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Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.



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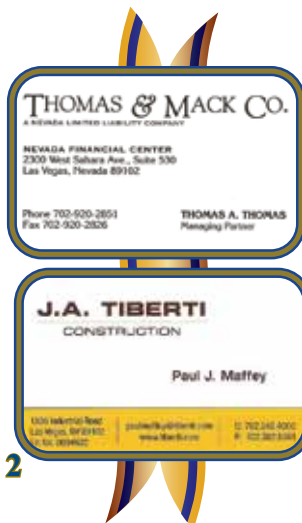
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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



International Women's Day was celebrated on March 8. I have summarized of the evolution of women in Rotary, followed by one of RI's partner organizations in recognizing the resiliency and survival of women all over the world.

First and foremost, one courageous woman, Dr Sylvia Whitlock, pioneered women in Rotary. The following is a shortened timeline of admitting women to Rotary:

1950 - An enactment to delete the word "male" from the Standard Rotary Club Constitution is proposed by a Rotary club.

1964 - The Council on Legislation agenda contains an enactment proposed by a Rotary club in Sri Lanka to permit the admission of women into Rotary clubs. Delegates vote that it be withdrawn.

1972 - As more women begin reaching higher positions in their professions, more clubs begin lobbying for female members. A U.S. Rotary club proposes admitting women into Rotary.

1977 - The Rotary Club of Duarte, California, USA, admits women as members in violation of the RI Constitution and Standard Rotary Club Constitution. Because of this violation, the club's membership in Rotary International is terminated in March 1978. (The club was reinstated in September 1986.)

1983-86 - In a lawsuit filed by the Duarte club, the California Superior Court in 1983 rules in favor of Rotary International, upholding gender-based qualification for membership in California Rotary clubs. In 1986, the California Court of Appeals reverses the lower court's decision, preventing the enforcement of the provision in California. The California Supreme Court refuses to hear the case, and it is appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court.

1987 - On May 4th, the U.S. Supreme Court rules that Rotary clubs may not exclude women from membership on the basis of gender. Rotary issues a policy statement that any Rotary club in the United States can admit qualified women into membership.

The Rotary Club of Marin Sunrise, California is chartered on May 28th. It becomes the first club after the U.S. Supreme Court ruling to have women as charter members.

Dr Sylvia Whitlock, of the Rotary Club of Duarte, California and involved in the US Supreme Court case, becomes the first female Rotary club president. And, the rest as they say is history!

Rotary International's disaster relief partner, ShelterBox, has some very illuminating statistics from its international mission of assisting victims in some of the most horrendous of civil unrest, terrorism and natural disaster areas.

FACTS:

- Women and children account for more than 75% of the refugees and displaced persons globally.
- All forms of violence against women increase during disasters and displacement.
- Women and children are up to 14 times more likely to die during a natural disaster than men.

The stories of strength and resiliency are nothing short of miraculous. The stories of many incredible women can be read on their website, ShelterBox.org.

From ShelterBox, "Together, we can help families return to normal by providing women with the tools and training they need. Together we can empower women after disaster. Stand with women around the world by giving them shelter, training, and tools to recover."

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- 3/19 MEETING CANCELLED
 3/20 RYLA CANCELLED
 3/26 MEETING CANCELLED
 3/26 Wetzel Awards CANCELLED
 3/28 Highway Clean Up CANCELLED
 4/02 John Restrepo - Factors Affecting the Local Economy
 4/09 Arnold Stalk - Veterans Village Helping Veterans
 4/14 Breakfast with Books CANCELLED
 4/16 Matt Christi - Director of Advancement Destiny Rescue
 4/25 Annual Fundraiser Celebrity Cars
 4/23 Marie Walsh - Valedictorian Luncheon
 4/30 Steve Hill - Las Vegas Convention & Visitor Authority
 5/07 Clark County Fire Chief John Steinbeck
 5/14 Marta Meana - UNLV
 5/21 Marta Meana - UNLV
 5/28 Ted McAdams - Memorial Day May 25th
 6/20 Highway Clean Up



Our Last Breakfast with Books! See You Next Year!

