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Meetings are held every Tuesday, 12:15 p.m. at the Benicia Yacht Club

At Tuesday's Meeting...
Peppino D'Agostino

A native of Italy, D'Agostino has made a considerable international mark as a musical artist since he arrived in America a little over 28 years ago. The readers of Guitar Player voted him Best Acoustic Guitarist in 2007, & the following year, he won a Bronze medal in Acoustic Guitar's People's Choice Awards for Best Acoustic Album of All time for his 2002 release "Every Step of the Way." His most recent book and CD-Rom is entitled 10 Original Compositions (Carisch Publishing). His signature Seagull acoustic guitar, designed with innovative luthier Robert Godin, won a Silver People's Choice Award for Acoustic Guitar of the Year from Acoustic Guitar magazine in 2008 and has been voted among the ten best signature guitars by Guitar Player magazine in the June 2014 issue. In March 2011 D'agostino's song "Stammi Vicino", recorded by Italian Rock star Vasco Rossi for EMI records, reached the number one position in the Itunes Rock charts in Italy and reached more than 4 millions viewers on Youtube. In 2012 his CD "Begin" was recorded with the Pacific Guitar Ensemble which he founded with classical guitarist David Tanenbaum. His new solo CD "Penumbra" was released by Mesa Blue Moon recordings in August 2014.

Next week: The wonders of Cuba

ROTARY PROGRAMS

January 13, 2015
The wonders of Cuba / Rob & Dale Floerke

January 20, 2015
M-Lisada Orphanage

January 27, 2015
TBD

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FUTURE EVENTS

Feb. 19, 2015 ***Chamber Mixer at Camel Barns***

March 13, 2015
Casino Night

March 27, 2015
Night of Honor for Firefighters

The Four-Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

The Rotary Club of Benicia

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Secretary ..... Reg Page
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SERVICE Above Self

About The Rotary Club of Benicia

"Celebrating 46 Years in Benicia"

Founded on Dec. 9, 1966, the Rotary Club of Benicia is part of Rotary International, the world's oldest nonprofit service club whose motto is "Service Above Self." Through several key fundraisers, the club supports a variety of projects each year including offering scholarships, supporting schools and museums, and donating time and resources to those in need.

www.BeniciaRotary.org

Membership Roster

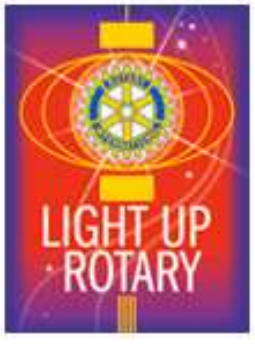
As of May 7, 2014

Bell, Jack * ..... Plastic Lamination
Blunt, John ..... Real Estate Broker
Carpenter, Amy ..... Kitchen Design
Christopher, Martha ..... Operations Management
Doi, Darrell ..... Financial Planning
Dwyer, Jon* ..... Chemical Engineering Mgt, *ret.*
Fisher Jones, Sue* ..... Public Relations
Galvan, John + * ..... Education-Technology, *ret.*
Gardner, Michael ..... Human Resources
Gavin, Tom * ..... Insurance Broker
Graw-Shiner, Amanda ..... Banking
Giuliani, Mario* ..... Economic Development Mgr
Gizzi, Marion ..... Traffic Control, *ret.*
Hoglund, Eric ..... Leasing Manager
Hutchinson Arnett, Susan * ..... Educator, *ret.*
Lassahn, Kevin ..... Operations manager
Lessenger, Jim ..... Occupational Medicine
Lobban, Alex ..... Business owner—Soccer coach
Lobdell, Mark * ..... Investments
Matthews, John ..... Restaurant Owner, *ret.*
McBride, Mac + ... Water Utility, *ret.*
McClure, Steve ..... Insurance
Moore, Steve ..... Recycling Executive
Oliveira, Duane ..... Attorney, Business & Probate
Ornelas-McCausland, Nani ..... Restaurant owner
Page, Reg * ..... Petroleum Engineer, *ret.*
Petersen, Eldon ..... Janitorial
Pugh, Bill * ..... Equipment Manufacturing
Reep, Scott* ..... Attorney, Civil
Schroth, Bob ..... Attorney
Schwartzman, Alan * ..... Mortgage Broker
Smikahl, Diane* ..... Library Director
Spence, Jamie ..... Missionary
Trimble, Jim * ..... Police Administration, *ret.*
Warren, Bill * ..... Banking, Commercial Lending
White, Beverly + ... Pastor

\+ Honorary member * Past President

Team	Leader	January	February
1	Sue FJ,	Inspiration	Program
2	Eric H.	Setup	Inspiration
3	Steve McC.	Guest	Setup
4	Alex L.	Cleanup	Guests
5	Diane S.	Greeter	Clean-up
6	Alan S.	**Pledge**	**Greeter**
7	Mario G.	Programs	Pledge

Nearby club meetings:
www.rotary5160.org/district-5160/district-directory
Vallejo Thursday 12:15 pm
Solano Sunset Wed. 5:30 pm
Fairfield—Suisun Wed 7:15 a.m.
Fairfield — Twilight Monday 6:10 pm
Fairfield Tuesday at noon
Vacaville Thursdays 15:15 pm



Makeup Meetings
Attend another club's meeting
Help with a fundraising event
Participate in a committee meeting

Meetings are to be completed 14 days prior to or after the club's scheduled meeting. Meetings can also be made up on-line at www.rotary.org