

OUR NEXT MEETING:

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

Check-in 11:30am - Call to Order 12:00pm

at

Holder’s Country Inn

998 So. De Anza Blvd.

San Jose, CA 95129

Program Cost: \$28.00 (includes lunch)

All taxes & gratuities are also included!

Checks must be payable to

“West Valley RWF”

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To expedite check-in, please have your check made out before you arrive.

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MENU CHOICES

COBB SALAD

Chicken breast, mixed greens, bacon bits, avocado, tomato, cucumber, hard-boiled egg, bleu cheese crumbles

or

STEAK & AVOCADO SANDWICH

Thinly sliced Angus steak, chipotle aioli, avocado, grilled onions, jack & white cheddar on ciabatta roll

or

HOT TURKEY SANDWICH

Freshly roasted turkey served open-faced on grilled sourdough w/mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, fresh veggies & homemade gravy

RSVPs must be received by Monday, November 15th!

Call Grace at 408-499-1695, or

Mail to: Grace Russo

2393 Karen Dr. #3 - Santa Clara CA 95050

A reservation made is a reservation paid!

MEET OUR SPEAKER:

ASSEMBLYMAN HEATH FLORA

Heath Flora is a farmer, firefighter and business owner with the kind of real-world experience desperately needed in the State Assembly. He was raised on a farm and has been a small business owner and volunteer firefighter for over fifteen years.

A life-long farmer, Heath serves as a Director for International Sales at the Exact Corporation, a family-owned business that manufactures innovative products for both nut harvesting and forcible entry equipment for firefighting. Heath also owns Golden Valley Equipment which sells used agricultural equipment. Prior to entering the business world, Heath received training as a paramedic and worked for CAL FIRE for three summers.

Having served as a volunteer firefighter for over fifteen years, Heath worked his way up the ranks — serving as firefighter, engineer, Captain and now as Battalion Chief. As a regional director for Sons of the Flag, Heath is working to bring together community leaders, pioneering physicians, experienced military service members, and dedicated first responders to advance care and treatment of long-term burn victims.

Through his church, Heath did extensive volunteer work in Cambodia where he helped build churches and English schools.

While serving in the Legislature, Heath has fought for improved public safety in California, as well as working to ensure hard-working farmers have a voice at the table. More specifically, Heath’s legislation has established a statewide firefighter apprenticeship program, provided greater access to individuals’ vital records, and set safety standards pertaining to electric motorized scooters. As the Minority Floor Leader, Heath ensures fairness in the legislative process in the Assembly. Serving as the Vice Chairman of the Committees on Natural Resources and Labor & Employment as well as sitting on the Agriculture, Rules and Business & Professions committees, Heath is able to provide fresh perspectives to policy debates and the legislation related to these areas.

Reserve early, and bring your friends!



CLUB ELECTIONS will be held at our November meeting, followed immediately by a brief installation. New Officers duties begin on January 1, 2022. The Nominees are: Shannon Wagner for President - Robin McCarthy for 1st VP - JoAnn Destro for 2nd VP - Kay Young for 3rd VP- Mary Goodman for Treasurer - Kathie Topham for Recording Secretary - Doris Sloniker for Corresponding Secretary- and Past-President Mayme Abbott for Director-at-Large.