



Happy 94th Anniversary Las Vegas Rotary Club!

Our magnificent club was chartered on April 5, 1923. As such, yesterday was our 94th birthday!

As recent events show, Las Vegas perhaps more than any other city in the world, is constantly evolving. Just in the last few years we have opened the Smith Center, closed the Riviera, built the T-Mobile Arena and have acquired both NHL and NFL franchises, just to name a few seminal events.

But all this change does not take away from the great history of our city and our club. Those entwined legacies will forever be the foundation upon which these new pillars are erected.

To celebrate our history, we have invited our Past Club Presidents to provide a trip down memory lane to revisit the glorious past of our city and our club.

Presenting today are Past Presidents:

1. Jim Jones 98-99
2. Tom Thomas 99-00
3. Tom Krob 00-01
4. Jim Hunt 01-02
5. Jim Tucker 02-03
6. Kathy Dalvey 03-04
7. Brock Fraser 06-07
8. Randy Campaneale 07-08
9. Russ Swain 08-09
10. Karen Whisenhunt 09-10
11. Randy Donald 12-13
12. Ginger Anderson 13-14
13. Steve Linder 14-15

Sit back and enjoy today's very special program!

Las Vegas Rotary Club Mission:

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APRIL 6, 2017

TODAY'S PROGRAM

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WHAT IS ROTARY?

Rotary is a leadership organization of local business, professional and civic leaders. We meet regularly to form friendships and work together to improve the local and international community



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President 2016-2017

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Rotarians,

Last year we launched the Car Show as a replacement fund raiser to the golf tournament. Given the small number of golfers in the club combined with the large fixed costs of renting a course, the golf tournament had become a relatively ineffective way to raise money.

The objectives behind starting a car show were:

- 1) Low fixed costs (i.e. most money raised ends up with the club)
- 2) Enhanced ability to bring in money from people outside of the club
- 3) Ability for all members to participate in some way
- 4) Effectively an unlimited ability to expand and grow

Now in year two our show has evolved and now has a name, the **Cars for a Cause Show**, and is already exceeded by a factor of 5 the money we raised last year. The committee is doing an OUTSTANDING job!

The show will be held **THIS MONTH** on **Sunday April 23rd** from **8am-2pm**.

I would personally like to ask each of you to assist in some way. In particular, **please invite your friends and colleagues to purchase raffle tickets.**

Raffle ticket sales will be one of our major sources of funds from non-members.

Tickets can be purchased online (see this month's 5th Wheel for links) and you do not need to be present to win so people from anywhere can buy tickets and win.

Thanks, and I look forward to raising lots of money to support our service!

David Thorson

President 2016 -2017

Las Vegas Rotary Club



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Ask me about my
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CALENDAR

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- 4/6 **Old-Timer's Day**
4/13 **Tim Mullin - USO**
4/20 **Valedictorian Lunch**
4/22 - **District Assembly, Victorville, CA**
4/23 **Cars for a Cause Show**
4/27 **Mark Shunock - Mondays Dark**
4/28-4/30 **RYLA**
5/4 **Glenn Meier - Conscious Capitalism**
5/11 **Mayor Hafen - City of Henderson**
5/18 **John Laub - Marijuana**
5/19-5/21 **District Conference, Palm Springs**
6/22 **Debunking Party**
5/24 **Atomic Test Site Tour**
5/25 **Memorial Day Celebration**
6/1 **Tifferney White - Discovery Children's Museum**
6/29 **Club Assembly**



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2nd Annual LAS VEGAS ROTARY "CARS FOR A CAUSE" CAR SHOW

