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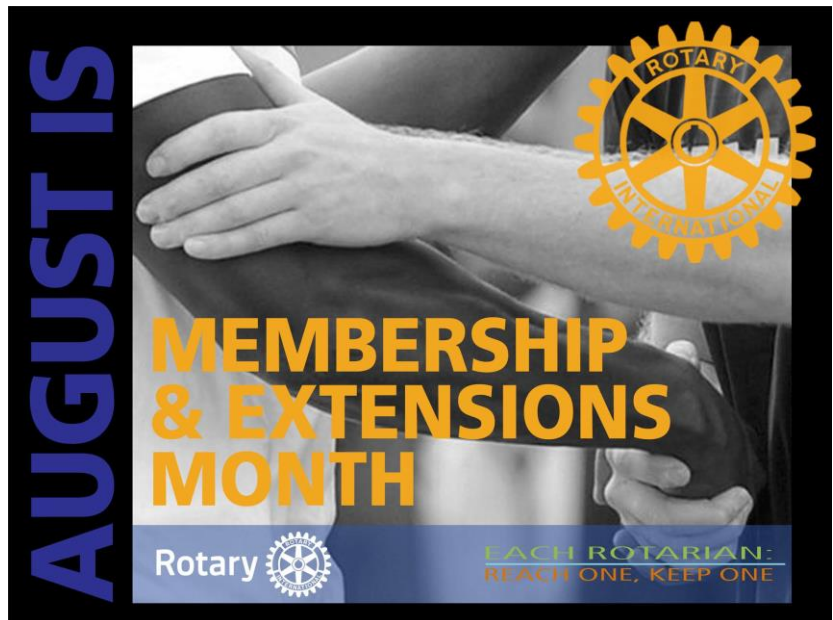
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BULLETIN NOTES

- Member Edition
Sunday 7PM (Best Effort)
Includes Member Only Information.
- Community Edition
Monday 5:30PM.
Does not included Member Only Information.


The Rotary Club of North Fresno

is a volunteer organization whose members take action to create sustainable change in our community and around the world



AUGUST IS

MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSIONS MONTH

Rotary 

EACH ROTARIAN: REACH ONE, KEEP ONE



Club Service | Presentation Form

By Peter Fortuna & Haley Wagner

North Fresno Rotary is happy to announce we are testing out a new print and online form to gather information from our Weekly Program Featured presenters.

Creators: This form was created by *Peter Fortuna* with help from *Haley Wagner* and *Nick Grim*.

Goal: Our Presentation form's goal is to gather information from our Weekly Presenter and Speakers. With the information provided, North Fresno Rotary can then share that information with our members, our community, and the world through our social media platforms.

Feedback: Constructive feedback is always welcome. Please contact Haley Wagner or Peter Fortuna via [DacDB](#) or through our member roster.



The image shows a presentation form titled "North Fresno Rotary Presentation Form" for the Service Year 2019-20. It includes a "Contact" sidebar with "Speaker" and "Organization" sections. The "Speaker" section has fields for First Name, Last Name, Email, and Cell Phone. The "Organization" section has a "Same as Individual" checkbox, and fields for Organization Name, Contact Person, and Email. A "Feedback" section is also present at the bottom.

<http://www.northfresnorotary.org/form/presentation>

Online Resources

Our new presentation form is available online at:

- <http://www.northfresnorotary.org/form/presentation>

Our instructional video is available online at:

- <http://bit.ly/nfr-video-presentation-form>

Rotary 5230 | Adventures in Rotary

By Peter Fortuna & Mo Osman








On July 26, 2019 Rotary International District 5230 broadcasted its first episode. The video premiere was created in the CMAC studio in downtown Fresno.

This project has been in the works since 2016-17. Mo and Sahar Osman of the Central California Passport Rotary Club produced the show with host and District Governor Rod Coburn and guest Jena Maciel, President of the Central California Passport Rotary Club.

Please share the good news with your friends, family, and co-workers. Rotary 5230 and North Fresno Rotary would like the whole world to know about Rotary and its good works.

Online Resources

- More information – ContactUs@AdventuresInService.TV
- [Rotary 5230 - Video](#)
- [Rotary 5230 – Website](#)
- [Rotary 5230 – LinkedIn](#)
- [Rotary 5230 - Facebook](#)
- [Central California Passport Club – Facebook](#)
- [North Fresno Rotary - Facebook](#)

	Host	Rod Coburn, Rotary 5230 District Governor and Member of Fig Garden Rotary Club
	Guest	Jena Maciel, President of Central California Passport Rotary Club
	Reporter	Celeste A. Barron, Secretary, Member Central California Passport Rotary Club
	Reporter	Shelly McCabe Galleano, Member Central California Passport Rotary Club
	Camera	Peter Fortuna, Member North Fresno Rotary Club
	Producer	Mo Osman, Member Central California Passport Rotary Club
	Producer	Sahar Osman, Member Central California Passport Rotary Club

ACTION ITEMS

Club Service | Return Breakfast and Raffle Packets

By Noelle Willbanks

North Fresno Rotarians, please return your Pancake Breakfast and Raffle Packets to Noelle Willbanks as soon as possible.

