

"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves. *RI President Mark Daniel Maloney*

Home of the 2018-2019 Governor's Bell for Medium-Size Clubs and the Rotary International Presidential Citation with Distinction

September 12, 2019

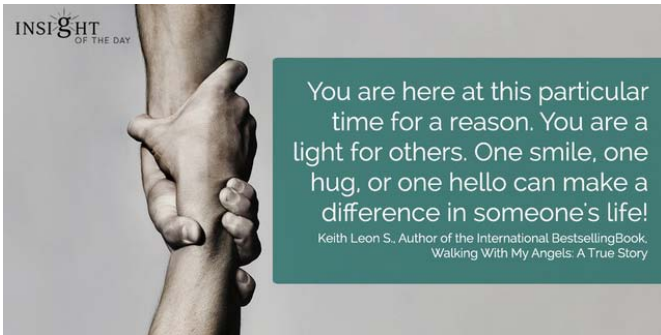
Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

President Julie Todd rang the bell at 7:00 a.m. After a time for fellowship and breakfast, she called the meeting of the Rotary Club of Green Valley (RCGV) to order at 7:12 a.m.

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

Moment of Inspiration

PDG and Vice President Larry Skaggs shared an inspirational quote:



Introductions, Announcements and Presentations

Guests

In Membership Director Debbie Mitsch's absence, **Jackie Carroll** welcomed our guests:

Dana Berg, visitor, friend of Lora Evans

Jess Berg, visitor, friend of Lora Evans

Ray Everhart, City of Henderson

Doug Guild, City of Henderson

Molly Jensen, Assistant Principal, Green Valley High School

Jacqueline Mason, Green Valley High School Student-of-the-Month

Katy & Jim Mason, parents of Student-of-the-Month

Sharla Raber, Alarmco

Bob Sulliman, Alarmco

Announcements

Alternative Meeting Program (AMP) met at Julie Todd's home on Thursday, September 12 at 5:30 p.m. Prospective members Kenny Lamberson, Scott Stobie, and Carlee Todd were in attendance along with RCGV members Lora Evans, PP Brad Marx, PDG Larry Skaggs, Mark Roy, Christine Smith, Shyloh Stobie and Julie Todd. The focus of the meeting was the Field of Honor and all of the beneficiaries we can serve with the proceeds. For more information about AMP contact Shyloh Stobie at swehner@variegategroup.com.



Club Leaders



Julie Todd
President



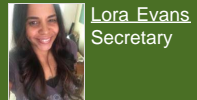
Terry Perkins
President-Elect



Larry E. Skaggs
Vice President



Janet Pancoast
iPast President



Lora Evans
Secretary



Larry Flashberg
Treasurer



Darcy A. Dougherty
Club Director



Debbie Mitsch
Club Director
Membership Chair



Mark Roy
Club Director



Christine L. Smith
Club Director
Community Service Chair



Shyloh Wehner
Club Director



Todd Cook
Assistant Governor

Birthdays

SOAR (NV Safety Officers Award Recognition) ceremony will take place on Monday, September 16 at 8:00 a.m. at Las Vegas City Hall. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

The **September Food Drive** benefitting the Henderson Food Bank is ongoing through September 30. Bring your items to next week's meeting.

The **2020 Field of Honor** executive committee will meet on Monday, September 16 at 6:00 p.m., at Mark Roy's home, 276 Plaza Napoli Ct., Henderson, 89074. Everyone is invited to attend. For more information on the Field of Honor, contact Chair PDG Larry Skaggs at bookmlar@gmail.com.

Delinda Crampton received a call from **Gerry Holinski**. He is living with his brother in Michigan and will be going into a rehabilitation facility next week.

Presentations



PP Mike Peterson introduced Jacqueline ♦ Jackie ♦ Mason as Student-of-the-Month from Green Valley High School (GVHS). Jackie is a 4.5 GPA senior at GVHS. She is the current president of the student council and is active in varsity cross country and varsity diving. She still finds time to be a member of the National Charity League and a roller skating club. She enjoys thrift shopping and traveling with her mom. Jackie has received multiple awards including NCAA highest team GPA, the National Gold Council of Excellence recognizing her for being a top athlete, the Scholar Athlete award, an Iron Gator, and honor roll.

