

September 21, 2009

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Upcoming Programs

Next Week –

Will Paccione, WSI,
internet specialists

October 5,

Senator Richard
Bryan

October 12,

Sherriff Doug
Gillespie



Rotarians – upcoming Community Service opportunities

September 24th

“Happy Feet” –
Ruby Thomas ES
9:45 a.m. – 10:45
a.m.

Feeding the
Homeless –
September 30th at
Christ Episcopal
Church
5 – 7 p.m.



Las Vegas Southwest Rotary Newsletter

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.

President elect, Melissa Copeland, presided over today’s meeting since Doug Beckley was absent. Hank Falstad commented that she did a good job.

Announcements:

Happy Feet - Josh Satterlee announced that our Happy Feet program starts this Thursday, September 24th, at Ruby Thomas ES (1560 East Cherokee Lane) from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. The Club provides 50 pair of shoes and socks to these children each month. Please let either Josh or Aric Graham know if you can help.

Feed the Homeless – Josh reminded everyone that every 5th Wednesday of the month (September 30th), the Club provides food and clothing to the homeless at Christ Episcopal Church (St. Louis and Maryland Pkwy) from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Please let either Josh or Donnie Garritano know if you can help. Jack Woodcock said “he’s making room in his closet and will get with Tom afterwards” to provide some clothing.

TLC and RYLA – Mark Rowley announced that the Club is looking for 2 candidates for TLC (Teen Leadership Camp for 8th grade students) if you know someone in this age group that you feel would benefit from a leadership camp, please contact either Ken or Mark Rowley – for more information on TLC <http://www.district5300.org/tlc/index.html>

Annual Golf Outing - Adrienne Cox announced that the date for this fun event is October 24th; the estimated cost is \$100 per person, including box lunch and fees. After the golfing, its onto Scott’s house for libations and socialization.

Rose Bowl Float, on Sunday, December 27th from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fred Fukumoto has 2 open volunteer positions to decorate Rotary’s 2010 annual float in the Rose Bowl parade. This is a great opportunity to help the World see Rotary and the good deeds we do domestically & internationally <http://www.rotaryfloat.org/> . if you are interested in helping please contact Fred at 363-1575 or email @ fredsgwen@msn.com .

Start bringing your prospective members to lunch – Bill Goff is encouraging all members that they have someone who should belong in Rotary. Bring them to lunch so that they can see the good work we do and the fellowship we enjoy.



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Karen Strawn

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Welcome to our Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rotarians – John Gabel, entrepreneur, from Beaverton, Oregon
Mary Westbrook, banking, from the Las Vegas Club

Guests – Karen Rubel, Nevada State Bank, guest of the Club
Sean Kessler, guest of Mitchell Horst
David Doto, guest of the Club
Sheila Walker, guest of Pepe Charles

More Member Announcements –

Leave of Absence - Denise Anderson is now on inactive status to our Rotary Club. She is seeking employment, welcomes assistance and looks forward to rejoining our Rotary family soon. She can be reached at 702-810-0000. Her resume is on the Club's website www.lvswr.org under the Membership tab. Shari Farkas is also on inactive status, her resume can be found at www.sharifarkas.com.

Lion King at Mandalay Bay – Eric Colvin announced that the group date for this is either October 27th or 29th. For more information about **Lion King** go to <http://www.mandalaybay.com/entertainment/LionKing.aspx>

Tailgate – Eric Colvin announced the date of the Club's Annual Tailgate party, November 7, 2009 vs. Colorado State; please sign up if you need tickets and will attend the pre-game party.

Junior Achievement Training – Mark Rowley & Ken Walker are working on a training session for October 1, 2009; member commitments would be for 6 weeks.

Member Recognitions –

Italy update – Chris & Lali Publow went on a perfect trip to Italy until Lali fell and broke her arm. Since Chris missed so many meetings before and after the trip he was recognized \$150.

Very nice email – everyone received Mitch Horst's email and recognized \$50.



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**Rotarians at
work for the Club**

**Invocation &
Pledge**

Keith Thomas

**Introduction of
Visiting
Rotarians and
Guests**

Mitch Horst

Ms. Mic

Hank Falstad

Reporter

Elaine Vinson

Drawing Winner

**Doug Warden
(for his birthday)**

More Member Recognitions –

Happy Birthday – to our own, Joanne Blystone and recognized \$50. Doug Warden said “no one has ever recognized my birthday” and also received a \$50 recognition. Bill Nelson’s birthday is Friday, he’s been playing gold, got his son off to college and watches his other son play baseball, another \$100 recognition.

No Rotary pin – Bryan Dziejzak was fined \$25 for not having a pin today.

Rat on Rotarians:

Doug Malan announced that its his & jeri’s 31st anniversary on the 22nd. Pres elect, Melissa, said that she is involved in a very rewarding project with kids who are leaving foster care by helping them open bank accounts and assisting with the college application process. She stays in contact with them all year

Our Speaker – Nevada Chancellor, Dan Klaich. Please follow this link for more information about the Chancellor
<http://archive.constantcontact.com/fs030/1100950573924/archive/1102706527316.html>