

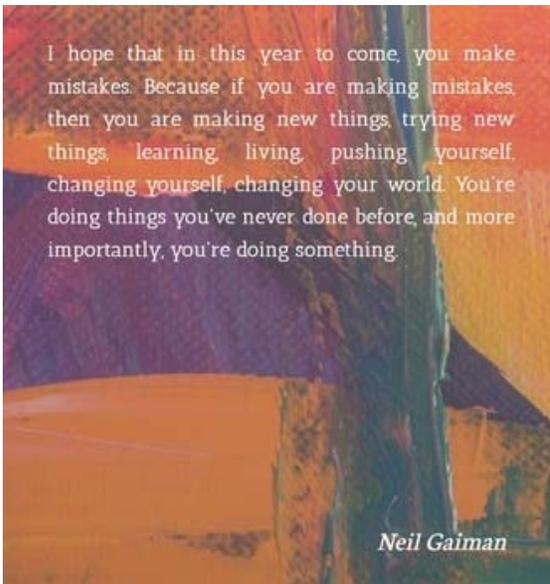
January 14, 2021

Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

President Terry Perkins called the Zoom meeting of the Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) to order at 7:10 a.m.

Sergeant-at-Arms Bill Collier led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moment of Inspiration with PDG Larry Skaggs



Introductions and Announcements

Guests

Membership Chair Delinda Crampton welcomed our guests:

- PDG Luanne Arredondo, Greater San Gabriel Valley Rotary Club
- Tom Evans, Riverside East Rotary Club, guest of PE Lora Evans
- PDG Sylvia Whitlock, Claremont Rotary Club

Announcements

Clothing Drive - If you have items to be picked up or to drop off for this or for Lyfe Veterans Services clothing drive (adults) please contact President Terry (tperkins50@gmail.com) or PP Julie Todd (julie.todd@ymail.com). Clothing will be delivered to CT Sewell on January 20th. Would you care to join us?

Pop-Up Food Pantry volunteers needed. If you are able and interested in volunteering contact President Terry. (tperkins50@gmail.com)

Zoom Club Meeting Club meetings through February will be on Zoom. The Board of Directors will continue to monitor the situation to determine when hybrid meetings might resume.

Souper Bowl of Caring is still on hold as grocery stores will not commit to the event. Alternative options are being considered.

2021/2022 Officers and Board of Directors slate will be presented for club vote on January 28th. Please look for a Pmail



Club Leaders

-  Terry Perkins
President
-  Lora Evans
President-Elect
Social Media/Bulletin Editor
District Liason
-  Larry E. Skaggs
Vice President
-  Julie Todd
Social Media/Bulletin Editor
iPast President
Vocational Service Chair
-  Ami Khauv
Recording Secretary
-  Heidi Woodruff
Fundraising Chair
Treasurer
-  Delinda Crampton
Club Director
Membership Chair
-  Darcy A. Dougherty
Club Director
Fellowship
-  Larry Flashberg
Club Director
Youth Service Chair
-  Mark Roy
Club Director
Community Service Chair
-  Carlee Todd
Club Director
-  Shyloh Stobie
AMP Coordinator
Club Director
Club Service Chair

being sent.

January 21st Meeting Speaker - City of Henderson Mayor Debra March.



Four-Way Speech Contest is underway. Chair **Cathy Hart** will announce dates when decided.

Dan Stover Music Competition is chaired by **Delinda Crampton** and **Ami Khauv**. Stay tuned for more information.

George R. Hensel Ethics Essay Contest will take place in April and is chaired by **PP Julie Todd**. Stay tuned for more information.

Trivia, Fines, Bucks and Dollars



PP Mike Peterson, Trivia Master extraordinaire, presented Famous Women in History Trivia in honor of PDG Whitlock.

George Baggott won immunity for knowing that Agatha Christie is known as the Queen of Crime Fiction. Other famous women included Princess Diana, Oprah and Aretha Franklin.



Happy Bucks (HB) and Dammit Dollars (DD)



PP Mike Peterson shared that his nephew Cameron's progress report is good. His tumors have shrunk 50%. He will eventually have surgery.

