



This Week's Program

Presenter: John Pederson, IOM, MIM, MBA. President Ethics Talks



Program: "Your Ethics Talks When Making Personal and Business Decisions"

Silverado Student of the Month

Bio on John Pederson

John Pederson is President of [Ethics Talks, LLC](#) and is available for speaking, including keynotes, presentations, seminars and workshops. He frequently focuses on personal and business ethics and on core values.

John recently retired from the [Greater Spokane Valley Chamber of Commerce](#), where he administered the NLevel® Entrepreneur Program and directed business development. Prior to joining the Chamber in 2006, he was President of the [Better Business Bureau of Central New England, Inc.](#) and Executive Director of that Bureau's Consumer Education Foundation. From 1996 to 2002 he was President and CEO of the BBB of the Heart of Texas, with offices in Waco, TX. His for-profit background includes over 26 years of sales, marketing and corporate communications. He is a retired U.S. Air Force Officer, with 12 years active duty as a US Air Force pilot.

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Sergeant-at-Arms:

- 10/31 Shannon Hoolihan-Wilcox
- 11/07 Dave Jockman
- 11/14 Susan Johnson

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- 10/31 Susan Johnson
- 11/07 Christine Smith
- 11/14 Nancy Dailey

Rotary Recap

By: Steve Tucker & Jim Paxton

October 24, 2013

President **Mike Soden** rang the bell promptly at 7am. Following a break to enjoy our meals and converse, all joined in the pledge of allegiance. Guests and visiting Rotarians were introduced by Past President **Ashley Mahaney**. Guests included potential new member **Bob Hulshouser**, a former Rotarian and past president of three clubs in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. **Ashley** introduced visiting Rotarians : **Ed Cooper, Hammatt, Hugh Ledford, John Chase, and Roger Gama**.

Mike told us that new member **Dave Chase** has stepped forward to be our new Polio Plus Chairman. **Dave**, a polio survivor, who spent time in an iron lung, made a "from the heart" pitch to join in the final push to eradicate polio. **Dave** and DG Elect **Larry Skaggs** told us that the district is looking for \$55.00 per member to total \$100,000 for our District. That \$100,000 will be matched 2:1 by the Gates Foundation for a total of \$300,000. There are time constraints on obtaining the match, so bring your check to Thursday's meeting.

Our Speaker for the day, Henderson Councilman **Sam Bateman**, presented the Club with a Proclamation from the City signed by **Mayor Hafen**, proclaiming October 24, 2013 WORLD POLIO DAY. The Proclamation noted Rotary's worldwide effort to extinguish the disease and our club's longstanding participation in that effort.

Fines, wheel twisting , the usual trivia quiz, and happy - not so happy dollars were presided over by **DGE Larry** with his usual aplomb and enthusiasm. Notable tales included **Jim Servino** being famously photographed sans Rotary pin. **Judge Susan Johnson** happily contributed following her return from the Sonoma County wine country.

Ward IV Councilman **Sam Bateman**, a UNLV Boyd School of Law grad, brought us up to date on municipal happenings in Henderson. His interesting, knowledgeable, and in-depth presentation included a description of the financial rebound in progress at Lake Las Vegas, renewal of the City Charter with the State Legislature, and many other things occurring in our fair city. He addressed a number of our questions including the highly sensitive matter of the Wild Horse Golf Course lease. The highest bid ruled with the Council, committed to minimizing or ending city subsidies for their wholly owned golf property.

In all, another great RCGV meeting!














Visiting Rotarians

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| Ed Cooper | Hammatt |
| Hugh Ledford | Roger Gama |
| John Chase | |

Guests

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| Sam Bateman - Guest Speaker | Robert Hulshouser |
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Club Leaders

-  **Michael Soden**
President
 -  **Jack R Ewing**
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 -  **Sheila R. Callum**
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 - Nancy Dailey**
Club Director; Membership Chair
 -  **Susan Holland Johnson**
Club Director; Rotary Foundation Chair
 -  **Robert D Frizell**
Projects Chair; Club Director
- Birthdays**
-  **Gerry Holinski**
November 01
 -  **Nelda Manna**
November 13
- Wedding Anniversaries**
-  **Christine L. Smith**
Nov 02
 -  **Sheila R. Callum**
Nov 16
 - Frank King**
Nov 29