


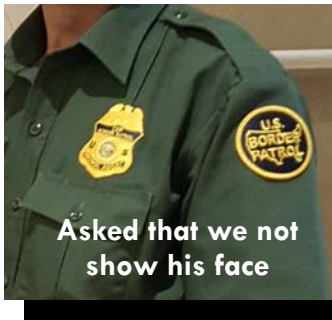
The Sun Riser

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Today's Program Jim Willettes



Norris Johnson introduced our speaker Ben Braker of the U.S. Customs and Border Patrol (CBP), U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security. He is a part of the Tucson Sector and has been working there for over 12 years. With more than 60,000 employees, CBP, is one of the world's largest law enforcement organizations and is charged with keeping terrorists and their weapons out of the U.S. while facilitating lawful international travel and trade. As the United States' first unified border entity, CBP takes a comprehensive approach to border management and control, combining customs, immigration, border security, and agricultural protection into one coordinated and

supportive activity. The men and women of CBP are responsible for enforcing hundreds of U.S. laws and regulations. On a typical day, CBP welcomes nearly one million visitors, screens more than 67,000 cargo containers, arrests more than 1,100 individuals, and seizes nearly 6 tons of illicit drugs. Annually, CBP facilitates an average of more than \$3 trillion in legitimate trade while enforcing U.S. trade laws. Its Mission Statement is "To safeguard America's borders thereby protecting the public from dangerous people and materials while enhancing the Nation's global economic competitiveness by enabling legitimate trade and travel." Its Vision Statement is "To serve as the premier law enforcement agency enhancing the Nation's safety, security, and prosperity through collaboration, innovation, and integration." It has core values of vigilance, service to country and integrity as its cornerstone values. Arrests have declined with the recent years increased focus on border security.

NEW MEMBER SPIEL — STAN KAUFMAN



Stan Kaufman, transferring in from the San Tan Club, told us he was born on a scary Halloween 71 years ago in Alberta, Canada. He received Bachelor's and Master's degrees from the University of Alberta. There he fell in love with Suzanne and they married. With no jobs in Alberta, he and Suzanne moved to Toronto and began a five-year banking career with Toronto Dominion Bank, assessing credit loans to tobacco farms and marinas. He then took a position with Mutual Life of Canada, selling insurance as an agent, and in administration and marketing areas. He was promoted to President of US Operations in Fargo, ND. He grew the business twenty-fold, but alas, it was sold to Sun Life when he was 59 years old, leaving him unemployed. He took some banking and lending posi-

tions until retirement and then relocated to Sun Lakes. Stan has three children and five grandchildren. Stan has been a Rotarian since 1982. We are MOST thankful that he is continuing his Rotary career with us. He is an incredible asset.

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Program Overview: May 1, 2018

Call-to-Order: **Pres. Peter Meade**

Pledge: **Morris Johnson**

Invocation: **Norm Noble**

SongMeister: **Norm Noble** — "You are my sunshine!"

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES TO BE CELEBRATED THIS WEEK:

Birthday: Colette McNally May 3; Dave Cramer May 4; Bill Giessing May 10; Gary Whiting May 11

Anniversary: Gary & Jerrine Nessel Mar. 26; Craig & Jessica Gilbert May 8



Sgt. Dee enlisted **newbie Adrian Christopher** to help collect the money as birthday boy **Wayne Johnson** (90 years old!) hit \$5, but he gave \$90 total to TRF and our Foundation 2000, birthday **Bob Phillips** spun on \$5, anniversary **Gene Cole** hit \$2, and **Phyllis Carr**

had both birthday and anniversary — **all pay \$1** and \$5. There were no *Happy/Sad* dollars as there was no time.



Ed Anderson thanked **Peter** for his year as President. **Don Robins** updated us on AWIM, going strong with 300 kids at Fulton Elementary. **Phyllis Carr** and volunteers are about to begin interviewing students for the WI World Affairs Summit. The May 29th Club Meeting will be an evening session, beginning at 4:30 pm with improvements to the sound and hearing systems in the Ballroom being discussed.

ANNUAL AWARDS TO THREE OUTSTANDING ROTARIANS



Low Langer was awarded the **John McCain Good Guy Award** for all that he has done for the Club, including the setup/tear down for every Club Meeting. **Bill Schink** received the **Service Above Self Award** for all his hard work, including the taxing position as Golf Committee Fundraiser Chair. **Don Robins** was awarded the **ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR Award** for his leadership of the Educational Services Committee and especially for his AWIM/F1 work. And **Sandy Lundberg** was given the **Educator of The Year Award**

for her total commitment to education. As a Sun Lakes Rotarian, she is a true leader with purpose and passion for education, exhibiting service above self.

ROTARIAN CODE OF ETHICS

As a Rotarian, I will:

1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life.
2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect.
3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world.

MAY EVENTS

May 15 Doug Nick

May 22 Ellie Casson

May 29 Thomas Kaufman

ATTENDANCE MAY 1, 2018

Members: 30

Sr. Members: 14

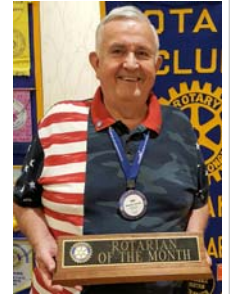
Frequent Visitors: 1

Visiting Rotarians: 0

Guests: 5

Total: 50

May's Rotarian of the Month



WINNER

Howard Rudge drew the four of Clubs! He won Ten Bucks. Joker's still available.



Grady Anderson is a prospective new member in our club.

Don Robins — Rotarian of the Year

