

"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*

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September 26, 2019

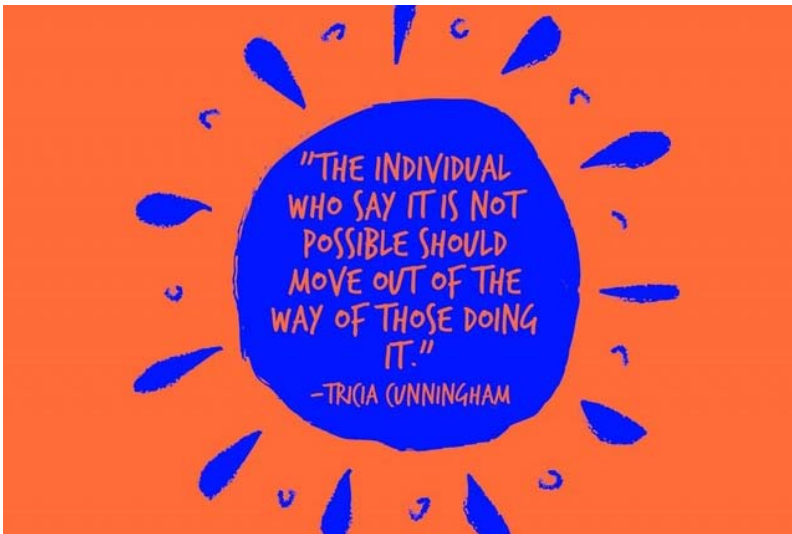
Greeting and Pledge of Allegiance

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 7:10 a.m.

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

Moment of Inspiration

Mark Roy shared an inspirational quote provided by **PDG Larry Skaggs**:



Introductions, Announcements and Presentations

Guests

Heidi Woodruff welcomed our guests:

Jennifer Bartkowitz ♦ Assistant Principal, Coronado HS

Sean Maseng ♦ Student-of-the-Month, Coronado HS

Nancy Maseng - Parent of Student-of-the-Month

Announcements

President Julie made the following announcements:

Sewell School Adopt-a-Class Book Distribution took place at 8:45 a.m. Thursday, September 26. All members of Ms. Wendi Thompson's kindergarten class received three books each and a helping of donut holes. President Julie, Judy Lloyd read books to the kids while Mark Roy took pictures of the enthusiastic group.



Club Leaders



Julie Todd
President



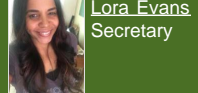
Terry Perkins
President-Elect



Larry E. Skaggs
Vice President



Janet Pancoast
iPast President



Lora Evans
Secretary



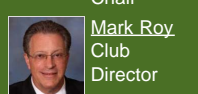
Larry Flashberg
Treasurer



Darcy A. Dougherty
Club Director



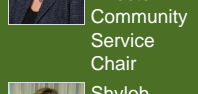
Debbie Mitsch
Club Director
Membership Chair



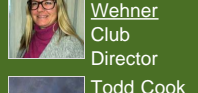
Mark Roy
Club Director



Christine L. Smith
Club Director
Community Service Chair



Shyloh Wehner
Club Director



Todd Cook
Assistant Governor

Birthdays



Julie Todd
October 3rd
Christine L. Smith
October 12th

Years of Service

No Years Of Service
Found

Club Meeting

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

Next Week: Department of Public Safety: Zero Fatalities Program with Andrew Bennett

October 4 Rotary Rendezvous will be hosted by Jackie & Ron Carroll ♦s home, 1819 Baton Rouge St., Henderson 89052, 5:30 ♦ 7:30 p.m. A \$10 per person cover charge will include dinner and beverages. Please RSVP: darcyadougherty@gmail.com

Feed the PIG! End Polio Now

Henderson Food Drive ♦ This is the last day of the drive. Ted Durant needs volunteers to deliver items to the food bank on Friday, September 27 at 9:30 a.m.

Henderson Presbyterian Church
601 N. Major Ave
Henderson 89015

(corner of N. Major/Westminster Way ♦ same street as the Bike Rodeo at Robert Taylor Elementary School, on the corner.)

