

Rotary

Longmont Twin Peaks



Club Meeting

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Meets at Friendship Center at
First Evangelical Lutheran Church
803 Third Ave
Longmont, CO 80501
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

Speakers

August 29: Julie Lupien,
volunteer coordinator from the
OUR Center
Subject: Introduction to the
OUR Center

September 5, 2019

Erin Fosdick, Longmont Senior
Planner

◆ Planning for Longmont ◆
Main Street Corridor ◆

Events

August 22nd
Club Meeting

August 29th
Club Meeting

September 2nd
**OUR Center Meal: Prepare
and Serve**

September 5th
Club Meeting

September 12th
Board Meeting

September 12th
Club Meeting

September 12th
Twin Peaks After Hours

September 13th
**Foothills United Way Day of
Caring @ The Learning
Center**

September 19th
Club Meeting

September 26th
Club Meeting

Club Leaders

August 22, 2019

Visitors and Guests

Al Guse introduced Josh Atherton, Executive Director of Education Foundation of St. Vrain Valley.

Beth Shipp introduced Marc Cowell, Exec. Director of the OUR Center and a prospective member.

Dietra introduced Lisa Trank & Sheila Strukel from Flagstaff Academy.

Chris McVay visited from the Longmont Rotary Club with PEACHES!

Announcements

Mark your calendars! The Holiday Ball will be held on Saturday, 11/23 at the Dickens Opera House. Entertainment will be provided by the Wash Park Band. We really need to get out and sell tickets because this event is ALL OURS this year! Tickets are \$75 per person and each club member is asked to commit to selling two tickets. You can buy them for yourself or can sell them to someone else, but this will go a long way to getting the 300 tickets sold! If you are interested in volunteering prior to or at the event, please contact Kurt Finley at kurtjoefinley@gmail.com.

Charlene Santala-Gearing is our new Service Director and is looking for people who want to help organize Service Projects this coming year. Please contact her at santalagearing@gmail.com if you are interested. We have a couple of service events coming up soon:

- A few more people are needed to serve lunch at the OUR Center from 10-2 on Monday, 9/2.
- The United Way Day of Caring is Friday, 9/13 from 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. We are looking for about 15 volunteers to help with projects at The Learning Center (TLC).

You can contact Charlene at the e-mail above if you are interested in either of these opportunities.

Brag Bucks

Charlene Santala Gearing bragged about the power of our new club management tool, DACdb, and that she completed her 1st Triathlon at Altitude.

Al Guse bragged that he has his first grandson in college.

Ray Derr bragged that his daughter is getting engaged.

Karin Snyder bragged that she is also back to school and shared concerns for Leona Stoecker, who has been diagnosed with cancer.

Tom Moore bragged that the Hover Senior Living will finally be having Ribbon Cutting for their new care homes at 2:00 on 8/29.

Jim Marty bragged that he attended his 45th High School Class Reunion and his son Jack will be a



Dietra Porter
Club President



Kirsten Pellicer
Club President - Elect



Dean G. Lehman
Club President -
Nominee



Keri Davis
Club Secretary



Wendi A. Nafziger
Club Treasurer



Carol Schack
Club Admin Chair



Richard Samson
Membership Chair



Ashley Nichols
Kasprzak
Public Relations Chair



Donna E. Mercier
Rotary Foundation
Chair



Charlene Santala
Gearing
Club Service Director



Kent Schnegelberger
Youth Services
Director



Stephanie McKay
Club iPast President



Steve Benschmidt
Charity Fundraising
Director

Birthdays

Senior at CU next week.

Trivia

In 1836, the building holding the patent for the fire hydrant burned down.

In 2014, a tree dedicated to George Harrison died due to an infestation of ♠ beetles!

Apparently the founder of Match.com lost his girlfriend to a man she met on ♠ Match.com!

Fish Bowl

\$18 went to Beth Shipp

Programs

Lance Dehning presented on Puerto Rico. Puerto Rico is about the same size as Delaware and Rhode Island combined, and it is a territory of the United States. Residents are US citizens. Puerto Ricans pay Social Security (with more limited benefits available), but do not file a US Federal Tax return. They do file an income tax return with the government of Puerto Rico. Puerto Rico ♠ residents cannot vote in presidential elections. They have one member in the House of Representatives, who is non-voting.

Lance has been doing work and investing in the Roosevelt Roads military base, which is located on the eastern coast of Puerto Rico. It was built during WWII when it was decided that the US needed a presence there. It opened and closed several times over the years before being abandoned by the US Military several years ago.

Lance and his partners are creating ♠glamping♠ style units on 146 acres. This works well because they can only lease the land, they cannot buy it. In addition, they are remodeling 152 units of condos that were in the process of being built when the base shut down and turning them into a resort.

He made a plug for doing business and retiring in Puerto Rico. Although the power grid is still questionable, the temperatures are more even throughout the year than Miami. They have affordable real estate, cheaper health care, and combine the old-world feeling with modern amenities and shops. An added bonus is that US citizens can work and bank easily. There are also tremendous tax savings for people who become residents of Puerto Rico by living there six months + one day.

Social Media

Have you visited our Rotary Facebook page?
<https://www.facebook.com/longmonttwinpeaksrotary/>

Editarian

Kirsten Pellicer

Keri Davis
August 26th
Erik Nelson
August 26th

Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries
Found

