



**JANUARY 18, 2018** 

**TODAY'S PROGRAM** 

SHERIFF JOSEPH M. LOMBARDO

CALENDAR

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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



# Sheriff Joseph Lombardo

### Las Vegas Metropolitan Police



Sheriff Joseph Lombardo began his law enforcement career in 1988 as a police officer with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department.

After 26 years on the force, Lombardo retired as a commissioned officer and was elected in 2014 as Sheriff of Clark County.

In 2006, he completed his Masters of Science from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV, as well as completing the 227th Session of the FBI National Academy. He is a 2013 graduate of the Major Cities Chiefs Association (MCCA) Police Executive Leadership Development Program.

Sheriff Lombardo maintains professional affiliations to include Major City Chiefs Association (MCCA), Major County Sheriffs Association (MCSA), National Sheriffs Association (NSA), and the Nevada Commission for Homeland Security.

He currently serves as Board Member on three non-profit organizations, the Nevada Child Seekers, Make-A-Wish Foundation and After-School-All-Stars.

### Las Vegas Rotary Club Mission:

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



**Michael Gordon President 2017-2018** 

#### CLUB OFFICERS 2017-2018

President Michael Gordon President-Elect Jim Kohl Immediate Past President

**David Thorson Jackie Thornhill** Secretary **Tom Brooker** Treasurer

#### **ELECTED DIRECTORS**

**Kirk Alexander Jaime Goldsmith Rosalee Hedrick Janice Lencke Dave Lester Janet Linder Anil Melnick Melanie Muldowney Rob Telles** Past President Representative Karen Whisenhunt





### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

**Dear Rotarians** 

As 2018 continues at breakneck speed (can you believe it's been two weeks already?!), statisticians claim that the majority of us will have already failed in our New Year's resolutions.

While the most common New Year's resolutions involve some form of physical benefit (e.g. getting more exercise, eating healthy, getting more sleep), a typical secondary category focuses on the acquisition of new skills (e.g. learning a foreign language or starting a new hobby).

Despite the fact that the experts believe only 8% of people achieve their New Year's resolutions, one category that is almost never mentioned – and easily achieved – is to focus more on altruism and service to others. Through your weekly meeting attendance, participation in our service projects and monthly financial contributions, you can be one of the 8% in 2018!

During this 95th year in our club's history, let us all resolve to continue our good works in the Las Vegas valley through spreading the message to our friends, co-workers and neighbours. Invite these non-Rotarians to one of our meetings or to a service project and let them see first-hand the magic that we've all experienced.

Whatever you time constraints, let's all commit to "Make a Difference" by sharing the story of the greatest Rotary in the world!

Michael Gordon 95th President Rotary Club of Las Vegas





### **CALENDAR**

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

- Joselyn Cousins, District Manager, 1/25 **Federal Reserve Bank**
- 2/1 Rob Cornelius - Rugby 7's 2/6 **New Member Orientation**
- Sweethearts' Luncheon
  - **Brian Rouff**
- 2/15 **Past Presidents Day**
- **Four Way Test**
- 3/1 Jeremy Aguero, Applied Analysis
- 3/8 RJ Sampson, VR Kids
- 3/8 **Wetzel Awards Base Ceremony**
- 3/15 Steve Wolfson, Clark County **District Attorney**



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### 25 CLUB SOCIAL AT LAWRY'S