If you can join Ted for the delivery, please email Ted Durant at tedurant@yahoo.com .

Presentations



Rotarian of the Month for August 2019 - As a postscript to his Craft Talk in August, President Julie presented Jim Frey with a certificate and pin honoring him as Rotarian of the Month for August 2019.

PP Mike Peterson introduced Sean Maseng, student-of-the-month from Coronado High School. Sean gives 100% to everything he does. He excels in diverse classes and is part of the Advanced Placement Academy. He has been a part of the Robotics team for 4 years as vice president and now as president. His Robotics teacher, Ms. Noto recognizes Sean ♦s strengths that transcend every category ♦ intelligence, leadership, strong work ethic and compassion. All his teachers agree. Sean looks forward to pursuing public service and making a difference in the world through a career in government.

Sean created Soap for Hope, a community project that supplies hygiene kits to homeless in our community. Over the past 4 years, his chapter has created over 11,000 kits and have a goal of creating another 5,000 in October.



Coronado High School and RCGV are proud of Sean and wish him well in his future endeavors. PP Mike Peterson presented Sean with a plaque and President Julie gave him an Amazon gift card from RCGV.



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

Sept. 28: Interact Symposium, 7:30a.m., West Prep Academy, 2050 Sapphire Stone Ave., LV 89106

Oct. 3: Department of Public Safety, ♦Zero Fatalities: Don♦t Kill A Dream.♦ Speaker: Andrew Bennett, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Oct. 4: Rotary Rendezvous at Jackie Carroll♦s home, 1819 Baton Rouge Street, 89052, 5:30 ♦ 7:30 p.m.

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

Oct.10: Jerry Gardberg Craft Talk, 7:00 a.m. Wildhorse; AMP members to attend morning meeting.

Oct. 14: Field of Honor Executive Meeting, TBD

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

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

Oct. 31: LV Improv Halloween Show with Greg Bruce, 7:00 a.m., Wildhorse

Nov. 2: Horses4Heroes: A Family Rotary Rendezvous at the Ranch, 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Nov. 16: Garbis Peace Conference, 8:00 a.m. ♦ 1:30 p.m., Treasure Island Hotel, 3300 S. Las Vegas Blvd. To register: <http://district5300.org/peace-conference/>

Trivia, Fines, Bucks and Dollars

Trivia and Fine Master PP Mike Peterson deemed it Julie Todd Trivia Day. He tried to stump everyone with everything Julie or Todd related. Mark Roy won immunity.

A bevy of latecomers lined up to spin the wheel and pay their fines.

George Baggott had a Happy Buck that his granddaughter is doing better after surgery.

Don Havins was honored to be named Distinguished Physician-of-the-Year at a medical association meeting.

PP Jim Frey had Happy Bucks for Don Havins♦ award; and mark your calendars for Opportunity Village on December 11 and 17 and the annual Soccer Tournament on December 3.

Bill Collier proudly had a Happy Buck for his son, Eddie, who is in Japan picking new location for new MGM property.

Terry Perkins was proud that his son, David, made his own kilt outfit.

Valerie Salerno had a Dammit Dollar because the dog ate her homework but had a Happy Buck for a new puppy and that there is no more boot on her foot! And, another to cover Julie's 'President Pay'.

Jackie Carroll had a Happy Buck for Sean, the Student-of-the-Month, and one for Bill Collier for his ♦peppy♦ Pledge of Allegiance. She wants everyone to come to her house for the Rotary Rendezvous on Friday, October 4.

Dave Jochman was happy to be home and sleeping in his own bed. He transported marines from South Carolina to Palm Springs. They were young and good-looking much like he was back in the day.

Greg Bruce had a Happy Buck for the Student-of-the-Month. He hates the Student-of-the-Month because it makes him feel like a low-life. He appreciated having the meat first in the buffet line. And one for Brian Whitaker contributing to our fund.

Judy Lloyd had a buck for the Student-of-the-Month. She went to California to see a doctor and to go to the Museum of Tolerance.

