

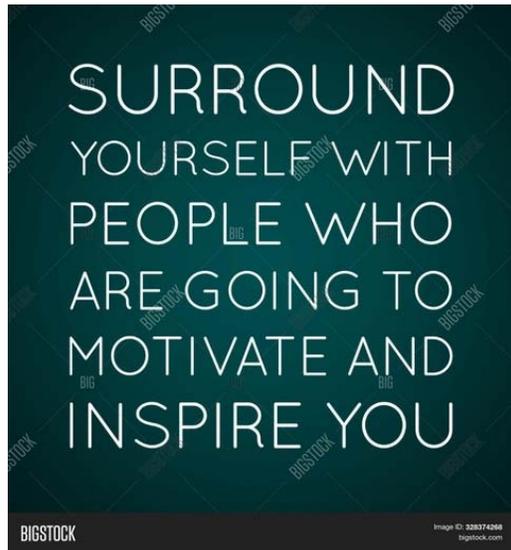
March 18, 2021

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, Announcements and New Member Inductions

Guests

Membership Chair Delinda Crampton welcomed our guests:

- Ben Berard, Visiting Rotarian from Summerlin
- Sue Rodriguez, Health Coach, Speaker
- DJ Stanhope, Executive Director, USO Nevada, Guest of PDG Larry Skaggs

Correction from March 11th meeting: visitor Irene Kokinelis' name was spelled incorrectly.

Announcements

St. Patrick's Virtual Bingo took place on Sunday night. Fun was had by all in attendance. Bingo winner received gift cards, assorted wines, Yetis, Baileys Irish Cream and a catered Chinese dinner all donated by our members. The Nevada Rotary Foundation will receive \$380.



Membership Drive - In March, we are focusing on "Most Wanted" vocations/categories: Dentist and General Contractor. You will receive one point for every visitor; two points for every visitor in the most wanted category; and five points for every person who joins. There will be one prize per month for most visitor points and a grand prize at the end of the three month campaign. So far, it is a close contest with Jerry Gardberg, Darcy Dougherty and Larry Skaggs with one point each. Delinda Crampton has two points. And, Tarby Bryant has 6 points since Bill joined the club! Give them a run for their money...invite a friend!



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
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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

Field of Honor - Several openings for chair positions were filled last week. We have a few more to fill. Please let **PDG Larry Skaggs** know if you are willing to help. We need 100% member participation. It is time to solicit sponsorships and flag sales.



Virtual Bike Rodeo - A virtual Bike Rodeo will take place with Robert Taylor Elementary School. We will produce an intro video and host a Q&A for the kids on either April 16th or 23rd. A bike giveaway will take place on May 23rd.



4-Way Speech Contest - **Cathy Hart** shared that she would be attending the area-level 4-Way Speech Contest on Thursday, March 18th with our winner from Green Valley High School, **Sohini M.** She will report the results next week.



Thursday morning RCGV meetings will remain via Zoom through March.



Next Week's Speaker:

Brewmaster **Joe Couzzo** of Hudl Brewing Company in Downtown Las Vegas.

Summerlin Club Event...A fundraiser for us:

Birthdays

Linda Bazoian
March 6th
Judy Harris Lloyd
March 14th
Gregory E. Bruce
March 22nd
Michael L. Soden
March 23rd
Susan Holland Johnson
March 30th

Years of Service

Ami Khauv
03-07-2019
2 Years
Scott Caddow
03-19-2020
1 Year

Club Meeting

Green Valley has two meeting times:

The morning traditional meeting is currently Thursday via Zoom.

(Check our webpage for details.)

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

For information, please visit our webpage.

In the house...Your house

DO YOU MISS VEGAS? WE'RE BRINGING THE STRIP RIGHT INTO YOUR LIVING ROOM.



Your ticket comes with a **\$25 Pizza Hut online coupon.**



Streaming Saturday, April 17
at 6pm

Encores performances all night long after the first show!

Headliners include:



Magician Mat Franco
Comedian Carrot Top
Fantasy Show Girls
Frank Marino as Joan Rivers
The Australian Bee Gees
The Carpenters Tribute
Neil Diamond Tribute
The Kingston Trio Tribute

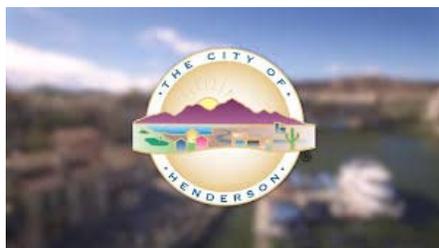


On April 17, the Las Vegas Summerlin club has its big fundraiser, *A Night on the Vegas Strip and Pizza Party*, an hour-plus streaming show that brings into everyone's home some of the strip's top headliners. The evening comes with a \$25 Pizza Hut online coupon good anywhere, anytime. The evening promotes Rotary throughout.

