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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Birthdays



Gerry Holinski November 01



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Rotary Club Green Valley Program For October 27, 2016

Speaker: Mark F. Severino, MD

Program: A Board certified and highly experienced reproductive endocrinologist, Dr. Serverino will discuss breakthroughs which are enabling more couples to achieve their dreams of a family. He was co-founder of the Nevada Fertility Center for Advanced Reproductive Endocrinology and Surgery prior to joining the Sher Institute for Reproductive Medicine (SIRM). He is a highly experienced reproductive endocrinologist and has been named American Top Ob/Gyn Reproductive and Endocrinology and Infertility. He was awarded the APGO Excellence in Teaching Award.

Student of the Month Silverado High School

Scribes

10-27-16: Debbie Mitsch
11-03-16: To Be Announced
11-10-16: To Be Announced

Rotary Recap: October 20, 2016 By: Jim Paxton

During a time when excessive political bantering makes the media nearly unlistenable, Rotary Club Green Valley (RDGV) members enjoyed an informative presentation from UNLV Political Science Professor Dr. David Damore, whose program sorted out the national, regional, and the Nevada ballot measures.

The regular Thursday meeting was called to order by RCGV President Bob Hulshouser, following a period for breakfast and fellowship at the Wildhorse Golf club. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Pres Bob read an inspirational message from Nelson Mandela before the guests were introduced by Membership Chair Debbie Mitsch. In addition to speaker David Damore, three visiting Rotarians were on hand, including Past District Governor(PDG) Tom Novatny, LV southwest, Bruce Quinn, Gallatin, TN and Paul Brenner, Sugarloaf, PA.

Past President Jim Frey opened announcements with a reminder that Shriners PGA Summerlin golf tickets are an easy opportunity for a productive fundraiser because the RCGV can keep all proceeds that we sell for this major golf event. Tickets are \$35 each, discounted from the \$40 price at the gate, and the tickets include access to the tent, where spectators have a good view of the final two holes and where food and beverages are sold.



Foundation Chair Susan Johnson was called forward to present long- time member Dr. Don Havens with his Ruby Paul Harris Pin. Don has generously contributed, or has had donations made in his name, for the initial \$1,000 required.



November 02

Wedding Anniversaries Christine L. Smith



Nov 02

Heidi Woodruff **Alex Grodzinsky**



Debbie Mitsch Nov 23

Events October 2016

Infertility; Breaking News! 10/27 - Student of the Month

November 2016

Dreams and Courage 11/04 - Rotary Roundup 11/10 - Syrian Fund 11/10 - Student of the Month -

11/17 - refugee relief Rotary Club Green Valley meets



ms name, for the initial \$1,000 required to become a Paul Harris Fellow, plus another three thousand dollar donations; making him a Paul Harris Fellow plus three!

PDG Larry Skaggs delivered an informative narrative on the Wildhorse's breakfast charges, which were recently raised from \$12 to \$14 per meal. "Our meal charges are among the least expensive in the District," Larry explained. "Dues, which include the meals, will presently remain the same for us members, but visiting Rotarians will be charged \$15 in the future. Guests who express interest in joining RCGV will not be charged for their first visit, but they will be charged for repeat visits until they submit an application. The applicant will be given a complimentary breakfast, along with his or her spouse, on induction day. The student of the month and parents are not charged, and one attending school administrator is not charged as well. Speech or music contestants are also free of charge, and teachers receiving mini- grants are our guests for breakfast. Our exchange student is our complimented guest.

Delinda Crampton reported that exchange student ,Jasmine, has integrated well with her family, and Delinda's two children see her as their big sister. Jasmine traveled to California last weekend on a surfing trip. Delinda said that Jasmine is having a little difficulty with U.S. History, but she is doing well in her Coronado High School classes. Jim Paxton, who taught history for four years, has volunteered to tutor Jasmine.

Past President and Trivia Master Mike Peterson told us that "Today is Adopt -a-Dog- Day, so the day's trivia would be on famous dogs. Several guessed Rin Tin Tin before Mike finished the question, and several knew that Snoopy was a World War I flying ace. Four late- comers were called forward to spin the fine wheel, and three of the four landed on spins of three or four dollars.

