

News Horizons



The Voice of the Chandler Horizon Rotary Club

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Good Morning!

Welcome to Chandler Horizon Rotary

Opening Exercises

Pledge: Brad Raymond Prayer: Greg Thornton Songs: Larry Gardner Sgt.-at-Arms: James Caskey

Program

In what may be one of the unusual programs we have ever had, we will have a special appearance by none other than the 16th president of the United States, Abraham Lincoln.

Next Week Opening Exercises

Pledge: Kurt Rohrs
Prayer: Roger Bonngard
Songs: Larry Gardner
Sgt.-at-Arms: James Caskey

Program

Yanick Hicks will present a program entitled, "Becoming a Rotarian of Influence."

Future Program May 1

Annual Thank You Breakfast

Last Week

Visiting Rotarian

Only one visiting Rotarian made up with us, Tim Schauermann from Forest Grove, Oregon.

Missing in Action

Six of our members were missing in action: Sunday Etukeren, Doug Hawkins, Chuy Ortiz, Brent Patmos, Kristel Patton and Bill Ryan.

Makeup

Roger Morsch made up at the board meeting and Kurt Rohrs at the Basha Gives Back judging.

Songs, Fines & Such

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

Kurt Rohrs was late. Brad Raymond forgot to put on his Rotary pin. Kurt added a buck for the pleasure of judging the Basha Gives Back program.

Bruce Dransfeldt paid \$2 for the Basha Gives Back program. Jim Patmos paid \$2 for the Basha Gives Back experience and because Larry Gardner was back in true form leading the song session.

Jerry Turner paid for a trip to Missouri. Roger Morsch paid \$5 because his son was visiting with Roger's fifth grandchild.

Marty Herder paid \$4 for the good feeling participating in the LiveLove event, especially for his mom, and for an additional connection from the Killing Fields project last fall, being able to find the wreath of a veteran for his family and meeting with them.

Ron Stevens also paid for participating in the LiveLove event. Tim Schauermann paid after the Oregon women were defeated by Baylor in the NCAA tournament semifinals.

Tim Gibson paid for his "privileged" plate of bacon this morning. John Leslie paid \$4 for some good days.

Terry Locke paid \$4 noting that seven Chandler schools received an A+ rating, and reminding us that Basha High School is eligible for the Arizona tax credit program.

Greg Thornton paid \$5 for a trip to Tucson and his son Garrett being able to renew a friendship *Please continue reading on page 2*

Sheila Iyengar Presents Program on the Nagi Foundation



Brad Raymond (left) thanks Shieila Iyengar.

Sheila Iyengar told us about the Nagi Foundation, an organization that has a goal of restoring the sacredness of the American Indian Community by uniting their people and animals. She was introduced by Brad Raymond.

Nagi is a Lakota word that means spiritual soul. Since 2015 the Nagi Foundation has exclusively served and partnered with the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community.

Sheila told us she grew up in a loving family that included a love for animals. Her father was a Native American in the Apache tribe and her mother was African American. Shieia grew up on Long Island. Her family moved to the San Francisco Bay area and eventually came to Arizona in 2001.

She told us of a meeting with young girls. She saw herself in those girls, who triumphed against long odds. When dogs came around, the girls opened up.

Sheila helped start Reservation Rewards in 2002. It provided some help but was not doing what she hoped, so it closed in 2014.

She approached the Salt River Community, and the Nagi Foundation was born in 2015. They started with a spay/neuter clinic and also worked with youth, pairing them up with shelter dogs. She noted many kids do not live in a secure home; many of them live in foster homes.

In 2015 the Foundation served 154 animals in five clinics. They positively impacted 82 Community members. In 2018, 959 animals were served in 14 clinics. They positively impacted 1,764 Community members.

The Nagi Foundation also supports elders. The Foundation is volunteer-based. They write grants and are looking for funding. Patients pay nothing, although they are working on a sliding scale payment program.

They plan to build a veterinary clinic and permanent shelter in the Salt River Community. Currently they are contracted with four mobile veterinarians.

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President's Scrapbook

James Caskey presented PP Roger Morsch his President's Scrapbook at the March 27 meeting. The scrapbook includes clippings, photos and other interesting memories gleaned from the year of service of each Chandler Horizon Rotary Club president. Technical difficulties prevented Roger from receiving his scrapbook earlier, but he has it now to enjoy. Thanks to James and Ann Herder for working on this project.



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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?



CHRC Members Participate in Basha Gives Back



Winners of the Basha Gives Back project were announced by Basha principal (and CHRC member) David Loutzenheiser April 8 at Basha High. Chandler Horizon Rotarians Jim Patmos, Bruce Dransfeldt and Kurt Rohrs served as judges for the event. Seventeen senior projects were presented for judging among the more than 400 that were conducted during the last four years.

