

News Horizons



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Good Morning!

Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary



Opening Exercises

Pledge: Jim Torgeson
Prayer: James Caskey
Songs: Larry Gardner
Sgt.-at-Arms: Bill Ryan

Club Assembly

President Theresa Clemmons will conduct a Club Assembly today during which we will learn how successful our 25th annual Holein-One Contest was.

Last Week

Visiting Rotarians

Two visiting Rotarians made up with us last week: Bruce Dransfeldt from Portland Central East, Oregon; and Mark Thompson from Bismarck Far West, North Dakota. In addition, Gloria Halas was a guest of Jerry Turner.

Missing in Action

Eleven of our members were missing in action: Amanda Alburn, Garrett Brolsma, Sunday Etukeren, Larry Gardner, John Gizzo, Chuy Ortiz, Brent Patmos, Kristel Patton, Bill Ryan, Jim Torgeson and Cory Whyte.

Makeups

Soo-San Stevens Clarke made up at Wilmette Harbor, Illinois; Tim Gibson, Terry Locke, Roger Morsch, Brent Patmos, Kristel Patton, Bill Ryan, Jerry Turner and Cory Whyte at the Hole-in-One Contest; and Jim Torgeson on the cyber club.

Songs, Fines & Such

President Theresa Clemmons conducted the meeting. Roger Morsch led us in song and James Caskey conducted the fine session.

Ron Stevens and Kurt Rohrs were late. Bruce Dransfeldt paid for Brad Raymond calling out Kurt being late. Kurt added a buck because he got here before Ron did. Ron added a buck because Doug Hawkins' birthday card came back with insufficient address.

President Theresa forgot her Rotary pin and badge. She also paid \$49 for her birthday while Doug Hawkins and Tiffany Jones paid a buck each for theirs. We sang "Happy Birthday" to them.

Tiffany added \$3 because she was glad Soo-San Stevens-Clarke has returned home, for a new grant and for her and Emmett starting a new private management business. Soo-San paid \$20 for her six weeks of "grandma duty" and \$5 for Tiffany's birthday.

Jerry Turner paid \$5 because he was happy *Please continue reading on page 2*

Club Social

Aclub social is being planned for next Tuesday, April 10, from 4:30 – 6 p.m. right here at San Marcos. We hope to see you then.



Program

Martha Brown (right, in above photo), Chandler Unified School District liaison for Families in Transition (FIT), told us about the program. She was introduced by Jerry Turner (left in photo). Martha has been with CUSD for 22 years, the last 16 of them being spent with FIT.

She said FIT serves more than 500 homeless students and their families. "CUSD has been so *Please continue reading on page 2*

Board Election

The Nominating Committee has proposed the following slate of officers for election to the club Board of Directors:

President Tiffany Jones
President Elect Greg Thornton
Secretary Soo-San Stevens-Clarke

Treasurer Larry Gardner
Board Member Terry Locke
(3-year term) Brad Raymond

Brad Raymond has resigned as secretary effective the end of this Rotary year. Soo-San is up for election to fill the rest of Brad's two-year term.

The Nominating Committee has proposed the following members for election to the Foundation Board of Directors:

Board Member Roger Morsch (2-year term) Bill Ryan Both elections will be held today.

Next Week Opening Exercises

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Program

Kristel Patton will introduce Ellen Lord, Donor Relations and Program Director for the Arizona Foundation for Women.



James Caskey (left) and Roger Morsch (right) welcome Scott Lawless.

Welcome Scott Lawless

Scott Lawless was inducted into the club last week. Roger Morsch conducted the ceremony. Scott's classification is Loan Officer. His sponsor is James Caskey.

James said he has known Scott for about 10 years. Scott expressed an interest in Rotary when he and James had breakfast together. He came to a few meetings, liked what he saw and now is a member. Roger also cited the Object of Rotary.

Scott works for Freedom Plus. His home address is 8485 E. McDonald Drive, #235, Scottsdale, Arizona 85250. His phone number is 480-593-7603, and his email address is slawless1213@yahoo.com. His birthday is December 13.

Joint Board Meeting

The Chandler Horizon Rotary Club and Foundation boards held a joint meeting after last week's regular club meeting. The two boards determined what organizations will receive money, and how much, at our annual Thank You Breakfast which is scheduled Wednesday, April 18, during our regular club meeting, although we will start at 6:45 a.m. We will learn more about the decisions of the joint board meeting during today's Club Assembly.

