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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



Dan Stover Music Competition



Each year musically talented high school students participate in a Rotary District 5300 program entitled The Dan Stover Memorial Music Scholarship, and winners qualify for educational awards that enable them to further their studies at an accredited college, university, or music conservatory upon high school graduation.

The words of education and music transected in the life of Dan Stover, a secondary education professional whose musical talents were shared with his family, his community, and certainly with Rotary, at both the local and District levels.

Dan Stover was an educator who always placed the student first, and his obvious respect for his students transformed the lives of countless young people. He shared his love of learning with the young, providing them with a positive role model for structuring their studies and lives.

Dan Stover was an accomplished musician, both as a vocalist and instrumentalist. He was as much at home in the finals of Barber Shop Quartet competitions as he was at the keyboard of his famous "Rotary" organ, serenading Club members and District Conferences with his unique musical wizardry.

Dan passed away shortly following the 1987 District Conference at which his friend and fellow Alhambra Rotarian, Dr. Tim Keen Siu, became District Governor. Dan was noticeably ill at the conference, but he played his heart out for Dr. Tim and others, knowing that the show must go on.

The Rotary Club of Alhambra, in the year following Dan's death, established a Music Scholarship Program and Competition in Dan's name. The program was proposed, organized, and championed by new Rotarian Christine Montan who, as Alhambra's first female Rotarian, quickly recognized and appreciated the talent and effectiveness of Dan Stover as a Rotarian and as a person.

Under Rotarian Montan's leadership, The Dan Stover Memorial Music Scholarship became a District program in the following year, and the rest is history. A whole generation of talented, young musicians have had the opportunity, in the name of Dan Stover, to compete against their peers, and earn funds to further their musical education.

Las Vegas Rotary Club Mission:

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



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Don Ashworth - Rotary Club of Las Vegas President 1975-76



DON ASHWORTH Former Clark County Probate Commissioner Don W. Ashworth slipped peacefully away and returned to his Heavenly Father November 20, 2017, in Highland, Utah. At his side, as always, was Mary, his sweetheart, of 57 years. Surrounding them were their six surviving children and their families. The couple was sealed for time and all eternity September 8, 1960, in the St. George Temple. Their marriage was blessed with seven children, five girls and two boys. Despite a life of public service and achievement, Don always felt his family was his greatest accomplishment. Don was born September 18, 1937, in the town of Pioche,

but grew up in Las Vegas. He attended Las Vegas High School, where he excelled in sports and served as student body president. He went on to earn bachelor's and master's degrees in accounting from Brigham Young University and received his juris doctorate from the University of Utah where he served once again as student body president. Prior to serving as Probate Commissioner, he was a practicing attorney in the area of taxation and estate planning for more than 25 years. He also served as a Nevada State Senator from 1978-1982. The lifelong scouter also served for more than 30 years on the Board of Directors of the Boy Scouts of America Boulder Dam Area Council. For his distinguished service, Don received the Silver Beaver Award. In addition, he was a past president of the Las Vegas Rotary Club, and organizer and president of the Southern Nevada Estate Planning Council. As important as his public service was, Don found his greatest joy in serving his family and his church. An active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, he served in multiple leadership positions: three bishoprics, a high councilman, a temple worker in the Las Vegas Temple, but his favorite calling was as a missionary in Chicago with Mary at his side. Don had guick wit and humor. He gained a reputation as a chef with his "famous" French toast. He was dubbed Chief Kodak and took hundreds of thousands of pictures of family and scenery. He traveled widely in South America, Europe, and especially loved the majestic scenes of the United States, but his favorite retreat was Gunlock, Utah. He enjoyed boating and waterskiing at Lake Mead because it gave him the opportunity to spend time with his children and whomever they invited to join them. He is survived by his wife, Mary; daughters, Kristen Curtis (Wayne), Heidi Heras (Erik), Tamara Fackrell (Jacob) and Candace Simpson (Robbie); and sons. Jay Ashworth (Deanne) and Daniel Ashworth (Denise). He also is survived by 35 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; sister, Mary Lynn Ashworth; and brother, Dean Ashworth.



