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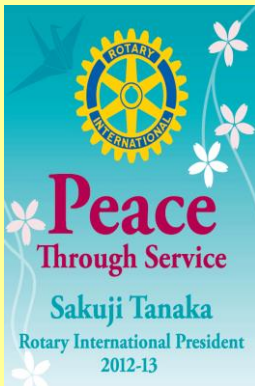
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### Future Speakers

**July 1, 2013**  
**Mike Montandon,**  
**Insight Investment**  
**Partners**

**July 8, 2013**  
**Don Logan,**  
**President 51's**  
**Baseball team**

**July 15, 2013**  
**Jeff Parker, VP**  
**Manpower on**  
**healthcare reform**



**July 31, 2013**  
**Feeding the**  
**Homeless**

**Christ Episcopal**  
**Church**  
**St. Louis &**  
**Maryland Pkwy**  
**5:00 pm to 7 pm**



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Did you know that you can make-up for a missed meeting by attending an E-Club Rotary meeting? Just click here to see how

[http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en\\_pdf/eclub\\_list.pdf](http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en_pdf/eclub_list.pdf).

**The Club meets at Lawry's Prime Rib restaurant, 4043 Howard Hughes Parkway at 12:15 p.m. every Monday. Please check the Club's website for meeting times and events at [www.lvswr.org](http://www.lvswr.org).**

### Announcements:

Ted Henderson announced that today Troy is presiding as president-elect and that next week will be Troy's first official meeting as incoming President for 2013-2014.

Next week, President-elect Troy announced that we will be holding a modified Club Assembly along with a speaker. Rebecca Collett, Membership Chair and Board member, will give the Club an update and we will also have a regular speaker, Mike Montandon.

Karen asked what "gift" we should be bringing Troy during her year; wine corks would be fine or Christmas ornaments.

### Recognitions:

Ted, what was June 21<sup>st</sup>? Why it was my 68<sup>th</sup> birthday and was a great day celebrating with his family. Troy then showered our members with the famous celebrities that Ted shares this birthday with; i.e., Prince William, Brandon Flowers of The Killers; Edward Snowden. For sharing this date with so many others, Ted was recognized \$50.

Wally, can you tell us anything about Purple Penguin Snowcone Shack? Wally explained that he only rents them space in two of his SpeedyMarts, but they attract so much traffic that he may not renew their lease because their customers are taking away time from the gas pumps and slot machines inside his stores. For being such a great lessor, Wally was recognized \$25.

Troy then thanked Aric Graham on behalf of the Club for a great debunking of now past president Donnie. Aric gave out Lawry's certificates to those members who could explain who put "dirt" on Pres Donnie, Angela started by putting dirt on his head; then Karen put some down the front of his shirt; Jason and Rich put some down Donnie's backside; Shawn then put some more on his head; Bonnie got some on his face; and finally Anita put some down the front of his pants. Pres Donnie was a great sport with this "dirt" debunking.

Bruce has a new grand daughter, Calla, whose proud parents are Clinton and Erica Pope. Grand daughters are only \$50.

Ron Reynolds was recognized for having two groups performing at the "Life is Beautiful Festival" on Fremont Street in October. The Killers will be performing along with Imagine Dragons and several other groups. All this only cost Ron a \$50 recognition.



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Donnie Garritano

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Troy Lochhead

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Damian Kazeangin

### Club Service—Programs

Joanne Blystone

### Events

Richard Bowler

### Membership

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### Public Relations

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Ted Henderson

Adrienne where have you been? Tagging along with Gillian while she teaches a class in London, Adrienne sight sees while Gillian works, this cost her a \$50 recognition.

Sean Tanko how did your baseball team do; very good they won the regular season and tournament so we're moving up from AA to AAA next season; these accomplishments were recognized \$75.

Ric, we heard you're going hunting soon; rifle hunting deer in Utah's Area 10. Hunting is recognized \$50.

### Our Speaker:



Patricia Mulroy, General Manager Las Vegas Valley Water District

Pat oversees the operations of the Las Vegas Valley Water District, which serves over 340,000 customers, and the Southern Nevada Water Authority that is responsible for acquiring, treating and delivering water to local agencies that collectively serve more than 2 million residents and nearly 40 million visitors. As General Manager of one of the country's most progressive water agencies, Pat is exceptionally active in regional and national water issues.

Pat gave Club members valuable information about the water levels in Lake Mead and what the various thresholds mean. Studies by the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation show that demand will soon overwhelm supply. The first stage of water restrictions could come as soon as 2016, when Lake Mead has a one-in-three chance of slipping below the critical 1,075-foot threshold.

That's when Nevada will have to cut its water allocation by 4 percent. Residents probably won't notice the first round of cuts, said Pat Mulroy, general manager of the Southern Nevada Water Authority. Still, it is an important limit for Colorado River users.

"It is an incredible warning sign," Mulroy said. "Because what happens at 1,075 is that you're now getting in to the lower reaches of Lake Mead. And Lake Mead is a V. So the



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**Rotarians at work for  
the Club**

**Invocation & Pledge  
Rich Bowler**

**Introduction of  
Visiting Rotarians  
and Guests  
Troy Lochhead**

**Mr. Mic  
Megan Schmick**

**Photographer  
Ted Henderson**

**Reporter  
Fred Fukumoto**

**Raffle Winner  
Fred Fukumoto**

further you go down in the reservoir, the faster the rate of decline.”

We are buying and storing water in Lake Mead to buffet it and prop it back up again,” Mulroy said. “So if despite all those efforts, despite everyone spending as much money as we are, and everybody leaving their water in Lake Mead, we still get to 1,075 – the time has come for the states to really get serious about some real critical elevations.”

Pat explained how the users are charged for their usage of this precious resource and how a newly formed Integrated Resource Planning Advisory Committee will review the rate structure, stabilization fund, operations and water resources and present long-term recommendations.

Pat explained that Las Vegas is well positioned to weather lower Lake Mead levels because of the conservation that has taken place over the last ten years.

Pat graciously stayed around to answer any and all questions from the membership.





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