Tarby Bryant proclaimed that after a month and a half they finally got their cars in the garage! He walked by Wildhorse but sadly did not see any Rotarians. He is looking forward to in-person meetings.

Dave McGovern shared that he will be getting married on Saturday. Congratulations, Dave! We wish you much happiness.

Darcy Dougherty shared that she lost both her uncle and her cousin in Kansas City due to Covid. She had a HB for her upcoming six-month coaching with a BNI member.

Delinda Crampton had a HB that she and son Dylan went skiing at Mt. Charleston Wednesday. Not much snow but they had fun on the man-made stuff!

Dave Jochman was vertical and still in the game. He had a DD for Illinois' loss to Maryland. He had a HB for the upcoming hockey game and for talking to his daughter who is on lockdown in Germany.

Program



Larry Archuleta
Assistant Governor

Birthdays

Robert Dworkin
January 12th
Ami Khauv
January 31st

Years of Service

Mike Peterson
01-18-2007
14 Years
Debbie Mitsch
01-08-2015
6 Years
Lora Evans
01-04-2018
3 Years
Valerie Salerno
01-24-2019
2 Years

Club Meeting

Green Valley has two meeting times:

The morning traditional meeting is at Wildhorse Golf Club 2100 W Warm Springs Henderson 89014

Thursday at 07:00 AM (This meeting is also available via Zoom. Check our webpage for details.)
December 2020 meetings ZOOM only. Dark Dec. 24 and 31.

AMP (Alternative Meeting Program) meets via Zoom 5:30 p.m. on the second Thursday each month.

For information, please visit our webpage.



PDG Sylvia Whitlock

District 5300

Claremont Rotary Club

Dr. Whitlock was invited to speak at our meeting by **PE Lora Evans** who shared, "As we navigate a changing world, and changes in how we do our Rotary service, I thought it was important to hear from a pioneer in the Rotary world. Sylvia has shown perseverance, not just in her early actions of paving the way for women in Rotary, but also by her continued service and adherence to our motto "Service Above Self". Sylvia's tenacity and passion for Rotary service are something we should all embrace as we move into the future. Just as some Rotarians of the past could never see so many women in Rotary leadership today, there are unseen changes coming over the next thirty years that we should all support so that Rotary can continue to grow. I wanted Sylvia to come speak to our club so that we could all be inspired and re-invigorated to stretch out of our comfort zones, embrace change, and always put service above ourselves."

PDG Sylvia Whitlock was born in New York City but educated in Kingston, Jamaica. Returned to New York City to earn a B.A. in Psychology from Hunter College. Sylvia worked for the United Nations, as a Statistical Clerk, at the Secretariat Building in New York, before moving to California to start a career in Education. In California, she went on to earn a Master's Degree, cum laude, in Education from Cal Poly, Pomona, and a Ph.D., cum laude, in Education, from Claremont Graduate School. Subsequently, she earned another Master's Degree, in Marriage and Family Therapy, from Azusa Pacific University, and began a second career as a therapist. She is licensed by the Board of Behavioral Sciences in California.

In 1982, at the invitation of one of the women, Mary Lou Elliott an elementary school principal, whose admission had caused the ouster of the Rotary Club of Duarte, Sylvia joined the Ex-Rotary Club of Duarte. She became President of that club in 1987, the year the United States Supreme Court ruled that the club be reinstated, thus making her the first woman in the Rotary World to head a club as President. She has served as President twice, Secretary, Treasurer, and Foundation Representative. At district level, she chaired the Four Way Test Speech committee for six years, the Ambassadorial Scholarship Committee for six years and Simplified Grants for two years. She has been an assistant governor, presenter in Governors Institutes, and speaker in Rotary Clubs, conventions and meetings, in the USA and overseas. In 1988 Sylvia attended her first International Convention.

Sylvia considers Rotary to be the best vehicle she knows for humanitarian ventures in service to mankind. Some favorite club projects have included sinking water wells in Nigeria, setting up an AIDS Center in Jamaica and supporting an orphanage in Mexico.

