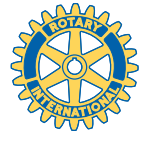




News Horizons



The Voice of the Chandler Horizon Rotary Club

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Good Morning!

Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary



Opening Exercises

Pledge: Tim Gibson
 Prayer: Sunday Etukeren
 Songs: Larry Gardner
 Sgt.-at-Arms: Brad Raymond

Program

President Theresa Clemmons finally will get a chance to lay out her plans for the 2017-18 Rotary Year. If you have not yet signed up for a service area, please do so ASAP.

Last Week

Visiting Rotarian

Only one visiting Rotarian made up with us last week, Dr. Ruth Tan Lim from Mesa Sunrise. However, Cruz Alzaga was a guest of Kristel Patton and Nick Lacy from Crowne Plaza San Marcos Golf Resort was a guest of the club.

Missing in Action

Nine of our members were missing in action: Amanda Alburn, Garrett Brotsma, Sunday Etukeren, Doug Gardner, Tim Gibson, John Gizzo, Tiffany Jones, Roger Morsch and Jerry Turner.

Makeups

Larry Gardner made up at the Chandler club; and Jim Hoenig and James Caskey (twice) on the cyber club.

Songs, Fines & Such

President Theresa Clemmons conducted the meeting, Larry Gardner led us in song and Brad Raymond conducted the fine session.

Kristel Patton was late. Kristel added \$3 for Ainsley starting first grade and Cruz starting preschool. Cory Whyte and Ron Stevens forgot their Rotary badges. Ron paid an extra buck for special delivery of his.

Marty Herder paid \$5 for a trip to Florida where he attended a wedding and "fell out of an airplane."

Terry Locke paid \$2 for making 45,000 Chandler Unified School District parents happy by welcoming the kids back to school. Kurt Rohrs paid for the kids getting back to school so he can *Continue reading on page 2*

August Birthdays, Anniversaries

Birthdays

August 22 Terry Locke
 August 23 Kurt Rohrs

Anniversaries

August 11 Sunday & Edo Etukeren
 August 11 Jim & Mary Kay Patmos
 August 12 Tim & Susan Gibson
 August 16 Roger & Mitsi Morsch
 August 21 Chuy & Dede Ortiz
 August 23 Terry & Ellen Locke



Pres. Theresa Clemmons (right) thanks Phil Lewis.

Program

Phil Lewis presented another of his entertaining and informative programs. Phil talked about how he found levity and laughter. "If you can find humor in everything," he said, "life will be easier."

He presented another video by Sam Glenn, a motivational speaker who inspires us with a humorous twist. It was entitled 'Who Put a Lizard in My Lasagna?'

Sam said "Attitude Can Make a Difference". He cited an example of the time when his brother dropped a gallon of milk which exploded. Sam and his brothers thought it was hysterical, but that their mother would be furious. Instead, she laughed along with them.

He said to "Remember What's Important." The key is to establish priorities and follow them. And remember the "Power of Humor."

At the same time, he encouraged us to "Be Creative." In other words, think outside of the box occasionally.

And also, "Go Above and Beyond." Do what is expected of you, and even more.

At that point, the video died. Phil picked up the slack by encouraging us to give hugs. "Occasionally we need to laugh at ourselves and others, with permission," he said.

He told a story about when he was a high school teacher and the teachers played against the students in a donkey basketball game. Phil had an enormous comb-over at the time and discovered his hair (when he had more) was flying all over the place. But he was able to laugh it off.

He encouraged us to have fun and enjoy life.

Looking Ahead

Next Week

Opening Exercises

Pledge: John Gizzo
 Prayer: Brent Patmos
 Songs: Larry Gardner
 Sgt.-at-Arms: Jim Hoenig

Program

This is the week we all have been waiting for, the presentation of the Sinner-of-the-Year Award. Jim Hoenig and the Sergeant-at-Arms crew will reveal the sins of all of our members.

Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Chandler Horizon Rotary Club Board of Directors was held Tuesday.