Each ticket is \$85 per household. **For every ticket we sell, our club gets \$25.** If we sell 40, we get \$1,000. It is crucial we use the code **HEN** so that they can count up the number of tickets sold by our club and multiply times \$25. Same goes if the invite is forwarded to others. So, tell your friends!! Buy your tickets at rotarysummerlin.org

The link to the streaming show on Saturday April 17 as well as the online Pizza Hut coupon will be individually emailed 48 hours before the show. And the show can be repeated if people can't make the initial 6 p.m. start.

Community Service Opportunities - Your Community Needs YOU!



Heritage Senior Center - The City of Henderson needs your help as they open Heritage Senior Center to immunize our community. We have signed up seven people so far and urge more to follow! Please send an email to **Mark Roy** (mroy.rotary@gmail.com) or text him at 714-366-8145 with the word "Volunteering."

Delivering with Dignity - URGENT REQUEST: Delivering with Dignity NEEDS YOUR HELP! Please text or call Kaycie at (702) 403-9893. Introduce yourself and tell her you are from Rotary Club of Green Valley!

New Member Induction

President Terry inducted **Adam Amos** and **Bill Bockermann** into the membership of RCGV. **Membership Chair Delinda Crampton** is Adam's mentor and **PED Tarby Bryant** is Bill's mentor. President Terry shared the highlights of being a Rotarian with them and they shared what they see as their role with Rotary. Welcome to RCGV, Adam and Bill!

Trivia, Fines, Bucks and Dollars

PP Mike Peterson, Trivia Master extraordinaire, continued with the St. Patty's theme from last week by featuring famous Americans of Irish descent.



Dave Jochman won bragging rights for knowing that Henry Ford had Irish roots. Other Irish Americans of note included: Nirvana's Kurt Cobain, Imagineer Walt Disney, Rotary Partner Bill Gates, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and UFC President, Dana White.



Happy Bucks (HB) and Dammit Dollars (DD)

PP Mike Peterson shared that his neohew and Godson, Cameron had his surgery leaving him with half of one kidney and 98% of the other and a prognosis of an over 95% chance for a normal life. Great news!

Dave Jochman had a HB for Illinois who has a good chance in the Big Dance! He shared that Allegiant has 47 planes dedicated to flying the NCAA men's and women's teams during the playoffs.

Darcy Dougherty welcomed Bill and Adam to the club and had a HB for a great St. Paddy's Day celebration with friends Debbie and Will who will be moving to Palm Springs soon.

PP Jim Frey shared that he and Carol will be volunteering at Heritage Senior Center. He had a HB/DD because UNLV is looking for a new coach. He and PDG Larry offered their services but have heard nothing thus far.

PDG Larry Skaggs had to tease Jochman about being late to a Zoom meeting. "Must have been the traffic?" (Jochman blamed the three Jamesons) Larry had a HB for Don Havins' recommendation for computer help.

Cathy Hart had a HB for the answer to: "What does a not-ready-to-retire person need to do?" She just became a certified John Maxwell speaker and coach. Congratulations on your achievement, Cathy!

Lora Evens had a HB for her cousin being willing to be a consultant in her new business.

Delinda Crampton welcomed new members, Adam and Bill. She had fun at the Bingo Party on Sunday and congratulated Julie and Mark for winning the Yetis she donated. She had an additional HB for her two listings that went out over asking and for five other listings that went into contract!

Mark Roy had a HB for his and Esther's lunch with **Art and Arlene Macarios**. It is the first outing of its kind for them in a long time. He encouraged everyone to sign-up to help our community at Heritage Senior Center immunization clinic.

Bill Bokelmann had a HB for spending the weekend in Texas for his granddaughter's 4th birthday. He reported that the plane was packed!

Darcy Dougherty was excited about how well the Golden Knights are playing. She shared that she has joined the VGK Ladies (Vegas Golden Knights women only fans). Go Knights! **PDG Larry** pitched in \$5 for that!

