



### Good Morning!

### Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary



#### Opening Exercises

Pledge: Joel Moorhead  
 Prayer: Ron Stevens  
 Songs: Larry Gardner  
 Sgt.-at-Arms: James Caskey

#### Program

Loren Philpot, our newest member, will deliver his Classification Talk, when we can learn more about him, his job with the Salvation Army, his family and his interests.

## Last Week

### No Visiting Rotarians

No visiting Rotarians made up with us last week. However, former Rotarian Lal Fernando, originally from Sri Lanka, was a guest of Soo Stevens-Clarke. Lal lives in north Phoenix and is interested in getting back into Rotary.

### Missing in Action

Nine members were absent: Courtney Banach, Joseph Caskey, Theresa Clemmons, Sanjay Patel, Jim Patmos, Loren Philpot, Marques Reischl, Ron Stevens and Kimberly Williams-Branch.

### No Make-Ups

No make-ups were reported.

### Song Fines & Such

President Chuck Ertl conducted the meeting, Larry Gardner led us in song and Will Coakley conducted the fine session.

Brad Raymond paid \$5 for Mark Stewart's presentation.

Will Coakley paid \$5 for President Chuck Ertl and Mark's presentation.

President Chuck Ertl paid \$3 for Mark's presentation and for his and Paula's 29th anniversary.

Chandra Toy paid for Mark's presentation and for the anniversary of women being admitted into the service academies.

Jonathan Downs paid \$5 for Mark's presentation, for a vacation trip and for an upcoming trip to New York.

Although exempt, Roger Morsch told us about an upcoming trip to Boston.

Marty Herder paid a buck for his weekend.

Candace Lansberry paid \$5 her 17-year-old grandson, Colby, who is a singer/songwriter, getting to perform in public.

James Caskey paid \$2 for the Cardinals, who did it again.

Joel Moorhead paid a buck for James Caskey.

Lori Pierce paid \$5 for her daughter's 23rd birthday.

And Larry Gardner won \$20 in the 50-50 drawing.



President Chuck Ertl (left to right) thanks Mark Stewart and Kristi Dohnel for their presentation.

### Program

Mark Stewart, a member of the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors from District 1, brought us up-to-date on that organization. He was joined by his assistant Kristy Dohnel, whose official title is Executive Communications and Outreach Manager. Mark was introduced by longtime friend, Soo Stevens-Clarke.

Mark told us a little about his background. He married his college sweetheart but they couldn't decide where they wanted to live. Ultimately they decided on Chandler and have been here for 25 years and raised two kids.

The Maricopa County Board of Supervisors is composed of five members. Mark is representative for District 1, which includes parts of Chandler, Gilbert, Mesa, Phoenix, Queen Creek, Scottsdale, Sun Lakes and Tempe. Their chairman is Thomas Galvin, who represents District 2.

The board includes 39 different departments, ranging from health, parks, roads and a myriad of other departments, for which they provide services. The Maricopa County Attorney's office, Recorder, Sheriff's office, Courthouse and Library District all fall under the board's jurisdiction.

The board also meets periodically with mayors of Arizona cities and works out cooperative details for the smooth operation of the county. He said *Please continue reading on page 2*

### Next Week • No Meeting

Since this is the fifth Wednesday of the month we will not have a regular meeting, but we will have a Club Social from 5-7 p.m. at George & Gather, 336 South Washington Street in downtown Chandler. Bring spouse and friends who might be interested in becoming a Rotarian.

### Next Meeting • November 5

#### Opening Exercises

Pledge: Lori Pierce  
 Prayer: Soo Stevens-Clarke  
 Songs: Larry Gardner  
 Sgt. at Arms: James Caskey

#### Program

Mike Churan will join us and present a program entitled, "Rest Recovery Chandler," a luxury wellness boutique that provides anti-aging and holistic health and recovery solutions.

