

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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This Week's Program Program for January 28, 2016

Rotary Club Green Valley's annual meeting at Silverado High School

for breakfast and interaction with one of the Club's sponsored high

schools. Meet at 7:00 a.m. to enjoy the school's excellent culinary

breakfast, listen to their jazz group, hear from their Interact and from

their administration regarding educational plans.

Scribes

01-28-16: Jim Paxton

02-04-16: Debbie Mitsch

01-28-16: To Be announced

Rotary Recap: January 21, 2016 By: Jim Paxton

Because Rotary Club Green Valley's (RCGV) President Duane Frizell was ill, the Club's regular Thursday morning meeting was called to order by President-Elect Bob Hulshouser at 7:15, following 15 minutes to enjoy fellowship and breakfast.

Following the salute to the flag, former Marine Jerry Gardberg shared a Rotary Moment that he experienced several years ago when RCGV was sponsoring "Piazza Caloric", a fund raiser involving chalk artwork on the sidewalk in downtown Henderson. "We feared that we would break the chalk sealed in boxes, so we took the boxes to a local wood shop, expecting to pay to access the chalk. Instead the proprietor said that there would be no charge as "a payback for past Rotary support."



Larry E. Skaggs
Club Director

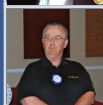


Michael Soden
Club Director, Past President

Birthdays



Arturo S. Basa
February 04



David L. McGovern
February 10



Christina M. Tomlinson
February 12



Robert D. Frizell
February 25



Robert D. Hulshouser
February 26

Wedding Anniversaries No Anniversaries

Events

January 2016

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

February 2016

02/04 - club Meeting: Hopelink
02/11 - C. T. Sewell Health Fair

02/11 - club Meeting: Josh Paxton Presents.

02/18 - club Meeting: Craft Talks

02/25 - club meeting: 4 way speech contest

Rotary Green Valley meets
7:00 a.m. Thursdays at
Wildhorse Golf Club

Membership Chair Debbie Mitsch introduced our guests, including our Green Valley High (GVHS) Student of the month, Anand Singh, her parents, and Vice-Principal Tricia Derby. Potential members Jonathan Penn and Bill Manocidis were welcomed, along with UNLV President Len Jessup, our day's speaker. Russell Bowler was accompanied by his daughter Lauren, just back from a mission in Argentina.

The members were reminded that next Thursday the Club will have its annual meeting at Silverado High School at 7:00 a.m. As Super Bowl Sunday approaches, the Club is still looking for a grocery store where we can do our "Souper Bowl of Caring" food drive. One possibility exists, but insurance questions need to be resolved. Other events include the Dan Stover Music Contest to be held at 2:30, February 11, in the Silverado High School Choir Room, and the Sewell Elementary Health Fare at 3:45, also on February 11.

Past President Mike Peterson was called on to introduce Aakansha Singh, who is ranked number one in her senior class with a 4.8 weighted grade point average. Aakansha not only excels in her classes, but is the vice-president of Mu Alpha Theta and historian for the National Honor Society. She volunteers at St. Rose Hospital and also teaches a Hindu Language Class. Aakansha is a Nevada Girl's State Representative, a National Merit Semifinalist, and a recipient of the Advanced Placement (AP) Scholars With Distinction Award for her high scores on AP exams. She was recognized as a Speech and Debate State Finalist in Congress, and she was a District Finalist in Varsity Public Forum.

"In a class full of leaders," said her government teacher, "Aakansha stands out. Whenever the class is assigned a collaborative activity, classmates look to her for assistance and guidance. She is well on her way to being one of society's future elites."

Aakansha would like to become a surgeon, specializing in OB/GYN. She has applied to two Universities of California, Rice University, University of Chicago, and Boston University. When Aakansha is not studying, helping peers with math, or volunteering, she enjoys dancing. She has been doing Indian Classical Dance since age seven. She was presented a plaque and a \$50 gift certificate to Barnes and Nobel, and she received a standing ovation from the RCGV members.

Mike P. launched happy dollars with UNLV Trivia in recognition of our guest speaker, UNLV President Len Jessup. Russell Bowler was exempt from fines by answering that The Fremont Cannon goes to the winner of the UNLV - UNR football game. Several members knew that member Dr. Jim Frey was former chair of the UNLV Sociology Department and was Dean of the College of Liberal Arts. It was also known that the UNLV wine tasting is one of the University's biggest fund raisers, and the UNLV mascot was formerly named Beauregard, and is now Hey Reb.

