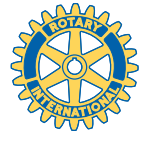




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Good Morning!



Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary

<p>Opening Exercises</p> <p>Pledge: Tim Gibson Prayer: Ron Stevens Songs: Roger Morsch Sgt.-at-Arms: Jim Hoenig</p>	<p>Program</p> <p style="color: red;">Christos Contos and Willard Clites from Mesa Community College will join us today to discuss the state of veterans affairs both locally and nationwide.</p>
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Last Week

No Visiting Rotarians

No visiting Rotarians made up with us last week. However, Kristen Lindsey was a guest of President Theresa Clemmons.

Missing in Action

Seventeen members were missing: Amanda Alburn, Garrett Brolsma, Sunday Etukeren, Doug Gardner, Larry Gardner, John Gizzo, Marty Herder, Phil Lewis, Brent Patmos, Kristel Patton, Kurt Rohrs, Bill Ryan, Ron Stevens, Greg Thornton, Jim Torgeson Jerry Turner and Cory Whyte.

Makeup

Jerry Turner made up at Rampart Range in Colorado Springs.

Songs, Fines & Such

President Theresa Clemmons conducted the meeting, Roger Morsch led us in song and Jim Hoenig conducted the fine session.

After a couple of weeks with virtually no fine session, we finally got around to auctioning off the Exempt badge for August. Jim Patmos got it for \$7 in light bidding. He then proceeded to tell us about his and Mary Kay's trip to Alaska with part of their family for their 55th anniversary.

No one was late. Terry Locke forgot his Rotary pin.

Tiffany Jones paid \$5 because she and Emmett finally were able to close on a house in Gilbert. Roger Morsch paid \$10 for getting everything moved over from the YMCA, for getting the grandkids back to Texas and for his and Mitsi's 37th anniversary.

Tim Gibson took a step for his and Susan's recent trip to Thailand where they saw many large animals and for their 45th anniversary. Chuy Ortiz paid \$10 for his and Dede's 46th anniversary.

President Theresa took a step for her new grandnephew and another for her assistant, Kristen Lindsey. We sang "Happy Birthday" to visitors Kristen Lindsey and Donna Pisano.

Soo-San Stevens-Clarke paid \$15 for her daughter's second anniversary, exit fees to Portland, Oregon, and Chicago, and another \$25 for her 11th anniversary in Rotary coming up Aug. 30. *Please continue reading on page 2*

Program

Tony Contrabasso presented a program on New Adventures in Learning. He was introduced by Jim Patmos. Tony has lived in Sun Lakes for 27 years. He has spent the last six years involved with New Adventures in Learning which started in New York, where Tony grew up.



Jim Patmos (right) thanks Tony Contrabasso for his presentation.

NAL is a Sun Lakes not-for-profit organization affiliated with Chandler Gilbert Community College. It was started in 1998 by five women (three of whom are still involved) and is an all-volunteer, peer-led program with more than 500 members. Classes are held at CGCC's Sun Lakes Center at Alma School and Riggs roads.

Classes cover a wide variety of subjects and the volunteer teachers come from diverse backgrounds. The summer session is just wrapping up its third year. There will be 98 classes for the fall semester. There also is a spring semester.

Some classes are one-time, while others have multiple sessions. Classes are held during the daytime Monday through Thursday, although there are a few Friday classes.

Field trips have been taken to such locations as Chandler City Hall and the Phoenix Police Department Museum among others. There also are roundtable discussions with a moderator. Each instructor can decide on number of classes, plus class time and length. Most classes are 1-2 hours in length.

"There is no homework, tests or marks...just learning," Tony said. Classrooms are equipped with computers and other audio-visual options to make teaching and learning easy and enjoyable.

There is a \$50 annual membership fee which makes you a student at Chandler-Gilbert. Each class has an administrative fee of \$15 per semester. *Please continue reading on page 2*

Looking Ahead

Next Week • No Meeting

We will take a summer vacation break and not meet next week.

Next Meeting • September 6

Opening Exercises

Pledge: Marty Herder
 Prayer: Cory Whyte
 Songs: Larry Gardner
 Sgt.-at-Arms: Bill Ryan

Club Assembly

President Theresa Clemmons will conduct a Club Assembly where we will discuss the state of the club and also begin moving forward with plans for our 25th annual Hole-in-One Contest.

Future Programs

September 13

Sunday Etukeren

September 20

Larry Gardner

September 27

Doug Hawkins

October 4

Jim Patmos

Chandler Mayor Jay Tibshraeny

October 11

Brad Raymond

October 18

Kurt Rohrs

Harry Short • United Food Bank

Board Meeting

The Chandler Horizon Rotary Club Board of Directors will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, September 5, at 6:50 a.m. in the office of President Theresa Clemmons.

Interact Club

Terry Locke reported he attended our Interact Club meeting at Chandler High School August 14. He said they have a lot of newbies out of their membership of 30 and are just getting organized. They want to be involved with our club and the community. Our members are welcome at their next meeting that will be held Monday, August 28, at 11:35 a.m.

Water Conference

President Elect Tiffany Jones and Soo-San Stevens-Clarke attended the Third Annual Rotary District 5495 Water Summit August 12 at Catholic Charities in Phoenix. Christina Welch, Rotary Scholar to UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education whose expertise includes water resources in conflict areas, was among the speakers.



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Chuy Ortiz (left) and Devin Starr stand behind (left to right) Zarella Vasquez, Donna Pisano, Alex, Thomas and Whitney Treola.

Scholarships Awarded to 3 Chandler-Gilbert Students

Three students from Chandler-Gilbert Community College were presented \$500 scholarships last week. They were introduced by Donna Pisano, CGCC Scholarship Coordinator. Devin Starr is a returning recipient who has completed his initial term in aviation and now is embarking on a new two-year study in the airline pilot program. Whitney Treola, who brought along her husband, Alex, and son, Thomas, is in the mission program which runs concurrently with ASU. Zarella Vasquez is in a one-semester justice program and was awarded \$250.

Thought for the Day

Live your life...forget your age.

TONY CONTRABASSO

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ter. You have to go to the Sun Lakes Center to register for classes, and receive more information on classes and teachers. Classes are open to anyone above high school age.

More information is available at www.newadventures.info, the NAL website.

SONGS, FINES & SUCH

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James Caskey paid for a trip to Las Vegas with Marty Herder. Nothing more was said. James also won \$11 in the 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)	2Real Estate – Residential

• = Charter Member * = Past President # = Past District Governor
 ¶ = Paul Harris Fellow § = Paul Harris Sustaining Member ♦ = Major Donor
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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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