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**Prescott Frontier
Rotary Club**



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Meets Wednesdays 12 PM at
Touchmark, Prescott

Making A Difference for Prescott's Kids & Beyond! October 7, 2026

**2026 – 2027
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September 30, 2026
Dan Beyer led the Pledge of Allegiance & 4 Way Test. Wendi Lancy offered an invocation.
GUESTS: Today's guests were represented by fellow Rotarian, Russ Davis, President, Rotary Club (RC) of Sunup. & our presenter Joe Sweeney D5495 Governor. **WELCOME!**
DRAWING: Dan Beyer drew the winning ticket for the ten dollar prize. Unfortunately, he drew the Queen of Diamonds. On October 7th, the jackpot will be \$110.00 with 51 cards in the deck.
EARLY IN THE GAME ...
ANNOUNCEMENTS:
• President Donna Jacobs began the meeting by thanking all that contributed to the success of the recent Grapes for Good (G4G) event. **KUDOS!**
• Donna then announced that Ennis Ogorsolka will coordinate the sale of excess wine to interested members. As an incentive, the wine may be purchased at \$3.00 below the discounted price offered by Lloyd's Liquor. **SUCH A DEAL ...**
• Donna continued by reminding members of the post Grapes for Good gathering at the St. Michael's Bistro on Tuesday (10/6) from 4:30 to 6 pm. **FIRST DRINK'S ON DONNA!**
• Linda Sweeney provided an overview of the upcoming Veteran's Day parade on Wednesday (11/11). The Rotary float construction will be a joint effort among the four area clubs. The float theme "Rotary Soars" will feature an eagle with an eight foot wind span. The eagle will be decorated with paper mache & crepe paper. **BREAK OUT THOSE BERETS & PAINT BRUSHES ...**
• Russ Davis, RC Sun Up President, extended his congratulations on a great G4G event. He then discussed Sun Up's 2nd Annual Chili Cook-Off fundraiser on Friday (10/24). The event will take place at Touchmark at the Ranch from 5:30 to 8 pm. Ticket & Silent Auction sales will be allocated to local student scholarship grants. Whereas, beer sales & "Show Your Love" activities will benefit the Polio Plus campaign. **LET'S GET COOKIN'!**
• Donna then invited members to attend the Cardinals Game Day & Tailgate party on Sunday (11/29). Visit the district's website for registration details. She continued by encouraging members to attend the next Rotary Connections Training on Saturday (11/14) from 8 am to 4 pm. Sessions I, 11 & 111 will be presented at the Glendale Community College. Registration details may be found on the district website under Training opportunities. Remember the \$65.00 registration fee will be reimbursed by the club. **NO EXCUSES NOT TO ATTEND ...**
• Donna described her Gold Star Mothers flower delivery experience. She then thanked Allan's Flowers for their on going commitment to support this program. **FOR ALL YOUR FLOWER NEEDS**
• Wendi Lancy provided an overview of upcoming service opportunities. Members are encouraged to donate non-perishable food items to support the Touchmark contribution to the Community Cupboard Food Drive. Donations will be accepted at our next meeting. The Food Drive will take place on Saturday (10/10) from 8:45 to 11 am at the Prescott High School. Kathy Nagy has been in touch with the Salvation Army regarding the Winter Shelter Food Meal program. Details to follow. **PARTICIPATION PUTS THINGS IN PERSPECTIVE ...**
• In closing, Rex Townsend provided an initial G4G proceeds report. At this time, the event garnered approximately \$91,000.00 in gross revenue. The net revenue is approximately \$52,000.00 which may change as there are additional event expenses & pledges that will affect the final total. **GREAT JOB TEAM!**
Speaker: Joe Sweeney: District 5495 Governor (DG)
Joe Sweeney began his presentation by acknowledging our club with a Club Excellence Award. He congratulated Prescott Frontier (PF) as one of the 14 out of 49 clubs throughout the district to receive this award. He cited the award requirements such as good financial standing, completion of at least 13 of the 26 district performance goals, completion of designated community service goals, among others. Joe then provided an overview of his Rotary background. Following relocation from Northern California, he joined the PF Rotary Club. He stepped in as an Assistant Governor under DG Brett McKeon to replace Ron Williams. He then served for a year & a half as president of the historic Prescott RC where he increased the membership from 6 to 18 active members. He then partnered with interested community members to re-establish the Prescott Valley RC. He continued with an interactive discussion that included our historical club identity, assessment of community needs, prospective membership development & collaborative fundraising strategies. He concluded with an introduction of the Sleep in Heavenly Peace (SHP) program. This program provides beds to children that often sleep on the floor. Joe announced that he is co-founding a local Prescott SHP chapter with the Servant's Heart organization. **THANKS, JOE!**
Sergeant at Arms: Mike Hannan took the audience on a tour of Route 66. **WHO WOULD HAVE KNOWN THAT THIS WAS THE "MOTHER" OF ALL ROADS?**

CLUB SERVICE SLATE

	<u>Oct 7th</u>	<u>Oct 14th</u>	<u>Oct 21st</u>
Set Up/Down:	Linda Mast	Kathy Nagy	Dean Charlton
Greeter:	Art Bierschbach	Kathy Miller	Andrea Reid
Check In:	Bard Schatzman	Diane Meek	Art Bierschbach
Sgt-at-Arms:	Sandra M-Adams	Art Bierschbach	Steve Sischka
Reporter:	Robert Wertz	Robert Wertz	Robert Wertz

*Special thanks to Joe Brown & Touchmark
for hosting our meetings!*

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct 6th: G4G After Party**
Oct 13: FRCF Board Meeting
Oct 14: PFRC Board Meeting
UPCOMING PROGRAM
Oct 7th: Grapes for Good Recap
Oct 14th: Leo Lawrenceon:
Shelterbox
Oct 21st: Sheri Scoggins:
Ruger Firearms

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