New member Stacy Mulligan had a happy dollar, since she and her husband will be going to Phoenix to see Phoenix play the Los Angeles Kings. Delinda Crampton was happy about successfully pulling one of her children's teeth. Debbie M. was happy that she is soon to go on a cruise to Mexico, and she was happy that UNLV will soon have a medical school. Brad Marx had a

happy dollar to salute Len Jessup, a fellow University of Arizona Graduate. Gerry Holinski had a happy dollar to honor our student of the month and another to honor our speaker.

The day's speaker is UNLV's tenth president, Len Jessup, who has been on the job for one year. Jessup did his undergraduate study at Cal State Chico and his PHD at the University of Arizona. Jessup perceived that the recent departure of basketball coach Dave Rice was on the minds of club members, and Jessup called the recent meeting between Rice, Athletic Director Tina Murphy and himself, the toughest meeting of his first year.

"Interim Coach Todd Simon has brought fun back to the program. The other night before a tough crowd at Utah State, the Aggie fans tried to upset the UNLV players by chanting things like 'Shortie' for Jerome Seagears and 'Possie' for Jalen Poser. Instead of getting angry, the players just laughed and smiled on the sideline, and UNLV won the game before a tough crowd at Utah State."

Jessup said that UNLV Basketball is one of the country's premier college coaching positions, and that they have already received some 40 applications, some from nationally ranked coaches. As for football, Rebel Coach Tony Sanchez has recruited the second best incoming class in the conference .

The shortage of doctors in the Las Vegas - Henderson area is a challenge to our area. The new UNLV medical school will open in 2017 with a class of 60. The administration has worked hard to get funding for scholarships, and they have lined up funding for 110 full scholarships; 60 for each participant in 2017 and 25 each for years two and three.

"Our aim is to encourage our medical students to stay in Southern Nevada. Studies have shown that doctors tend to stay where they do their residency," Jessup said.

Jessup proudly told us about the new building that is being constructed for UNLV's esteemed hotel management program. Each of the city's major casinos contributed \$2.5 million for the building. Another accomplishment was the University securing an \$11 million medical research grant from the Cleveland Clinic.

"Our campus is landlocked," Jessup observed, and of our 29,000 students, 75% are full time. More housing is needed. Currently we only offer 1,800 dorm spots. The University recently bought 42 acres west of the campus, and another 38 adjacent acres, owned by Clark County, is in negotiations. This new ground could be a place for a stadium, a mixed- use village with professional and health clinics attached to the new med school, and a computer area."

When Jessup was asked about the honors college, he responded that UNLV tries to attract the best local students with the growing Honors College. It has a separate administration, a separate track, and a separate dorm for the 300 students in the "college within a college."

Following Jessup's informative program, the raffle was held, and Sergeant At

Arms Jerry Gardberg drew a four. He led the Club in reciting the Four Way Test before President- Elect Bob H. dismissed the meeting.

Silverado Interactors plan International Shelter Box Project with Green Valley HS

During this week's meeting at Silverado High School (SHS) we can expect to hear from the SHS Interact Club and their advisor Bob Hulshouser.

Silverado's Interact Club is extremely active and has about 30 members. They just finished up their annual Christmas project with Gene Ward Elementary, a Title 1 School, with economically challenged Children. The SHS Interactors raised money and got donations for 800 Presents that they wrapped and gave to children who might not have received presents otherwise.

Silverado Interactors are planning to combine with Green Valley Interact acquire and donate a Shelter Box, which was used for temporary housing following natural disasters in Nepal and Haiti. Each school hopes to raise \$500 for the purchase. The Shelter Box is complete with cooking utensils, a water purifier, and lighting. The Interact Club will have a Shelter Box demonstration next Tuesday. This will be Interact's International project.

The Shelter Box Orientation will be presented by Claremont Sunrise Rotarian Parker Emerson. Parker is District Response/ Shelter Box Chairperson. He will also speak to Interact about "What Rotary Means to the World" and how Rotarians can make the world a better place.

Guests

Len Jessup - guest speaker

Bill Manocidis - prospective member

Jonathan Penn - prospective member

Askansha Singh - student of the month

Anand and Vandaha Singh - parents

Tricia Derby - GVHS assistant principal

Visiting Rotarians

No visiting Rotarians