

If you missed our March 26th program, *4-Way Test Speech Contest*, 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, Divya Kakaiya and Healthy Within for sponsoring this week's Rotary News.

April 2

George Galdorisi: It's Not Your Grandfather's AI



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

April 9

Karen Chen : SVP Wealth Management

April 16

Taj Paxton: Film Maker

April 23

Camp Enterprise Kickoff: Featuring Brandon Steppe

April 30

Dr. Bret Scher: “Nutrition and Mental Health-Looking Beyond What We’re Taught”

MAR 30-APR 5 BIRTHDAYS

March 30: Gayle Hom, Gaurav Mishra

March 31: Chuck Duddles

April 1: Katie Do, Andrea da Rosa

April 2: Marinda Peugh

April 3: Joe Watkins

April 4: Gary Nelson, Hugo Douge

April 5: Rob Fletcher, Jr.

Rotarians at Work Day(s) Registrations

Saturday, April 18th

Military Affairs Committee at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery 1880 Cabrillo Memorial Drive

Headstone restoration and ground beautification. 9:00a - Noon

Sunday, April 19th

Storefront Youth Shelter

Refresh courtyard space, planters, painting, building build patio furniture, tile: joint venture with Kiwanis.
Must be 18+

Saturday, April 25th

San Diego Humane Society 5500 Gaines Street

Set up 2-4 stations of projects that include folding clean laundry, making meatballs for our dogs, creating hiding boxes for our cats, assembling adoption folders, etc. 10a Noon

San Diego Zoo 2920 Zoo Drive

Create enrichment and exhibit enhancements for Zoo animals. Children 10+ welcome 8:45a- Noon

NAMI WALK Preble Field in NTC Park Liberty Station 2455 Cushing Road

Register for Team Aiden (honoring Rodger Dougherty's son)

Please email the office to let them know you registered for this event!

Episcopal Community Services 2822 5th Ave.

Beautifying ECS Safe Haven in Bankers Hill 9am - 10:30a

Epilepsy Foundation of San Diego County—2055 El Cajon Blvd.

Putting together swag bags and organizing t-shirts for Sharon's Ride, Run, Walk
9am - 12n

Sunday, April 26

Sharon's Ride, Run Walk 9:15am

Please email the office to let them know you registered for this event!

Saturday, May 9

Girls Scouts San Diego 1231 Upas Street

Help beautify the courtyard, wax and clean the statues and spread mulch. 9am - 12n

Saturday, May 23rd (flag placement) or May 26th(flag removal)

Operation Flags for Vets @ Miramar Cemetery

Help place 22,000 American flags at each grave in Miramar Cemetery in honor of Memorial Day

Please email the office to let them know you registered for this one!



Peace & IDEA Committee



SPARK Event

Fri., April 17, 2026 • 12-1:30 p.m.

transcenDANCE programs change the trajectory of students' lives by building resilience, confidence, and creativity and by instilling life-changing skills such as leadership, collaboration, and community engagement.

Gain a deeper understanding of their values and approach with young artists. Attendees will be invited to participate in this creative process, so plan to wear comfortable attire and experience the transformative power of creative expression.

Open to all Rotarians & guests. Cost: \$20 pp for lunch. Learn more and register by **April 14, 2026**





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SPARK Event

Tues., May 12, 2026 • 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Since 2017, San Diego Refugee Tutoring has provided one-on-one tutoring, mentorship, enrichment activities, and college scholarships to students of refugee background in the City Heights neighborhood — transforming lives one session at a time.

Join us to learn about SDRT's mission and explore how Club 33 can partner with and support this remarkable community.

Open to all Rotarians & guests. Cost: \$10 pp for sips & bites. Learn more and register by **May 8, 2026**



Faces in the Crowd

by Paul Nestor



(Lt) Glenn Goltz, Doug Arbon, Tom Vecchione, Janet McDonough, Alan Spector, Mark Allan and Fred Manak. (Rt) Will Hage, President Wendy, Jack Berkman, a guest, Michael Rios and Beatriz Valencia.



(Lt) Lex Gillette, Karen Sangren, Kim Benson, Jim Gruny, Terry Caskey and Judy Thompson.
(Rt) Brandon Steppe promotes a SPARK Event.



(Lt) President Wendy and Will Hage at the judge's table. (Rt) The 4-Way Test contestants.