



Good Morning!

Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary



Opening Exercises

Pledge: Candace Lansberry
 Prayer: Loren Philpot
 Songs: Larry Gardner
 Sgt.-at-Arms: James Caskey

Welcome, Governor Jim

District 5495 Governor Jim Schmidt will pay his official visit to Chandler Horizon today when we can learn more about his plans for the remainder of Rotary year 2025-2026.

Last Week

Visiting Rotarians

Visiting Rotarians who made up with us last week were our speaker, PDG Greg Podd from Evergreen, Colorado; Harvey Newcomb from Evanston/Lighthouse and Director of Major Gifts for The Rotary Foundation; Assistant Governor Jon Lyons from Sun Lakes; and Tom Hickey from Kyrene Corridor. In addition, Mary Kay Patmos was a guest of Jim.

Missing in Action

Twelve members were absent: Courtney Banach, Joseph Caskey, Theresa Clemmons, James DeVary, Tim Gibson, Marty Herder, Roger Morsch, Loren Philpot, Marques Reischl, Ron Stevens, Soo Stevens-Clarke, and Kimberly Williams-Branch.

Make-Ups

Jonathan Downs, Chandra Toy and Soo Stevens-Clarke all made up at the club social.

Songs, Fines & Such

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

Larry Gardner presented a \$1,000 check from him and Teddi to go to a Rotary Foundation grant.

James Caskey paid \$5 for Iowa's tough loss to Oregon.

Jonathan Downs paid \$5 for missing meetings and for Greg Podd's presentation.

President Chuck Ertl paid \$10 for Greg's presentation, and for his wife celebrating her 47th birthday.

Jim Hoenig paid \$5 for Greg Podd and noted how sorry he was Pam couldn't join us.

Candace Lansberry paid \$2 for Greg and also reminding members to get their green bags in by November 19.

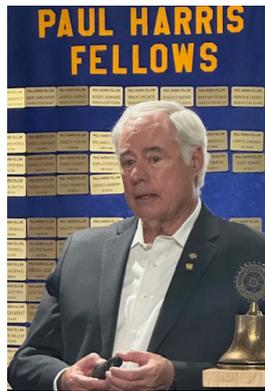
Chuy Ortiz paid \$5 and Joel Moorhead \$1 for Greg.

Sanjay Patel paid \$10 for being late, missing meetings and for a family engagement.

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Program

Greg Podd, Past District Governor of Rotary 5510 in 2003-2004 and now Vice Chairman of The Rotary Foundation, brought us up-to-date on TRF. He was joined by Harvey Newcomb, Director of Principal Gifts for the Rotary Foundation.



PDG Greg Podd

Greg thanked Larry Gardner for his service and also Jim Hoenig, who produced the district newsletter for Greg when he was District Governor of Rotary District 5510 in 2003-2004. He also thanked Jim and Mary Kay Patmos for their dedication to TRF. He noted Chandler Horizon Rotary has given close to \$400,000 to The Rotary Foundation.

Greg and Harvey presented The Annual Report on Operations for The Rotary Foundation in the 2023-2024 Rotary year. "The Rotary Foundation had a really good year," Greg said.

The Rotary Foundation received the highest rank for charity navigation from 4 Stars for the 17th straight year. TRF received \$69 million more than budgeted. It saw a 13 percent investment return last year.

Greg gave a little history of The Rotary Foundation, how it began in 1917 by Arch Klumpf with \$26 and change. The first project was a men's toilet on the streets of Chicago.

The booklet they handed out offered a plethora of statistics about donations. "It's not about the money coming in, it's about the money going

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Next Week • No Meeting

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

Next Meeting • December 3

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Program

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.

Looking Ahead December 10

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

We also will hold our annual Holiday Party that evening at Floridino's. You are invited to bring family and friends as we celebrate the holidays. If you haven't reserved your spot, please do so today with Jim Patmos. Each person attending is expected to bring a wrapped gift of no more than \$15 in value.

Board Meeting

The Chandler Horizon Rotary Club board of directors will hold a special meeting immediately following today's regular meeting to discuss our plans for the remainder of this Rotary year with District Governor Jim Schmidt during his official visit to our club.



SPECIAL PRESENTATION — Greg Podd (right) presents a Bequest Society pin to Chandra Toy, indicating she has dedicated a minimum of \$10,000 from her estate.



Program Ideas

Everyone meets someone during their daily life that has an interesting story to tell. If they are willing to tell us about it, contact Lori Pierce for a presentation date.

Thought for the Day

An optimist is a person who starts a new diet on Thanksgiving Day. *Irv Kupcinet*



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1. Is it the TRUTH?
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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GREG PODD

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out.” Greg said.

For example, he reported there were 1,430 global grants for a total of \$81 million; and 476 district grants for a total of \$28 million; plus \$155 million for PolioPlus and \$32 million toward the Peace Centers.

Greg talked about the Peace Centers, of which there are now seven around the world that have produced 1,800 Peace Fellows, including 131 that were awarded last year. Another center in Saudi Arabia is in the works.

Greg emphasized the need to complete the polio eradication program. He said 39 new polio cases were reported last year: 30 in Pakistan and nine in Afghanistan. He said cooperating with governments in these countries has improved, despite resistance from the Taliban.

He thanked the Gates Foundation that has donated \$17 billion to help make this goal a reality.

In addition to the polio project, The Rotary Foundation is involved in other similar projects around the world, including: fighting malaria in Zambia; and similar projects in Mozambique, Nigeria and the Congo; and the Global Polio Laboratory Network.

“If we don’t complete the project in five years,” Greg said, “as many as 200,000 children worldwide may become infected.

Greg said the key to the future is building the endowment. The goal of reaching \$2.025 billion has been exceeded by \$25 million.

He urged our continued support of The Rotary Foundation as we battle poverty, homelessness and illness around the world.

We thank him for his continued dedication to the goals of Rotary.

SONGS, FINES & SUCH

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Jim Patmos paid \$10 for Greg, Harvey and Mary Kay.

Lori Pierce paid \$5 for Greg.

Brad Raymond paid \$5 for Greg and a recent golf outing.

Chandra Toy paid \$5 for Jim and Mary Kay, for a trip to Washington, and closing on her house.

Visiting Rotarian Jim Hickey paid \$20 for being here. And AG Jon Lyons paid \$10, also for being here.

And Will Coakley won \$13 in the 50-50 drawing.

**EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR**

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	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 Klumph 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*, Florence 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.

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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