Darcy Dougherty updated news about the Rotary Ranch Rendezvous, first Saturday of November (Nov. 2), from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. She had a Happy Buck for being speaker.

Christine Smith had a Happy Buck for our Student-of-the-Month, Sean. He was the first student from Coronado to go to RYLA. She asked him what was the best thing about RYLA. He said ♦the

team building skills. He is still in contact with friends he made in the group at RYLA. Christine is going on a trip to Lake Superior with a friend that is retiring. She had a Dammit Dollar because she must meet with the University police. She assured us she is not in trouble.

Ami Khauv went to a District meeting in Minnesota and learned lots of new things. And the Vikings won.

President Julie had Happy Bucks for our Student-of-the-Month; congrats to Dr. Don for his honor; and was looking forward to hearing Darcy's presentation. She had a Dammit Dollar because her grandson had more issues with his eye, and she is going back to Chicago for 10 days in October to help her family.

Program

President Julie introduced **Darcy Dougherty**. She described herself as a Kansas-born girl but grew up in many places. She lived in the grounds at a school for boys that her father ran. They moved a lot and then finally settled in Rockford, Illinois, where she attended four years and graduated from Harlem High School. She was involved in many activities in high school, moving around made her outgoing.



Darcy always dreamed of being on stage as a kid, but after a semester around theater people at University of Illinois, she thought better of it. She became a realtor at 21 and eventually was a realty trade association manager and Bob worked as the associate director. She met Bob through politics and they will be married 42 years on Tuesday. They love to travel, the Golden Knights and the theater. They love to volunteer through Rotary and Spread the Word. They are in the branding business. And shared stories about the importance of branding.

President Julie thanked Darcy and presented her as Rotarian-of-the-Month for September with a pin and certificate.

ADJOURNMENT

Husband Bob pulled **Darcy Dougherty's** ticket. She drew a 66. The pot was \$169. Darcy led the group in the Four-Way Test of the Things We Think, Say or Do.

President Julie adjourned the meeting by ringing the bell at 8:02 a.m.

District 5300 News



It is with great sadness that we inform the District of the passing of Meredith Lynne Alstad, daughter of First Lady of Rotary, PDG Dr. Sylvia Whitlock. A Celebration of Meredith's Life will be held at Trinity United Methodist Church at 11:00 am on Saturday, September 28th, 2019. The church is located at 676 Gibbs St., Pomona CA. Rotary was part of her extended family and she will be missed beyond measure. All are welcome to join in the celebration of her beautiful life.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Stanford University Medical Center.

For more information: <https://www.rishermortuary.com/obituaries/Meredith-Alstad/>

Rotary International News

Good neighbors

When you make your plans to attend the Rotary International Convention in Honolulu, June 6 - 10, 2020, consider adding a few days to your trip to venture beyond Oahu and take in the splendors of its neighboring islands.



Nāpali Coast State Park

On Kauai, nature lovers will fall in love with Nāpali Coast State Park (pictured). Pali means cliff, and you will find some thrilling ones, dotted with waterfalls, in the valleys along the coast. You might recognize this coastline from Jurassic Park; parts of the film series were shot here.

On Maui, you can drive the Hana Highway, a 64-mile route that hugs the north coast from Kahului through the tiny town of Hana and on to Kipahulu. The road has over 600 hairpin curves and 46 one-lane bridges. If you want to focus all your attention on the landscape, you can take a tour bus and let someone else worry about the driving.

And on the Big Island, you can see nature's raw power in Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. Visit [nps.gov/havo](https://www.nps.gov/havo) for updates on the volcanoes in the park. While you are on the Big Island, visit the coffee-growing Kona region to see the careful cultivation behind your morning cup of joe. Many coffee farms offer tours, and it is worth taking more than one to get a fuller picture.

◆ HANK SARTIN

◆ Don't miss the 2020 Rotary Convention in Honolulu. Register at [rotaryconvention.org](https://www.rotaryconvention.org) by 15 December to save.

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