PAST PRESIDENTS

Les Saunders*	1923-24	Dr. Harold Boyer*	1971-72
Bill Ferron*	1924-25	Angelo J. Manzi*	1972-73
A.A. Hinman*	1925-26	Keith Ashworth*	1973-74
Frosty Mildren*	1926-27	Robert E. O'Connell*	1974-75
Fred Hesse*	1927-28	Don Ashworth*	1975-76
Dr. F.M. Ferguson*	1928-29	David F. Welles*	1976-77
Dr. William S. Park*	1929-30	James J. Corey*	1977-78
Charlie Dimock*	1930-31	Darrell Luce*	1978-79
Leo McNamee*	1931-32	Albert H. Purdue*	1979-80
A.E. Cahlan*	1932-33	Michael Hoover	1980-81
Douglas Dasheil*	1933-34	Donald L. Aikin*	1981-82
Marion Earl*	1934-35	Joseph L. Buckley*	1982-83
Dr. Roy Martin*	1935-36	Irwin Kishner*	1983-84
K.O. Knudson*	1936-37	James Cashman III*	1984-85
Frank Gusewelle*	1937-38	Mike Meyer	1985-86
Tom Connolly*	1938-39	Doug L. Peterson	1986-87
Archie Grant*	1939-40	M.J. Wiens, Jr.	1987-88
Otto Underhill*	1940-41	Keith W. Bassett*	1988-89
Bryan Bunker*	1941-42	Kenneth E. Miller*	1989-90
Cyril Wengert*	1942-43	James M. Gamett	1990-91
Fred O'Donnell*	1943-44	Robert L. Moore	1991-92
Frank Case*	1944-45	Robert L. Forbuss*	1992-93
Victor Shurtiff*	1945-46	Gary A. Martin	1993-94
Max Kelch*	1946-47	John A. Smith	1994-95
Ed Ciliax*	1947-48	Caty Crockett	1995-96
Lorin Ronnow*	1948-49	Clifford R. Beadle	1996-97
Leonard Fayle*	1949-50	Ralph J. Rohay	1997-98
Allye Lawson*	1950-51	Dr. James M. Jones*	1998-99
Harry Allen*	1951-52	Tom A. Thomas	1999-00
Les Edwards*	1952-53	Tom J. Krob	2000-01
Wayne Kirch*	1953-54	James E. Hunt	2001-02
George Boman*	1954-55	James R. Tucker	2002-03
Spence Butterfield*	1955-56	Kathy Dalvey	2003-04
Walt Hunsaker*	1956-57	Steve Casey	2004-05
Ted Brandt*	1957-58	Ned Phillips	2005-06
Julian Moore*	1958-59	Brock Fraser	2006-07
Ray F. Culley*	1959-60	Randy Campanale	2007-08
C.T. Harris*	1960-61	Russ Swain	2008-09
Ollie Gardner*	1961-62	Karen Whisenhunt	2009-10
Tom Axtell*	1962-63	Tom Axtell	2010-11
Vern Willis*	1963-64	Sharon McNair	2011-12
Ward Wengert*	1964-65	Randy Donald	2012-13
Bill Southard*	1965-66	Ginger Anderson	2013-14
Dr. Vince Sanner*	1966-67	Steve Linder	2014-15
Walter Webner*	1967-68	Mary Ann Avnet	2015-16
Dr. Robert Robinson*	1968-69	David Thorson	2016-17
Harold Wandesforde*	1969-70	Michael Gordon	2017-18
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Kathy Mahon and Jerry Engel presented an Hebrew invocation. President Elect Richard Jost stood in for President Jackie.



Ted McAdam led us in song.



Beckley Elementary School Principal **Shannon Brown** gave us an update on events at the school.



PP **David Thorson** reminded us of the upcoming Wetzel Awards at Nellis AFB.



Annie Nounna offered two tickets to be raffled off for the Bally's Show WOW.



Two weeks in a row and and PP **Russ Swain** misses the Joker, but got \$50 for an Ace.

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PEOPLE OF ACTION



At PE **Richard's** head table were two gentlemen from the clubs with speech contestants and **Rose Falocco**.



Rosalee Hedrick and Janet Linder inducted our new member **Tobias Kleff**.



Howie Hopkinson reminded us of our upcoming District Conference.



Sergeant at Arms **Kirk Alexander** and **Rene Gamero** posed for a picture.



PP **Jim Hunt** won the weekly drawing for the Lawry's Bucks.