The board engaged in a lengthy discussion of the financial situation of both our club and our foundation. Club Treasurer Larry Gardner explained our new set-up with Quick Books and noted our financial health is good. Foundation Treasurer Jim Hoenig presented an updated financial statement on our 24th annual Hole-in-One Contest.

The board approved a dues increase to \$140 per quarter. This combines our former dues charge of \$85 plus an average of 11 weeks of \$5 per week meeting charge, so it really isn't an increase at all, just a re-classification.

President Theresa Clemmons presented a comparative report on meal costs at the Holiday Inn, YMCA and our new home at San Marcos. The board approved moving to San Marcos permanently, not only for better meals but also for more room, more exposure in the community, and to solidify our association with San Marcos for our Hole-in-One Contest. Members will now pay \$10 for breakfast or \$3 for coffee/juice.

The board approved moving our 25th annual Hole-in-One Contest back to our previous three-week format and our earlier dates. We will start the Saturday of President's Day weekend. Qualifying will be held February 17-19 and 23-25, plus March 2 and 3. All finals will be staged Sunday, March 4. Dates are subject to agreement with San Marcos.

The board also recommended three \$500 scholarships at Chandler Gilbert Community College for the coming year. There will be two new students and one return student.

Thought for the Day

You cannot climb the ladder of success with your hands in your pockets.

**Remember your Rotary pin...
 ...wear it daily with pride!**



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**Paul Harris
Fellow**

PP Brent Patmos presented a Paul Harris Fellow to Azi Dehkordi, who was totally surprised by the presentation. The award was given by her friend, Soo-San Stevens-Clarke. Brent talked about the value we place on people. He talked about the relationship between Azi and Soo, how their relationship is more than a friend or even more than a sister, to which both nodded in agreement. Both became quite emotional. "I'm very humbled and very grateful," Azi said. Dr. Ruth Tan Lim, also a friend of both Soo and Azi, was glad to be there for the ceremony.



Azi Dehkordi (right) displays her Paul Harris Fellow certificate while Dr. Ruth Tan Lim (left) and Soo-San Stevens-Clarke look on.

SONGS, FINES & SUCH

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get some work done.

Doug Hawkins paid \$2 for a trip to Pine and his granddaughter starting school. Jim Torgeson paid \$2 for his daughter moving to New York.

Brad Raymond paid \$2 for our new venue and an exit fee to Flagstaff. Larry Gardner paid for a trip to San Antonio for a family reunion.

Brent Patmos paid \$5 for Pres. Theresa getting us into our new venue, for Nick Lacy joining us, a trip to Tucson to help Bryce get settled in his new digs, and Trudy getting her yoga teaching certificate. She will teach her first class August 12 at the

Olive Mill in Queen Creek.

Greg Thornton paid \$2 for Nick joining us and for a trip to Flagstaff for Rachel's 30th high school class reunion. Nick Lacy paid \$10 for being invited to our meeting.

Bill Ryan paid \$10 for missing the last six weeks, and for trips to Pinetop and Vancouver, among other places. James Caskey paid \$3 for trips to Iowa, South Dakota and Las Vegas.

Soo-San Stevens-Clarke paid \$28 for hers and Jolyon's 28th anniversary. Dr. Ruth Tan Lim paid because she was glad to be here, to which Soo-San Stevens Clarke added \$10.

There was no 50-50 drawing.