Next, Mike circulated throughout the room gathering happy and dammit dollars. Christine Smith had a happy dollar for the good times that she had enjoyed the week before in Sedona. Christine also had a dammit dollar since her friend is struggling for her life, after being attacked in Green valley. Judy Lloyd had a happy dollar following her visit to the Wayne Newton Museum, which she said is "really worth seeing."

Past President Jim Frey had five happy dollars, since his Wife Carol was named Humanitarian of the Year, the presidential debate at UNLV was a big success, UNLV won a football game against Hawaii, the new stadium is on its way to approval, and lastly UNLV's medical school will open next year. Susan Johnson had a happy dollar for the return of Jon Hoolihan, and she was happy that the wine club has their wine in the barrel. Greg Bruce was happy that another improv show was scheduled the following Saturday.

Two Illinois immigrants, Darcy Dougherty and Dave Jochman, sang songs honoring the Chicago Cubs for advancing to the world series. Dave had a happy weekend with other wins by the Illinois University and by the Rebels. Brian Whitaker had a happy dollar that his son is graduating a year early from college, but a dammit dollar since the young man wants to go to law school. Larry Skaggs had a couple of dammit dollars for a dead battery in his car as well as another in his wife's car. Finally, Mark Roy had a happy dollar and a rave review of last vear's wine club product."You opened it too soon." Susan snapped. "It needed to age longer, but it's a good sign that you liked it before it was ready!"

Jim Frey introduced the days speaker, UNLV Political Science Professor Dr. David Damore. Damore has been called the "Voice of Nevada Politics." He had attended the presidential debate at UNLV the night before, along with 5000 journalists from all over the world

Damore analyzed the election, saying that Hillary is on track to be the first democrat to win among college educated women.



He also reported that Utah and Arizona, typically in the Republican column, are likely to go for Hillary. Two years ago the strength of the Tea Party swept a comfortable majority into the House of Representatives. Damore thinks that the Republicans will maintain their House majority, but they may lose a few house seats. "The Democrats may well win back control of the Senate," he predicted.

"Nevada is a swing state," Damore explained. " It has voted for the presidential winner every time but once, in the last 100 years. More of our residents were

born in California than were born in Nevada, and foreigners make up a big percentage of our population. Many of our residents speak English as a second language. The language diversity and the fact that we are a 24 hour economy, make Nevada a difficult place to accurately survey," he explained.

"The Republicans will lose some of their seats in the House, but they should retain control there, depending upon how well that Hillary can turn-out the vote. Turn-out will determine congressional results as well as which party controls the Nevada Legislature."

Dr. Damore explained why that television is so full of advertising for the Senate Race. Twenty one million was raised by Carol Masto and \$17 million by Joe Heck. "Heck is a strong candidate who was swept into office by the strength of the Tea Party two years ago. Normally Republicans do better in the north, but Masco attended the University of Nevada Reno, so she has real strength in Northern Nevada," Damore said.

Dr. Damore touched on the four ballot measures, including the proposed increase in background checks at gun shows, the proposed legalization of recreational marijuana, the deregulating of the energy monopoly, and the forth measure, which would increase the fuel tax and thereby pay for better roads.

Following Dr. Damore's program, our weekly drawing was held, and Greg Bruce's ticket was drawn. Greg did the right thing, leaving the jokers in the deck for another week. Janet Pancoast led the Club reciting the four Way Test, before President Bob dismissed the meeting at 8:15.

December Teen Leadership Camp (TLC)Apps Available for Rotarian Facilitators

Teen Leadership Camp is December 2-4, 2016. We are now taking applications for TLC Facilitators. In this role you oversee a group of 8-12 students throughout the camp. Though RYLA alumni will be leading the discussion groups, you will be there to assist and advise when appropriate. All who have served in this capacity have come back from TLC with a renewed sense of faith in our future leaders, been moved by the presentations by Scott Greenberg, and developed close camaraderie with fellow Rotarians.

Applications are on the district website, and we would love to have them by the end of October. If you have any questions, contact Tom Hould, TLC Chair.

Contact: Tom Hould Email: tom.hould@gmail.com

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Facilitator

Application: http://district5300.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/06/TLC-Facilitator-Application-2016-rev1.pdf

Guests: Dr. David Damore - Speaker

Visiting Rotarians PDG Tom Novatny, LV Southwest

Paul Brenner, Sugarloaf, PA Bruce Quinn, Gallatin, TN