



Rotary Club Green Valley Newsletter

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January 25, 2018

Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

Past President Duane Frizell called the meeting to order and led the meeting for **President Brad Marx**. **Alex Grodzinsky** led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance, and Duane tasked everyone to take a brief moment for contemplation. Great to have Duane back!

Introductions, Announcements, Elections, and Student of the Month

Guests

Debbie Mitsch introduced the following visitors:

- **Kevin Lugo** Silverado Student of the Month and his parents **Sylvia Leon** and **Adrian San Mora**.
- **Christine Zack** of AMD card, guest of Gerry Holinski.
- **Amy Tabor** guest speaker from The Assistance League of Las Vegas.
- **Cindy Lane**, a local realtor and guest of Gerry Holinski.
- **Paul Fagone**, Assistant Principal of Silverado High.

Announcements

- **Past District Governor Larry Skaggs** updated the group on the Field of Honor fundraising event Memorial Day weekend 2018 at Corner Stone Park on Wigwam Pkwy in Henderson. We are looking for corporate sponsors. If you have any leads, contact Larry at bookmlar@cox.net. The next committee meeting is 2/22/18.
- **Past President Mike Peterson** reported on the club's Souper Bowl of Caring food drive on February 3, 2018. GV Rotarians will be collecting food at two Vons's grocery stores in Henderson. To volunteer, contact Ted Durant at teddurant@centurylink.net.
- Wine Club is meeting at Grape Expectations in Henderson at 6 p.m. on February 5. All are invited for a fun time!
- **Dave Jochman** and **Gerry Holinski** invited club members to attend the Green Valley High School production of Mama Mia on February 3. For information on tickets contact Gerry or Dave.
- **Dave McGovern** is hosting appetizers at the February 2 Rotary Round-Up at Winchell's on Eastern and Horizon Ridge. Come celebrate Dave's UPS Store's awards and success. Well done Dave!
- **Past President Duane Frizell** announced that after next week's meeting we will have a planning meeting for the annual Bike Rodeo. Please plan to attend, we need your help!

Please note our Thursday, February 22nd meeting will be held at Black Mountain Golf Club at 500 Greenway Road, Henderson 89015.

District 5300 Announcements

BODTS 2018 (Board of Directors Training Seminar) will be held on February 22nd at 5:30 PM at University of Phoenix, 3375 Breakthrough Way, Suite 100, Las Vegas. 89135. Training is for incoming board members or anyone interested in how Rotary works.

The **District Foundation Dinner** honoring The Rotary Foundation and 30 years of Women in Rotary will be held on February 24th at 6:00 PM on the Queen Mary. <http://district5300.org/foundation-dinner/>

District Assembly will take place on April 21st at 8:30 AM Granite High School in Apple Valley, CA. Everyone is encouraged to attend and ride sharing will be available.

Mark your calendars for the **District Conference**, May 18 - 21 on the Queen Mary in Long Beach, CA.

Elections

The slate for the Nevada Rotary Foundation Board of Directors was unanimously accepted.

Student of the Month



Past President Mike Petersen introduced our Student of the Month. Kevin currently has a 4.8 GPA and is one of three candidates for the class valedictorian. Kevin will attend UNLV and will major in either mechanical engineering or computer science. Besides being a stellar student Kevin also participates in a number of community service projects and plays the cello.

Ms. Swenson his Spanish Honors class teacher says that Kevin has a great sense of humor, brings his humor to class, and uses humor to deal with tough subjects such as grammar.

Ms. Notaro who teaches Kevin AP Lit and high level English classes states that he approaches all matters in a

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.

Upcoming Events February 2018

Rotary International Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

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

CELEBRATE

Birthdays

Dave McGovern

February 10

Duane Frizell

February 25

Robert Hulshouser

February 26

Milestone Membership Anniversaries

25 Years:

Larry Bettis

James Frey

Melinda Margolis

10 Years:

Mike Peterson

8 Years:

Dave Lee

2 Years

Delinda Crampton

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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Ms. Rotario who teaches Kevin AP Lit and high level English classes states that he approaches all matters in a very mature way - he participates thoughtfully and is extremely motivated.

