

If you missed our **Sept. 23** program with Deputy Fire Chief Dan Eddy, [click on the image below](#) to watch a recording of the meeting.



Moving forward at our weekly Thursday meetings, there will be 2 to 3 tables available for those who choose to sit with others that are fully vaccinated. They will be on the sides of the room and will be indicated with a sign. If you plan to sit at these tables, please arrive early to reserve your own seat. This is a new idea we are trying out to accommodate the comfortability levels of members who have shared that this would make it possible for them to attend in-person meetings. Your club leadership is doing everything they can to make in-person meetings as safe as possible.

All other tables in the room will remain non-identifiable and those in attendance can still sit at these tables regardless of their vaccination status.

**But regardless of what table you sit at, there is still a mask mandate set by Liberty Station Conference Center, which states masks must be worn while indoors in the venue, unless you are actively eating. Please remember to put your masks back on when you are finished eating.**

When we surveyed our membership this past May, we learned that over 89% of our club is vaccinated or was in process to be vaccinated. We continue to trust and honor the integrity of the 4-Way Test as we meet in person again. Thank you to the feedback of members who brought forth this idea.

## NEXT MEETING - SEPTEMBER 30

**Shaka Johnson-VP & Associate General Counsel, Sony Electronics Inc.**

It is Shaka Johnson's life mission is to have a positive impact on the lives of others – at home, at work, and in his community. He looks forward to talking about the impact we can all have on those around us. With that, he will also discuss how Sony Electronics has approached the positive impact the company can have, and his passionate support of the organization in those efforts.



**Cannot attend in person? Here is the weekly recurring ZOOM LINK to tune in virtually at 12:30pm:**

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_x-62cFf7TDGucnK5ozdFCQ](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_x-62cFf7TDGucnK5ozdFCQ)

You can also phone in to listen to the meeting: Phone: 1-669-900-6833 Password: 84903061996# (include the "pound" sign).

## BOARD AND OFFICER ELECTION

This year's Nominating Committee has begun the process to put forth their nominations for this year's election for Board officers and directors. Our Bylaws allow for any member to nominate themselves or another member via petition. **So if there is someone you would like to nominate for the Board or for an Officer position, please contact [Jordan](#) at the office by October 7. Our election this year will take place on November 29.**

*Please welcome our newest member to the club!*

**Valerie Gomez** ([georgesmomma@mail.com](mailto:georgesmomma@mail.com)) is the Director of Operations and an Agent for Farmers Insurance.  
[Click here](#) to learn more about Valerie. Or you can watch her self-introduction in our Sept. 23 meeting video on page 1.



### This week's BIRTHDAYS

#### September

Peter Bowie	27
Mike Rowan	28
Chris Sichel	28
Christy White	30

#### October

Buddy Thomas	1
Greg Augustine	1
Stacey Murphy	1
Mike Morton, Jr.	1
Drew Moser	2
Tom Gehring	3
Cindy Marten	3

### Anti-Human Trafficking (AHT) Volunteer Efforts – Sign Up!



Your District 5340 AHT Taskforce has a great volunteer opportunity for you to participate. Reach out to **Dave Oates** at [david@publicrelationssecurity.com](mailto:david@publicrelationssecurity.com) for space availability and to sign up! Space is limited.

**October 9 – 8:30am – Noon** – Refuge for Women landscape/clean-up work. This will be our first visit to this North County location between near the I-15/CA 78 intersection. We'll conduct similar work that we've done for GenerateHope for the same purpose. 25 slots available.

**Meetings: Every Thursday at Noon, Liberty Station Conference Center, 2600 Laning Road, San Diego, 92106**

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# Rotary and SDSU Rotaract Mixer



Please join us for the **SDSU Rotaract and San Diego Rotary Mixer!** Or consider becoming a Rotaract mentor!!  
Tuesday, September 28th from 6:15 to 7:30 pm at the Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union at SDSU.

**SIGN UP HERE:** <https://forms.gle/ekcCUUEfvk1mhGJq7>

Parking instructions will be emailed to you before the event

**Interested in learning more about our SDSU Rotaract Committee? Please contact chair [Wes Wilmers](#).**



# FACES IN OUR CROWD

*Photos courtesy of Paul Nestor*



Thank you to **Jerry Jessop** and **Jim Jessop** who joined us to eulogize their father and our beloved past president, **George Jessop**.



(Left) **Corey Polant** and **Justin Rajah** say hello to past president **Chris Sichel**; (right) **Tracy Sundlun** and **John Hawkins** share a laugh.



(Left) **Simona Valanciute** with her son **Marty**; (right) **Lari Sheehan** and **Michael LaCroix**.

