



If you missed our January 18th program, *the MLK Choir*, you may click on the picture below to view a video of it.



A special *thank you* to our Rotary News sponsor, Steve Cairncross.

How did you like this week's program? Take the survey by clicking [HERE](#).

This week's Program: T.J. Zane:
Setting Boundaries: Social Media, Public Officials, and First Amendment Rights
in the Digital Age



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).

LOBBYING

Bequest Society

The Bequest Society was represented in the lobby this week. Their mission is to educate and to promote to Club members the value and transformative possibilities of a Bequest Society gift to San Diego Rotary and each club member's family. The committee will also strive to show the possibilities of how to magnify the impact of each bequest gift based on what's most important to the Club member about San Diego Rotary. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Bequest Society, please contact [Bruce Doole](#) or [Buddy Thomas](#).

COMMITTEES AT WORK

Model UN Training Session 1

Justin Rajah with the 2 Hoover students he's an Advisor for. JJ Rodriguez Carrasco with 2 students to his left, whom he will be Advisor for next to Marla Navarette, Life Skills Director—these 4 are from Monarch School. We also are sponsoring at least 2 Gompers Preparatory Academy teams and 2 teams from the Academy of Our Lady of Peace!
-Bink Cook Chair of MUN Committee



Share your committee's latest updates and events with the Public Image Committee to be featured on our social media platforms, and don't forget to add some awesome photos! Please use this link: <https://forms.gle/PRtFcMAMggPW8pST7>

JANUARY 22-28 BIRTHDAYS

January 22: Greg Noonan, Dana Toppel

January 25: Larry Hoeksema

January 27: Ray Peet, Robert Horsman, Elana Salsitz

January 28: John Hinrichs

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ROTARIANS

Rotary Youth Exchange:

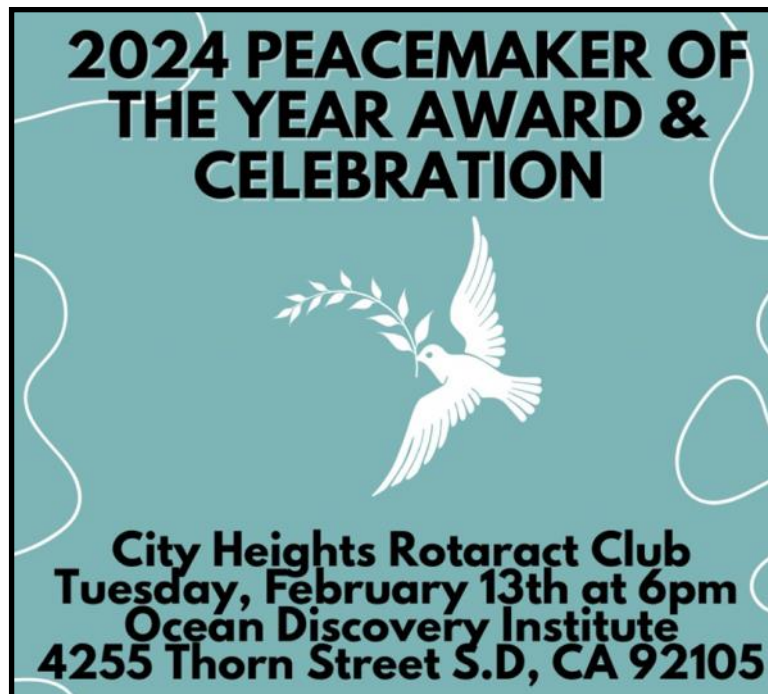
Even a short experience can build a lifetime of connection.

Rotary Youth Exchange is Rotary International's official exchange program for students ages 15-19, whom Rotary clubs and districts sponsor to spend anywhere from a week to a full academic year abroad. [Please click here](#) to learn more about the many ways you can be involved in changing a young person's perspective of the world, then, raise your hand and get engaged. Even a small gesture, such as hosting exchange students for a festive meal or culturally relevant outing, will surely change your life for the better and contribute to the student's exchange adventure.



Please join the City Heights Rotaract Club at their 7th annual Peacemaker of the Year Award and Celebration

This Rotaract club is the only one in the district to give a Peace Award, and it is always a special event. Reach out to Mia Harenski at 760.224.6423 for more info and to RSVP.



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

February 1st

Steven Dowdy PhD: Professor Dept. of Cellular & Molecular Medicine
UCSD School of Medicine



February 8th

Sweethearts Day



February 15th

Steve Breen and Lorie Hearn



FACES IN THE CROWD

Photos courtesy of Lisa Miller and Mike Conner



(Lt.) Wendy Urushima-Conn, Wendy McKinney, Rachel Inmon, Chris Sichel and Amy Myers. (Rt.) Larry Richman, Dick Green, Bink Cook and Stan Hartman.



(Lt.) Chair of the Day **Mary Walshok** with **President Michael**. (Rt.) An Inspirational Moment given by **Karen Sangren**.



IN LOVING MEMORY

Charles J. Pretto



JUNE 3, 1958 - JANUARY 15, 2024

FUNERAL SERVICE

Cypress View Mausoleum Mortuary and Crematory,

Wednesday, January 24th, 2024 10:00am

3953 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92113

His family requests that in lieu of flowers,
donations can be made to the
following organizations:

**Rotary International Annual Fund
San Diego Rotary (Club 33) Foundation
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society**