Program

**Back by popular demand:
Health Coach Sue Rodriguez
"Spring Your Health Forward"**



**Optavia Coach
Sue@MyCoach.com
www.MyCoachSue.com**

Coach Sue spoke to the club at the beginning of the pandemic to give us guidance. She returned to help us break some bad habits and start some new good habits. Her words of wisdom:

Quick fixes are not sustainable.

Create a belief system. Too many people think they are too busy to be healthy.

There is no accidental success. Plan to be successful.

Hitting obstacles is part of the process. The breakthrough is on the other side of the obstacle.

Bad habits form faster and last longer.

Willpower vs. Why Power - Reasons reap results.

What does 'you' in optimal health look like?

Pick one habit to work on:

Plan with the end in mind.

Be non-judgemental with yourself.

Give yourself grace.

Be less sedentary.

Observe with curiosity.

Track results.

Empower yourself.

Make your dream 10X bigger!

Celebrate your achievements!

Behaviors and thoughts that do not serve you must be replaced.

Thank you for the inspiration, Coach Sue. President Terry presented her with a flag that can be dedicated to her hero in our next Field of Honor.

Adjournment

George Baggott 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 8:13 a.m.

AMP - Alternative Meeting Program

AMP had the honor of a visit from PDG Sylvia Whitlock as guest speaker on Thursday, March 18.



Sylvia Whitlock was born in New York City but educated in Kingston, Jamaica. Returned to New York City to earned 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 Masters 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 Masters 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. Sylvia 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 two adult children - BG, a deputy county counsel in San Mateo County, CA and Arlan. Her daughter Meredith (deceased) was a Paul Harris Fellow. She considers raising her children the most satisfying and enjoyable job she has ever had.

Sylvia spoke about and addressed the need to recruit young men and women into Rotary. They HAVE to make this focus.



She also spoke of a program near and dear to her heart: PACE UNIVERSAL. It is the product of one woman's dream. Sylvia's dear friend and fellow Rotarian Deepa Biswas Willingham was born and raised in Kolkata (Calcutta). She saw the poverty that crippled her own community and vowed to make a change. Through PACE and the Piyali Learning Center, Deepa has poured every privilege back into the hands of the most vulnerable yet valuable members of society - girls. The result has transformed not just the lives of those girls, but that of entire communities. Deepa's example is a testament to PACE's cause. She is proof that when girls are empowered with education, they grow into agents of change for their communities. Sylvia supports and participates in this cause.

It was such an honor and privilege to have PDG Whitlock with us. She inspired and empowered us. A special thank you to PDG Mama Lu Arredondo for her visit and her generous contribution of \$250 to AMP. Both of these women are Women of Action and rock our Rotary world.



District 5300 News



District 5300 Projects Fair - March 22

Join us on Monday, March 22, at 6:00 p.m. for a District 5300 Project Fair. We will feature a presentation from Shelterbox, one of Rotary International's partners in disaster response.

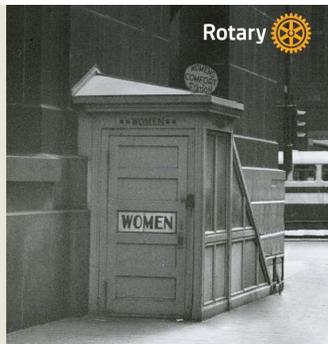
Then we will hear about global grants projects being organized by the Montebello, Las Vegas After Hours, and East Los Angeles clubs. Each of these three projects are planned to take place here in District 5300.

Finally, we will hear from Global Hope Network International, a member of our Pahrump Valley club.

You will find ways for you and your club to be involved in these projects so you can help change lives here in District 5300 and around the world!

Rotary International News

In 1907, the Rotary Club of Chicago advocated for public restrooms in the city of Chicago.



Clean water, sanitation, and hygiene education are basic necessities for a healthy environment and a productive life.

When people have access to clean water and sanitation, waterborne diseases decrease, children stay healthier and attend school more regularly, and mothers can spend less time carrying water and more time helping their families.

How Rotary Makes Help Happen

Through water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) programs. Rotary's people of action mobilize resources, form partnerships, and invest in infrastructure and training that yield long-term change.

For more information: https://www.rotary.org/en/new-rotary-foundation-grant-supports-scaling-proven-malaria-program-in-zambia?utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=orgsoc&utm_profile=rotary&utm_campaign=

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