

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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Birthdays



Weldon E. Havins
MD JD
December 09



Jay Larsen
December 11

Arthur J. Macarios
December 12



Green Valley Rotary Newsletter

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Rotary Club Green Valley Program For December 8, 2016

Program: Green Valley High School Culinary will prepare breakfast buffet, a welcome by Principal Kent Roberts, Introduction of Interact Leaders, music from the GVHS Madrigals, and the school Orchestra

Remember: This week's Breakfast meeting is at 7:00 a.m., Green Valley HS

Scribes

12-08-16: Jim Paxton

12-15-16 Heidi Woodruff

12-22-16: To be announced

High School All Star Soccer Competition @ UNLV Wed, December 7th

Rotary Recap: December 1, 2016 By: Debbie Mitsch & Jim Paxton

Rotary Club Green Valley (RCGV) President Bob Hulshouser rang the bell to start the meeting at 7:00 a.m., and once everyone had made their way through the buffet line, the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Past President Susan Johnson. This was followed by an inspirational quote chosen by President Bob and the introduction of guests by Debbie Mitsch. Club announcements are as follows:

- Delinda Crampton announced that our Youth Exchange student, Jasmine, enjoyed her first Thanksgiving in the US, and then joyfully experienced Black Friday shopping.
- The chartering of the Rotaract Club of Nevada State College continues with the naming of Aldo Ayala as President.
- Dave Jochman reviewed plans for the clothing giveaway at Catholic Charities on December 24. Members are asked to donate clothing, belts, toiletries, underwear, sleeping bags, socks and warm outerwear. The items will be going to homeless Las Vegans. After the giveaway, Santa Claus will hand out cards with \$2. dollar bills enclosed. A celebration party is also planned for the afternoon, to be held at Dave's home.
- The toy giveaway and last appearance of Santa Hoolihan is scheduled for Dec. 19, 20, and 21. Toys and books will be delivered via Jon's armored truck to disadvantaged children in Henderson.
- Plans for the Rotary Holiday party scheduled for December 10 are well underway at the home of Mark and Esther Roy. A delicious meal is planned, along with a gift exchange with member white elephant and gifted items.
- Jim Frey reminded members that volunteers are needed to staff the attractions and food booths at Opportunity Village Magic Forest. Dates, times and information are available on Dacdb when you register.
- Ted Durant has two stores committed for the Souper Bowl of Caring, scheduled for the day before the Super Bowl, January 28, 2017. Rotarians and Interactors will request food donations to fill the pantries of Hopelink, located in one of the most impoverished areas of Henderson.
- President Bob announced that Club elections will be held on the last meeting of the year, December 29, 2016. The nominating committee is still accepting applications for Board positions. Please see Bob Hulshouser, Duane Frizell, Susan Johnson or Brad Marx with questions or nominations.

Jerome M.
Gardberg
December 27

Wedding Anniversaries



Mark Roy
Dec 25



Janet C. Pancoast
Dec 27

Jerome M.
Gardberg
Dec 28



Larry G. Bettis
Dec 28



George Edward
Baggott
Dec 28



James Frey
Jan 01

Events

December 2016

12/07 - High School All Star
Soccer Tournament
12/08 - Meeting at Green Valley
High School
12/10 - Club Christmas Party
12/12 - Opportunity Village
Magical Forest
12/15 - Don Havens Presents:
Lessons from Cuba
12/15 - Opportunity Village
Magical Forest
12/22 - Craft Talks
12/29 - Quarterly Club Assembly

January 2017

01/05 - Shero Foundation
01/05 - TBD
01/05 - Student of the Month -
Silverado HS
Green Valley Rotary meets
Thursdays, 7:00 a.m. WildHorse
Golf Club

Next, Mike Peterson was called upon to introduce the Student of the Month from Silverado College Preparatory & Career Technical High School, Savannah Robinson. Savannah has a 4.4 weighted grade point average with her AP bonus credits, and is presently ranked number 36 in her class of 557 students. She has a love of singing and has been active in Silverado's Madrigals and concert choirs for all four of her years in high school. After high school Savannah has been accepted to Southern Utah University (SUU) and plans to study nursing there as her major, with a minor in theater, which she also enjoys. Savannah doesn't want to just be a student at SUU; she wants to get involved and help others. Congratulations Savannah; you are destined to do great things!

Mike Peterson then stepped forward to perform a lightening round of Happy Bucks and Dammit Dollars, as time was of the essence. Birthdays and anniversaries were announced, including 53 years of marriage being celebrated by George Baggott and his wife, Linda. Jerry Gardberg, still absent and recovering from medical challenges, was also celebrating his anniversary. Lucky Darcy Dougherty shared information about her holiday cruise AND winning a jackpot in the ship's casino. The Club's Nevada Rotary Foundation benefitted from one of Duane Frizell's clients who donated the balance of his funds from his trust account. A \$1,300 check was presented to Foundation President Susan Johnson. Newlywed Alex Grodzinsky thanked club members for their generous wedding gift to him and his new bride Zoe. Robert Marrs announced that he has received a promotion and will now be an Associate Superintendent overseeing approximately 20 schools in the Henderson area.

Gerry Holinski then introduced the guest speaker, Laura Porreca. Laura enthusiastically spoke to the group about working through various transitions in life. She encouraged everyone to "Mystery Shop" themselves, in order to see how we look to others. She spoke of the importance of setting personal goals, interacting, the value of collaboration, and life-long learning. Nothing is more important than smiling. You can view more about Laura and her 7 Daily Habits at www.7dailyhabits.com

Darcy Dougherty's ticket was drawn for the raffle, and she drew a two, so the pot will continue to grow next week. The group then recited the Four Way Test, and the closing bell rang at 8:15 a.m. to adjourn the meeting.

Key Registration Dates for Atlanta Rotary International Convention Approaching

Officers and Board Members Urged to Attend

Attending a Rotary International Convention is moving experience. Participants have a chance to meet Rotarians from around the world, hear renowned speakers, and attend a variety of workshops related to interesting Rotary projects. This year the Rotary International Convention will be held in Atlanta, Georgia, June 10-14, 2017. All district Rotarians are encouraged to consider attending especially if holding club or district leadership position. The experience will broaden your Rotary horizons like no other.

Information about the conventions, registration, and booking hotel rooms may be found on the RI website.

KEY DATE: December 15 marks the end of the early registration discount and the fee will be increased by \$75. For information and

Registration: <http://www.riconvention.org/>

The Rotary clubs in Rotary Zones 25 and 26 traditionally gather together at an event at the Rotary International Convention. This year in Atlanta attendees from California, Nevada, Arizona, Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, and British Columbia are invited to a DOWN HOME SOUTHERN BREAKFAST catered by Wolfgang Puck. It will be held on Monday, June 12, 2017, at the Georgia Aquarium. The social event begins at 8:00 AM and concludes at 9:30 AM. Cost is \$45 per person. This event typically sells out, and attendees are encouraged to register early.

To Register:

<http://www.ismyrotaryclub.org/register4/index.cfm?EventID=77316395&CFID=63580835&CFTOKEN=8752216!>

Guests:

Porreca-speaker

Porreca

Student of the Month

Robinson-Parents

Principal

Laura

Art

Savannah Robinson-GVHS

Denise and Craig

Robert Mars- GVHS

Ben Bohman

Visiting Rotarians:

No Visiting Rotarians
