



Rotary Club Green Valley Newsletter

Serving our community locally as well as internationally. We strive to make a difference for those less fortunate than ourselves, with a special emphasis on the youth who will be tomorrow's leaders.

A 100% Paul Harris Fellow Club

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Susan Holland Johnson

Rotary Foundation Chair

Michael Soden

Club Executive Secretary

July 26, 2018

Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

Past President Susan Johnson rang the bell at 7:00 a.m. and after a time for fellowship and breakfast called to order the meeting of the Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV). She shared the RCGV Mission Statement.

Mike Denley led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Introductions, Announcements and Presentation

Guests

Membership Secretary Debbie Mitsch welcomed our guest:

Larry Flashberg, Visitor

Announcements

PP and Rotary Foundation Chair Susan shared that there would be a Nevada Rotary Foundation meeting on Thursday, August 2. Time and location will be announced.

She pointed out that the Paul Harris banner had been updated and returned but is already out of date as there have been several new Paul Harris Fellows named since February. **PP Susan** explained how to become a Paul Harris Fellow and **Terry Perkins** pointed out that automatic payments can be set up to contribute to the Foundation.

PDG Larry Skaggs reported that he, **Mark Roy** and **Julie Todd** met with the Mayor's Office to recap the Field of Honor 2018. The Mayor was thrilled with the event and wants to help enhance it for next year. She will invite other dignitaries to see how we do things in Henderson and would like to see us fill the park with flags!

PP Susan asked us to 'Save the Date', March 16, 2019 for the District Foundation Dinner to be held at the World Market. Let's make a good club showing since PP Susan is now the chair of the District 5300 Rotary Foundation.

PP Bob Hulshouser invited everyone to attend the 3rd Annual FBI Las Vegas Citizens Academy Alumni Association Golf Tournament on Friday, August 10. It will be held at Bear's Best Las Vegas. For more information contact Bob at robhuls@aol.com.

PP Susan shared that new RCGV trifolds and business cards are available to help members network with people in the community who may be interested in visiting our club. Pick some up from Julie Todd.

Presentations

PP Susan presented **PP Brad Marx** with his gold badge indicating his past presidency.

She then presented **Lora Evans** with her permanent blue badge as Lora has completed all qualifications to earn it (**Don Havins** noted that **PP Bob Hulshouser** has never received his gold badge.)

PP Susan named **Gerry Holinski** as our Hidden Hero of the Week for his ability to procure excellent speakers for our weekly meetings. It is a difficult job but Gerry tackles it with a smile and great exuberance. Thank you, Gerry!



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.**



CELEBRATE

Birthdays

Mike Peterson

August 04

Darcy A. Dougherty

August 21

Club Anniversaries

No club anniversaries found.

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

www.greenvalleyrotary.org



August 2: Nancy Uscher, Dean, UNLV College of Fine Arts

August 3: Rotary Round-up (TBA)

August 9: Las Vegas HEALS (Health, Education, Advocacy, and Leadership in Southern Nevada)

August 16: Sleep Disorders

August 23: Birth of a Bank

September 6: UNLV Basketball Coach Marvin Menzies

Upcoming: Las Vegas Metro Criminalistics Bureau Captain David Lewis - CSI Started Here

Funraising Event:



The Las Vegas Aces have teamed up with Assistance League® Las Vegas to help raise money for their programs! Tickets purchased for the August 11th game vs the Indiana Fever using the link provided below will help support children and their families across the Las Vegas valley.

Please consider supporting the Las Vegas Aces and Assistance League Las Vegas on this special night of FUNdraising!

<https://www.aks.com/events/351108/las-vegas-aces-vs-indiana-fever-tickets/promos/167864>

Trivia, Fines, Bucks and Dollars

PDG Larry Skaggs distributed an All or Nothing Quiz. Each table answered as many questions as they could in 2 minutes. All answers had the word all or nothing in it. **PP Mike Soden's** team won immunity! The wheel was spun and fines were paid.

PDG Larry solicited Happy Bucks and Dammit Dollars from the following members and guests:

Greg Bruce had a happy buck because Jackie Carroll and Christine Smith and their spouses were at his comedy show last Saturday. Christine came up on stage and did a great job and is currently on a world tour. (Editor's note: Christine is not on tour and will be back to make us laugh next week)

George Baggott is broke and exhausted after his granddaughter and her friends visited. He now claims to know every hiking trail in Utah.

PP Bob Hulshouser had a happy buck for the Veteran's Administration.

Dave McGovern had a happy buck for his upcoming road trip to Spokane.

Art Macarios and his wife, Arlene, just celebrated their 53rd anniversary. The secret is: she has all the money.

Julie Todd paid her President-Elect fine, had a happy buck for her upcoming Christmas Tokyo trip, and a dammit dollar for the replacement credit card being stolen from her mail.

