Test Speech Contest held their finals round last Monday, October 13th.



FACES IN THE CROWD

Photos courtesy of Lisa Miller



(RT) **Tom Fetter, Deborah Szekely, Peter Ellsworth and Governor Pete Wilson.**
(LT) **Tom Fetter** receives proclamation from Mayor Gloria.



(Lt.) **Mark Trotter** gives moving Inspirational Moment.
(Rt) **Governor Wilson** awards **Tom Fetter** Mr. San Diego 2025!



(Rt.) **Jane Fetter** gives loving tribute to **Tom Fetter**.
(Lt.) **Governor Wilson, President Wendy, Chair of the Day John Morrell, IM Mark Trotter, Mr. San Diego Tom Fetter and Mayor Todd Gloria.**

In Loving Memory of James Nickel



05/14/1942—10/08/2025

San Diego Rotary Club Member 1985-2025

Services yet to be determined.

[Preliminary Obituary](#)