

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 June 01, 2017

Speaker: George Gilbert

Program: The son of one of comedy's funniest acts of their time, today's Speaker started out as a stand-up comedian and has segued into motivational humor. George Gilbert speaks about using humor to overcome challenges in business and in personal life. He is known for entertaining, dynamic and informative speeches on the importance of laughter in various areas of our lives. In 2001, George was awarded the title of "Accredited Speaker", becoming only the 50th person in the world to achieve this designation.

George's mission is to provide information and inspirations to businesses and professional originations by demonstrating, in an entertaining format, how humor can benefit businesses and lives. His recently published book is "From Stand-up to Standout," a work book on how to put appropriate humor in your presentations.

Scribe assignments

6/01/2017	Jim Paxton
6/08/2017	TBA
6/15/2017	TBA

Rotary Recap, May 18, 2017

By: Jim Paxton



A memorable Memorial Day program was presented at last week's Rotary Club Green Valley (RCGV) meeting by our own **Dave Jochman** and by World War II veteran **Dr. Larry Lorens**. Doc Lorens worked with 200-300 of the famous Navaho Code Talkers, who befuddled Japanese efforts to decipher American radio communication during World War II.

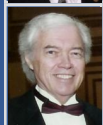
Birthdays



Melinda Margolis
June 05



Mark Roy
June 18



James Frey
June 29

Wedding Anniversaries



Russell K Bowler
Jun 20

Events

June 2017

06/01 - George Gilbert
06/08 - Heidi Woodruff
06/15 - Henderson Fire
06/22 - Scott Muelrath CEO
06/22 - A look into the future
06/22 - Rotary Club of Green Valley's Debunking
06/29 - Quarterly Club Asembly
Green Valley Rotary meets
Thursdays, 7:00 a.m., WildHorse Golf Club

RCGV President Bob Hulshouser initiated the meeting, calling it to order after 15 minutes of social interaction and the delicious WildHorse breakfast buffet. Ted Durant launched the business meeting by introducing the guests, including Dr. Lorens, and the Silverado H.S. **Student of the Month Alexander Simpson**, and his family.

Darcy Dougherty announced that the RCGV changing of the Guard and Debunking Party is scheduled for June 22, to be held in Anthem's Revere Golf Club. Darcy will take checks or signup is available on DACdb. Next, **Pres Bob**, beaming with pride, reported that the Club won seven awards for excellence at the District Conference!

Bob congratulated our dual Rotarian Foundation Members of the Year, **Susan Johnson** and **Christine Smith**. Susan has headed our Foundation efforts as well as the Paul Harris 100% Fellowships. Christine has been involved with grant writing, including the one which enables the Club to provide books for youths during our **Santa Hoolihan** appearances, and she has been youth services chair, actively assisting with our Thai exchange student, **Jasmine Sinthuwan**. Congratulations to both of these outstanding Rotarians!



Past President Mike Pederson was called forward to introduce our student of the Month, Silverado H.S.'s **Alexander Simpson**. Alex is presently ranked 47 in his senior class of 540 students. He has a weighted 4.7 GPA with his Advance Placement bonus credits, and has been active in the Silverado Interact for the past three years. Alex has played in the Silverado Skyhawk band for four years and has participated in the Wind Symphony, as well as the Silverado Marching Band.

Ms Notaro, Alex's AP English Lit and Composition teacher called him "an analytical thinker and a skilled writer, whose academic vocabulary elevates every essay that he writes. Whether through writing or discussion, Alex is able to deconstruct complex texts to pinpoint the greater significance lying below the surface."

Ms. Wolcott, Alex's Interact advisor called him an "awesome member of Interact for the three years that she has been the advisor. It has been a pleasure to advise him these past three years. Ms. Wolcott is excited to see how far that Alex will progress in the future.

Alex's **counselor, Ms. Scheiner** called Alex "a wonderful, well rounded person. Not only is he academically inclined, specifically in math and science, but he is extremely musical." Alex is planning to go to the University of Nevada Reno, majoring in mining engineering.

The members had lots of happy bucks as Mike toured the room. **Mark Roy** was happy that he and his wife are leaving for an extended trip. **Jerry Gardberg** had a dollar, due to his wife leaving for the next 10 days. **Delinda Crampton** had a happy dollar following a recent outing for exchange student **Jasmine** to Disneyland. **Darcy** had a happy buck in honor of Student of the Month Alex, "saying that "Nevada Reno is a great choice for a major in mining." **President Bob** was happy that Silverado H.S is stepping up its participation in Polio Plus.

Dressed in his Marine Corps Colors, career Marine **Dave Jochman** stepped to the podium, first to give some personal thoughts on those who gave it all for America and how those who have served are celebrated during Memorial Day. Dave then introduced the day's speaker, 91 year old, 37 year veteran, **Dr. Larry Lorens**.

Lorens, who Annapolis, attended four United States presidents and 8,000 marines following Pearl Harbor in the Pacific. He presented a clear recount of how

the Navaho Code Talkers enabled the United States to out-maneuver the Japanese. The last living Code Talker, a metal of honor recipient, died last year at age 91.

"Following the war a Japanese general asked me, 'what was that code?' Indeed the Navahos, excelled partly because of their Spartan lifestyle." A warm applause followed the Lorens' remarks, as well as his reminder, "Don't thank me; Thank those who didn't come back!"

Dave J., who is a minister, concluded the Memorial Day program with the reading of "The Last Mission," These are the last words that he has delivered at the 130 funerals for which he has presided. This was an Emotional and Impressive recognition of Memorial Day.

Dave J. held the winning raffle ticket, and he drew a four. Dave led the Club in reciting the Four Way Test before Bob dismissed the meeting.

District Foundation Honors shared By Members Susan Johnson, Christine Smith

An award winning weekend is being celebrated by Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) following the Palm Springs District Conference where the Club received seven awards for excellence and Susan Johnson and Christine Smith were named co-Rotary Foundation Members of the Year, one of District 5300's' highest honors.

This year is the 100th year of the Rotary Foundation, so the timeliness of this year's honor was even more esteemed. Foundation Chair Susan has led the Club to a 100% percent Paul Harris membership, one of the few Club's in the District to have achieved such a distinction. Each of the Club's pledges of support was accomplished including the meeting of our Polio Plus commitment.

Christine, the Chairperson of Youth Services and Club Director has a history of obtaining grants from the District with which to accomplish Club Goals. During the past several years she received a grant for book distribution at Christmas with the Santa Hoolihan. Hoolihan makes appearances in low income Henderson neighborhoods. She was instrumental in filing for the bike Rodeo grant, whereby about two dozen bikes will be given away at Robert Taylor Elementary School. As Youth Services Chair, Christine was key for RCGV's hosting of Thai exchange student Jasmine Sinthuwin, who is living with the family of Delinda Crampton and attending Coronado High School this year.

President Bob Hulshouser is coordinating the RCGV selection of Rotarian of the Year. Ballots and judging criteria was passed out by Bob recently. The winner will be announced at the Debunking Party on June 22, at the Revere Country Club in Anthem. Reservations for the Debunking may be made on DACDb or through Darcy Dougherty. Tickets for the event and extraordinary buffet dinner are priced at \$8 for members and \$40 for non-members and spouses.



Guests

Larry (Doc) Lorens - Speaker

Alexander Simpson - Silverado Student of the Month

Visiting Rotarians

None