### Looking Ahead November 12

Greg Podd, Past District Governor and currently Vice-Chairman of The Rotary Foundation, will join us and bring us up-to-date on TRF.

### November 19

District 5495 Governor Jim Schmidt will make his official visit to Chandler Horizon Rotary when he will tell us his plans for District 5495 and learn more about ours for the remainder of the 2025-2026 Rotary year.

### November 26

No meeting. We will not meet on this date so we can spend more time with our families, preparing for the Thanksgiving holiday.

### December 3

Local author John Wolfe will join us to tell us about his book, "Around the World in Sixty Years," that features profiles of 101 gentlemen born in 1964 from 65 countries across the globe.

### December 10

The Treblemakers from Chandler High School will make their annual visit to Chandler Horizon Rotary, bringing cheer to us with their songs from the holiday season.

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 EVERY  
 YEAR**



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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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**MARK STEWART**

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he sees the county as a business. He spent many years in business before becoming involved in government, including being a member of the Chandler City Council.

Mark said he believes in innovation, technology and saving money. They have been able to implement AI that provides real time feed back and is paid for by a third party.

The board invests in public safety that comes first. That is followed by infrastructure.

He discussed economic development. He mentioned Chandler and what a model city it is with good schools and good government providing efficient operation. Chandler and the county are competing not only with Phoenix, but also with Los Angeles and other major cities.

He discussed the amount of public involvement and volunteerism in Chandler and noted what a blessing that is.

He said the board ha been able to implement crypto currency. He noted the county has been able to sell excess power to California and New Mexico.

Mark discussed the upcoming elections November 4, not only in

the City of Chandler but also through the school systems.

Mark was asked about his future, possibly looking toward the state legislature or even becoming governor.

He said no, that he would like to finish out this term and a maximum second term on the board of supervisors. "If I can do that, I would be 62 and that's probably time to call it quits," he said.

We thank Mark for his informative visit and wish him well in whatever he does.

**Kroger Donation**

We have received our quarterly donation from Kroger as part of the Fry's Gives Back program, this time in the amount of \$34.08. If you haven't yet signed up for the program, stop by the customer service desk the next time you visit Fry's and sign up.



**Thought for the Day**



No matter what costumes they wear, whenever the Halloween candy comes out, everyone is a goblin.

**MEMBERSHIP**

Name of Rotarian (Spouse).....	Classification
Courtney Banach .....	Engineer - Construction
James Caskey .....	Mortgage Banker
Joseph Caskey .....	Mortgage Broker
Theresa Clemmons (Jeff) .....	Wealth Management
Will Coakley (Wendy) .....	Banking - Underwriting
Azita Dehkordi (Sam).....	Honorary Member
James DeVary (Analaura).....	Caregiving Services
Jonathan Downs .....	Financial Advisor
Chuck Ertl (Paula) .....	Banking - Commercial
Larry Gardner (Teddi) .....	Senior Active
Tim Gibson (Susan).....	Landscape Maintenance
Marty Herder (Ann) .....	Court Reporter
Jim Hoenig .....	Editor
Candace Lansberry (Mark).....	Clergy - Methodist
Joel Moorhead (Laura) .....	Repair Services
Roger Morsch (Mitsi).....	Property/Casualty Insurance
Precious Proscovia Namazzi .....	Honorary Member
Jesus Ortiz (Deirdre).....	Senior Active
SanJay Patel.....	Solar Energy - Residential
Jim Patmos (Mary Kay) .....	Education - Public
Loren Philpot (Stephanie).....	Clergy - Salvation Army
Lori Pierce (Travis) .....	Printing - Commercial
Brad Raymond (Sandra).....	Banking - Small Business
Marques Reischl (Meredith).....	Education - Secondary
Ron Stevens (Chris).....	Stocks & Bonds
Soo-San Stevens-Clarke (Jolyon).....	Multicultural Education
Chandra Toy .....	U.S. Army (retired)
Kimberly Williams Branch (Eric) .....	Manufacturing - CPG

