

## Club Leaders



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## Birthdays



**Stephen T. Tucker**  
September 30



**David L Chase**  
October 09



# Green Valley Rotary Newsletter

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## This Week's Program

### October 2, 2014 Club Gala

Club Gala at the M Hotel and Resort

Cocktails and Silent Auction - 6:00 p.m.

Award Presentation - Robert and Sandra Ellis followed by dinner - 7:00

Live Auction - 8:30 p.m.

Closing Remarks - 9:00 p.m.

#### Sergeant-at-Arms:

10/02 Gala Party  
10/09 Judy Lloyd  
10/16 David Lee

#### Weekly Bulletin Scribes

10/02 Steve Tucker  
10/09 Bob Hulshouser  
10/16 Jim Paxton

## Rotary Roundup

### September 25, 2014

#### By Jim Paxton

Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) President Jack Ewing initiated Thursday's breakfast and fellowship at 7:00 a.m., before calling the RCGV meeting to order at 7:15. Pres Jack led the Club in the pledge of allegiance before Sergeant-At-Arms Lauren Robydek introduced the morning guests. Silverado Principal Robert Mars and Assistant Principal Elba Rocha were introduced, along with September Silverado Student of the month, Georgiana Martinez and her parents, Jorge and Elisa Martinez. Program Speaker Wendy Hale, the assistant principal at Gordon McCaw Elementary was introduced along with Christine Smith's mother, Christine.

Pres Jack asked Gala Planning Committee Person Darcy Dougherty to report on the event's registrations. There is still time to reach the goal of selling 240 tickets, although sales currently stand at 173. Darcy showed a picture of the puppy which will be auctioned. All of the auction items may be viewed by following this [link](#). Anyone who wishes to bid on an auction or silent auction item, or anyone who wishes to familiarize themselves with what is available,



**Christine L. Smith**  
October 12



**Ashley Mahaney**  
October 16

## Wedding Anniversaries



**Darcy A. Dougherty**  
Oct 01



**Jim Paxton**  
Oct 12

## Events

### August 2014

08/29 - Wine Event Payment

### October 2014

10/02 - A 'Perfect Paring' Rotary Club of Green Valley and Community

10/02 - Club Meeting: A Perfect Pairing: Rotary and Community Gala

10/09 - Club Meeting: Club Assembly

10/11 - Rotary Night Opportunity Village Magical Forest: Halloween

10/16 - Club Meeting: Roger Schulte, Rotoplast Mission

10/23 - Club Meeting: Larry Skaggs, District Governor Meeting

10/24 - World Polio Day

10/30 - Club Meeting: C.J. Coolidge, Author

may do so. Bidders may make purchases without attending the Gala. Pres Jack reminded the membership that next Thursday's Wild Horse morning meeting has been pre-empted by the Gala. All members were urged to sign up themselves, family, friends, and business associates on line.

Next, Sergeant- At- Arms Lauren updated the membership on the October 18th, three home SuperBuild near Tecate , Mexico. District Governor (DG) Larry Skaggs reported that Baja Rotarians are coordinating aid to the Peninsula's local population. While the hotels are recovering, the DG said, many individuals suffered personal damage from the hurricane, and many missed work as a result.

Past Pres Jim Frey reminded members that two Opportunity Village volunteer nights are approaching, one for Halloween and a second for Christmas. The events will take place at 6300 W. Oakey Blvd., October 11 and November 25th. Jim urged members to sign up on line. Book drive coordinator Dave Jochman announced that the "Fill the Truck" book drive has been extended for another month, and Retroact is joining the collection effort. Dave J announced that Pres Jack has a pickup in the parking lot, so we are equipped to collect many books.

Past President Mike Peterson introduced Georgina Martinez, a junior at Silverado HS who has 4.278 grade point average, and is the student of the month. She is a member of National Honor Society and is the flute section leader in the marching band. She is secretary for Interact Club as well as for the Band Council. Georgina teaches a religious education class for second graders through her church. She loves reading; her favorites include the Harry Potter series and anything written by John Green. Georgina's AP language teacher called Georgina, "An exceptional student who cares deeply about her education and who pushes herself to excel. She frequently volunteers in class to answer a question or to share her ideas. Georgina is a dream student in English Class."

