



of this event and the reason donations remain tax-deductible.

□ A massive **THANK YOU** to our entire St. Patrick's Committee —you all crushed it! □

And now... drum roll please □ Next year's Night of Irish Merriment will be led by the fabulous **Cara Leyva!** □□ She and her committee are ready to take this event to new heights—but with a twist... we're moving venues! □ Most likely, we'll be heading back to Texas Back 40 BBQ, generously offered again by owner and past Prez Angela.

So get ready, because next year's celebration promises to be even bigger, better, and BBQ-ier! □□

Sláinte! □

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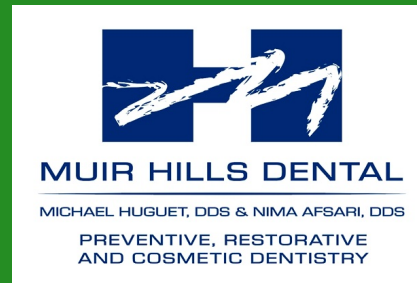
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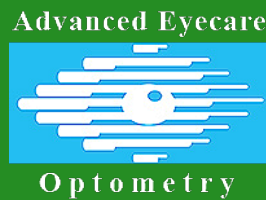
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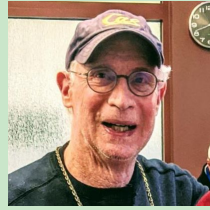


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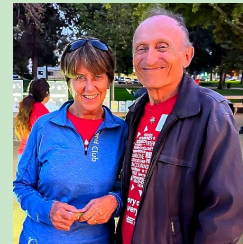
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### CARA LEYVA

celebrated her acceptance as a CASA volunteer Advocate by donating \$50 to her Personal Health Fund. This gesture was also a heartfelt thank you for being assigned her first CASA youth, an 8-year-old child. As their advocate, Cara is dedicated to ensuring that the child's needs are heard and addressed throughout their journey in the legal system. Her role is not just about support; it's about being a voice that makes a difference in the child's life.d!

### FAYE DONAGHU

Faye celebrated her remarkable 30-year tenure as a Commissioner on the Pleasant Hill Civic Action Committee by donating \$30 to her PHF This committee has been instrumental in organizing beloved community events like the Summer Concerts by the Lake and Community Service Day, an initiative originally conceived by fellow Rotarian and former Pleasant Hill City Council Member and Mayor Michael Harris. As a testament to her dedication and service, Faye has been reappointed by the Council for another four years on the Civic Action Commission—congratulations!

### FAYE & DENNY DONAGHU

celebrated the arrival of her brand-new 2025 Hyundai Tucson Hybrid by donating an additional \$25 in Happy Dollars. This sleek and stylish ride is not just a new addition to her family's garage; it's also a fun way to cruise around town. The 2025 Hyundai Tucson Hybrid boasts impressive features like a powerful hybrid engine, advanced safety technologies, and a modern interior with a large touchscreen display. It's the perfect blend of style, efficiency, and innovation, making every drive a joy!

# UPCOMING EVENTS



# Rotary

Rotary Club of Pleasant Hill



## Activity Schedule

**THUR  
MARCH  
27**

**OFFSITE MEETING  
TO BE ANNOUNCED**

**THUR  
APRIL  
3**



**REGULAR MEETING**  
Steve Lack  
Adventure in Service  
Wheelchairs Monterrey Mexico

**TUE  
APRIL  
8**

**BOARD MEETING**  
WiseGirl Restaurant 5 PM

**THUR  
APRIL  
10**



**REGULAR MEETING**  
Scott Vermillion - PHPD Chief  
Matt Kristic - PHPD Captain  
Status of Crime in Pleasant Hill

**THUR  
APRIL  
17**

**REGULAR MEETING**  
Dresda Mendez  
Women Forward International

**SAT  
APRIL  
19**

**DIABLO VALLEY 8 (DV8)**

BBQ-SOCIAL  
SUGARLOAF PARK  
WALNUT CREEK

**THUR  
APRIL  
24**

**OFFSITE MEETING**  
Steven Printing  
Pleasant Hill

**SAVE THE DATE**

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District 5160



**DV8**

# BBOQ Party



Join Rotarians and their families and guests from our 8 Diablo Valley Clubs under the beautiful Pergolas at Sugarloaf Open Space Walnut Creek  
Food, Wine Activities

**Sat April 19**

**ENTRY: \$20**  
**Kids Eat Free**

**1-4PM**

**RSVP AG**  
**Cathy Durfee**

**2151 Youngs Valley, Walnut Creek**

**CLICK HERE TO SEND RSVP TO AG DURFEE**



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# CRAFT BEER TASTING PARTY

AT  
**FIELDWORK BREWING**

**Saturday May 3**

**2PM - 4PM**

6000 Bollinger Canyon Rd, San Ramon  
Short walk from District Conference at Marriot hotel

**\$49 per  
person**

Private Patio  
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