Sunday, April 23, 2017
8am-2pm

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PAST PRESIDENTS

Les Saunders*	1923-24	Mark C. Mielke*	1970-71
Bill Ferron*	1924-25	Dr. Harold Boyer*	1971-72
A.A. Hinman*	1925-26	Angelo J. Manzi*	1972-73
Frosty Mildren*	1926-27	Keith Ashworth*	1973-74
Fred Hesse*	1927-28	Robert E. O'Connell*	1974-75
Dr. F.M. Ferguson*	1928-29	Don Ashworth	1975-76
Dr. William S. Park*	1929-30	David F. Welles	1976-77
Charlie Dimock*	1930-31	James J. Corey*	1977-78
Leo McNamee*	1931-32	Darrell Luce*	1978-79
A.E. Cahlan*	1932-33	Albert H. Purdue*	1979-80
Douglas Dashiell*	1933-34	Michael Hoover	1980-81
Marion Earl*	1934-35	Donald L. Aikin	1981-82
Dr. Roy Martin*	1935-36	Joseph J. Buckley*	1982-83
K.O. Knudson*	1936-37	Irwin Kishner	1983-84
Frank Gusewelle*	1937-38	James Cashman III*	1984-85
Tom Connolly*	1938-39	Mike Meyer	1985-86
Archie Grant*	1939-40	Doug L. Peterson	1986-87
Otto Underhill*	1940-41	M.J. Wiens, Jr.	1987-88
Bryan Bunker	1941-42	Keith W. Bassett*	1988-89
Cyril Wengert*	1942-43	Kenneth E. Miller*	1989-90
Fred O'Donnell*	1943-44	James M. Gamett	1990-91
Frank Case*	1944-45	Robert L. Moore	1991-92
Victor Shurtiff*	1945-46	Robert L. Forbuss*	1992-93
Max Kelch*	1946-47	Gary A. Martin	1993-94
Ed Ciliax*	1947-48	John A. Smith	1994-95
Lorin Ronnow*	1948-49	Caty Crockett	1995-96
Leonard Fayle*	1949-50	Clifford R. Beadle	1996-97
Allye Lawson*	1950-51	Ralph J. Rohay	1997-98
Harry Allen*	1951-52	Dr. James M. Jones	1998-99
Les Edwards*	1952-53	Tom A. Thomas	1999-00
Wayne Kirch*	1953-54	Tom J. Krob	2000-01
George Boman*	1954-55	James E. Hunt	2001-02
Spence Butterfield*	1955-56	James R. Tucker	2002-03
Walt Hunsaker*	1956-57	Kathy Dalvey	2003-04
Ted Brandt*	1957-58	Steve Casey	2004-05
Julian Moore*	1958-59	Ned Phillips	2005-06
Ray F. Culley*	1959-60	Brock Fraser	2006-07
C.T. Harris*	1960-61	Randy Campanale	2007-08
Ollie Gardner	1961-62	Russ Swain	2008-09
Tom Underhill*	1962-63	Karen Whisenhunt	2009-10
Vern Willis*	1963-64	Tom Axtell	2010-11
Ward Wengert*	1964-65	Sharon McNair	2011-12
Bill Southard*	1965-66	Randy Donald	2012-13
Dr. Vince Sanner*	1966-67	Ginger Anderson	2013-14
Walter Wehner*	1967-68	Steve Linder	2014-15
Dr. Robert Robinson*	1968-69	Mary Ann Avnet	2015-16
Harold Wandesforde	1969-70		

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Bob Fisher is becoming our master of invocations.



Sidra Kain led us in song with "God Bless America".



President Dave presents Ted McAdam with a Four Way Test Coin for his service to the club.



Francesca Gilbert announced that our representative won the area level speech contest. She now moves on to the regional level.



Jackie Thornhill and president Dave presented the Wetzel award winners to the club.

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HIGHLIGHTS



Bob Werner introduced and traded Banners with our international Guest from the Netherlands Anita America-Mantel.



OK....Which one is Tim Mullin and which is Tom Mullin.



Rosalee Hedrick announced the dates for the District Conference and Dave displayed the Attire.



Past President Russ Swain had a shot at the Joker for the \$6,000 pot but pulled a 10.



Dr. Walt Rulffes won the Lawry Bucks.



President Dave presented our speaker Nehme Abouzeid of our new NHL team the "Vegas Golden Knights".



