

Shasta Community Health Center

At Today's Meeting...

AV
Pledge
Invocation
Welcome Guests
Greeters

Presidents Fundraiser & Photography Sergeant-At-Arms Prize Donations Tony Giovaniello
Andy McCurdy
PP Joe Ayer
PP Jeff Avery
Ken Seamans, Jack Kimple,
Azi Barzin
Laurie Baker



President Wendy running the show



Lindsay and Andy Introducing Team 4



PP Joe Ayer with the invocation



PP Jeff Avery welcoming our guests

	Calendar
August 14	Dolly Parton Imagination Library
August 21	District Governor Joy Alaidarous
August 28	1% Sales Tax Explained
September 4	WES Camp Update

Camp Royal Report

High School students **Grant and Emily** gave us a report on their experiences at Camp Royal this Summer. **Grant** highlighted learning self-acceptance and understanding different personalities. **Emmy** emphasized the focus on personal security and adapting leadership to individual and group needs. Both noted the importance of empathy and connecting with others as well as thanking the Club for making it possible for them to attend.



Announcements

Keyway Update: Keyway currently has 19 members, with 11 still working toward their blue badge; members are encouraged to support those with red badges. Keyway will assist at the attendance table and continue with other duties. The next Keyway social is scheduled for August 28 from 4 to 6 p.m. at Gibbs, open to all club members.

Other Announcements:

- Members were encouraged to scan a "question of the week" QR code to provide input on the purpose and goals of future fundraisers.
- Results from a previous survey showed 19 out of 27 respondents read the club's newsletter, "The Spillway."
- Members were urged to sign up for committees, with specific mentions of bell ringing, Thanksgiving dinner, and I-House. Please sign up here: https://reddingrotary.wufoo.com/ forms/z196xkr40ssh7ki/
- Members were reminded to update their information for DACdb and other club records. You can use this link: https://dacdb.com/SecLogin3.cfm
- Support was requested for Jerrod Vanlandingham's son, who was in a motorcycle accident; members can contribute via Venmo or Meal Train. For Venmo, use account @jvandy1967.
 For Meal Train, please reach out to President Wendy for more info.
- The District Governor will visit on August 21; members are asked to contribute items for a gift basket, coordinated by **Tim Thomas**.
- The next board meeting is scheduled for August 12 at 7am at First Five Shasta, not U.S. Bank, due to ongoing cleanup.
- A fundraiser discussion, led by Steve Clark and President Wendy, will take place at the September 11 meeting.
- Finance Committee will meet soon to review club finances.

Special Recognition: Joe Tallerico

Joe Tallerico: Celebrating 50 Years of Service and Fun!

Join us in honoring Joe Tallerico's remarkable milestone
with Redding Rotary. Five decades of dedication,
leadership, and incredible camaraderie!
From countless projects to memorable moments, Joe's
commitment has been a cornerstone of our club. Let's
celebrate his legacy and the many years of joy he has
brought to our community. Plus he gives great hugs!!



Meet Your Board - Judy Maxwell

Dedicated to fostering connection, inspiration, and community within Keyway Membership.

Other Board Experience: Served as President and held various board roles for the Redding Chamber of Commerce, Shasta-National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors, and Shasta-California Agents Health Insurance Professionals. Also active in various church committees.

Rotary Connection: While her late husband was involved with Anderson Rotary, Judy found Redding Rotary to be a better fit for her.

Meaning of "Service Above Self": For Judy, it means actively contributing to the community and improving the lives of its members.

First Job Lesson: Her first job at a department store paid \$1.60/hour. Through hard work, she earned a raise to \$1.80/hour, demonstrating that diligence is rewarded.



New Members

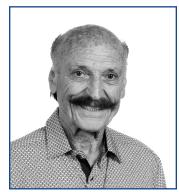
New Members From: Jul-01-2025 To: Aug-08-2025

Member Name	MemberType	Start Date	Club	Sponsor	Classification
				Jason Richart	
Chan, William (WILL CHAN)	Active	7/17/25	Redding	Balkovek	Property Mgmt & Development
				Keli Anthis	
Chiesa, Mary (MARY CHIESA)	Active	7/24/25	Redding	Trisha Funk	Medical Products

Recognitions

Father/Son accomplices Dar & Azi Barzin were recognized for some felonious activities surrounding President Wendy's bell. It seems that "Big Daddy Azi" was fingered for being the sticky-fingers behind the Great Bell Heist of 2025, but in fact, "Dar The Kid" was the real mastermind. Dar gave a \$100 fine to the Club and mentioned that Azi was in a minor car accident a couple of days ago.







Michelle Nystrom was recognized for some interesting stand up paddle board deflation techniques and for being pictured in a SWAT vehicle wearing heels.

Evidently, "I did not consent to this recognition" doesn't matter, \$100 to her Paul Harris.

PP Jeff Avery was recognized for a hike around Lake Siskiyou, a family trip to Disneyland, and a granddad/grandson trip to Dodger Stadium. Was that a program he gave on baseball?:)

\$300 to the Club.









Andy McCurdy Should we be worried?



Andy McCurdy was recognized for his daughter's perfect score on her diving test in Red Bluff (this DMV location is highly recommended!).