Ms. Pavlides his AP Government teacher says that Kevin works hard and is always friendly.

Mr. Drum, Kevin's AP calculus teacher says that Kevin's work ethic is impressive. When faced with academic adversity he stepped up and faced it working harder than anyone else.

Kevin thanked the Rotary Club of GV. He was especially thankful to his mom and sister for his success.



February 3: Souper Bowl of Caring

February 5: Wine Club Racking

February 22: Club meeting at Black Mountain Golf Club
Henderson Mayor Debra March
Field of Honor Club Kick-Off

Field of Honor Committee Meeting, 5:30 p.m.

Fine Master, Trivia, Happy Bucks and Dammit Dollars

Trivia Master and **Past President Mike Peterson** helped us celebrate Soup Month. Dave Jochman, Gerry Holinski, and Rob Kravitz all showed off on their knowledge of soups such as bouillabaisse, chili, and menuado. Way to go, guys!

Gerry Holinski spun the wheel and owed \$1. Got off easy, Gerry!

Happy Bucks and Damn it Dollars

- Janet P is happy her niece has a new job giving kayak tours.
- Gerry H is happy for Dave McGovern's business successes with his UPS stores. Dave has helped Gerry out on more than one occasion.
- Mark Roy's granddaughter did well in her national swimming competition.
- George Baggot had a damn it dollar for Don Haven's brother passed away. He is also concerned for a friend having heart surgery. He is also happy his granddaughter received a management award with Marriott Hotels.
- Larry S honored our Student of the Month Kevin and was happy Vikki returned from Chicago.
- James Allanson celebrated Student of the Month Kevin.
- Dave Chase reminded us his NE Patriots are going to the Super Bowl.
- Greg B celebrated his knowledge of chicken noodle soup, his sorrow for Taco Bell not being on his diet, and his Improv performance this Saturday night.
- Jim F was happy for Kevin our SOM.
- Dave J is vertical and still in the game. He did want to bet against the Pats with Dave Chase.
- Debbie M is glad to be back from the Caribbean and New Orleans.
- Lora E had a good day with BINGO. She also spoke to job placement with the Deaf Center of NV.
- Judy L was happy to see Duane back and is off to a cruise next week with family.
- Delinda C was happy for Kevin and wants him to mentor her 10 year old son.
- Mike D was happy for Kevin but not for his trip to the dentist.
- Kevin's dad was happy for his son's accomplishments.
- Silverado HS assistant principal Falgone celebrated Kevin as well.
- Duane encouraged Polio Pig donations, was upset his father in law is in poor health, and says it is tough to start up a law firm.

Program



Amy Tabor educated the GVRC about the Assistance League of Las Vegas (ALLV). There are 120 nation wide Assistance League chapters. The Las Vegas Chapter's work is done by committed volunteers and has been in existence for 40 years focusing on assisting children in need. The ALLV's programs include Operation School Bell providing clothes, hygiene kits, shoes, and books to needy kids; the ALLV's Closet helping kids that need immediate attention; and providing quality backpacks, Teddy Bears, and pre-natal care for expecting moms.

Amy is also a Paul Harris Fellow and her husband, Roger, a member of the Downtown Club, has been a Rotarian for 33 years.

Thank you, Amy, for an interesting program!

Adjournment

The raffle pot was \$1689.00 with ten cards remaining. Mark Roy drew a Jack and won \$10.00. The pot grows! You can't win if you do not play! Mark led the club in The 4 Way Test, and the meeting adjourned at 8:15 am.

Fundraising Corner

February 3 Souper Bowl of Caring
May 25 - 28 Field of Honor

District 5300 News

The 2017 – 2018 Foundation Dinner

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL
District 5300's Annual Foundation Gala in the Queen's Salon
aboard the Queen Mary

Honoring The Rotary Foundation and 30 years of women in Rotary.

To register:

<http://www.directory-online.com/Rotary/index.cfm?EventID=77363954>

Rotary International

Theme 2018 – 2019 Announced

RI President-elect Barry Rassin's theme for 2018-19, Be the Inspiration, asks Rotarians to inspire change in the world and in each other. "I ask all of you to Be the Inspiration to help Rotary move from reaction to action — to take a hard look at the...

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