Board Meeting

The club Board of Directors held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday.

The board discussed the financial report on the Hole-in-One Contest. The discussion included thoughts about Square, Inc., and the best way to process that info.

The board also discussed the Thank You Break-Please continue reading on page 2



Ian Riseley, President Rotary International Sandringham, Australia

Nancy Van Pelt, Governor Rotary District 5495 Glendale West

PDG Jay Jones Assistant District Governor Superstition Mountain

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THE FOUR WAY TEST of the things we think, say or do

- 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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FAMILIES IN TRANSITION

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supportive," she said. "Kids couldn't provide their address, birth certificate or other information. There were huge gaps in their education. The community and school staff also needed to be educated.

"Students have a right to school; to breakfast and/or lunch; to clothes, backpacks and other school supplies; and to transportation. We receive all sorts of donated clothing and household items. Students are entitled to attend the same school where they were when they became homeless."

FIT collaborates with Gilbert, Tempe and Mesa schools on coordinating transportation routes. About 40-50 kids are involved.

Martha noted most state funding goes directly to education. FIT does receive some grant money. They also work with Fans Across America. She said a student also can receive \$20 for each class in which they earn a C or better. She noted graduation rates

BOARD MEETING

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fast scheduled Wednesday, April 18, at Grill 60 at San Marcos, starting at 6:45 a.m. Invitations will go out soon. All sponsors who gave \$250 or more will be invited. Please let Jim Patmos know today how many people you will have at the event.

President Elect Tiffany Jones will serve as voting member at the Rotary International Convention in Toronto in June. Jim Patmos will serve as her alternate.

Membership was discussed, including the need for more members, and better participation by current ones.

have improved. About nine percent of the graduates go on to college.

Students find out about FIT mostly through word of mouth. Martha also meets with counselors. She also noted about 25 percent of the families are chronic. Some have been on the books for 5-6 years.

SONGS, FINES & SUCH

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Gloria Halas joined us and for a trip to Missouri. Mark Thompson paid \$2 because he arrived home just when the movers did.

Terry Locke paid \$2 because eight of the 15 winners in the Arizona Science Fair attend CUSD schools. Greg Thornton paid \$2 for losing a close friend and for Riley's upcoming stage performances.

Marty Herder paid \$2 for the club's support of Gabi and in thanks to Jim Hoenig for his work on the newsletter. Roger Morsch paid \$5 in support of Gabi, and in thanks to Jim and also for the good weather during the Hole-in-One Contest. Tim Gibson paid \$2 in thanks to Jim and an exit fee to Mexico.

Jim Hoenig paid \$3 for Michigan reaching the Final Four in men's basketball and the hockey team reaching the Frozen Four, and for Adrian College's men's hockey team reaching the quarterfinals of the NCAA DIII tournament, while the women's club team won the national championship, defeating the University of Illinois in the finals.

James Caskey officially welcomed Scott Lawless into the club by assessing him his first fine. James paid \$4 for Scott joining the club, for trips to Flagstaff and LA, and a fishing trip with his friend, Chad, who caught a 240-pound marlin. And James won \$20 in the 50-50.

MEMBERSHIP

Name of Rotarian (Spouse)					
	§		Medical Administration		
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*	¶§	James Caskey	Mortgage Banker		
	¶§		Financial Advisor		
	§		Automotive Sales		
	¶§◆	Doug Gardner (Sharlene)			
*	¶§		Senior Active		
	¶§		Landscape Maintenance		
	§		Automotive: Lending		
	§	Doug Hawkins (DeeAnne)	Real Estate - Probate		
	¶§		Court Reporter		
*	¶§ ❖	Jim Hoenig	Senior Active		
	¶§		Construction Accountant		
	§	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 (Joly	on) Multicultural Education		
	§	Greg Thornton (Rachael)	Financial Advisor		
	§	Jim Torgeson (Lauri)			
*	¶§	Jerry Turner (Barb)			
	§	Cory Whyte (Lisa)	Real Estate – Residential		
• = Charter Member					
Additional Paul Harris Fellows: Sanders Achen, Judith Anick, Lee Barnes*, Christine					

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 $\label{lem:continuous} Additional Sustaining Members: Jordyn Bonngard, Jensen Brent, Joy Fitzpatrick, Ana Ortiz, Jeff Ryan, Pauline Sullivan*.$

* - 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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