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

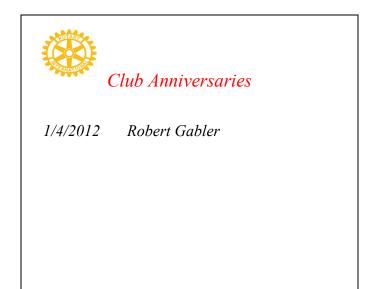


Today's Program:

Rose Melin Allergic Emma

*** Upcoming Programs ***

Jan 29	Wendy Meehan - Celtic Fest
Feb 5	Club Assembly
Feb 12	tbd
Feb 19	*dark* (evening social)
Feb 26	tbd
Mar 5	Club Assembly
Mar 12	tbd
Mar 19	*dark* (evening social)
Mar 26	tbd



Upcoming Events

Sat 3/1 Sat 3/15 Sun 3/16 Th 3/20 /4 – 4/7 4/11 – 4/13	Pre-PETS Miss PYL Program SJC Rotary Classic Car Show <i>Club Board meeting</i> Rotary SW PETS Placentia CERT Authors' Luncheon District Training Assembly <i>Shamrock & Run</i> <i>Club Board meeting</i> District Conf Sailing for Svc RYLA
4/11 – 4/13	RYLA
Sat 4/12 Sat 5/3	Easter Eggcitement Rotary Walk for Mental Health + Love Placentia

Club & Community News

This month's evening social had a great turnout – and was also a big surprise, with a celebration of Alice's birthday included! Thank you to all who came out! And thank you to Bryan at Craftsman for being so flexible.









Several club members, as well as Interactors and member of the public, answered the call to help with the fire relief efforts, either by donating goods or by financial donations. Thank you for your generosity and humanity. Alice, Jeannie, Madisen, and Ward made deliveries to the District office over the weekend. (see more under District news)



District & RI News

Last week's District Leadership was attended by Ward, Kathi, and Alice. Topics of discussion included new membership trends, foundation giving, and implementation of the Rotary Action Plan.

Response to the District's call for help with filling the needs of the Los Angeles area fire victims was stupendous! Clubs throughout the District helped fill a 53-foot trailer with pet supplies, diapers, feminine hygiene, toiletries, food and water, and so much more! Miss Placentia Teen JulieAnn Rocke came by and volunteered at the loading!







Last Week's Program

Club Assembly

Alice revealed the results of our on-line elections for 2025/26 officers and board:

President	Kathi
VP/Pres-Elect	Ward
Secretary	Shey
Treasurer	Dottie
New Directors	
thru 6/2027	Jeannie (repl
	Madisen)
thru 6/28	Nel & Alex Muolo
Foundation Pres	Jason
Foundation directo	or Robert

Jeannie described a relationship-building exercise which she thought might be a fun and meaningful way of integrating members. A newer member would be partnered with a longer-term member, and they would meet outside of our regular club meeting to get to know each other better - perhaps for coffee or a drink. They would then "introduce" each other to the rest of the club, offering tidbits of information such as their hobbies, vocation, family or "fun facts". Jeannie and Alice demonstrated how the exercise worked - having met the previous evening for about 90 minutes. The members in attendance had a positive response to trying this, so "partners" will be assigned in the near future, with short talks/reports being incorporated into our Club Assemblies.

Kathi reminded us that member craft talks are also requested, and also help to get us better acquainted .

January is Rotary Vocational Service Month