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Newsletter



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Rotary Club of San Gabriel

Chartered 1947

“A Club with a Mission”

January 17, 2019

SGUSD



San Gabriel Unified School District was one of three recipients of a Rotary Club of San Gabriel Community Grant on January 16, 2019.

Rotary Club President Richard Valenzuela presented Dr. Yolanda Mendoza, Deputy Superintendent and Dr. Gary Scott, School Board Member \$500 in gift cards for homeless students in the school district to purchase new shoes.

The Shoes for Students program has been an ongoing project for the Rotary club. Club President Richard Valenzuela looks forward to continuing and building the program for the upcoming school year.

Family Promise of SGV



Family Promise of San Gabriel Valley was the second recipient to receive a community grant for the Rotary Club of San Gabriel on January 16, 2019.

Club President Richard Valenzuela presented a \$3,000 check to Karen Roberson and Mishka Michon form Family Promise of San Gabriel to support their mission to help homeless children by helping their families: to stay intact, to regain stable housing and to return to steady work, in the warm fold of a supportive, volunteer-driven community.

The presentation for the third grant recipient, Friends of Foster Children will be presented at the February 6, 2019 meeting.

Next Rotary Meeting – January 23, 2019 @ 6:30pm

The Rotary Club of San Gabriel will host an Evening Social at Jason’s Lounge at the Hilton San Gabriel (225 W. Valley Blvd, San Gabriel).

2018-2019

Rotary International

President

[Barry Rassin](#)

District 5300

Governor

[John Chase](#)

Rotary Club of San Gabriel
Officers

Richard Valenzuela - President

Fred Paine - Vice President

Miles Yoshisato - Secretary

Mary Valenzuela - Treasurer

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Emmy Hernandez

Immediate Past President

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Gabrielino High School

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Everyone is welcome. Pay your own tab.

District 5300 Peace Conference



“Peacebuilding: One Person at a Time”

Saturday, February 23, 2019 / 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Ann & Steve Morgan Auditorium / University of La Verne



Yvonne Dutra-St. John
M.A., MFT
Challenge Day Leader



Dr. Tom Le, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor of
Politics at Pomona College



The Honorable Ray LaHood
U.S. Secretary of Transportation
(2009-2013)
Member of U.S. Congress
(1995-2008)



Ellen Chellenba
Founder of Thrive!
a youth-led community-
based organization that
empowers Malawian
women



Thomas D. Allison, Esq.
Founder and President of
Social Justice Advocacy
Project

Rotary District Governor
John Chase

Conference Chair
Dr. Garbis Der-Yeghian,
PDS

Conference Emcee
Michael D. Driabe

Donation (includes continental breakfast)

\$50.00: pre-registration by February 18, 2019
\$40.00: at the door if seats are available
\$5.00: students with ID

Event Registration:
<http://www.lamrotaryclub.org/register/index.cfm?eventID=7733814>

Event Website:
<http://bit.ly/2819292>

- Youth-Centric Programming
- Art for Peace Student Contest
- Youth Peace Champions
- Peacemaker of the Year Award

LEGEND

1. Parking Structure 2023 U.S.
2. Registration/Breakfast-Campus Center 2000 3rd St.
3. Peace Conference Morgan Auditorium 1880 3rd St.

For further information, registration, and sponsorship opportunities contact Heman Khendraman Te: (310) 725-2953 Email: hessand@logoblog.net

Photo Gallery



Polio Survivor Glenn Barnett share his experiences when he was diagnosed with polio as a child at the January 9th meeting.



Members of the Interact Club of Gabrielino High School carol and wish elderly resident of Vista Cove at Arcadia a Merry Christmas.



San Gabriel Rotary held their last meeting of 2018 at the Stuffed Sandwich on December 19, 2018 for a white elephant gift exchange.



San Gabriel Rotarians: Ken Tcheng, Dr. Gary Scott and Dr. John Pappalardo at the Rotary Corner in San Francisco, CA.

2019-20 RI president announces his presidential theme

By Arnold R. Grahl - *Rotary News* -03-Jan-2019

Rotary International President-elect Mark Daniel Maloney explained his vision for building a stronger Rotary, calling on leaders to expand connections to their communities and to embrace innovative membership models.

Maloney, a member of the Rotary Club of Decatur, Alabama, USA, unveiled the 2019-20 presidential theme, Rotary Connects the World, to incoming district governors at Rotary’s annual training event, the International Assembly, in San Diego, California, USA, on Monday.

“The first emphasis is to grow Rotary — to grow our service, to grow the impact of our projects, but most importantly, to grow our membership so that we can achieve more,” Maloney said.

Maloney believes that connection is at the heart of the Rotary experience.

“(Rotary) allows us to connect with each other, in deep and meaningful ways, across our differences,” Maloney said. “It connects us to people we would never otherwise have met, who are more like us than we ever could have known. It connects us to our communities, to professional opportunities, and to the people who need our help.”

Maloney also called on every Rotary and Rotaract club to identify segments of their community not represented in their club by creating a membership committee with diverse members.

[Complete story...](#)

Upcoming Events

Jan 21, MLK Day
Jan 23, Evening Social, Hilton SG
Jan 25, [SG Chamber Breakfast](#)
Jan 26, [President Elect Training](#)
Jan 27, [SG Chamber Education Expo](#)
Jan 30, Evening Social, TBA
Feb 6, SG Rotary Board Meeting
Feb 6, SG Rotary Breakfast Meeting

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**President Richard's
Quote of the Week**

*“Cheers to a new year
and another chance for
us to get it right.”*

— Oprah Winfrey