She plans to attend the University of Nevada, Reno, where there is a great pre-medical program. Georgina hopes to become a pediatrician, and to ultimately participate with "Doctors Without Borders", or perhaps work with the Catholic Medial Mission Board abroad. Mike P. presented Georgina with a \$50 Barnes and Nobel Gift Certificate and a plaque honoring her as Silverado Student of the Month.

Next Mike P's super hero trivia was related to National Comic Book Week. Kryptonite was recognized as Superman's weakness, Gotham City was Batman's home town, and Wonder Woman's bracelet enabled her to deflect bullets. The trivia led to happy dollars and Dave Jockman started things going with a dollar for the Illinois victory over Missouri. He was also happy that his daughter is in her third week of boot camp, doing well. Finally, he reminded the club members to bring books for "Fill the Truck".

Silverado Principal Robert Mars was happy about Georgina's award as were Lauren R and several other club members. Lauren was also happy that her soccer team won a weekend tournament, and she had her best day of fantasy football. Gerry Holinski was happy about his daughter's birthday, and he was happy about the coming gala.

David Chase was happy about his 15th wedding anniversary. DG Larry Skaggs had a happy dollar to praise RCGV's friendliness and welcoming attitude. Larry said that he has been to 39 District 5300 Clubs, and that RCGV is the friendliest. Larry had a dammit dollar over the Baja Hurricane, and he was yet to learn if his Baja home's windows were boarded up during the storm. Dwayne Frizell was happy that BYU defeated Virginia. Brian Whitaker and Don Havins agreed that they would proclaim to anyone at the Gala, who asked about Melinda M., "that she is the most wonderful person that they know."

Mike P was happy that his Elvis Band will be performing over the weekend on Fremont Street. The theme was to be "Elvis Never Left the Building." The band will play Elvis favorites as well as songs that the King would probably do if he were alive today. Finally, Pres Jack was happy about the piano John Hoolihan gave to his family.



Shelia Callum introduced the day's speaker Wendy Hale, the assistant principal at Gordon McCaw Elementary School. Wendy majored in Health Sciences at Nevada Reno, and she has two masters degrees relating to education. Wendy thanked Christine Smith for the Literacy grant that Christine submitted to District 5300 for McCaw and

for Sewell Elementary Schools. Wendy invited club members to come and read aloud to the youngsters, assuming approval of the literacy grant.

McCaw currently has 500 students, but the school board is making it into a magnet school for math, science and technology. The school will be adding an additional 300-350 students next year. A science lab is currently under construction to be utilized with the magnet program. McCaw is the home of the School of Mines which will continue to educate students, district-wide, about Nevada's mining industry.

Wendy, who was on the track team at Nevada Reno, told the Club about the McCaw running program, the Desert Trackers, that she organized for the children. "The McCaw students run the first thing in the morning. It calms them down and gets them energized and focused. Many run a mile and a half several times a week. One fifth grader has run more than 4,030 miles. Wendy said that RCGV helped to get running shoes for some children, whose shoes were falling apart.

Following Wendy's presentation, Lauren conducted the weekly raffle. Wendy pulled Darcy Dougherty's ticket, and Darcy drew a three, leaving the bulk of the pot to be won in a future raffle. Darcy then led the Club in reciting the Four-Way-Test.

## Visiting Rotarians

No Visiting Rotarians

## Guests

Robert Mars - Silverado Principal  
Georgiina Martinez - Silverado Student of the Month  
Wendy Hale  
Christine Smith

Elba Rocha  
Jorge Martinez  
Elisa Martinez

## See You At The Gala This Thursday Night



View and bid on the silent auction items via this [link](#). You'll enjoy our wonderful winemaker dinner and fundraiser.

**October 2, 2014 at Lux at the top of the M**



For any questions or comments,

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**THANK YOU VERY MUCH!!!**