Date  ASAP

Club Service | Program Committee Needs Help

By Haley Wagner & Peter Fortuna

North Fresno Rotary relies heavily on our Weekly Programs for fellowship and to share information and inspire our members and community. Our Program Community is in desperate need of more volunteers to help with our weekly programs.

Presenters: Program Chair Haley Wagner is requesting assistant with scheduling of and communicating with North Fresno Rotary's weekly guest speakers. Haley is looking for volunteers to help locate interesting, relevant, and useful speakers and organizations to benefit our members and community. Anticipated volunteer time is 90 minutes per scheduled week.



Haley Wagner, Program Chair



Peter Fortuna, Tech & Bulletin Director

Tech Support and Program Setup: Technology Director Peter Fortuna is looking for assistance with Tech Support and banner setup during our weekly programs. Volunteers will be asked to setup our North Fresno Rotary photo banner and help with audio, computer, and slideshow setup. Anticipated volunteer time is 15 minutes before each meeting.

Bulletin: Peter Fortuna Editor is in desperate need our writers, editors, and proofreaders. Anticipated volunteer time is less than 60 minutes.

Contact: If you would like to assist; please contact Haley or Peter via [DacDB](#) or through our North Fresno Rotary roster.

Events | This Week

By Haley Wagner

This Week at North Fresno Rotary we will be hosting the Dean of Fresno State's College of Arts and Humanities, Dr. Honora Chapman



Photo Credit: Dean Honora Chapman, Dean Arts and Humanities, Fresno State

How many of you majored in a field that your parents didn't necessarily approve of?

At Fresno State we have 2,000 brave students majoring in the arts and humanities, pursuing their dream of becoming teachers, communications specialists, public relations experts, linguists out in the field or at tech companies, filmmakers, poets, musicians, and more.

In my short talk, I plan to provide a little background on Fresno as the San Joaquín Valley's cultural metropolis, while describing the place of Fresno State's College of Arts and Humanities on campus and in the community, as well as our dreams for the future.

Presentation Preview: The Heart of California

For over a century, Fresno has been the cultural metropolis of the San Joaquín Valley, with its residents having established and nurtured an array of cultural organizations. Fresno is not only the geographical center of California, which now has the world's 5th largest economy thanks in part to our region's amazing agricultural productivity, but it is also the future of California—and our nation—with its diverse population striving for a better life.

California’s greatest gifts, besides its varied and majestic landscapes, are its children. After their K-12 years, almost 500,000 of our young (and more mature) adults will enroll each year in our nation's largest university system, the California State University. One can argue that Fresno State is the finest of the 23 CSU campuses, since it does more academically and socially on a fairly tight budget to educate about 25,000 highly diverse students, about 70% of whom receive financial aid, are the first in their families to attend college, and come from some of our country's most impoverished families. Our college educates every single Fresno State undergraduate in the arts and humanities, and about 2,000 of them bravely choose to study in over 30 majors offered by our nine arts and humanities departments. Why would these students pursue such seemingly impractical studies and why is it so crucial to have them do this?



Dr. Kathleen Scott with Dean Chapman

In short, the College of Arts and Humanities provides a nurturing yet challenging environment in which students can discover their intellectual and artistic strengths while working with faculty who come to Fresno from around the world because they believe in our mission and vision, and they believe in our students’ potential for success. Our class sections are relatively small in comparison to those in other colleges for a variety of legal and facilities-related reasons. This allows students to express themselves more readily and discover their talents: no one is anonymous in class, which leads to accountability and higher performance.

We have also hired almost 50 new faculty in the past three years in our college, and these new faculty are infusing our students with new perspectives and opportunities, while sharing their own talents with the community. About 80% of Fresno State graduates stay in the Valley; whether they stay or leave, each of our artists and humanists graduates with the ability to work well in private companies, schools, government offices, arts organizations, and more, since they have learned to think critically and creatively about their specific fields and the wider world in an educational setting that encourages excellence.

Fresno State’s College of Arts and Humanities already plays a significant part in Fresno’s cultural scene, but it is capable of expanding its place in the arts and humanities regionally, and even nationally. To make this happen, we need the help and support of everyone in this city who cares about our city’s and our country’s future.

				No Meeting	District	Online	Weekly Meeting	Special	
Type	Speaker	Topic							
Aug 15	Weekly Event	Honora Chapman	Fresno State College of Arts and Humanities	Online Calendars <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Fresno Rotary Calendar • Facebook Calendar 					