

## 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?

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# Green Valley Rotary Newsletter

**A 100% Paul Harris Club**

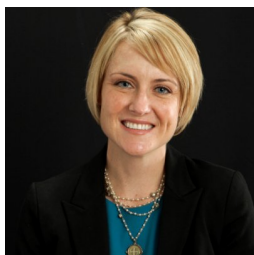
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## This Week's Program

### Program for June 18, 2015

**Presenter:** Liberty Leavitt, Program Coordinator

**Program:** CCSD, programs to know about.



Highly accomplished community outreach coordinator and educator with a notable ability to relate to people of all ages and build strong relationships both outside and inside of the classroom. Effective leader with a track record of superior performance. Excellent qualifications in communication, research and analysis, and curriculum design and implementation.

#### Sergeant-at-Arms:

06/18 Dave Jochman

06/25 Dinner Debunking

07/02 Bob Hulshouser

#### Weekly Bulletin Scribes

06/18 Bob Hulshouser

06/25 Stephen Tucker

06/02 Susan Johnson

## Rotary Roundup

**June 11, 2015**

**By: Jim Paxton**

Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) President Jack Ewing sounded the late bell at 7:00 a.m. Fifteen minutes of food and fellowship was followed by another bell at 7:15, beginning the Club's weekly meeting. Pres. Jack led the Pledge-of-Allegiance, followed by Susan Johnston introducing the guest of Duane Frizell, Brad Marx. Susan also introduced program speaker Rex Doty.

Pres Jack thanked the Board for their recent works, including the successful going away party last Tuesday for Lauren Rodydek, which followed a shortened RCGV Board meeting. Jack reminded members to register for the Debunking Party, a dinner held in lieu of the breakfast meeting, June 21<sup>st</sup> at Wild Horse. Jack also asked the members to make note of the June 26<sup>th</sup> new member training at the library on Windmill.

## Birthdays



**Shelia R. Callum**  
June 25



**James Frey**  
June 29



**David H. Lee**  
July 07



**David Joseph Jochman**  
July 09



**Russell K Bowler**  
July 12



**Larry E. Skaggs**  
July 12

## Wedding Anniversaries



**Russell K Bowler**  
Jun 20



**Jack R. Ewing**  
Jul 10

## Events

### June 2015

06/18 - Club Meeting: Liberty Leavitt CCSD, programs to know about.

06/25 - Debunking Party at 6pm!!! No club morning meeting today

### July 2015

07/02 - Program/meeting, Goodwill, Steve Schartrand  
07/09 - Program: Dr. Kastrop, Stryker Orthopaedics  
07/16 - Meeting Prgm: Roxane Unverrich NV Department of Veterans Services

Green Valley Rotary meets on Thursdays, 7:00 a.m., Wild Horse Golf Center

Caroline Orzes announced that she is collecting silent auction items for the Gala, scheduled for October 23rd. Arrangements have been made with a graphics artist to promote the event, and sponsors are needed.

Past President and Fine Master Mike Peterson said he had come up empty for today's holiday trivia. Mike reported that today was National Corn on the Cob Day. Instead of "corny trivia," Mike focused on flag trivia, since National Flag Day is Sunday. The original American flag had 13 stars representing the original 13 states, and it has seven red and six white stripes. Mike said it is not known why the flag is red, white, and blue.

Ashley Mahaney had a happy dollar since her father honored Ashley's daughter with a Paul Harris Fellowship. Debbie Mitsch is happy to be leaving for Cabo San Lucas for a two-week vacation, unfortunately missing the debunking. Christine Smith was happy that Duane was recently pictured with an legal elite listing in a lawyers' journal. Darcy Dougherty was happy about the going-away party for Lauren. She was also happy about our speaker, Rex, and she is happy that she and husband Bob will be attending the Marine Ball, where music is being presented by Mike Peterson's band.

Dave Jockman was happy "to still be vertical and still in the game". He was happy, too, that he has been hired to fly for Grand Canyon Airways. He recently received photos of his daughter driving heavy military vehicles. Jerry Gardberg was happy that he visited his son in Chicago, who is managing a Blaze Pizza. Caroline O. was happy she will see Madam Butterfly at the Smith Center, and Susan Johnson was happy about the recent bottling and labeling the wine club completed recently. New member Art Macarios was sad that Lauren is leaving, just when he is joining our club. Gerry Holinski was happy because Lauren was here and did so much for our Club. Finally, Pres Jack was happy that summer is here, and that he will be able to spend more time with his children. He was also happy that an audit on his firm is completed.



Program chair Gerry H, introduced the morning speaker, Toys 4 Smiles founder, Rex Doty. "The mission of Toys 4 Smiles is to provide a toy to children of all ages in need of a smile, while providing a sense of purpose, caring and community to the volunteers who make the wooden toys," said Doty. Toys 4 Smiles was started in 2006 by five men who began making the toys in their garages. The first toys were delivered to

Candlelight, a support group for children with a short life expectancy, he recalled..

Toys 4 Smiles volunteers produce three to six thousand toys per month, and they have constructed more than 220,000 in all, bringing smiles to children in places such as the Shade Tree Shelter and Nellis Air Force Base. "We target any person who needs a smile," Doty said. Currently Rex said the volunteers are building toys in a large unheated warehouse. "We are trying to move, since our lease at the warehouse is ending. "Ideally we could use 25 hundred to three thousand square feet, but we will miss the low \$600 per month rent that we have paid for the warehouse," Rex said.

Rex explained that Toys 4 Smiles must solve their location questions soon,

if they are to remain viable. He provided a brochure which describes Toys 4 Smiles, listing more than 60 organizations for which the group has provided toys. Their current home is on Polaris Ave., on the west side of Las Vegas.

Following Rex's presentation, incoming President and late comer Duane F. asked the members for volunteers to deliver birthday gifts and cakes to the Shade Tree Shelter, where RCGV delivers cakes and gifts to two children a month.

As one of her final duties, Outgoing Treasurer Lauren R., conducted the weekly raffle. The winning ticket belonged to speaker Rex, who drew a six from the deck of cards. Rex donated his winnings back to the Club, concluding another memorable and entertaining meeting of the RCGV.

## Visiting Rotarians

**No visiting Rotarians**

## Guests

**Brad Marx - Guest of Duane Frizell**  
**Rex Doty - Speaker**