



JULY 20, 2017

TODAY'S PROGRAM

ROBIN BERNHARD

CALENDAR

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ALPINE PICNIC

TAILGATE PARTY



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



Robin Bernhard The Syria Fund



Born and raised in Columbus, Ohio, few who knew Robin Bernhard would have guessed his penchant for travel and adventure. After graduating from Ohio University with a degree in Education, he moved to Madrid, Spain to teach English and write for Frommer's Travel Guide to Madrid. He spent nearly two years backpacking across 25 countries from Europe, through North Africa, the Middle East to India and Nepal.

Apparently not just bitten by the travel bug, but fully infected by one, his first job upon returning to the U.S was as a "trip leader" for an adventure travel company called "Backroads." In this role, he spent four years designing and leading trips all over the U.S,

Italy and Costa Rica.

Finding that adventure didn't only come at the cost of a plane ticket, he left the travel industry to wander, totally unqualified, into the world of IT and training with Barclays Global Investors in San Francisco. Four years later, he was hired to manage online services at Microsoft and train Microsoft sales teams in product positioning. Four years later, he was recruited to the training team of IGT in Las Vegas.

As he was recalibrating his nose for adventure, and developing his business in 2015, he took the opportunity to travel to Turkey. There, he saw firsthand how citizens across Syria and other countries are being displaced by violence which is literally landing them on the streets of any country to which they can flee.

Some months later, he volunteered to travel to Jordan with *The Syria Fund* to help in their work setting up educational programs for Syrian children. Now well-positioned with his speaking and training company, he continues to volunteer by leveraging his voice to help this worthy cause shine a light on the Syrian tragedy, as well as align corporate funds and donations to their educational programs.

Las Vegas Rotary Club Mission:

Teaching Youth to Succeed through Literacy, Education & Life Skills Development



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



2016 **FINANCE PARK**

Thank You!

We wanted to share with you the results of your sponsorship for the fall 2016 in this report. Our most exciting news to share with you though is that Junior Achievement of Southern Nevada was officially gifted the Finance Park Mobile Unit at the end of this past run. What does this mean for our community? It now means that with your continued support we will be able to grow the operating days and reach even more students! In order to do that we will be opening next time in January 2018. This way we have more days with students in school to expand into. We plan to expand by at least 5 more days which will be approximately 500 more kids impacted! We are hopeful you will continue to be our partner as we expand the program.

3,905 **Students**

15 Schools

473 Volunteers

44 Teachers

96%

Students who participated

12.6%

Growth in 1 year

January 2018

Finance Park Reopens

THANK YOU!

LAS VEGAS **ROTARY CLUB**

Student Training

CALENDAR

ROTARY EVENTS ARE LISTED IN RED / GUEST SPEAKERS & PROGRAMS IN BLACK

7/22 **Alpine Picnic** 7/27 Josh Stavros, General Manager **Utah Shakespeare Festival** Mary Ann Avnet - Rotoplast 8/3 8/10 Tom Axtell - Vegas PBS **Vegas PBS Telethon Volunteer** Noah Hoefs - Hyperloop One 8/17 8/25 **Shakespeare Festival - Cedar City, UT** 9/7 Rob McCoy - The Neon Museum 9/7 **3rd Quarter Wetzel Awards** 9/20

Professor Michael Green - UNLV History Department Mark Hall-Patton - McCarran Airport 9/28 DG Raghada Khoury - Club Assembly

9/30 **Tailgate Party** 10/7 **Highway Cleanup** 12/7 **Santa Clothes Magical Forest**

25 CLUB HIGHWAY CLEANUP PROJECT

Once every quarter, on a Saturday morning, join fellow Rotarians clean up our designated stretch of Highway 159 across from the entrance to Bonnie **Springs Ranch**

October 7th 8:00am

enjoy fellowship while doing something really important for our environment and community

Right Now or Latter- Anytime

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MEMBER



Ted McAdam presented the invocation.



Joan Murdock led us in reciting the 4-Way test.

Sergeant-At-Arms Mike Ballard

exchanges banner with a Mike Shanahan

from Yorba Linda.