Jackie's teachers are in awe of her wonderful talents and accomplishments and her attentive nature to find answers to all questions. She plans to become an oral surgeon.

The Rotary Club of Green Valley and Green Valley High School are extremely proud of Jackie and wish her much success in her future endeavors.



Mark Your Calendars! Watch for further details in the newsletter or on DACdb.

Sept. 16: SOAR Awards (Safety Officer Award Recognition), 8:00 a.m., Las Vegas City Hall

Sept. 16: Field of Honor Executive Meeting, Mark Roy's home, 6:00 p.m.

Sept. 26: Darcy Dougherty Craft Talk, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Sept. 28: Interact Conference, West Prep Academy, Henderson, NV

Oct. 3: Andrew Bennett, Dept. of Public Safety, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Oct. 8: RCGV Board of Directors Meeting, 5:30 p.m., 1880 E. Warm Springs Rd., 89119

Oct. 17: Nevada Mining, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Oct. 24: World Polio Day: SNAPS Presentation, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Oct. 31: Las Vegas Improv Halloween Show, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse



Ted E Durant
September 18th
Alex Grodzinsky
September 20th
Valerie Salerno
September 23rd
Linda Lee Lundgren
September 27th

Years of Service

Robert Dworkin
09-12-2013
6 Years
Gregory E. Bruce
09-10-2015
4 Years
Alex Grodzinsky
09-15-2016
3 Years

Club Meeting

Green Valley
Meets at The
Wildhorse Golf Club
2100 West Warm
Springs Road
Henderson, NV 89014
Time: Thursday at
07:00 AM



Trivia, Fines, Bucks and Dollars

Trivia and Fine Master Extraordinaire **PP Mike Peterson** tried to stump the crowd with trivia about National Video Game Day. **Heidi Woodruff** won immunity with her knowledge of PAC-Man.

Late arrivers spun the wheel.

Happy Bucks/Dammit Dollars

George Baggott reported that his granddaughter had her gallbladder taken out and can eat French fries now.

Dave McGovern had a happy buck for having his knee replaced next week. He had a couple of Dammit Dollars for a plumbing back up.

PP Bob Hulshouser had a Happy Buck for the student of the month and congratulations to the family. He reported that our three Interact clubs are running well. ROTC at Silverado will be part of the SOAR presentation. The Interact conference is September 28 at West Prep.

Greg Bruce had Happy Bucks for the student of the month; for Heidi knowing everything about video games; and for going to see Hamilton with Brad Marks.

Mark Roy had a Happy Buck for the student of the month and for his newest Great-grandchild who is out of the hospital and doing well. He had a Dammit Dollar for poor Mom being kept up all night.

Christine Smith had Bucks for the student of the month, our guests, and our Field of Honor sponsors.

Bill Collier had Happy Bucks for the student of the month, and for hopefully getting his house offer accepted soon.

PP Susan Johnson got back from France at the Marathon du M♦doc with her friends and family. It was a great trip. She had a Happy Buck that her friend, Bob Sulliman was there. She shared, ♦Alarmco has been good to us.♦

Jim Paxton paid his \$3 fine, a Dammit Dollar for UNLV♦s loss, and a Happy Buck that UNLV basketball is coming up.

PP Jim Frey paid **Delinda Crampton♦s** fine for advertising that she is listing Gerry♦s house. Dammit Dollar for the Rebels, but he doesn♦t want to talk about it. Carol is up at the cabin playing mahjong, and Jim is home eating over the sink.

PP Mike Petersen is happy his Hoosiers are currently undefeated.

PE Terry Perkins paid his fine, thanks to Brad Marx (neighbor to the left). He went to his daughter-in-law♦s citizenship ceremony and it was an exceptional experience.