\$100 to the Club.

Matt Mosley and Lindsay Meyers were recognized for Turtle Bay's new train ride, The Turtle Express. Right now it is going Wednesday through Sunday, 10 am. to 3 pm.

\$100 each to the Club.



Today's Program - Shasta Community Health Center

Mike Mangas introduced our speaker today, **Brandon Thornock**, CEO of Shasta Community Health Center. Here's a summary of Brandon's presentation:

Shasta Community Health Center (SCHC) is a nonprofit, federally qualified health center (FQHC) dedicated to providing healthcare access to underserved populations. Originating from a national FQHC initiative in the late 1960s–1970s, SCHC serves patients regardless of income, race, or location, contributing to a system that reaches 32.5 million Americans while saving \$30 billion



annually. SCHC cares for approximately 40,000 unique patients each year—projected to grow to 60,000—covering about one-third of Shasta County's population. It houses the largest pediatrics department north of Sacramento and provides specialized care for California Children's Services patients, many on Medi-Cal or uninsured. The organization's mission centers on Compassion, Adaptability, Respect, Education, and Service.

Its facilities include a main campus at Continental and Placer, a Women's Babies and Children's Center for high-risk maternity and pediatric care, and an optometry department. SCHC evolved from a county clinic into a nonprofit under CEO Dean Germano's 32-year leadership. The center addresses Medicaid reimbursement shortfalls by partnering with Dan's Opticals to offer Medicaid patients quality eyeglass options, reflecting its commitment to dignity in care.

SCHC operates multiple sites, including in Shasta Lake, Anderson (with dental services), and the Enterprise Center (offering dental, mental health, and medical care). It also runs a clinic in a women's shelter, supported by grants, and has aided homeless individuals, those in addiction recovery, and job seekers. Through "braiding" of approximately 70 grants from diverse sources, SCHC sustains and expands its services, relying on partnerships to address complex patient needs.

Advocacy is a core function, with involvement in the One Big Beautiful Bill Act and leadership roles in state and national healthcare associations. SCHC works to prevent policy changes that would limit care for vulnerable groups. Shasta County ranks last in California for several health indicators, influenced by adverse social determinants such as poverty, low education, and childhood trauma.

With an aging population, SCHC offers chronic care management for Medicare patients, improving health compliance and outcomes. Transportation and care coordination support elderly patients' needs. Vaccination efforts face resistance from some patients and staff, prompting respectful, personalized engagement and alternative schedules when necessary.

The organization is recognized for innovation, including being among the first locally to offer on-site childcare for employees. SCHC's community partnerships and staff support systems have strengthened its role as a crucial healthcare provider in one of California's most underserved regions.



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Rotary District 5160 Club: Redding

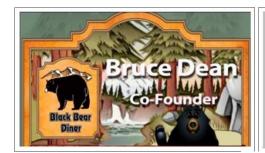
Birthdays and Anniversaries for **08/01/2025** to **08/31/2025**

Member Birthdays	Birthday
Anderson, Kathy Ann (KATHY)	14-Aug
Baker, Laurie (LAURIE)	30-Aug
Funk, Trisha (TRISHA)	25-Aug
Jelke, Jeanne (JEANNE)	3-Aug
Jimenez, Eva (EVA)	16-Aug
Parkinson, Gary (GP)	7-Aug
Salter, Jason (JASON)	14-Aug

Partner Birthdays	Member Name	Birthday
Christensen, Valda	Christensen, Bret	27-Aug
Dean, Michelle	Dean, Bruce L.	9-Aug
Wood, Andrea	Wood, Kenneth H	31-Aug
Wyse, Erica	Wyse, Joe	2-Aug

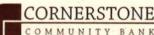
Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years
Cibula, Mark(MARK)	8/1	3/98 27
Coughlin, Kristy LeAnne(KRISTY)	8/2	25/11 14
Fauss, Richard L(RICK)	8/2	25/11 23
Freigher, Ken(KEN)	8/1	9/21 4
Giovaniello, Anthony(TONY)	8/2	25/16 9
Jasperse, Becky(STAFF POSITION)	8/1	2/21 4
Malotky, Richard(RICHARD)	8/2	29/19 6
Parkinson, Gary(GP)	8/1	9/21 4
Rullman, Ed(ED)	8	/1/96 29
Spafford, Charles H.(CHUCK)	8/1	7/23 2
Tallerico, Joseph A.(JOE)	8	/7/75 50

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Avery, Jeff(JEFF)	Jaymie	29-Aug	38
Fauss, Richard L(RICK)	Karen (KAREN)	20-Aug	37
Funk, Trisha(TRISHA)	Justin	4-Aug	19
Johannessen, K. Maurice(K. MAURICE)	Marianne	8-Aug	49
Malotky, Richard(RICHARD)	Ann	2-Aug	45
Morgan, Leslie(LESLIE)	John (JOHN)	17-Aug	29
Moseley, Matthew B(MATT)	Anna (ANNA)	21-Aug	21
Smith, Randall R.(RANDALL)	Judy (JUDY)	28-Aug	60
Warren, Michael (MICHAEL)	Linda	27-Aug	45



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