#### PAST PRESIDENTS

Les Saunders Bill Ferron\* 1924-25 Dr. Harold Bover 1971-72 1925-26 1972-73 A.A. Hinman\* Angelo J. Manzi\* 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\* Dr. William S. Park\* 1929-30 David F. Welles 1976-77 Charlie Dimock\* 1977-78 1930-31 James J. Corev\* Leo McNamees 1931-32 Darrell Luce 1978-79 A.E. Cahlan\* 1932-33 Albert H. Purdue 1979-80 1933-34 Michael Hoover 1980-81 Douglas Dasheil\* 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\* James Cashman III<sup>3</sup> 1984-85 1937-38 Tom Connolly\* 1938-39 Mike Meyer 1985-86 Archie Grants Doug L. Peterson 1986-87 Otto Underhill\* 1940-41 M.J. Wiens, Jr. 1987-88 Keith W. Bassett\* 1988-89 1941-42 Brvan Bunker\* Cyril Wengert\* 1942-43 Kenneth E. Miller 1989-90 Fred O'Donnell\* 1943-44 James M. Gamett 1990-91 Robert L. Moore Frank Case\* Victor Shurtiff\* 1945-46 Robert L. Forbuss 1992-93 Max Kelch\* 1946-47 1993-94 Gary A. Martin 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 Wayne Kirch\* 1953-54 Tom J. Krob 2000-01 George Boman\* 1954-55 James E. Hunt 2001-02 Spence Butterfield<sup>3</sup> 1955-56 James R. Tucke 2002-03 Walt Hunsaker\* 1956-57 Kathy Dalvey 2003-04 Ted Brandt\* 1957-58 Steve Casev 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 Campana Ollie Gardner 1961-62 Russ Swain 2008-09 Tom Underhill\* 1962-63 Karen Whisenhun 2009-10 Vern Willis\* 1963-64 Tom Axtell 2010-11 Ward Wengert 1964-65 Sharon McNair 2011-12 Bill Southard\* Randy Donald Dr. Vince Sanner 1966-67 Ginger Anderso 2013-14 1967-68 2014-15 Walter Wehner\* Steve Linder Mary Ann Avnet 2015-16 Harold Wandesforde\* 1969-70 David Thorson 2016-17



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### **MEMBER**



PP Russ Swain led us in song.



**Beckley principal Shannon Brown** was presented with a \$1,000 check for their science program.



Pam Lang from Spread The Word Nevada expressed her appreciation for our club's participation at Beckley ES.



**PP Tom Krob** opened the meeting with

an invocation.



Our international representative exchange banners with Rotarians from Sweden and Italy.



Our birthday members pose for a group picture.



PP Jim Hunt announced our upcoming Cigar Fellowship event.



President Michael was joined at the head table with Jimmelle Siarot and Toni Kern.



PEE Jackie Thornhill announced that the club will match up 50% towards Paul Harris Fellowships.



PP's Russ Swain and Kathy **Dalvey** share the honors along with Gary Vause in winning the Fantasy Football



**HIGHLIGHTS** 

Jerry Engel missed his atwon the Lawry Bucks.



President Michael presents our tempt at the Joker and has to speaker John Hester the President settle for \$10. Our speaker and CEO of Southwest Gas our Share What You Can award.

# RAFFLE AMOUNT \$ 795.00

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President - Kirk Holmes VP - Luci Parodi • Secretary - Kim Nyoni 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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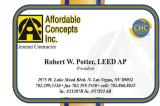
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## SCRIBE JANUARY 11, 2018

• President Michael Gordon called the meeting to order and wished everyone a Happy New Year. PP
Tom Krob gave the invocation. PP Russ Swain led the club in singing God Bless America, followed by

• There were (2) International Rotarians, (3) visiting Rotarian and (5) Guests of Rotarians introduced.

the Pledge of Allegiance. The Sergeant-at-Arms was Jimmelle Siarot.

