



# THE ROTARY CLUB of SAN JUAN BAUTISTA NEWSLETTER

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**CREATE OPPORTUNITIES THAT  
STRENGTHEN THEIR LEADERSHIP,  
HELP PUT SERVICE IDEAS INTO  
ACTION, AND IMPROVE  
THE LIVES OF THOSE IN NEED.**

## THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM:



### **David Silva Musician**

In these difficult times, it is often forgotten that the listening to music can uplift one's spirits. This is exactly what happened this morning as we listened to David Silva.

Mr. Silva gained his love for music from his mother, who too was a singer. He was born and raised in the Imperial Valley witnessing first-hand the plight of agricultural workers. This experience has influenced him as a musician and entertainer. *"With his guitar, he plays music of the early farm workers' life for equality and justice. He later joined El Teatro Campesino further spreading the word across the country and the world. He was asked to take the musical director's*

*position at El Teatro (serving in this role) for more than 15-years, which afforded David the opportunity to play, arrange, and produce music for a variety of productions and artists."* David lives with his wife in San Juan Bautista and they have two sons.

Proceeding the above introduction, David played his guitar and sang the following tunes.

- ☆ *What a Day for a Daydream*
- ☆ *Rey de las Flores (King of the Flowers)*
- ☆ *La Gente (The People)*
- ☆ *This Land is Your Land* by Arlo Guthrie



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OUR ZOOM MEETING (Week 46)

**HAPPY ROTAIANS on February 11, 2021**

**25 MEMBERS PRESENT!!!**

Andrew, Annette, Art, Blanca, Bob, César, Don Boys, Don Reynolds, Donna,  
Dr. Sharma, Heidi, Jackie, Jessie, John, Jorge, Larry, Luis, Michele, Michael,  
Paul, Phil, Rosa Fernandez, Tom, Vicki, and Wayne

**THIS WEEK'S MEETING:**

**Inspirational Quote:**

*"As we look ahead in our uniquely American way,  
restless, bold, optimistic and  
set our sights on the nation  
we know we can be and we must be."  
-President Joe Biden-*

**VISITORS**

VISITORS  
Cristal Gonzalez  
Glenn Maxon

HOST ROTARIAN  
Phil Esparza  
Phil Esparza



**THANK YOU: Rosa thanked those who have been assisting with the latest vaccination process. This week, 250 2<sup>nd</sup>-enoculations will have been completed by the San Benito Health Foundation.**

**"We couldn't do it with out you and we appreciate how closely you have worked with us throughout this process and moving forward."**





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**2021-2022 CLUB  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
CONGRATULATIONS!!!**

*President: Annette Cain-Rhines*

*President-Elect: Jessie O'Malley Solís*

*Past President: Luis Matchain*

*Treasurer: Bob Quaid & Phil Esparza*

*Secretary: Vicki Morris*

*Executive Secretary: Luis Matchain*

*Club Service Chair: Jackie Muñoz &*

*Community Service Chair: Heidi Balz*

*International Service Chair: Michael Reid*

*Youth/Vocational Service Chair: César Flores*

*Foundation Chair: Michele Huntoon*



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## **Announcements:**

### **Rotary Club Events & Information:**

- ❖ **Board Meeting:** Next week following the General Meeting
- ❖ **Meeting Attendance & Recording of Meetings:** Members & invited friends will be allowed to attend Club meetings **only**. The meetings **may only** be recorded with permission from the Membership.
- ❖ **Club's Digital Divide Update for the ASJUSD Board Meeting:** Phil apologized for missing the Board meeting last night and thanked Wayne for taking over. The School District's Board was appreciative of the information regarding the issues the Club has addressed to reduce the digital divide that students contend with.
- ❖ **Saints to San Juan Auction:** The 1981 computer donated by Don Boys and not sold during the auction was given to Jorge.
- ❖ **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Dictionary Distribution:** The dictionaries have arrived & Don is working with Michele to plan the distribution.
- ❖ **Virtual RYLA:** Our Club has 2 reservations for Anzar juniors to attend. The payment is due.
- ❖ **Press Releases:** Often times, the Community does not know all that our Club completes. The Board will be discussing how best to publish regular press releases at their next meeting.
- ❖ **Rotary Club Press Release:** The press release regarding Rotary & the San Benito Health Foundation will be sent today.

### **Aromas & San Juan Bautista Events & Information:**

- ❖ **Aromas San Juan Community Foundation:** The Foundation Board agreed to support the Aromas & San Juan schools' 6<sup>th</sup> graders to go to the Virtual Science Camp. The cost is \$1,500 per school. John asked that our Rotary Board consider sponsoring one of the schools. Don & Phil have donated \$100 a piece toward this activity.

 *Happy Valentines Day* 



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**END POLIO NOW!**  
**2020-2021 Goal = \$2,100.00**  
**PLEASE DONATE**  
**(Contact Treasurer Bob Quaid**  
**[ramauaid@gmail.com](mailto:ramauaid@gmail.com))**

**WHAT'S HAPPENING**  
**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

- ❖ February 18<sup>th</sup>: Program: Jessie O'Malley; Membership Survey Results & Andrew Shelton; Club Financial Report
- ❖ February 18<sup>th</sup>: Club Board Meeting; Following General Meeting
- ❖ February 25<sup>th</sup>: Program: General Assembly
- ❖ March 4<sup>th</sup>: Program: Clay Kempf; Seniors' Council
- ❖ March 11<sup>th</sup>: Program: Michele Huntoon; Reopening the Schools
- ❖ March 18<sup>th</sup>: Program: San Juan Business Association; *How Rotary Can Help Local Businesses*
- ❖ March 18<sup>th</sup>: Club Board Meeting; Following General Meeting
- ❖ March 25<sup>th</sup>: Program: General Assembly
- ❖ April 15<sup>th</sup>: Program: The Club's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

**FEBRUARY  
MEETING  
RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Flag Salute: MICHELE
- Inspirational Quote: PAUL
- Programs: CÉSAR

MONTH	SALUTE	QUOTE	PROGRAMS
March		Michael	Wayne
April			Phil
May			Don
June		Annette	César



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<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>CHAIR(S)</b>	<b>MEMBERS</b>
Access	Phil	Annette, Jessie, Jorge, Michele, Rosa Fernandez, Wayne
Anza Trail	Jim	Wife Gayle & Community Crew
Area 6 Aromas Community Project	Annette	Casey, Jackie, Paul, Rosa Fernandez
Beer/Wine Garden	Vicki & Wayne	Heidi, Andrew, Art, César, Donna, Phil
Digital Club Engagement	Jorge	Art, Jackie
Environmental	Blanca	Annette
Finance (Ongoing)	Bob	Andrew, Art, Phil
Fundraiser Committee	Jackie, Phil, Rosa	Andrew, Art, Blanca, Bob, César, Jessie, Jorge, Larry, Luis, Michele, Tom
Fundraiser Subcommittee: Virtual Auction & Concert	Art	Casey, Heidi, John, Luis, Michele, Phil
Ghost Walk	Rosa	Casey, César, Don Reynolds, Phil,
Holiday of Lights Parade	Michele	Heidi, Don Reynolds, Donna, Jessie
Holiday Family Giving (Ag. Worker Force)	Vicki	Annette, César, Donna, Jackie, John, Nazhat, Phil, Rosa Fernandez, Wayne
Meeting Format	Michael	Annette, Blanca, Casey, John, Jorge, Vicki
Rotary City Benches	Annette	Bob, César, Heidi, John
Social Media (Websites)	Jorge	Heidi, Jackie, Jessie, Phil