

**Welcome Members,  
Friends and Guests  
to the meeting  
of the  
Rotary Club of Placentia**

*August*



*Wedding Anniversaries*

None



*Birthdays*

8/16 *Kathi Baldwin*  
8/26 *Dottie Rogers*  
8/31 *Lisa Pallares*

Today's Program:

**Club Assembly**

\*\*\* Upcoming Programs \*\*\*

Aug 21 \*dark\* (evening social)  
Aug 28 Bianca -  
Rotary Exchange Student  
Sept 4 Club Assembly  
Sept 11 tbd  
Sept 18 \*dark\* (evening social)  
Sept 25 tbd  
Oct 2 Club Assembly  
Oct 9 tbd  
Oct 16 \*dark\* (evening social)  
Oct 23 tbd  
Oct 30 tbd  
Nov 6 Club Assembly  
Nov 13 tbd  
Nov 20 \*dark\* (evening social)  
Nov 27 \*dark" (Thanksgiving holiday)



*Club Anniversaries*

8/1/1978 *Lee Castner*  
8/30/2023 *Jason Dobine*  
8/3182022 *Madisen Ly*

Upcoming Events

- Th 8/15 *Taste of Placentia*
- Wed 8/21 *Backpack stuffing w/ eve social*
- Fri 8/23 *Gomez Ctr Backpack distrib*
- Sat 8/24 *Cypress St Backpack distrib*
- Sat 8/24 *HIS-OC Classic Car Show*
- Sun 9/1 *District Angels game /Svc Club Month Kick-off*
  
- Sat 9/7 *Cowabunga*
- Tu 9/17 *PYLUUSD State of the District*
- Th 9/19 *Club Board meeting*
- Mon 9/23 *2<sup>nd</sup> Leadership Forum @ FV*
- Th 10/17 *Club Board meeting*
- Sat 10/19 *Heritage Day*

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**Club & Community News**

*Our Rotary booth at the Taste of Placentia offered free hot dogs to the public, and provided an opportunity for us to talk about what Rotary does in our community. Thank you to Colson, TC & Maria, Nel, and Alice for “manning” the booth! Our donation buckets garnered community support for three of our projects.*



*Approximately 30 Rotarians from the Yorba Linda Sunrise, Brea, Anaheim Hills, NEOC, and Placentia clubs gathered at Broken Timbers in Old Town Placentia last Friday. All enjoyed fellowship, beverages, and appetizers, and raised some funds which will help subsidize RYLA 2025.*



*Next week, we will be focusing on our LOT318 Backpack and School Supply project! In lieu of our typical monthly restaurant evening social, we will be stuffing backpacks on Wednesday 8/21 at Alice’s house! The distribution at the Gomez Center will take place Friday 8/23, and at Cypress Street on Saturday 8/24, both at 6:00 pm.*

*Cowabunga is quickly approaching! Be sure to sign up for your work shift, and to buy your entry tickets for yourself, family, and friends!*

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### ***RI and District News***

This will be the second year of our District spear-heading the recognition of September as Service Club Month, with a 9/1 kick-off tailgate party at the Big A at Angel Stadium, followed by the game Angels vs Seattle Mariners. It is hoped that other service organizations (Lions, Elks, Kiwanis) will join in the festivities. Our club is requesting the Placentia City Council to again issue its proclamation/recognition of this special day.

The second Leadership Forum is scheduled for Monday 9/23 in Fountain Valley. Please let Alice know if you are interested in attending.

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*Previous Week's Program*

### ***Kaii Lee***

### ***The Pacific Symphony***

Kaii Lee is a retired professional vocalist and pianist, music teacher and coach. Her extensive musical background has led to her active volunteerism with the Pacific Symphony. She resides in Irvine, and is familiar with Rotary, as her husband was previously a member of the Irvine club.



Did you know that the Pacific Symphony is the largest symphony established during the last 50 years in the USA. It was originally founded as the Pacific Chamber Orchestra in 1978, eventually moving its home to the Segerstrom Concert Hall in 2006. It is a highly

regarded and recognized: in 2018 The Pacific Symphony was invited to perform at Carnegie Hall; in 2019, it was named OC Arts Ambassador of the World, and played at Ellis Island and China.

Today, it conducts a number of programs, many providing opportunities for youth in diverse musical disciplines. It offers free community concerts, and provides music education for 68 thousand students annually.

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*Last Week's Program*

### ***Glenn Baldwin***

### ***Navigating the Club Website***

Our own Glenn Baldwin walked us through accessing and maneuvering our club website, and the links to our District website.



Our club website is "PlacentiaRotary.org", Tabs include: "About Us" which the public tends to view; "Donate" allows the user to donate towards specific causes or projects; "Resources" provides various links to RI training and/or inspirational videos, and links to the District; "News" includes our club newsletters; "File Share" contains various folders and requires our club log-in password. Glenn serves as the club contact party.

DACdb allows access to the District calendar, sign-up for events, and member information, which may be edited.