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



Robert D. Hulshouser President



Brad Marx President-Elect



Debbie Mitsch Membership Chair,Vice President



Robert D Frizell iPast President



Gregory E. Bruce Secretary



Jay Larsen Treasurer



Jim Paxton Bulletin Editor,Club Director



Christine L. Smith Club Director, Youth Service Chair



David Joseph Jochman Club Director



Michael Soden Club Director, Club Executive Secretary



Larry E. Skaggs Club Director



Darcy A. Dougherty Club Director



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Speaker: All Members, Headed by New Club President Brad Marx

Program: Quarterly Club Assembly

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Rotary Debunking Recap

By: Jim Paxton

Last week the annual Debunking Party and Dinner was held by the Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) at the picturesque Revere Golf Club. This initiating of new club officers and celebration of past year's accomplishments included the naming of Ted Durant as the Rotarian of the Year, a delicious dinner buffet, and the opportunity for members to socialize with one another.

As is customary, following the meeting being called to order by outgoing President Bob Hulshouser, we began with the Pledge-of-Allegiance and the introduction of special guests. Included were Past District Governor Tom Novotny, our own PDG Larry Skaggs, and President Bob's guest, Yevette Delaney.

President Bob proudly reviewed the awards received by RCGV at the recent Palm Springs District Conference. The Governor's Bell Award, as District 5300's best medium - sized club, was won by RCGV for the second time since the Award's inception four years ago. Seven awards for excellence were received for: the following categories: vocational Service, membership, public image, youth service, club service, community service and Foundation service. Under youth services, President Bob has brought the Interact Clubs at Green Valley and Silverado High schools to higher levels, getting Coronado HS Interact chartered, and he was instrumental in beginning a Rotaract Club at

Birthdays



James Frey June 29



David H. Lee July 07



David Joseph Jochman July 09



Russell K Bowler July 12



Larry E. Skaggs July 12

Wedding Anniversaries Jack R. Ewing



Jul 10

Events June 2017

06/29 - Quarterly Club Assembly **July 2017**

Pearl Harbor Survivor Ed Hall 07/13 - Cyndi DeBoer, friend of **Greg Bruce**

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

Henderson's up and coming Nevada State College.

Bob proudly touted the hosting of this year's High School Exchange Student, Jasmine Sinthuwatin, who lived with Delinda Crampton's family during the school year. Other youth accomplishments for RCGV included participation in youth leadership camps: RYLA and TLC. RCGV continued its monthly Student of the Month Awards for Green Valley and Silverado High Schools. Eighteen teacher mini grants ranging from \$130 to \$250 were awarded to Henderson teachers for the purpose of expanding classroom learning. RCGV recently completed the Bike Rodeo, during which Club members taught safety and riding fundamentals. RCGV gave away 28 bicycles to financially challenged students at Robert Taylor Elementary. Additionally, the Club promoted excellence in speaking with the Four Way Speech contest and in Music with the Dan Stover Competition.

Club members again assisted with the Opportunity Village Christmas Fair and the Club resumed the Souper Bowl of Caring Food Drive. For the 25th year, Jon H. dressed up as Santa and delivered hundreds of gifts to children in financially disadvantaged neighborhoods. Books were also distributed to the children thanks to a District Grant secured by Christine Smith.

Next, the outgoing board was introduced, and each director received a gift package containing binoculars from outgoing President Bob. Bob awarded the Spark Plug Award to Jon Hoolihan for his longtime service.



A Lifetime of Service Award went to Past President Mike Pederson, who coordinates the All Star High School Soccer Game, played at UNLV. Each week he has provided entertainment and often befuddlement with his trivia, followed by Happy and Dammit Dollars. Mike said that he was surprised to be given an award after he has taken his fellow members' money each week!



Ted Durant received the Rotarian of the Year award from Bob Hulhouser

Next came the big one, Rotarian of the Year, awarded to Ted Durant. President Bob said that Ted represents what a Rotarian should be. "Anything that you want done, go to Ted. He resurrected the Souper Bowl of Caring following a difficult discontinuation, "Bob explained Ted was a facilitator at RYLA, and he worked hard on the Teacher Mini Grants. The Silverado Interact Club has a holiday gift program giving gifts to a disadvantaged grade school, and Ted taught the Interact Students how to wrap packages for this project. He also worked on the Rotary Rose Parade Float.

Another RCGV Success: Polio Plus. Not only did the Club meet its donation goals, but according to PDG Larry S., there have only been six new cases of polio worldwide, this year through last week! We are on the doorstep of eradication!

Next, the new Board of Directors for 2017-18 was introduced. Then Outgoing President Bob H. presented a President's Pin and the Club Charter to incoming President Brad Marx.. Brad's wife, Kara was introduced and presented with a flower bouquet.



Induction of Brad Marx (Bob Hulhouser, Brad and wife Kara



Passing on of the Club Charter Looking on Bob Dworkin and Larry Skaggs

Brad had a few points to make about his plans for the Club, and he thanked Bob H. for being a good mentor. He also had thanks for Past President Duane Frizell.

"Someone recently asked me why I do Rotary. I summed it up with three reasons: (1) the camaraderie we share, (2) the fun we have serving the community together, and (3) the service that we provide; everything from cleanups to providing bicycles for economically disadvantaged children."

Brand summarized, "We have a great group that has great fun. We need to reach out, bring people in and grow." The meeting, a happy a jovial gathering, ended at 8:20 p.m.

Guests

Numerous Spouses

Yevette Delaney

James Allanson-pending member Rob Kravitz-pending member

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Visiting Rotarians

Tom Novotny, Past District Governor