CALENDAR

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

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12/7	Santa Clothes
12/7	Holiday Party
12/14	Bob Brown, CEO Opportunity Village
12/14	Magical Forest
12/16	Highway Cleanup
12/21	Christmas Program
12/28	Dark
1/4	Dark
1/11	John Hester, Southwest Gas
1/18	Debra March, Mayor of Henderson
1/25	Joselyn Cousins, District Manager, Fe
2/4	Dob Cornelius

2/1 Rob Cornelius2/8 Sweethearts' Luncheon

2/15 Past Presidents Day2/22 Four Way Test

3/1 Jeremy Aguero, Applied Analysis

3/8 RJ Sampson, VR Kids

3/15 Steve Wolfson, Clark County District Attorney





PAST PRESIDENTS

es Saunders*	1923-24	Mark C. Mielke*	1970-7
Bill Ferron*	1924-25	Dr. Harold Boyer*	1971-7
A.A. Hinman*	1925-26	Angelo J. Manzi*	1972-7
rosty Mildren*	1926-27	Keith Ashworth*	1973-7
red Hesse*	1927-28	Robert E. O'Connell*	1974-7
Dr. F.M. Ferguson*	1928-29	Don Ashworth*	1975-7
Dr. William S. Park*	1929-30	David F. Welles	1976-7
Charlie Dimock*	1930-31	James J. Corey*	1977-7
.eo McNamee*	1931-32	Darrell Luce*	1978-7
A.E. Cahlan*	1932-33	Albert H. Purdue*	1979-8
Douglas Dasheil*	1933-34	Michael Hoover	1980-8
Marion Earl*	1934-35	Donald L. Aikin	1981-8
Dr. Roy Martin*	1935-36	Joseph J. Buckley*	1982-8
K.O. Knudson*	1936-37	Irwin Kishner*	1983-8
rank Gusewelle*	1937-38	James Cashman III*	1984-8
Tom Connolly*	1938-39	Mike Meyer	1985-8
Archie Grant*	1939-40	Doug L. Peterson	1986-8
Otto Underhill*	1940-41	M.J. Wiens, Jr.	1987-8
Bryan Bunker	1941-42	Keith W. Bassett*	1988-8
Cyril Wengert*	1942-43	Kenneth E. Miller*	1989-9
red O'Donnell*	1943-44	James M. Gamett	1990-9
rank Case*	1944-45	Robert L. Moore	1991-9
ictor Shurtiff*	1945-46	Robert L. Forbuss*	1992-9
Max Kelch*	1946-47	Gary A. Martin	1993-9
Ed Ciliax*	1947-48	John A. Smith	1994-9
orin Ronnow*	1948-49	Caty Crockett	1995-9
eonard Fayle*	1949-50	Clifford R. Beadle	1996-9
Allye Lawson*	1950-51	Ralph J. Rohay	1997-9
Iarry Allen*	1951-52	Dr. James M. Jones	1998-9
es Edwards*	1952-53	Tom A. Thomas	1999-0
Vayne Kirch*	1953-54	Tom J. Krob	2000-0
George Boman*	1954-55	James E. Hunt	2001-0
pence Butterfield*	1955-56	James R. Tucker	2002-0
Valt Hunsaker*	1956-57	Kathy Dalvey	2003-0
ed Brandt*	1957-58	Steve Casey	2004-0
ulian Moore*	1958-59	Ned Phillips	2005-0
Ray F. Culley*	1959-60	Brock Fraser	2006-0
C.T. Harris*	1960-61	Randy Campanale	2007-0
Ollie Gardner	1961-62	Russ Swain	2008-0
om Underhill*	1962-63	Karen Whisenhunt	2009-1
/ern Willis*	1963-64	Tom Axtell	2010-1
Vard Wengert*	1964-65	Sharon McNair	2011-1
Bill Southard*	1965-66	Randy Donald	2012-1
Dr. Vince Sanner*	1966-67	Ginger Anderson	2013-1
Walter Wehner*	1967-68	Steve Linder	2014-15
r. Robert Robinson	* 1968-69	Mary Ann Avnet	2015-1
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MEMBER



Kirk Holmes poses with his mother **Sandy** and his partner **Becca**.



Bob Fisher acted as our Sergeant-at-Arms.



Melanie Muldowney is joined by her children Teagan and Makenna.



Kiwanis members arrived early for

our annual joint meeting.

Len Yelinek of the Kiwanis led us in the pledge of allegiance.



Kiwanis Howard Naylor led us in song.