• = Charter Member      \* = Past President      # = Past District Governor  
 ¶ = Paul Harris Fellow      § = Paul Harris Sustaining Member ..... \* = Major Donor  
 ◆ = Paul Harris Society      ♦ = Rotary Benefactor      ‡ = Bequest Society  
 \* = Arch Klump Society

Additional Paul Harris Fellows: Sanders Achen, Judith Anick, Lee Barnes\*, Christine Bonngard, Collin Bonngard, Doug Bonngard, Jordyn Bonngard, Nancy Bonngard, Patti Bonngard, Roger Bonngard\*, Jensen Brent, Barb Cadle, Stephanie Caskey, Jeff Clemmons, Marti Jo Clouse, Bob Coombs\*, Dede Coombs\*, Gail Coombs, John Coombs, Rob Coombs, Leah Cottingham\*, William Cottingham\*, Anbar Dorothy Cotton, Zaynab Martha Cotton, Todd DeGain\*, Don Eklund, Joy Fitzpatrick, Patrick Foley, Donald Forsythe\*, Vera Forsythe, Carl Gardner\*, Kaye Gardner\*, Teddi Gardner, Edward Gerrow\*, Susan Gerrow, Susan Gibson, Stephanie Hagstrom, Kylene Hathaway, Jennifer Hazelwood, Ann Herder, Amy Lynne Hinchman, Timothy Hinchman, Janis Hoenig\*, Hannah Holbert, Julie Howard, Agnes Hyde\*, Emory James Hyde\*, Tiffany Jones, Randy Kiesel, Richard Lackie\*, Cindy Lewis, Phil Lewis, Kristin Lindsey, Richard Malcolm\*, Jaslyn McGraw, John McVey\*, Leanne Miller, Kathy Morenc, Nick Morenc, Ana Ortiz, Cristina Ortiz, Dede Ortiz, Alyssa Patmos, Dr. Bernard Patmos\*, Brent Patmos, Frances Hyde Patmos\*, Joseph Patmos\*, Kristine Patmos, Lucy Patmos\*, Mary Kay Patmos, Trudy Patmos, Kristel Patton, Betsy Powell, Kristen Powell, Juliet Adelaide Rice, Pam Rienke and Hope, Kenny Rogers, Bill Ryan, Jared Ryan, Sharon Ryan\*, Teresa Schyberg, John Simonson, Elizabeth Jane Smith\*, Chris Stevens, Patsy Thomas\*, Bridget Valenciano, Donna Weaver, Ken Weaver\*, Lisa Ryan Whyte, Jack Williams, Teri Williams, Krystal Wilkinson, David Willigrod, Pat Willigrod, Amber Wills.

\* - Deceased.  
 Additional Sustaining Members: Allen Caskey, Gaby Herder, Jeff Hoenig.

**NEARBY CLUBS**

Rotary Meeting Information • 602-604-8221

KYRENE CORRIDOR	Monday 12:10 p.m.	Olive Garden (Elliot)
SUN LAKES	Tuesday (1 & 3) 7:00 a.m.	Cottonwood Country Club
	Tuesday (2 & 4) 4:30 p.m.	Cottonwood Country Club
CHANDLER	Tuesday 12:00 noon	San Marcos Golf Course
MESA BASELINE	Tuesday 12:10 p.m.	Mesa Country Club
SUPERSTITION MOUNTAIN	Wednesday 12:00 noon	Gold Canyon Resort
MESA	Wednesday 12:10 p.m.	Hilton Phoenix East/Mesa
GILBERT	Thursday 7:00 a.m.	The Nook
TEMPE RIO SALADO	Thursday 7:00 a.m.	Denny's
MESA WEST	Thursday 12:10 p.m.	Hilton Phoenix East/Mesa
TEMPE DOWNTOWN	Thursday 6:15 p.m.	Macayo's
TEMPE SOUTH	Friday 6:45 a.m.	Friendship Village
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