MEMBERSHIP

Name of Rotarian (Spouse)	Classification
\$ Amanda Alburn (Caleb)	Medical Administration
Garrett Brolsma	Child Development
* ¶§ James Caskey	Mortgage Banker
¶§ Theresa Clemmons (Jeff)	Financial Advisor
\$ Sunday Etukeren (Edo)	Automotive Sales
¶§♦ Doug Gardner (Sharlene)	Construction Management
* ¶§ Larry Gardner (Teddi)	Senior Active
* ¶§ Tim Gibson (Susan)	Landscape Maintenance
\$ John Gizzo (Dale)	Automotive: Lending
\$ Doug Hawkins (DeeAnne)	Real Estate - Probate
¶§ Marty Herder (Ann)	Court Reporter
* ¶§ ♦ Jim Hoenig	Senior Active
¶§ Tiffany Jones (Emmett)	Construction Accountant
* ¶§ Phil Lewis (Cindy)	Franchise Sales/Distribution
Terry Locke (Ellen)	Education – Youth Services
¶§ Roger Morsch (Mitsi)	Property/Casualty Insurance
* ¶§ Jesus Ortiz (Deirdre)	Senior Active
* ¶§ ♦ ♦ ♦ Brent Patmos (Trudy)	Business Consulting
* ¶§ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ Jim Patmos (Mary Kay)	Education – Public
¶§ Kristel Patton (Carlos)	Attorney – Estate Planning/Probate
\$ Brad Raymond (Sandra)	Banking – Small Business
* ¶§ Kurt Rohrs (Claudia)	Financial Planning
* ¶§ Bill Ryan (Sharon)	Real Estate – Broker
¶§ Ron Stevens (Chris)	Stocks & Bonds
¶§♦ Soo-San Stevens-Clarke (Jolyon)	Multicultural Education
\$ Greg Thornton (Rachael)	Financial Advisor
\$ Jim Torgeson (Lauri)	Multi-Media Advertising
* ¶§ Jerry Turner (Barb)	Non-profit Consultant
\$ Cory Whyte (Lisa)	Real Estate – Residential

• = Charter Member * = Past President # = Past District Governor
¶ = Paul Harris Fellow § = Paul Harris Sustaining Member ♦ = Major Donor
♦ = Paul Harris Society ♦ = Rotary Benefactor * = Arch Klumph Society

Additional Paul Harris Fellows: Sanders Achen, Judith Anick, Lee Barnes*, Christine Bonngard, Doug Bonngard, Nancy Bonngard, Roger Bonngard, Barb Cadle, Stephanie Caskey, Bob Coombs*, Dede Coombs*, Gail Coombs, John Coombs, Rob Coombs, Patti Cotten, Leah Cottingham*, William Cottingham*, Azi Dehkordi, Patrick Foley, Donald Forsythe*, Vera Forsythe, Carl Gardner*, Kaye Gardner*, Teddi Gardner, Susan Gerrow, Kylene Hathaway, Jennifer Hazelwood, Amy Lynne Hinchman, Timothy Hinchman, Janis Hoenig*, Julie Hoenig, Hannah Holbert, Emory James Hyde*, Randy Kiesel, Richard Lackie*, Cindy Lewis, Richard Malcolm*, Jaslyn McGraw, John McVey*, Leanne Miller, Cristina Ortiz, Dede Ortiz, Alyssa Patmos, Frances Hyde Patmos*, Kristine Patmos, Mary Kay Patmos, Trudy Patmos, Lori Pierce, Betsy Powell, Kristen Powell, Juliet Adelaide Rice, Kenny Rogers, Jared Ryan, Sharon Ryan, Teresa Schyberg, John Simonson, Elizabeth Jane Smith*, Chris Stevens, Bridget Valenciano, Ken Weaver*, Lisa Ryan Whyte, Teri Williams, Krystal Wilkinson, David Willigrod, Pat Willigrod, Jack Williams, Amber Wills.

Additional Sustaining Members: Jordyn Bonngard, Jensen Brent, Joy Fitzpatrick, Susan Gibson, Ann Herder, Ana Ortiz, Jeff Ryan, Pauline Sullivan*.

* – Deceased.

NEARBY CLUBS

Rotary Meeting Information • 602-604-8221

MESA EAST	Monday 12:00 noon	Superstition Springs G.C.
KYRENE CORRIDOR	Monday 12:10 p.m.	Kobe Japanese Steak House
SUN LAKES	Tuesday 7:00 a.m.	Oakwood Country Club
CHANDLER	Tuesday 12:00 noon	Serrano's
MESA BASELINE	Tuesday 12:10 p.m.	Mesa Country Club
MESA	Wednesday 12:10 p.m.	Hilton Phoenix East/Mesa
GILBERT	Thursday 7:00 a.m.	The Egg I Am
TEMPE RIO SALADO	Thursday 7:00 a.m.	Denny's
SAN TAN CROWN	Thursday 12:00 noon	Village Health Club
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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