



La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club
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LJGT Rotary Club and Past President Among Honorees at October 19 OceanLeaf Awards Celebration

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La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club and Dory Beatrice, Past President 2010-11 are among six recipients of the 2011 OceanLeaf awards, to be presented by Somali Family Service of San Diego at a celebration dinner on October 19, 2011. The awards recognize organizations and individuals that have advanced opportunities for East African immigrants and refugees. Keynote speaker for the event is Marti Emerald, San Diego City Councilmember, District 7.

Dory Beatrice is co-founder and co-director of Project Refuge, a program that provides safe, comfortable housing and centralized access to a network of supportive community services to refugees from Somalia and East Africa who have suffered extreme violence, torture and persecution in their homelands.

La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club has been instrumental in the launch of Project Refuge, providing funds and volunteer services to facilitate Project Refuge clients' transition to self-sufficiency. Romik Kesian LJGTRC President and Steve Brown, Charter member of LJGTRC and Rotary International Trustee will accept the OceanLeaf award on behalf of the Club.

OceanLeaf Awards Celebration

When: October 19, 2011, 6:00 pm – 8:45 pm

Where: Jacobs Center in the Market Creek Plaza, 404 Euclid Ave, San Diego CA 92114

Tickets: \$75 all inclusive. Attendees will enjoy traditional East African assorted vegetarian and beef Sambusas and Somali tea. The main course will feature fillet chicken breast in lemon sauce (Halal). Register at www.brownpapertickets.com/event/195576

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La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary club, with over 100 members, meets at 7 a.m. on Fridays at the Marriott Hotel, 4240 La Jolla Village Drive, La Jolla CA. To find out how you can get involved, visit www.lajollagrotary.org