Our next level 4-Way Speech contestants and organizers posed for a picture. The winner on the right was **Jose** who will continue to the district level.



The Officers for the 25 Club

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VP - Rene Gamero • Secretary - Rose Falocco
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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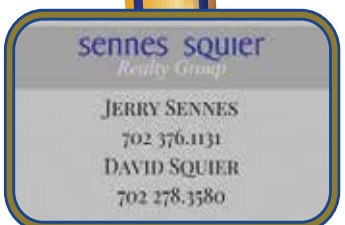
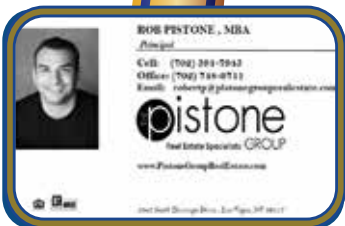
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- **PE Richard Jost** called the meeting to order.
- **Dr. Kathleen Mahon** gave the invocation.
- **Ted Mc Adams** led the club in singing “God Bless America”, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.
- **Kirk Alexander** was the Sergeant-At-Arms.
- We had visiting 0 International Rotarians; 4 visiting Rotarians and 0 Guests of Rotarians were introduced.
- The weekly drawing began at \$5,436 plus this week’s donations. **Russ Swain** missed the Joker. PP **Jim Hunt** won the Lawry’s Bucks.
- **PE Richard Jost** announcements/reminders:
 - International Convention held in Hawaii in June 6-10 an is filling up quickly.
 - District Conference is in in Pasadena May 1-3. Registration is open - celebrate the 100th year.
 - Your quarterly and monthly contributions help fund programs keep our projects moving. Please consider donating to the permanent fund.
 - Remember to recycle Wheels and tickets.
 - Please keep the green book moving for service sign up. Use the QR code in the wheel & green book to sign up for events online.
- **Rosalee Hedrick** announced the induction of a new member **Tobias Kleff**.
- **David Thorson** shared Wetzel Awards March 26th 3-4PM in new location meet @ the Nellis Visitor Center 2:30 PM.
- **Jerry Sennes** Highway Clean Up March 28th at 9 AM with brunch to follow at his home.
- **Marie Walsh** Breakfast with Books success 170 books read.
- PP **Jim Hunt** 21st St. Patrick’s Cigar Social Friday March 13th 6 PM bring 3 Cigars hosted at **Kirk Holmes** home. Humidor with LV Rotary logo will be an auction item. Rotary alumni will be invited this year. Proceeds to the Foundation. UPDATE POSTPONED
- **Bill Houghton** RYLA POSTPONED
- **Howie Hopkinson** District Conference May 1-3 at the Pasadena Westin. Pasadena Club is hosting and celebrating their 100th year. Please attend. Discounted rooms are going fast. Please get online and sign up. Last day to register April 8th.
- **Rene Gamero** April 25 Cuisine & Octane Annual Fundraising Event tickets are \$100 for all the food and drink you’d like. Will be fantastic event. Partnering with the USO.
- **Rose Falocco** announced the contestants in the Area Competition a District wide in the 4-Way test Speech Contest. Three students presented individually. The 1st place goes on to compete at Regionals on April 15th at UNLV.
- **PE Richard Jost** adjourned the meeting.

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Monday (1st, 2nd, 4th)	Southwest	Lawry's Prime Rib	12:15 p.m.
Tuesday (1st, 3rd)	Las Vegas Summerlin	TPC Club House	7:00 a.m.
Tuesday (1st, 3rd)	Downtown	Hugo's (Four Queens Hotel)	12:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Henderson	Wells Fargo building (122 S. Water St.)	Noon
Tuesday	Mesquite	Holiday Inn Express	Noon
Tuesday (2nd, 4th)	Las Vegas West	Canyon Gate Country Club	12:00 p.m.
Tuesday (varies)	Red Rock Rotary	PKWY Tavern (9820 W Flamingo Rd)	6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Pahrump Valley	China Wok	Noon
Wednesday	Boulder City	Milo's Celler	6 PM
Wednesday	Moapa	UNR Cooperative Extension	7:30 a.m.
Wednesday (2nd, 4th)	LV After Hours	Art 2 Art Gallery	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	LV Spring Mountains	The Den LV (9837 W. Tropicana Ave)	5:30p.m.
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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