Rosalee inducted our new member Michael Dugan.



HIGHLIGHTS

Melanie Muldowney announced the Beckley can drive needs.



Erik Astremecki informed us of the UNLV tailgate party on September 30.



Tom Axtell announced that PBS needs volunteers for the Telethon.



Lloyd was recognized and fined for his longevity in our club.



Jim Hunt and his lady friend Leslie was Bill Stieren missed the enjoyed lunch with his daughter Elizabeth. elusive Jokers and missed

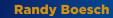


Jaime Goldsmith won the Lawry bucks.



President Michael awards our speaker Mike Rosten with our sole power award.

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the meeting to order.

Past President Dave exchanged flags with

our international guests from Australia.

Al Wagner was joined in fellowship with his

wife Luanne and his grandson.

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The Officers for the 25 Club

President - Erik Astramecki VP - Kirk Holmes • Secretary - Luci Parodi The 25 Club meetings are held on the 1st Thursday each month at 11:15 A.M. at Lawry's The Prime Rib



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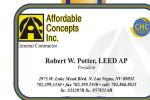
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• President Michael Gordon called the meeting to order.

- **Ted McAdam** gave the invocation. **Sidra Kain** led the club in singing "God Bless America." **Joan Murdock** led the club in reciting the Four Way Test. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the Sergeant-at-Arms was **Mike Ballard**.
- There were (3) International Rotarians, (5) Visiting Rotarians, and (7) Guests of Rotarians that were introduced.
- The drawing began at \$9,561.00 plus this week's donations. The winner gets half the pot and half goes to the Las Vegas Rotary Foundation. Ticket Winner: **Bill Stieren** who won \$10! Lawry Bucks Winner: **Jaime Goldsmith.**
- PP Jim Hunt shared his experience delivering a new wheelchair. The recipient previously received a wheelchair from our club, but the current wheelchair was in disrepair and she desperately needed a new wheelchair. The Las Vegas Rotary Club was happy to help! There are still wheelchairs available if any member knows of a needy recipient.
- Kirk Holmes announced both web and print advertising opportunities.
- · Rosalee Hedrick inducted new member Michael Dugan.
- Janice Lencke announced a call for car show committee members.
- **Melanie Muldowny** announced that Beckley Elementary needs cans for their "Canstruction" project.
- Erik Astramecki announced that the UNLV tailgate party is September 30, 2017
- **President Michael Gordon** reminded the club that the Shakespeare Festival is August 26, 2017 and **Nancy Slitz** is hosting a brunch.
- David Squire announced that the Highway Clean Up will be on October 7.
- Erik Astramecki announced that we will be planting trees at the Alpine Picnic on July 22, 2017.
- Jackie Thornhill announced that the next Wetzel awards ceremony will be hled on September 7, 2017 at Nellis AFB.
- Tom Axtell announced that volunteers are needed for the upcoming Vegas PBS telethon at 6pm on August 10, 2017.
- Mike Ballard introduced the speaker, Mike Rosten, CPA, CFE and Certified Fraud Examiner. Mike detailed the red flags for fraud detection amongst employees: 1) Living beyond one's means, 2) Financial difficulties and family issues such as gambling, 3) Unusually close association with vendors, 4) Control issues and unwillingness to share duties, and 4) Unscrupulous behavior.
- President Michael Gordon presented the speaker with a "Sole Power" award and adjourned the meeting.







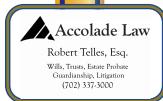












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THE ROTARIAN



1. Is it the TRUTH?

Monday

Friday

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

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	\$1,825,000
	\$1,800,000
	\$1,750,000
FOUNDATION	

12:15 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

MAKE-UP DAYS AND PLACES Southwest Lawry's Prime Rib

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	Моара	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.
		Town Center Drive south of Flamingo	
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.
		Off Lone Mtn. betw. Decatur & Jones	

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Rotary At A Glance

Rotarians Members - 1,207,102; Clubs - 34,823; Districts - 538; Countries - 200+; Rotaractors Clubs - 7,868; Members - 180,964; Countries - 162 Interact Clubs - 18,005; Members - 414,115; Countries - 132