



If you missed our October 30th program, *Salute to Our Veterans* you may click on the picture below to view a video of it.



How did you like this week's program? Take the survey by clicking [HERE](#).
Thank you to Ally Keegan and Keegan Law, APC for sponsoring this week's Rotary News.

November 6th, 2025 Dia de los Muertos: Luisa McCarthy



Plus, the warm clothes drive in the lobby!

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).

OFRENDA



Ways To Engage With The Community Ofrenda

- Bring a picture(s) of you and a **departed Rotarian** in a frame
- Bring a picture(s) of you and a **departed Family Member** in a frame
- Bring a picture(s) of you and a **departed Friend** in a frame
- Bring a picture(s) of you and a **departed Pet** in a frame

We hope you will join us in creating a special Rotary Community Ofrenda on the 6th!

At the Rotary Club meeting on November 6th, the Peace & IDEA Committee will be coordinating and creating a special Día de los Muertos Ofrenda to honor and celebrate the lives of our departed Rotarians, family members and of course, pets. The committee invites you to participate in this special celebration by bringing a framed picture of you with a departed loved one, in or outside of Rotary, to add to the Ofrenda. Feel free to also bring personal objects or items that remind you of these individuals, which along with your pictures, you will be given back at the end of the meeting.

The Ofrenda is one part of a Día de los Muertos program that we will have on November 6th with our very own Luisa McCarthy presenting on the topic. This is a program you won't want to miss, and we look forward to celebrating the lives of all those that we have lost but keep dear in our memory.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

November 13

Pantea Khodami: Biocom California

November 20

Amy Minnick: FireSnake Fitness

November 27

Dark—Happy Thanksgiving!

December 4

Holiday Program: Holidays On Broadway

NOVEMBER 3-9 BIRTHDAYS

November 3: Sandy Purdon

November 5: Lisa Miller

November 6: Betsy McKewon

November 8: Nancy Laturno

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

FACES IN THE CROWD

Photos Courtesy of Paul Nestor



President Wendy and Jim Gruny with docents from several local museums honoring Veterans.



(Lt) Dick Eger, Stan Hartman and Will Hage. (Rt) President Wendy awards Will Newbern Rotarian of the Quarter.



(Lt) Guest Speaker Neil O'Connell. (Rt) Inspirational Moment David Oates, President Wendy, Guest Speaker Neil O'Connell and Chair of the Day Jim Gruny.

*In Loving Memory of
James Hall*



1/9/1934-10/27/2025
Joined Rotary in 1987
Services TBD