

## 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

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## Next Week's Program Program for January 14, 2016



**Presenter:** TAMARA LARISA TYRBOUSLU  
(Tah-mar-rah Lah-ree-sah Tah-boo-sah)

**Introduction:** Growing up on a farm in the White Mountains of New Hampshire, our speaker this morning connected with nature at an early age, sensing that everything is alive and inter-twined. With one parent raised in the

inner city of Boston and another on the seacoast near The Cape, both from large families, she experienced a rich diversity of people and landscapes throughout her childhood that continues to inspire her expansiveness today.

After much travel and earning her degree in International Affairs, she ventured cross-country to study and practice Feng Shui, making Las Vegas her home in 1998. In 2002, she merged her passion for this ancient Chinese art of placement with a new profession in real estate. She has refined her practice to reflect her unique, eclectic skill-set including mentoring and facilitating trade missions abroad. Most notably, she is faculty for the National Association of REALTORS® Certified International Property Specialist Institute, she is a leader in Global Business at the local, state and national levels of the Association, and is serving her third appointment as President Liaison to the Country of Guatemala.

Currently, she is the Managing Broker for The Tom Love Group, a boutique luxury brokerage that consistently performs in the top 1% for productivity. Here to speak with us today about The Five Steps to Attract Anything You Desire, help me welcome, Tah-mar-rah Lah-ree-sah Tah-boo-sah (Tamara Larisa Tyrbouslu)

### Scribes

01-14-16: Bob Hulshouser

01-21-16: Brad Marx

01-28-16: Jim Paxton

**Rotary Recap: January 7, 2016**  
**By: Stephen Tucker & Jim Paxton**



**Larry E. Skaggs**  
Club Director



**Michael Soden**  
Club Director, Past President

### Birthdays



**Thomas E. Bramlett**  
January 14



**Jack R. Ewing**  
January 19



**Arturo S. Basa**  
February 04



**David L. McGovern**  
February 10

**Christina M. Tomlinson**  
February 12

### Wedding Anniversaries



**Susan Holland Johnson**  
Jan 17



**Stephen T. Tucker**  
Jan 20

### Events

#### January 2016

01/14 - Club Meeting: Tamara Tyrbous. Membership Committee follows meeting  
01/21 - club Meeting: UNLV Dr Len Jessup

01/28 - Club Meeting: Annual Interact Club meeting at Silverado

#### February 2016

02/04 - club Meeting: Hopelink  
02/11 - club Meeting: Joshua Paxton Presents.

Rotary Club Green Valley's (RCGV) Thursday morning began with the ringing of the bell by someone wearing Dave Jochman's badge. Jay Larson led the flag salute a quarter of an hour later, and President Duane Frizell gave us a Rotary moment describing his son's positive reaction to a Santa Hoolihan photo representing the good that Rotary does for the community. Debbie Mitsch introduced visiting Rotarians and guests. Members were reminded of upcoming events including the fact that we are still searching for a site for the Souper Bowl of Caring. Our meeting place is changing on January 28, from Wildhorse to Silverado High School. Gerry Holinski told us that the Health Fair is also fast approaching.

Membership events began with Bob Dworkin receiving his permanent blue badge followed with the induction of two stellar new members, Christine Tomlinson, sponsored by Bob Hulshouser, and Heidi Woodruff, sponsored by George Baggott. Membership Chair Debbie Mitsch presented the world's newest Rotary members with their red badges. President Duane went over the projects the club participated in last month and challenged Christine and Heidi to add to the Club's future service.

Mike Peterson moved us on to Trivia and Happy Dollars. The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland was Mike's trivia theme. One table earned fine exemption by naming a half dozen of the first year "rocker" inductees. A number of members had happy dollars, honoring the Club's two new members. The other happy dollar contribution theme was the success of the Santa Hoolihan events last month. Jim Frey, Larry Bettis and Gerry Holinski celebrated significant wedding anniversaries. Past District Governor Larry Skaggs thanked members who decorated the Rotary Rose Parade Float in Pasadena. Christine Smith was pleased about the 1000 books that we donated to Catholic Charities and ShadeTree. She had another happy dollar to celebrate her \$600.00 football pool win. Dave McGovern thought the end of the holiday mailing rush was well worth a buck. New member, Heidi, thought the Steelers being in the playoffs was grounds for a happy dollar. To end the session. Mike auctioned off unsold beverages, chips, and candy left over from our recent all star soccer game.

Gerry Holinski introduced the day's program, the General Manager of the Southern Nevada Water Authority (SNWA), John Ensminger. John told us that SNWA is the "wholesaler" of water for Southern Nevada, providing water to cities and municipalities serving two million people, seven out of ten Nevadans. Ninety percent of that water comes from the Colorado River and 10% from our aquifers. SNWA is tasked with planning, conservation, water quality, facility construction, and the operation of the major regional facilities.

Ensminger spoke of the challenges for Nevada, the driest state in the Union. Lake Mead is down 130 feet since 1999. The Lake currently contains less than 40% of capacity, and the level is still declining. The principle tools to address the shortage are to reduce water use and to improve and to better maintain infrastructure. As a state upstream of Hoover Dam, Nevada has the option of returning water to Lake Mead and getting credit for it. We currently return all indoor use water to the lake but outdoor use water still evaporates.

Southern Nevada has achieved a 30% reduction in water use over the last 30 years despite our huge population growth. The success, and formula for the future, continues to be conservation. John touched on and answered questions on desalinization, which he said is too costly for us currently.

John Ensminger was an excellent and informative speaker, and deserves our thanks. The meeting concluded with the raffle being conducted by active new member Brad Marx. President Duane was the winner but only to the tune of three bucks. We guess it serves him right for wearing Jochman's badge.

### **Membership Chair, Debbie Mitsch, Calls Meeting Thurs.**

A brief meeting of the RCGV Membership Committee will be held following Thursday's meeting. Please attend. Two members were added to the Club last week, and more active members are desirable.

### **Guests**

**Ted Durant - Oregon**  
**Lee Kreul - Indiana**  
**John Chase - Boulder City**  
**Fred Hornsbruch - California**

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