- The drawing began at \$654 plus this week's donations. The ticket winner was **Jerry Engel** and the Lawry's Bucks Winner was **John Hester**, the speaker, who donated his winnings back to the club.
- Janelle Lozano provided feedback and gratitude for the baby shower thrown for **Pres. Michael** and **Amanda Gordon** and **Janelle** and **Rory Lozano** by the Friends and Family of the LV Rotary Club on Sunday, January 7th at the home of **PP Randy** and **Sally Donald**.
- PEE Jackie Thornhill presented the Paul Harris matching opportunity with the club matching 50% of a member's donation.
- Beckley Elementary principal's **Shannon Brown** was presented with a check for \$1,000 by **President Michael. Shannon** reported that the funds would go toward science and social studies curriculum and announced that they will be planning a dedication of their new building soon and invited Rotarians to attend.
- Pam Lang, executive director of Spread the Word Nevada reported that since Rotary's partnership, 29,380 books haven been given to a total of 2,123 children of Beckley Elementary. Additionally, reported that a recent STWN hire was also a recipient of books in elementary school 16 years ago and has now graduated UNLV and has been accepted into Law School.
- January birthday Rotarians were celebrated with **PP Steve Linder** leading the Happy Birthday song.
- PP Dave Thorson provided an overview of the \$10,000 donation that went toward a health grant for women and supplied schools in Cambodia with plumbing. Additionally, he announced the date for President Michael's Debunking party which will be on June 28th.
- President Michael reminded the club of the upcoming Car Show on April 15th
- Anil Melnick reminded the club of the LV Rotary Club's 95th Anniversary party on April 5th at Lawry's.
- PP Jim Hunt announced the March 16th Cigar Social to be held at PP Tom Krob's home.
- PP Russ Swain requested host homes for the German soccer players that will be in town for the Mayor's Cup February 15-20. Asked Rotarians to contemplate hosting 2 boys per home.
- President Michael announced the New Member Orientation to be held at Steve and Janet Linder's home on February 6th and the next Breakfast with Books to be held on January 16th.
- PP Jim Tucker introduced Superbowl Board for \$50 a square.
- 25 Club President **Kirk Holmes** announced the next 25 Club Social to be held at Lawry's Cocktail Lounge on Tuesday, January 16th at 6pm.
- President Michael handed out checks to the winners of the Fantasy Football Leagues: PP Russ Swain for \$150 and Gary Vause for \$700. 50% of the funds (\$1250) went to the LV Rotary Foundation.
- PP Tom Thomas introduced our program speaker, John Hester, president and CEO of Southwest Gas Cooperation. The company provides natural gas to more than 2 million customers in Nevada, Arizona, and California. Informed the group that a good majority of the gas we use here in Las Vegas comes from Wyoming. Also, that there are many different options when it comes to supplying the ever growing Southern Nevada with gas to include pipelines from Texas and New Mexico. The average monthly bill for a customer in southern Nevada is \$35. The bottom line being that Southwest Gas Coop. has enough options to competitively source the needs of their evergrowing customer base while keeping costs low. Finally, talked about renewable natural gas opportunities in the future.
- President Michael Gordon presented our speaker with a "Share What You Can" award to benefit a veteran in need and then adjourned the meeting.

### **Rimini Street**

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### BREAKFAST WITH BOOKS





# City of Las Vegas! Mayor's Cup!

International Soccer Tournament! February 17"19, 2018! Presidents Day Long Weekend!

Las Vegas Rotary Club! To Sponsor Boys from! Borussia Mönchengladbach! (German Soccer Team)!



### Wanted:!

### Host Families February 15'20, 2018!

- Transportation, pick up and drop off boys at designated meeting place.!
- Housing for at least two boys (Buddy system).!
- Meals.!
- ! Some site seeing and shopping.!
- ! Transportation to and from the Soccer Games.!
- ! (Two games on Saturday and Sunday, Finals on Monday)!
- ! Boys arrive evening of February 15 and leave morning of February 20.!

We need families for approximately 22 players!!

Sign up today for a great experience hosting our young guests!! Contact Karen Whisenhunt at 702'296'7984 or email kwhis@cox.com!



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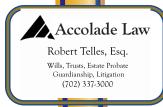
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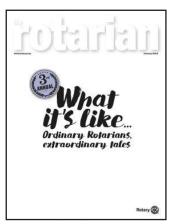
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1. Is it the TRUTH?

Monday

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



12:15 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	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	
Friday	Las Vegas "Won"	Fogo de Chao	5:00 p.m.

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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