The Officers for the 25 Club

President - Chris Bennett
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MARCH 30, 2017

- **President David Thorson** called the meeting to order.
- **Bob Fisher** gave the invocation. **Sidra Kain** led the club in singing the "God Bless America." The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the Sergeant-at-Arms was **25 Club VP Erik Astramecki**.
- There were (1) International Rotarians, (3) Visiting Rotarians and (4) Guests of Rotarians were introduced.
- The drawing began at \$5,853.00 plus this week's donations. The winner gets half the pot and half goes to the Las Vegas Rotary Foundation. Ticket Winner: **Past President Russ Swain** who won \$10! Lawry Bucks Winner: **Dr. Walt Ruffes**.
- **President David Thorson** presented **Ted McAdam** with the March 4 Way Test Coin for all the work he does with the membership committee, the Dan Stover Music Contest and the Wetzel Awards and other service to the club.
- **Francesca Gilbert** announced that **Alyssa Gnoysky**, our representative for the speech contest won at the area level and will advance to the regional level.
- **Jackie Thornhill** and **Ted McAdam** presented the Wetzel award winners to the club: **Airman Jasmine Gonzales**, **Sr. Airman Chelsea DeVera**, **Staff Sgt. Jeffrey Jenelle**, **Sr. Airman Ross Bachman** and **Staff Sgt. William Llyod**.
- **Bill Steiren** reminded the club that the Test Site Tour is May 24, 2017 at 8am.
- **Rosalee Hedrick** announced that District Conference is May 19-21, 2017. A special edition Las Vegas Rotary Club shirt (modelled by President Dave) will be available for purchase.
- **President Elect Michael Gordon** reminded the club that the "Cars for a Cause" car show is April 23, 2017. All hands on deck for our primary fund raiser!
- **Marie Walsh** announced that the next Breakfast with Books is at Beckley on April 4, 2017 at 8am.
- **Tim Mullen** introduced the speaker, **Nehme Abouzeid**, Sr. VP and Chief Marketing Officer for the Vegas Golden Knights. **Nehme** reported that season ticket sales are close to being sold out and highlighted how they believe Las Vegas will help raise the visibility of the sport of hockey. Currently the team has one player and no coach so a lot of work to do between now and September. A special live expansion draft event at T-Mobile arean is scheduled soon.
- **President David Thorson** presented the speaker with the Sole Power Award and adjourned the meeting.

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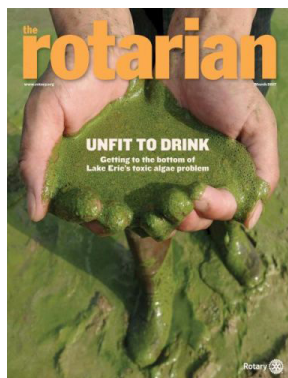
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3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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Monday	Southwest	Lawry's Prime Rib	12:15 p.m.
Tuesday	Las Vegas Summerlin	TPC Club House	7:15 a.m.
Tuesday	Downtown	Hugo's (Four Queens Hotel)	12:15 p.m.
Tuesday	Henderson	McCaw School of Mines, 575 Lynn Lane	Noon
Tuesday	Mesquite	Oasis Club House	Noon
Tuesday	Las Vegas West	Canyon Gate Country Club	12:15 p.m.
Tuesday	Red Rock Rotary	No Regrets Bar (8349 W Sunset Rd #150)	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Pahrump Valley	Mountain Falls Grill Room	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Boulder City	Boulder Creek Golf Course	Noon
Wednesday	Moapa	Old Overton Gym	6:30 a.m.
Wednesday	Las Vegas Central	Las Vegas Country Club	12:15 p.m.
Wednesday	LV Spring Mountains	Siena Bistro, Siena Golf Club	5:30p.m.
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Thursday	Boulder City Sunrise	Boulder Creek Golf Course	7:00 a.m.
Thursday	Green Valley	Wildhorse Golf Club	7:00 a.m.
Thursday	Las Vegas Rotary	Lawry's Prime Rib	Noon
Thursday	Mesquite Sunrise	Oasis Golf Course (Red Room)	7:30 a.m.
Friday	North Las Vegas	Los Prados Country Club	7:15 a.m.

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www.LasVegasRotary.com - Our Club Site



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