

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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Rotary Club Green Valley Program For February 2, 2017

Program: What's up in Las Vegas

Presenter: Norm Clarke



This week Norm Clarke will visit the club as our special guest speaker. Clarke is one of Las Vegas' most notable and recognizable celebrities. This eye patched man-about-town knows all about the vibrant city of Las Vegas - where to go, what to do, and most importantly, where to see and be seen.

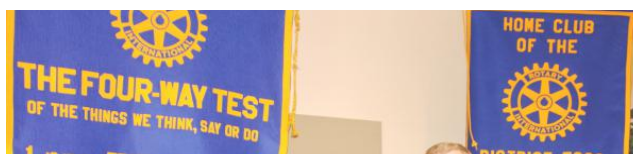
Mark your calendar, invite a guest, and don't miss this opportunity!

Scribe Assignments

02-02-17:	Brad Marx
02-09-17	To Be Announced
02-16-17	Debbie Mitsch

Rotary Recap: January 26, 2017

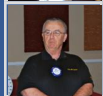
By: Jim Paxton



Birthdays



Arturo S. Basa
February 04



David L. McGovern
February 10



Robert D. Frizell
February 25



Robert D.
Hulshouser
February 26

Wedding Anniversaries none

Events

February 2017

02/02 - Norm

02/04 - "Souper" Bowl of Caring

02/09 - Green Valley High

School - Student of the Month

02/09 - Relationships and

leveraging People Skills

02/16 - 4 way speech contest

02/23 - RCGV Meeting at

Silverado HS

Rotary Club Green Valley meets

Thursdays, 7:00 a.m. WildHorse

Golf Club



Two of Rotary Club Green Valley's (RCGV) stalwart members entertained the membership with craft talks during which they shared a multitude of "Rotary moments". The pair was the day's program at the regular Thursday meeting at the Wildhorse Golf Club. **Dave McGovern** who operates the only "golden" PostNet store in Clark County and **Stephen Tucker**, a third generation Rotarian, presented "Craft Talks" to the joy of the membership.

Following breakfast, fellowship, and the Pledge-of Allegiance, RCGV President **Bob Hulshouser** called the meeting to order. He launched announcements with Interact updates from Green Valley and Silverado High Schools. Silverado will assist RCGV with food collection this Saturday at our Souper Bowl of Caring at Smiths on Paseo Verde off the 215 as well as the Smiths on S. Eastern and Horizon, Bob was optimistic that both the Green Valley H.S. Interactors and the newly chartered Rotaract at Nevada State College will assist. Bob recognized **Ted Durant** for coordinating and arranging our agreements with the two Smith's locations to hold the food drive.

Gerry Holinski reminded the members that the Club will be assisting CT Sewell with their annual health fair on the morning of February 15th at the school, located on Lake Mead Drive. **Jim Paxton** announced that the annual Dan Stover Music Competition will be launched the afternoon of February 22, at Green Valley High School. A member of the Las Vegas Symphony will join **Mike Peterson** and **Delinda Crampton** in the judging of the local competitors. Invitations for participation are being extended to Green Valley, Silverado, Basic, Coronado and Silverado High Schools.

Trivia and Fine Master **Mike Peterson's** trivia was to name county music's most successful married duo. The answer, Tim McGraw and Faith Hill, stumped most of the members. Dammit and Happy Dollars followed spins of the fine wheel by late comers **Jon Hoolihan**, **Brian Whitaker**, and **Judy Lloyd**. All three of the latecomers put the touch on **Mike P**, either for sitting on their left, or for being a Past President. **Ted Durant** had a Dammit dollar for the broken foot that he sustained in Mexico. **Delinda** was happy that both of her children received honors awards and that our exchange student, **Jasmine**, received good grades, even in history, which is her most challenging class.

George Baggott's grandchild made the Dean's List, and **Dave McGovern's** 90 year old mother-in-law is recovering from the flu. **Bob Dworkin** lamented and paid a buck since Indiana managed to steal a five star USC football recruit. Host **Mike P.** happily bragged that his fifth grade son earned an eighth grade test score on a recent math achievement test.

Dave McGovern initiated his craft talk with some biographical high points. He was born in Ontario, Canada, where he claimed a state championship in Badminton Mixed doubles. Sounds like fun!

Dave wanted to be a builder so he studied engineering. A construction decline forced him to find an alternative, so he worked at Corning Glass for three years in upstate New York, and then for three years in Oklahoma. He and his wife, Diane moved to Florida where he went to work for a copy machine parts company. He commuted to Puerto Rico for five years and opened a district center there. After 20 years he was left, and "sort of bounced around," looking for another position. At age 60, he was unable to find suitable work. Dave and Diane decided to come to Las Vegas where he bought a UPS Store, located next to Smiths on Eastern and

Horizon. Today, Dave's Post Net is the only Gold Star UPS Store in Southern Nevada.

Dave's son Mathew earned a masters in engineering from Rochester Institute of Technology, but like his father, he too has gone the UPS route, and is working with Dave in the family business on Eastern Ave.

Stephen Tucker experienced his first Rotary moment when his father inducted him into the Hayward, CA, Rotary Club in 1968. "Hayward was a great Rotary town I grew up attending Club picnics and volunteering to help with Club projects."

Stephen attended Pacific University in Forest Grove, OR,, He took a year off to tour 20 European countries on a Vespa motor scooter, happily residing in youth hostels. Stephen lettered in track and wrestling at Pacific and graduated with a political science major. He earned a law degree at Willamette University before returning to California to begin his legal career as a district attorney in Alameda County. Stephen decided that the action was on the other side, and he accepted a prosecutors position in Santa Rosa, CA. He also switched Rotary Clubs, joining West Santa Rosa Rotary, where he served as President. Later he moved to Ventura, CA, where he was president of the Ventura East Club.

Steve was Assistant District Governor in Ventura-Ojai, where he was deeply involved with polio plus. He spent time in Mexico and in Granada, Nicaragua, assisting in the digging of clean water wells and establishing a pre-school. He has attended a number of Rotary International conventions, beginning in the mid 1970's, when he joined 40,000, who gathered in Tokyo for the Rotary International Convention..

"Rotary has been an extraordinary part of my life," Stephen concluded, leading into the raffle. **Dave Jochman's** ticket was pulled, and he drew a 10 from the deck, before adjournment of the meeting.

Rotary International on the Verge of Eradicating Polio, Only Thirty Five Cases Reported Globally in 2016



After we closed out 2016, how many cases of the wild polio virus were there? Only 35 globally. Four cases were reported in Nigeria, 12 in Afghanistan and 19 in Pakistan. In 2015 70 cases were reported; and in 2014, 341 cases. Rotary is obviously on the way to eliminating this dreadful disease. The last cases are the most difficult, but we have the support of the World Health Organization, the governments and health ministries in each of these countries, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, and the logistical structures in place to succeed.

Start 2017 off by contributing directly to Rotary's PolioPlus campaign. You can do so online through the Rotary International website by clicking on the words "GIVE" and selecting PolioPlus as the fund for the donation.

Contact: Tom Akers, District PolioPlus Chair

Contact: Michael Driebe, District Rotary Foundation Chair

For More Information: <http://polioeradication.org/>

To Donate: <https://www.rotary.org/en/donate>

Guests

No Guests or Visiting Rotarians

Rotarians