First place winner of \$500 was Brianna Persiani and her team's presentation of "Oldies but Goodies." Brianna and her team presented their project at the CHRC meeting March 20.

Second place winner of \$300 was Jayden Orr with "Deaf Community's Access to Native Language."

THE NAGI FOUNDATION

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The shelter will meet the needs of animal overpopulation as well as serve as a location to address behavioral health needs of community members. It will be a focal-point for all facets of the community: running programs for youth, seniors, those impacted by drugs and alcohol, families, and more.

Shown (left to right) are Brianna Persiani, Jim Patmos, Javden Orr, David Loutzenheiser and Ethan Pelland.

Third place winner of \$200 was "Register Basha" by Ethan Pelland. The Crowd Choice winners of prom tickets were Jacob Snelgrove and Ryan Sanders with "California Forest Fire Awareness."

The cash prizes were awarded by the Chandler Horizon Rotary Foundation through a donation from the Jim and Mary Kay Patmos Foundation.

SONGS, FINES & SUCH

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started long ago. David Loutzenheiser paid \$5 for a family connection through a client of Greg

Cory Whyte paid \$5 because his uncle had passed away and reporting more sad news in that Sharon Ryan has been diagnosed with breast cancer that has moved to her lungs. He said the family is remaining positive and that "God is with us... miracles can happen." Our thoughts and prayers go with Bill and Sharon and their family.

Doug Gardner won \$18 in the 50-50 drawing.

MEMBERSHIP

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		Education - Secondary
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* ¶§ ◆◆ �*	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
$\P\S$	Ron Stevens (Chris)	Stocks & Bonds
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§	Greg Thornton (Rachael)	Financial Advisor
* ¶§	Jerry Turner (Barb)	Non-profit Consultant
§	Cory Whyte (Lisa)	Real Estate – Residential
→ = Paul Harr	* = Past President s Fellow \$ = Paul Harris Sustain s Society	#= Past District Governor ning Member

Bonngard, Doug Bonngard, Jordyn Bonngard, Nancy Bonngard, Barb Cadle, Joseph Caskey, Stephanie Caskey, Bob Coombs*, Dede Coombs*, Gail Coombs, John Coombs, Rob Coombs, Patti Cotten, Leah Cottingham*, William Cottingham*, Zaynab Martha Cotton, Todd DeGain*, Azi Dehkordi, Don Eklund, Patrick Foley, Donald Forsythe*, Vera Forsythe, Carl Gardner*, Kaye Gardner*, Teddi Gardner, Susan Gerrow, Susan Gibson, Kylene Hathaway, Jennifer Hazelwood, Ann Herder, Amy Lynne Hinchman, Timothy Hinchman, Janis Hoenig*, Julie Hoenig, Hannah Holbert, Emory James Hyde*, Randy Kiesel, Richard Lackie*, Cindy Lewis, Phil Lewis, Richard Malcolm*, Jaslyn McGraw, John McVey*, Leanne Miller, Kathy Morenc, Nick Morenc, Cristina Ortiz, Dede Ortiz, Alyssa Patmos, Frances Hyde Patmos*, Joseph Patmos*, Kristine Patmos, Lucy 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, Donna Weaver, Ken Weaver*, Lisa Ryan Whyte, Jack Williams, Teri Williams, Krystal Wilkinson, David Willigrod, Pat Willigrod, Jack Williams, Amber Wills.

Additional Sustaining Members: Jensen Brent, Joy Fitzpatrick, Ana Ortiz, Jeff Ryan, Pauline Sullivan*.

* - Deceased.

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KYRENE CORRIDOR Monday 12:10 p.m. Kobe Japanese Steak House SUN LAKES Tuesday 7:00 a.m. Oakwood Country Club Tuesday 12:00 noon **CHANDLER** Serrano's MESA BASELINE Tuesday 12:10 p.m. Mesa Country Club SUPERSTITION MOUNTAIN Wednesday 12:00 noon Gold Canvon Resort **MESA** Wednesday 12:10 p.m. Hilton Phoenix East/Mesa **GILBERT** Thursday 7:00 a.m. Superstition Springs G.C. TEMPE RIO SALADO Thursday 7:00 a.m. Denny's Hilton Phoenix East/Mesa MESA WEST Thursday 12:10 p.m. TEMPE DOWNTOWN Thursday 6:15 p.m. Macavo's TEMPE SOUTH Friday 6:45 a.m. Friendship Village eCLUB SOUTHWEST, USA Anytime recswusa.org