

Rotary Club Green Valley Newsletter

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THE FOUR WAY TEST of Things We Think, Say and Do:

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL**

and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



Don't forget to feed the pig!

Every dollar you place in the "Polio Pig" goes to polio eradication.

September 21, 2017

Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

After a time for socialization and breakfast, Rotary Club Green Valley (RCGV) **President Brad Marx** called the meeting to order at 7:13 A.M. The recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance was led by **PP Bob Hulshouser.**

Introductions & Announcements & Presentations

Guests

Membership Chair Debbie Mitsch introduced:

Ralph Krauss, prospective member

Announcements

- President Brad reminded the club that a celebration of the life of Diane McGovern, wife of Rotarian
 Dave McGowan, will be held at Sun City Anthem this Sunday, September 24 at 1:00 P.M. Note:
 Independence Center, located at 2460 Hampton Rd. Henderson, 89052 is on the southern end of the
 parking lot area, not the main club house.
- Delinda Crampton shared that her family is considering hosting an exchange student from Australia.
 She needs to find someone who is willing and able to take the student January through March, 2018, while Delinda is unavailable.
- Past President (PP) Bob Hulshouser reminded the club that an Interact Conference for Southern Nevada will be held at Silverado High School on October 7th. Please contact Bob if you are available to help that day. Set-up is ay 7:30 A.M. and the Conference begins at 8:00 A.M. The Mesquite Rotary Club will be handling the registration table, and the students will be conducting the conference entitled, "Operation Interact Interaction."
- PP Bob shared that the Rotaract Club is undergoing reorganization since several students left the club.
 He and Mark Roy attended a service fair at the college and found several potential new members.
- PP Bob also shared that the Student-of-the-Month will continue as Silverado has several candidates in the queue.
- PP and Foundation Chair Susan Johnson reminded the club that the first two meetings of the Wine Club will be the crushing class on October 5th and the pressing class on October 12th at 8:00 P.M. Bring appetizers and wine to share.
- Dave Jochman gave details on the upcoming Rebel Rotarian Tailgate and UNLV Football Game. The kick-off is 7:30 P.M. so the tailgate will begin at 4:30. The cost is \$27.00 per person. Go Rebels!



Gerry Holinski energetically shared upcoming programs:

- Sept. 28 Quarterly Club Assembly & District Governor Visit
- Oct. 5 **Dave Jochman** Recaps the Air Show
- Oct. 7 Interact Conference
- Oct. 12 Student-of-the-Month and Morning @ The Improv with **Greg Bruce**
- Oct. 15 Kits Kitchen Fundraiser, 9:00 3:00 P.M.
- Oct. 19 Touro University
- Nov. 4 Leukemia & Lymphoma Society Light the Night Walk @ UNLV www.lightthenight.org

Presentations

Upcoming Events

http://www.greenvalleyrotary.org/?p=calendar

CELEBRATE

September Birthdays

Ted Durant Sept. 18
Alex Grodzinsky Sept. 20
Membership Anniversaries
Greg Bruce - 1 yr Sept. 10
Robert Dworkin - 3 yrs Sept. 15
Russell Bowler - 8 yrs Sept. 25
Dave Chase - 3 yrs Sept. 26
Wedding Anniversaries
Dave Chase - 17 yrs Sept. 25

Our meetings are held every Thursday morning at 7:00 am at Wildhorse Golf Club 2100 W Warm Springs Rd. Henderson, NV 89014

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PP and Foundation Chair Susan Johnson debuted the new updated Paul Harris banner. It is almost full and we have a few more names to add!



With great pleasure, **PP and Foundation Chair Susan** presented a Paul Harris Fellow Award (+1), the highest honor a Rotarian can receive, to **Greg Bruce**.

Fundraising Corner

Chairman **Dave Dworkin** reported that the Dust Devil Ride scheduled for October 21st has been cancelled due to the lack of riders. Thank you to Bob and the committee for their efforts.

Fine Master, Trivia, Happy Bucks and Dammit Dollars

Welcome back to **Mike Petersen**, our esteemed Fine Master. He shared that it was Mini Golf Day. He offered several golf trivia questions. **George Baggott** won immunity.

- George Baggott has office furniture and a copier that a friend wished to donate.
- Mark Roy shared that he and Esther just got back from Boston where they attended Esther's 50th high school reunion. They had a fantastic time!
- Dave McGowan thanked Brad for his announcement.
- Membership Chair Debbie Mitsch saw IT yesterday and enjoyed it...
- **Delinda Crampton** had fun at Cowabunga Bay with the family and will be attending Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time at the Smith Center.
- Mike Petersen shared that his father-in-law is in the hospital and not doing well. He gave a happy dollar for his son, Nathan, who threw 6 TD passes.
- Jim Paxton shared that they stayed at the beautiful Fairmont in San Fransisco during his recent trip.
- Christine Smith happy to be there despite the gridlock.
- PP Bob Hulshouser has been invited by PBS to sit on a panel about his experiences in Vietnam.
- PDG Larry Skaggs gave a dammit dollar for his computer and a happy dollar for attending the moving and inspirational SOAR Ceremony on Monday with President Brad Marx, PP Bob Hulshouser and Julie Todd.
- PP and Foundation Chair Susan Johnson gave a happy dollar for Paul Harris Fellow, Greg Bruce and for her time up in Caliente on Monday.
- Jim Allanson is grateful for the more moderate weather so he can get back to walking.
- **Gerry Holinski** was happy that his son will be attending Driver's Edge. He gave an additional buck for the upcoming Henderson Chamber poolside party @ Sunset Station.
- **Greg Bruce** gave a dammit dollar because with 40+ chairs in the room, Dave Jochman picked the one next to him. A happy dollar was for the great start to the season for the Golden Knights.
- Dave Jochman gave happy bucks for his ride in a Cirrus SR 22 to the Reno Air Show and for the bid he has in on an airplane.
- Terry Perkins shared a happy buck in appreciation for all PP and Foundation Chair Susan Johnson does and another because he attended the Righteous Brothers show and enjoyed it.
- President Brad was proud to represent the "award-winning" RCGV at the SOAR Ceremony on Monday.

Program

Two very interesting Craft Presentations were made by our newest members.



New member, **Nate Henderson** shared that he has been a Litigation Attorney for 4 years. He is a native of Henderson, attended Silverado High School and is still a resident. Nate studied History at BYU and attended Law School at NYU, where he met his wife. He is married and has a baby daughter due next month. They have a dog, Scottie, named in honor of Nate being a huge Star Trek fan and proves that by attending Star Trek conventions in full regalia. "Scottie, beam us up!"



Mike Denley has been a Rotary member previously and decided to try a second go-round (or third) and is glad to be a part of the club. A native of Las Vegas, Mike has been a barber for the last 42 years, originally at his own shop, Mr. Clippers and the past 5 years at the Venetian Hotel. He plans to retire on December 7th, 2017. He has been married and divorced three times and is planning on the fourth being a "charm". He is an inventor and holds a patent for a Check Clip, a device that transfers checks written to an online register. Mike is the proprietor of Mike's Baked Goods 4U on Facebook. His specialties include chocolate chip/walnut and white chocolate/macadamia nut cookies. He is the past president of Speakeasy Toastmasters Club. He loves helping people, improving their day and making them smile.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:14 A.M. by **President Brad** after **PP Bob Hulshouser's** ticket was pulled, he drew a "7" and contributed his winnings to the Polio Pig. The pot is \$917! **PP Bob** then led the club in The Four Way Test of Things We Think, Say and Do.

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