



This Week's Program
July 18, 2013

Presenters: Debbie Harris & Richard Reed

Program: Rotarians Connect

Sergeant-at-Arms:

July 18, 2013 - George Baggot

July 25, 2013 - Larry Bettis

Rotary Recap

By: Lauren Robydek and Jim Paxton

July 11, 2013

The July 11th meeting of the Rotary Club of Green Valley got off to a very prompt start, so heed this warning, latecomers: the era of wiggle room is over! Be in the room by 7am sharp, or prepare to face the Finewheel... There's a new Sheriff (President) in town...

New **President Mike S.** began today's meeting with a clang of the bell and a new tradition: he left the first 15 minutes of the meeting unstructured, to enable breakfast consumption and conversation. Around 7:15am, Mike asked guest (and former member) **Marvin Longabaugh** to lead us in the Pledge. After opening up the floor for club announcements, President Mike had Sergeant at Arms **Lauren** introduce visitors and guests. This list included **David Baird**, a Henderson resident who does commercial real estate; the aforementioned **Marvin Longabaugh**, in town from Navasota, TX; and soon-to-be-member **Gerry Holinski**. After a warm welcome was extended to each visitor, we moved right into fines and happy bucks with the formidable Finemaster **Larry S.**



Although he's the "new" Finemaster for this year, **Larry S.** is no stranger to wrangling dollars out of the pockets of unsuspecting Rotarians. Having served as Finemaster in years past, and substituted for Finemaster **Mike P.** this past year, Larry has clearly stayed in tip-top fine-wielding shape. Late spins were demanded from some 8 attendees, a Rotary pin check was performed, and a new Happy Birthday policy was put into place (Birthday boys and girls now have the option to pay \$5 to demand a Happy Birthday SOLO from any one Rotarian in the room! This soloist then has the option to sing of pay \$5 MORE dollars to single someone else out as singer, and so on, and so forth). After treating guest **David** to our traditional auditory Happy Birthday assault (the new solo policy will be put in place for next week), Larry collected voluntary contributions, and today was a strong day for the coffers.

Once Happy Bucks and Dammit Dollars were collected, President Mike turned the floor over to **Immediate Past President Melinda**, who presented awards to a couple stinkers who missed her debunking party last week (Larry S. and Lauren). To make President Mike's worst nightmare a reality, his program for this week had to cancel. In lieu of a guest speaker, President Mike turned the floor over to this year's club leaders. **Vice President Sheila**, **President Elect Jack**, **PR Chair Caroline**, **Foundation Chair Susan**, **Director Christine**, **Project Chair Duane**, **Treasurer Jim S.**, **Secretary Jay** and **Sergeant at Arms Laureneach** spoke for a few minutes about their hopes, duties, and plans for the upcoming year. **Club Director Larry S.** finished the program by sharing a bit about his experience at the International Rotary Convention in Lisboa, Portugal (no words in Portuguese end with an "n," so it's Lisboa, not Lisbon!).

Treasurer Jim S. had Visitor **David** draw the winning raffle ticket to close the meeting, and **Christine's** ticket was selected. Graciously, Christine took a 4 from the deck, so the raffle pot will continue to grow! All in all, it was a great first meeting for new **President Mike**, and it promises to be a wonderful year ahead.

The Board 2013-14







Visiting Rotarians
No Visiting Rotarians
Guests

- Gerry Holinski
- Marvin Longabaugh
- David Baird

The Four Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?
 Is it FAIR to all concerned?
 Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
 Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Club Leaders



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Sergeant-at-Arms
-  **Christine L. Smith**
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Club Director
-  **Caroline A. Orzes**
Club Director/Public Relations Chair

Nancy Dalley
Club Director, Membership Chair



Susan Holland Johnson
Club Director, Rotary Foundation Chair

Robert D Frizell
Projects Chair, Club Director

Birthdays

-  **David H Lee**
July 07
-  **David Joseph Jochman**
July 09
-  **Russell K Bowler**
July 12
-  **Larry Skaggs**
July 12
-  **Mike Peterson**
August 04
-  **Caroline A. Orzes**
August 09

Wedding Anniversaries

-  **Jack R Ewing**
Jul 10
-  **Kent Ivey**
Jul 29

Events

- July 2013
- 07/11 - Weekly Meeting; Board Presentation
- 07/18 - Weekly Meeting;
- 07/25 - Weekly Meeting;