PP Jim Frey had a happy buck as he is headed on a road trip to Mizzoula. Maybe he will see Dave McGovern on the road.

Judy Lloyd had a dammit dollar for the heat!

Delinda Crampton was happy to report that Pilar made it home safely and that she sent a picture of her entire family welcoming her home.

Gerry Holinski had a happy buck for the upcoming road trip with his daughter to Knott's Berry Farm.

Linda Lee Lundgren had a recent adventure to California to move furniture that ended up being a very long day.

Mike Denley and Lorraine are in the market for a new house.

Brian Whitaker lamented that vacation is over but is happy to be back.

Dave Jochman had several bucks: one for his fine, one for being vertical, two for tormenting the other Dave, and one for our visitor, Larry.

PP Susan Johnson had a dollar for the cool weather ahead for them in Park City, and another for a marathon she and Eric will be running in Havana, Cuba, in November.

Program

Craft Talk: Linda Lee Lundgren



Linda Lee was born in California and moved about the state during her childhood. She had several careers in California including the Sheriff's office, bus driver, and Postal Service. She transferred to Las Vegas with the Postal service in the early 1990's, retiring in 2013. Her pet is Herman, a desert tortoise with a cracked shell. In retirement, she volunteers for the USO with the Welcome Homes program to support the family and make the Veteran feel welcome. Sometimes there are cheering crowds when they arrive at McCarran. She also works with Las Vegas Metro Police forensics and in the field with Metro's only female traffic officer. Linda Lee volunteers for other USO outreach events which brought her to our Field of Honor on Memorial Day Weekend. She enjoyed working with the Rotarians and decided to join us!

Six months ago, Linda Lee had a hip replacement and is learning to walk again. She is working on her house to declutter and upgrade. She is a fan of tribute bands, the Dodgers, and the Golden Knights. She is a member at Crossing Church, Eastside. Linda Lee spends her time playing pool on her purple pool table. She has been to Europe and Israel and has Alaska, Panama Canal and skydiving on her bucket list. She enjoys living in Las Vegas.

Craft Talk: Susan Johnson

PP Susan Johnson was born in Texas but moved to Las Vegas in 1963. She considers this home. She and Eric married in 1987 and have two daughters: Tess, a 30-year-old lawyer, and Emma, a wedding photographer who travels the world in her career. Las Vegas has changed a lot. The house her parents bought in 1963 was \$13,000. She urged everybody to watch Viva Las Vegas to get a true feel of that era.

Susan graduated from Clark High School, attended UNLV with a dual major in public accounting and investment finance. She graduated from law school in 1985 and passed both the California and Nevada Bar in 1986. She has practiced several types of law and even worked with fellow Rotarian Brian Whitaker. Susan ran for District Court Judge in 2006 and through several re-elections, she is still on the bench. She will run again in 2020. Her husband, Eric, was appointed as District Judge in 2015, after his career in the U.S. Attorney's Office. In their leisure, they enjoy wines, travelling and running marathons. Susan has recently become interested in her American heritage and is joining the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Susan was inducted into the Rotary Club of Green Valley in December 2003, became President in 2006/2007, and has been Rotary Foundation chair for over 10 years. She has been involved at the District level and has recently been appointed District Foundation Chair for the next three years.

Adjournment

Dave Jochman won \$6 in the raffle. The pot was at \$481. He then led the group in recitation of the 4-Way Test.

PP Susan adjourned the meeting at 8:09 a.m.

District 5300 News

2019 Garbis Peace Institute 29th Annual Peace Conference

Peacebuilding: One Person at a Time

Saturday, February 23, 2019

8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Ann & Steve Morgan Auditorium at University of La Verne

Donation (includes continental breakfast)

\$30.00: pre-registration by February 16, 2019

\$40.00: at the door if seats are available

\$5.00: students with ID

Event Registration:

<http://www.ismyrotaryclub.org/register4/index.cfm?EventID=77383034>

Event Website: <http://district5300.org/peace-conference/>

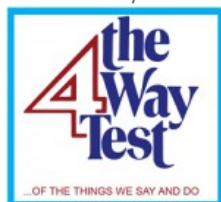


Rotary International News

History of the Four-Way Test

Did you know...?

The Four-Way Test was conceived in 1932 by businessman Herbert J. Taylor, a member of the Rotary Club of Chicago, Illinois, USA, who served as Rotary International president in 1954-55. Having taken on the task of saving a company from bankruptcy, Taylor developed the test as an ethical guide to follow in all business matters. The company's survival was credited to this simple philosophy. Adopted by Rotary International in 1934, The Four-Way Test remains an essential standard against which Rotarians measure ethical behavior. It has been translated into dozens of languages and promoted by Rotarians worldwide.



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