Sylvia is a multiple Paul Harris Fellow and benefactor. She has three adult children - Meredith - a Paul Harris Fellow, BG is a deputy county counsel in San Mateo County, and Arlan. She considers raising her children the most satisfying and enjoyable job she has ever had.

The Rotary Club of Duarte, California, was chartered in District 5300 in 1952. But just before its twenty-fifth birthday in 1976, the Duarte club violated Rotary's bylaws by inviting women to join, ultimately causing its charter to be unceremoniously revoked by Rotary International. Undeterred, the club renamed itself the Ex-Rotary Club of Duarte and its members continued their quest and after eleven years wending its way to the US Supreme Court, women were officially admitted to Rotary in 1987.

Thank you, PDG Sylvia for gracing us with your presence and sharing your story. President Terry presented her with a gift of a flag in our next Field of Honor.

Adjournment

Darcy Dougherty led the group in recitation of the *Four-Way Test of the Things We Think, Say or Do*.

President Terry Perkins adjourned the meeting at 8:15 a.m.

District 5300 News

In Memoriam:



PDG Garbis Der-Yeghian

Rotarian Action Group for Peace Chair

Rotary Club of La Verne (California, USA)

District 5300

It is with a heavy heart to share the sad news of the passing of **PDG Dr. Garbis Der-Yeghian**.

Dr. Garbis was devoted his travels and life to building peace. His various health conditions were exasperated by the COVID-19 virus which ended his journey here on earth on January 11, 2021. His untimely death will leave a huge gap in the hearts of many especially District 5300.

Dr. Garbis Der-Yeghian founded and organized 30 peace conferences for Rotary International District 5300. He was the immediate past chair of Rotarian Action Group for Peace (RAGFP) and organized a peace mission to the Holy Land in March, 2019 with the participation of RAGFP Board Members. Chair the Middle East Initiative Council established by RAGFP. He was a visionary and dynamic peacemaker and was actively involved in promoting goodwill and better understanding between Armenians and Turks. He served as President of Mashdots College in Glendale, California and as Senior Professor taught Organizational Leadership and Public Diplomacy.

Dr. Der-Yeghian was the recipient of more than 200 national and international recognitions and has been honored by a score of heads of States, government officials, universities and organizations.

He is survived by his wife, Angela and two sons.

Rotary International News



As we stand at the threshold of the third decade of the 21st century, imagine where we're headed.

In 1915, writing in Rotary magazine, Paul Harris remarked: What Rotary will be 100 years hence, none living can imagine. More than a century later, there's no need to imagine: Rotary has thrived. As we stand at the threshold of the third decade of the 21st century, we are imagining where we're headed and what to expect when we get there.

What defines the next generation of leadership? by Joe Otin

The future of leadership relies on a multicultural approach, and balancing results and participation.

Swiss-born Joel, a PhD student, headed up health research in the international company we worked for. I had gotten to know him over the years and had observed in him a rare analytical capacity and an intelligence of the highest order. When I eventually invited him to join my Rotary club, he proved deft in making positive and lasting changes and led the service projects committee to great successes.

As we debated, I argued that to achieve their aims, leaders must be results-oriented. They should define clear goals and drive their teams hard in order to meet them, I said as I gulped my water. A leader's capacity is ultimately measured by the outcomes that he or she achieves.

Joel grabbed his bottle and splashed water on his face to cool down. On the contrary, a leader's accomplishments are defined by the quality of his people and their ability to rally around the cause, he argued. You can't teach leadership it is a process of continuous learning. You must first gain a skill, and it is only then that you can seek leadership in that field.

I disagreed. There are hundreds of leadership courses offered by respectable institutions across the world, I countered, holding firmly to my views. Surely they can't all be wrong?

An unlikely debate on a basketball court leads me to think that three things are crucial for our future leaders: that they understand the means are as important as the ends; that they use a decentralized and participatory style of management; and that they apply a multicultural approach to solving the world's problems.

Read more perspectives about where Rotary may be headed and what to expect when we get there:

<https://www.rotary.org/en/future-what-can-we-expect-when-we-get-there>.

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