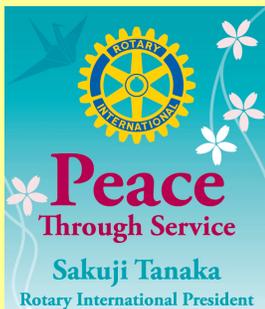


August 6th, 2012  
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[www.district5300.org](http://www.district5300.org)  
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### Future Speakers

August 13<sup>th</sup>,  
Geoffrey Lawrence  
Deputy Director  
NPRI

August 20<sup>th</sup>,  
Senator Richard  
Bryan, retired



Rotarians –  
upcoming  
Community  
Service  
opportunities

Feeding the  
Homeless  
5:00 pm – 7:00  
pm  
Christ Episcopal  
Church  
St. Louis &  
Maryland Pkwy  
August 29<sup>th</sup>

September 8<sup>th</sup>,  
Back to School  
Shopping  
8 am to 10 am



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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).

### Welcome to our Visiting Guests

**Rotarians -** Jim Camburn from Las Vegas Summerlin, Property Casualty  
Joe Ramos, Lake Arrowhead, District Governor  
David Grabb and Julie Grabb, Missisauga, Karate Instructor and  
Project Mgr.  
Sevdalin Atanason, Burgas

### Announcements:

**Feeding the Homeless** – Tom Martin asked members, friends and family to go thru their closets to see if they have any clothing for our next service project on August 29<sup>th</sup> (see information to the left of this article) and to pick up a package of razors. You can find these razors at the 99¢ only stores for \$.99 for a package of 10. Bring any of these items to any of the meeting prior to August 29<sup>th</sup> and give them to Tom.

**Golf Marathon** – Doug Malan announced the Golf Marathon, it supports the local Boy Scout council, Doug played 108 holes last year.

**Tailgate Party**-- Eric Colvin announced that the tailgate party will be either on the 3rd or 17th of November

**Rhino: Night Race**--August 24th at 8PM the Rhino: Night Race is happening at the Boulder City rock quarry next to the mountain bike trails. Proceeds benefit the Intrepid Fallen Heros. Volunteers Needed. Volunteer at <http://www.rhino-course.com/> *I thought I would throw this in here-Julie*



### Recognitions:

A note from Julie Johnston:

Everyone who read the last newsletter got a \$10 credit...everyone who didn't got a \$10 fine. The SIX Rotarians who read it were Joanne Blystone, Rebecca Collett, Rich Hinshaw, Donnie Garritano, Fred Fukumoto



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**Richard Bowler**

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**Ted Henderson**

and myself. Rebecca, Fred and I are on the newsletter team. So that leaves us a rapt audience of three. Chris Publow did read it after the meeting and emailed me some warm fuzzies and recommended that we highlight a member in every issue to increase readership. I thought that was a good idea.

While we're discussing our readership, it's important to remember that the newsletter is for information and news. So if Rotarians are at the meetings and on top of what's going on, we can hardly expect you to trade the RJ or the New York Times for a repeat of what you already know. So for all of you who got a ten dollar fine: it was a fun way to raise funds but no hard feelings if you're not reading the newsletters.

While we're discussing raising funds, I've been trying to sell ad space on the last page but marketing departments have yet to be impressed by our readership. Maybe we'll add some comics and a 'Dear Joanne' column.

**\$25 Joanne Blystone**—Flat tires call for a whole new car. And a \$25 fine.

**\$25 Rich Bowler**—Somewhere in between publishing an article on fraud and his partner's son winning the Canadian open golf tournament Rich knew recognition was forthcoming.

**\$25 Bryan Dzedziak**— Bryan had a Joke from Cliff. *I don't remember him getting fined, but Elaine has it in her notes. I was busy following Hank around. He decided I needed to learn how to pass the mic and I was too proud to say I couldn't do that and take notes for the newsletter at the same time. Anyone who thinks they're good at multi-tasking is really doing many things poorly at the same time-Julie*

**\$50 Wally Emery**— His stores are now selling a new brand of gasoline. This requires re-branding 17 stores, but there must be a pretty good pay-off in there somewhere which results in a recognition. There was some argument as to where the '76' comes from. Wally said it was because of the year 1776, when the declaration of independence was written. Someone else was pretty sure it came from somewhere else.

**\$25 Fred Fukumoto**—Fred had a stress test procedure done. *Now that I've taken over his newsletter duties two weeks in a row I may need one too.-Julie*

**\$25 Josh Satterlee**—Josh said that our kids are going to have a hard time competing in golf with the Koreans. He said that Korean kids practice golf all day long and aren't required to go to school! *Maybe we can get the Japanese and Chinese kids to do the same so that we can have a chance competing academically.*

**\$25 Franchesca VanBuren**—Franchesca went to Chile! And had a hearty discussion with Hank about why one should vacation in Chile.

**Gifts for the President:**

**Josh Satterlee**—Atlanta Peach Magnet



**Rotarians at work for  
the Club**

**Invocation & Pledge  
Rich Bowler**

**Introduction of  
Visiting Rotarians  
and Guests  
Jack Woodcock  
Mr. Mic  
Hank Falstad  
Jr Mic  
Julie Johnston**

**Reporter  
Julie Johnston**

**Raffle Winner  
Rich Bowler**

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### **Our Program: Palliative Care**



You can read much more about Palliative Care at [Getpalliativecare.org](http://Getpalliativecare.org)

Questions from the Rotarians

Willie Robinson: What is expected of social workers?

A: Social workers are part of the palliative care team

Vern Ratzlaff: Are the other doctors receptive to this program?

A: Yes, the Palliative Care conversations are usually 45 mins to 2 hours and Doctors would normally be the ones to answer the Palliative Care questions without a Palliative Care team there. Doctors just don't have the time.

How do you get your insurance to pay for PC?

A: Tell the physician it's needed and the physician will put in the request officially. Ask your insurance if they cover PC.

Hank Falstad: Early in the presentation a slide was shown showing our healthcare costs and coverage compared to other nations. We have the highest cost with some of the worst coverage. Hank asked how much of the cost is administrative.

A: It's combined... We are twice what the next closest country is.

Hank Falstad: Can we ask PC to protect us against unnecessary tests?

A: PC team works with hospital staff, not against them, just keep the communication open with the PC staff about the tests you think you need and the doctors will work together with you and PC.

Hank Falstad: At what point does the PC staff contact the family physician?

A: It's a case by case basis.



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