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Club Meeting

Oro Valley
Meets at Westward Look
Wyndham Grand Resort (1st
four Thursdays each month)
245 E Ina Rd
Tucson, AZ 85704
Time: Thursday at 07:30 AM

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Club Leaders



Leo J. Lawrenson
President

[Emily Erickson](#)

Join us for our meetings!

Rotary Club of Oro Valley



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The Rotary Club of Oro Valley meets the first four non-holiday Thursdays of every month at Westward Look Wyndham Grand Resort at [245 E Ina Rd, Oro Valley, AZ 85704](#) and on Zoom at:

U of A Tech Parks and Centers for Innovation

By Jane Shurtleff on Tuesday, January 7, 2025

Happy New Year Everyone!

Before we left on our holiday break, we heard from Casey Carrillo, the Executive Director of the [University of Arizona Center for Innovation](#). Casey is responsible for managing all activities of the incubator, including oversight of day-to-day operations. U of A Technology Parks and Innovation Centers foster the entrepreneurial spirit that creates tomorrow's innovations.



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January is Vocational Service Month

By Sue Archibald

Vocational Service Month

marks a time for Rotarians to focus on applying their professional skills

VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

Rotary
Beds, Bucks & Herts

"Vocational service gives Rotarians the opportunity to help others escape poverty and gain a measure of self-respect. As business and professional leaders, we have a duty to lead and encourage good ethics through vocation."

Carlos Frum, PDG D6440

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and ethical values to make a meaningful impact in their communities. As one of Rotary's core avenues of service, vocational service calls on members to demonstrate integrity, respect all professions, and use their expertise to address social and economic challenges.

Key Aspects of Vocational Service

1. **Ethical Leadership:** Rotarians apply the **Four-Way Test** to ensure fairness, honesty, and accountability in their work.
2. **Career Development:** Clubs organize mentorship programs, career fairs, and skills training to empower youth and professionals.
3. **Community Solutions:** Members use their professional knowledge to develop projects that support job creation, promote entrepreneurship, and foster economic growth.

How Clubs Celebrate

- Host vocational talks or workshops featuring local professionals.
- Partner with schools and universities to guide students on career opportunities.
- Recognize individuals and businesses for demonstrating excellence and ethical practices.









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Tubac: Swing for the Kids Golf Tournament

Meet LPGA Pro Anna Berman and compete to win a trip to Kapalua!

Or try on two other par 3's to win \$10,000 in cash. Range balls, lunch, beverages included.

[Register here](#)

-  President-Elect
-  [Tanya G. Edwards](#)
Secretary
-  [Stacey Stein Fox](#)
Club Foundation
Treasurer
Club Young Leaders
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Community Service
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-  [Richard D. Chimblo](#)
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-  [Gary D. Coxon](#)
Rotary Foundation
Chair
-  [Timothy Aalbu](#)
Membership Chair
-  [Jane Shurtleff](#)
Club
Communications
Chair
Public Relations
Chair
Club Programs Chair

Events

January 9th
[Oro Valley Weekly Club Meeting](#)

Speaker: Mark McKenna,
Boys to Men, Fund
Development Manager
Subject: Boys support
organization.

January 9th
**[Taste of Oro Valley
Committee Meeting](#)**

January 16th
[Oro Valley Weekly Club Meeting](#)
Speaker: Amy Serafin,
Development &

Communications Specialist
Children's Clinics
Subject: Children's Health &
Medical Care
January 16th
Oro Valley Board Meeting
January 23rd
Oro Valley Weekly Club Meeting
Speaker: no speaker
Subject: Club Assembly and
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January 30th
Oro Valley Weekly Club Meeting
Speaker: Laura Martinez,
Executive Coordinator,
Catholic Community Services
Subject: Family Services

Birthdays

Leo J. Lawrenson
January 11th
Dennis M. Breen III
January 12th
Gary D Coxon
January 25th
James Nook
January 25th
Dave Brown
February 3rd

District 5500 Leaders

 **Sue Archibald**
District Governor

 **Bruce Monro**
District Governor
Elect

Emma M. Carrillo
District Governor

Formerly Carey Daniels Five Club Tournament

Swing
FOR THE Kids

TUBAC Rotary CLUB
PEOPLE OF ACTION



Helping Youth With Their Education and Basic Needs

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Two \$10,000 Hole In One Prizes

Prizes for Longest Drive,
Closest to the Pin,
Putting Contest, Low Team
and High Team Scores

\$150 Per Person
\$95 Tubac Golf Members
Includes Cart, Range Balls
and after golf LUNCH

TUBAC GOLF RESORT
JANUARY 20, 2025
0900 SHOTGUN START
Registration starts at 0700

Click Here to Register:



<https://events.golfstatus.com/event/2025-swing-for-the-kids/details/registration-details>

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Rotary Club of Dove Mountain Presents: A Night in Monte Carlo

Thursday, January 2, 2025



Don't miss the Rotary Club of Dove Mountain's fundraising event of the year: **A Night in Monte Carlo** at The Buttes at Reflections in Oro Valley on Saturday, Feb 1, at 5:00 pm.

