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**NEXT MEETING**

**MAY 18, 2023**

**Featuring**

**KEVIN JENSEN**

**Former Candidate Santa Clara Cnty. Sheriff**



**HOLDERS Cupertino Country Inn**

**11:30am - Check In  
12:00am - Call to Order**

**\*\*\* Cost of Program: \$32 \*\*\***

*Includes program, a delicious lunch, and a soft drink, coffee or tea!  
(taxes & gratuities also included)*

**MENU OPTIONS:**

**APPLE HARVEST SALAD**

*Chicken breast, mixed greens, apples, walnuts, dried cranberries, avocado, tomato cucumber & bleu cheese crumbles w/apple cider dressing*

**PRIME RIB DIP SANDWICH**

*Sliced thin prime rib on a ciabatta roll, with Swiss cheese, au jus and served w/Fries*

**RIBEYE STEAK**

*10 oz. Aged Angus beef, served w/fresh veggies and mashed potatoes*

**Please RSVP by Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>!**

**Lunches must be pre-ordered.**

**Call Grace, 408-499-1695**

**A check can be mailed to: Grace Russo,  
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Make Check payable to West Valley RWF.**

**Cancellations only refunded if  
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**Special Committees:**

**Membership Growth:**  
Volunteer to serve with our 2nd VP JoAnn Destro to help with her efforts to recruit new members with outreach, mailings, etc.

**Legislation:**

Mayme Abbott follows and reports at our meetings on the legislative items that are followed by our CFRW, and many of which are printed in our newsletters.