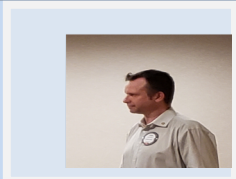


March 17, 2021

March is Water & Sanitation Month



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This Weeks Program

Deserterian Reporter—Barbara Lippert

Speaker PDG Marilyn Sanderson. Past District Governor and present club president speaking to us about membership. She was introduced to Rotary in Australia. Then went to Kenya with other Rotarians. She spent her time at a school, at first discouraged with the lack of funds and the school being not up to her standards. Then she noticed a sign on each chair saying donated by the local Rotary Club. The Rotarians explained that you have to start somewhere. Realizing how poor they were and how Rotary was making a difference it hit her in a wonderful way. She continued to keep checking Rotary out until she joined a club, becoming its leader. Following that she became a leader of the district.

She moved from San Diego to Rancho Mirage where she joined The Rancho Mirage club. She was immediately put to work being drawn into the group. Using Amazon and Apple as business models, Marilyn talked about how we can talk to others about Rotary and how we can engage them and show them what they want before they even know they want it.

Going on Instagram where young people are post and pictures of stories that would excite them and make them engaged. Give people a reason to want to join.

Find something someone is interested in and ask them to come. Make it easy and convenient and give them a reason to join.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Items are coming in for our Fundraiser. Please invite your friends to join our fundraiser April 1st at 5:00.
- Chris announced continuing with our monthly breakfast Milt had at Billy Reeds. Starting last Monday of month March 29th at 8:30
- Barbara announced new Vocational speaking program We are asking our members to share why they joined Rotary

Birthdays and Anniversaries for March

Member Birthdays	Birthday	
Keller, Daniel R. (DANIEL)	3/28/21	
Raffer, Paul Kenneth MD (PAUL)	3/13/21	
Wachs, Jacqueline Campagne (JACQUE)	3/16/21	
Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years
Alderman, David (DAVID)	3/19/97	24
Allan, Robert C. (BOB)	3/4/64	57
Saunders, Ryan (RYAN)	3/5/14	7