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Nominee



[Leo J. Lawrenson](#)
District Governor
Nominee Designate



[Ronald George Darrah](#)
District Conference
Chair



[Gary R. Friedman](#)
District Conference
Chair



[Kristi A. Halvorson](#)
District Rotary
Foundation Chair



[Donald Jorgensen](#)
Immediate Past
District Governor

Valencia Youth Soccer Camp Comes to Oro Valley

By Richard D. Chimblo on Tuesday, January 7, 2025

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Rotary Club of Oro Valley, in cooperation with the Town of Oro Valley, will be hosting a very special youth soccer training camp in March 2025. The camp will be conducted by members of the professional football club of Valencia, Spain at Naranja Park in Oro Valley on March 17-21, 2025. [Valencia Club Football](#) (VCF) has held these youth soccer training camps in Oklahoma, Florida, Illinois and other locations around the world for several years. [Read More](#)

Valle Verde: Jazz in the Desert

Saturday, March 1, 2025

Two Shows! 1:00pm Matinee and
5:30pm Dinner Show

Jazz In the Desert 2025 will feature jazz bands from Sahuarita High School, Nogales High School, Rio Rico High School, Continental School, Sahuarita Middle School, Walden Grove High School, Wade Carpenter Middle School and Anza Trail School.

[Click here](#) to purchase tickets online, or by phone at 208-691-3761, or e-mail at jazz@vrotaryfoundation.net

Matinee tickets are \$10. Dinner show tickets are \$60 and require advance purchase. Tickets are available online at

Over the years, Jazz in the Desert

Get Ready For **JAZZ** 2025
 In the Desert In Partnership With
 Valle Verde Rotary Club
 Saturday, March 1, 2025
 Quail Creek Madera Clubhouse
 La Posada GREEN VALLEY
 FREEPORT-McMORAN

Matinee Show

featuring Middle School Jazz Bands

1:00 PM Tickets \$10 each

Dinner Show

featuring High School Jazz Bands

5:30 PM Tickets \$60 each

For more information

call 208-691-3761

Or go to www.vvrotaryfoundation.net



events have raised nearly \$300,000, benefitting the various schools' music programs, as well as local, national and international Rotary projects.



Rotary District 5500-Wide Happy Hour



Dear District 5500 Rotarians,

You are invited to join us for a District-wide Happy Hour, hosted by

the Rotary Club of Oro Valley. The Happy Hour will be held at the Westward Look Wyndham Grand Resort on 245 E Ina Rd, in the Palm Room from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM. The Happy Hour will be held at the same place and at the same time on the 3rd Friday of each month. Your guests can also be included.

Any Rotarian attending will also be given a 20% discount card for all current and future meals and drinks + 9 guests at Westward Look!!

Please join us!

Weekly Trader Joe's Food Pickup for IMPACT of So. AZ

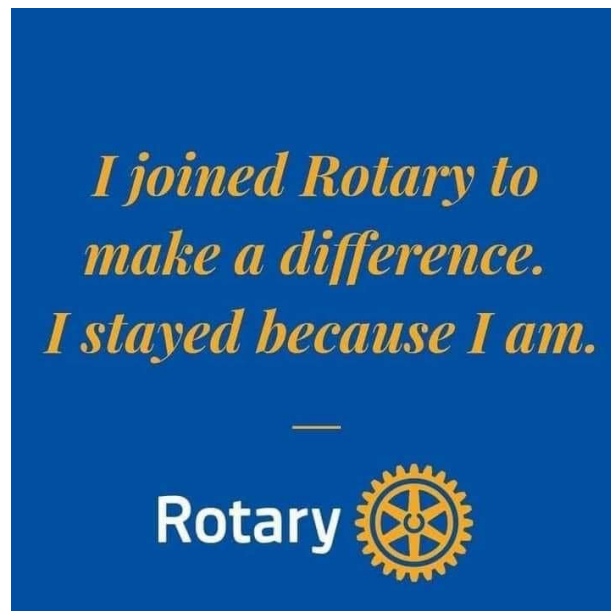
By Jane Shurtleff on Wednesday, July 31, 2024

It is hard to believe, but children and their families in Tuscon go to bed hungry. In fact, the Community Food Bank of Southern Arizona serves more than 18,000 people in Pima County every month, with a 30% increase in need over the holidays. For the last eight years, the Rotary Club of Oro Valley, along with Interact students, have gone to Trade Joe's every Saturday morning to pick up food for the IMPACT Community Food Bank - an estimated 26,000 lbs of food per year. By providing food for families, children and seniors, IMPACT is helping people stretch their budgets as well as ensure they have healthy food options and food to prepare at home. [Read More](#)



Rotary Graphics for a New Year

To help you get 2025 off to a great start, here's a fresh crop of inspiring graphics for your club's promotional materials. Just download them and save them to your computer.





Acquaintance
Fellowship
 Connections Opportunity
 Education **Service**
 Community
 Understanding International
Diversity Youth
 Peace
 Membership Commitments United
 Action Fair Respectful Ethical
 Expertise **Integrity**
 Accountability Honor
 Relationships Development
Leadership
 Sincere Responsible Professional



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Rotary 
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