Anil Melnick enjoys lunch in the company of his daughter **Mia**.



Sarah Brown enjoy lunch with Hubby Don before relocating to Syracuse NY.



Al Wagner and his wife **Luanne** and grandson **Jason**.



Erik Astramecki announced the date of the next highway cleanup.



Rotary wins the Trophy for another year after beating the Kiwanis clubs in our annual fundraiser to the benefit of the Salvation Army.

HIGHLIGHTS

With a special thank you to **Erik Astramecki** for organizing the canned food drive



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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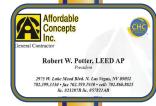
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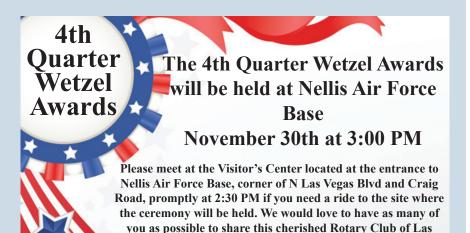
- Kiwanis President John Case called the meeting to order.
- Jim Small, Kiwanis member, gave the invocation. Howard Naylor from the Kiwanis Club led the club in singing "America The Beautiful", followed by fellow member Past Governor Len Yelinek leading us in the Pledge of Allegiance. The Sergeant-at-Arms was Bob Fisher. Kiwanis President John Case recognized a number of members making a significant contribution in community service. President Michael welcomed everyone to the Kiwanis/Rotary 63rd Annual Salvation Army Canned Food Drive and Thanksgiving Luncheon meeting and asked for a moment of silence on the passing of 1975-76 PP Don Ashworth.
- There were (0) International Rotarians, (2) visiting Rotarians including new Interact Club President at Clark High School and (12) Guests of Rotarians introduced.
- **PP Jim Tucker** announced electronic voting for the 2018-2019 Board of Directors is online and already there has been 20% voting returned.
- PP Jim Hunt announced the 22nd year of the Santa Clothes project is moving along with over 360 kids this year in addition to 5 UNLV students who are being given \$200 each to shop. PP Jim presented **President Michael** with a check in the sum of \$600 by **Sandra Holmes**, the mother of member **Kirk Holmes** for the Santa Clothes project.
- **Bob Fisher** reminded the club of the 4th Quarter Wetzel program on November 30th at 3:30 p.m. not 3:00 p.m. and that the next meeting on Nov. 30th, is the last day to bring toys to support the Salvation Army Toys for Kids; **Erik Astramecki** reminded the Club that the Highway Clean Up will take place on Saturday December 16th at 8am.
- President Michael announced Las Vegas Rotary Club shirts are available, with forms emailed to members and also available from **Shawn.**
- Major Randy Kinnamon of the Salvation Army thanked both the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs for their support of the Salvation Army and its food drive. The results of the Canned Food Drive were announced by Phillip Hollon of the Salvation Army, with the Kiwanis bringing in 64,548 cans and the Las Vegas Rotary Club, once again, 'nailed it' by bringing in 86,617 cans!! Truly an amazing and successful effort!
- Kiwanis President John Case introduced our speaker program, Desiree Reed-Francois, the Director of Athletics for UNLV. Not only is Dir. Reed-Francois energetic and enthusiastic, but she brings a substantial and impressive background of leadership experience to UNLV and its athletics program. She described her vision for the athletics program from focusing on the core values to recruit those students who personify those values but the forward vision with Fan and Student Initiatives for the 17 programs comprising the Department. Tickets to the evening's game were 'gifted' by Dir. Reed-Francois to a couple of club members.
- Kiwanis President John Case then adjourned the meeting.

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

December 16th 8:00am

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







News Talk 720 KDWN. Where Las Vegas Comes To Talk.



Palm Southwest Mortuary

Vegas event! RSVP to Jackie Thornhill if you can come,

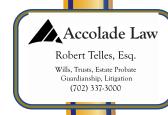
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1. Is it the TRUTH?

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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5:00 p.m.

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Monday	Oddiiwoot	Lawry or fillio this	12.10 p.111.
Tuesday	Las Vegas Summerlin	TPC Club House	7:15 a.m.
Tuesday	Downtown	Hugo's (Four Queens Hotel)	12:15 p.m.
Tuesday	Henderson	HBRC/Wells Fargo building (122 S. Water St.)	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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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