PP Brad Marx had a happy dollar because Terry is his neighbor to the left. Dammit Dollar because Larry Skaggs is his neighbor to the right.

PDG Larry Skaggs is happy he didn♦t have to pay any fines. On Sunday, Larry is registering anyone that would like to decorate the Rose Parade float. It costs \$10. He is aiming for Dec 30th. Register by email. Don♦t call him. His phone died and he must wait a week to get the iPhone 11. He had a Happy Buck for his trip in Denver for a Rotary Zone Institute and the great speakers he heard.

Delinda Crampton suggests PDG Larry Skaggs get an Android. She paid her late fine. She is happy to be a proud mom for her oldest son♦s team winning at flag football and one for going to see Wicked with her youngest son.

President Julie Todd asked everyone to feed the Polio Pig. She was happy to have the Field of Honor sponsors present, she welcomed our visitors, and congratulated Jackie, the student-of-the-month.

Program



In-Kind sponsors were here to be recognized as our amazing sponsors of the Field of Honor 2018. PDG Larry Skaggs gave a brief history of how we got the City of Henderson to work with the club and explained what the Field of Honor represents to RCGV. Without hesitation, the City immediately offered us Cornerstone Park. City of Henderson Parks and Recreation Parks Superintendent, Doug Guild said ♦seeing the FOH is a sacred experience♦. Doug Guild and Ray Everhart were presented with certificates of appreciation.

Bob Sulliman and Sharla Raber from Alarmco were in attendance. Mark saw Bob at a networking event and asked if they could provide security for the Field of Honor. He said yes immediately and promises to be a Legacy Sponsor. Bob said, ♦It♦s an honor to protect the Field of Honor.♦ They too were presented with certificates of appreciation.

Findlay Honda and Sunbelt had to send their regrets. But both pledge to sponsor the event

again in 2019.

Adjournment

Valerie Salerno's number was pulled. She drew a 3. The pot was at \$109. She then led the group in recitation of the Four-Way Test of the Things We Think, Say or Do.

President Julie adjourned the meeting by ringing the bell at 8:00 a.m.

District 5300 News



Joe Berninger, founder of the Guatemala Literacy Project (GLP) and Jim Hunt are **organizing Rotary service trips to Guatemala** and we are looking for interested Rotarians.

The GLP is the largest grassroots, multi-club, multi-district effort in the Rotary world not directed by RI itself and according to former RI President Ian Riseley **the gold standard of Rotary projects**. Over 600 Rotary clubs from 8 countries have participated in the GLP since its inception in 1996. GLP Textbook, Computer, Teacher Training, and Youth Development programs currently serve more than 50,000 impoverished children.



They need Rotarians to join the following [service trips to Guatemala](#):

- Feb 1-9, 2020
- Feb 18-23, 2020
- July 12-18, 2020
- July 21-26, 2020

These trips offer a variety of experiences: some are longer or shorter; some more hands-on; yet *all* give you the opportunity to serve as a meaningful part of Rotary's work fighting poverty in Guatemala.

Please visit the [project's website](#) for more details. If you have any questions, you can email Joe at joe@guatemalaliteracy.org.

Rotary International News



For the 12th consecutive year, The Rotary Foundation has received the highest rating of four stars from [Charity Navigator](#), an independent evaluator of charities in the U.S.

The [Foundation](#) earned the recognition for demonstrating both strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency. Only one percent of the organizations Charity Navigator evaluates have received 12 consecutive 4-star evaluations.

"Attaining a 4-star rating verifies that The Rotary Foundation exceeds industry standards and outperforms most charities in your area of work", says Michael Thatcher, president and chief executive officer of Charity Navigator. "This exceptional designation sets the Foundation apart from its peers and demonstrates to the public its trustworthiness. The rating reflects Charity Navigator's assessment of how the Foundation uses donations, sustains its programs and services, and practices good governance and openness.

For more information: <https://www.rotary.org/en/rotary-foundation-receives-highest-rating-charity-navigator-12th-consecutive-year>

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