



Rotary Club of Summit County Weekly eBulletin

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We meet
Tuesdays at
7:10 AM
Summit County
Community &
Senior Center
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EVENTS

**District 5450 Annual
Conference**
May 02, 2014 04:00 PM -
May 04, 2014 11:00 AM

Speakers

Jan 28, 2014
Jerry Regan
An American in Bathan

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Rachel Carillo
Education and Literacy in
Burma

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Matt Sandberg
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Club News

[President's Message](#)
Posted by Jim Brook on Jan 25, 2014

Something for Everyone

We had some good discussion during last Thursday evening's satellite meeting, while brainstorming ideas with new members on designing the experience we want from those meetings. All our members now have an opportunity to enjoy the best that both meetings have to offer, each very different from and complementary to the other. At our Tuesday morning meetings with large numbers in attendance, we enjoy a delicious breakfast and many engaging announcements, and outside speakers give us formal programs on a wide range of interesting topics. At our smaller satellite evening meetings, which are currently held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month, we can seat everyone around the same table. With less formal structure and content, we have much more time to enjoy personal conversation on topics of interest, and get to know each other better. Once a month at another time we'll have a third 'meeting' that will focus on a service project. As members of Summit County Rotary, we're all able to attend and enjoy either or both meetings, even if we don't need a 'make up'.

Please consider participating in the next satellite meeting, Thursday, Feb 13. Think about others in your circle of friends and neighbors who might be able to join Rotary through this new alternative, and invite them to come along.

Any member who wishes to shift their membership and dues status between Breakfast, Satellite, or Leave of Absence is requested to contact our Director of Membership, Debra Irvine, at least one month prior to the start of the quarter for which the change will be effective.

One tough guy!

As you've probably heard by now, **Art Burger** was involved in a collision with another skier at Copper Mtn last Tuesday afternoon. Both were brought off the hill in ski patrol toboggans, and Art was flown to St Anthony's hospital in Denver in the Flight for Life helicopter. His injuries included five broken ribs, fractured eye socket, head lacerations and internal bleeding, and a suspected collapsed lung. Roy Goodwin has reported that Art is recovering very well, in good spirits, expecting to be released Saturday, and planning to return home to Frisco on Tuesday. Sign the big 'get well' card for Art on Tuesday morning!

[Last Week at Rotary](#)
Posted by Jim Brook on Jan 25, 2014

Last Week at Rotary, Tuesday Jan.21

- * Thanks to **Butch Elich** for the Scottish grace, to **Roderick Macauley** for his reading, to all who wore their tartan, and especially to **Rob & Debra Irvine** for organizing the tribute to poet **Robbie Burns** on the 245th anniversary of the bard's birth. We had some good fun with it all!
- * **Maggie Ducayet** told us a little about her recent trip to Honduras, the growing relationship with Rotary there, and potential for new service projects with them.
- * Committee meetings Monday Jan 27- **Debra Irvine** is holding a Membership meeting at 5:00 pm Tuscato's in Frisco. **Linda Lichtendahl** is holding a 9Health Fair meeting/training at 4:30 pm in the hospital's first floor classroom.
- * Ice Melt Chair **Diane Monaghan** announced **Bill Sanders** as the early ticket sales winner, and held a committee meeting following the club meeting.
- * The District 5450 Youth Exchange ski weekend is being hosted by our club this weekend, under the leadership of Past Pres **Eric Fisher**.
- * **Butch Elich** reported that we have 11 members and guests from our Club attending the annual State of the State luncheon on Jan 24 in Denver, with all invited to the reception at the Governor's mansion on the evening prior.
- * Save the date March 15 - our InterAct club at Summit High School is organizing an entertaining appearance by the Harlem Ambassadors basketball club. See **Rob Phipps** or **Stephanie Katz** for more information and to offer assistance.
- * Past Pres **Rolo Cuadrado** was the winner of the weekly raffle; Ace of Spades is still available!
- * Program - **Heidi Pace, Drew Adkins, and James Smith** gave us more insight about progress in learning by our high school students, which compares very favorably to the rest of our country and to past years. International comparisons can be misleading due to major differences in measurements.
- * Pres Elect Nominee **Mary Anne Johnston** organized us for a club photo by Butch, which she, **Joni Ellis, and Butch** will take with them on their literacy trip to Guatemala next week.
- * Our satellite meeting at 5:30 pm on Thursday at the Holiday Inn included eight participants, of which three are prospective new members. Club Director **Bob Lau** led an informative discussion about our Fundraising projects.

[Help Stop Polio, & Enjoy Arizona](#)
Posted by Jim Brook on Jan 25, 2014

Last chance! We have a special raffle going on, with all proceeds going to Rotary's program to eradicate Polio worldwide - we're so close to achieving that goal. The winner will enjoy two nights at the Hilton Scottsdale Resort and Villas, dining at Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar, Phoenix Art Museum special tour, and admission for two to the Phoenix Zoo. Tickets are only \$20 each or 3 for \$50, with no more than 90 tickets sold. Great gifts for a winter getaway! See President Jim [before the drawing on Tuesday January 28](#) to get yours !

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Taking ethical debates from the ivory tower to the town pub

Register for upcoming webinar in Lifecycle of a Service Project series

Couple's \$1.1 million gift boosts push to eradicate polio

Malala is one of us

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Rotary in Pictures

Posted by Kathryn Davis on Jan 13, 2014



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If you have any comments or
questions, please contact the
editor.







Birthdays

Posted by Kathryn Davis on Jan 26, 2014

Please wish the following members a **VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Peggy Beeler **January 27th**
Jerry Divine **February 3rd**

Club Anniversaries

Posted by Kathryn Davis on Jan 26, 2014

Happy Club Anniversary!

Steve Cornwell	6 Years
Benedicte Jeanson	6 Years
Robert Lau	12 Years
Karen Wray	13 Years
Joni Ellis	8 Years
Al Wickert	7 Years
Elizabeth Wickert	7 Years
Gary Nicholds	5 Years

Rotary Happy Hour

Posted by Ann Morrison Clement on Jan 26, 2014

Every **second** Wednesday of the month, Rotarians have been gathering for Happy Hour from 5:00 to 6:30. If you haven't checked it out, pencil it in and come by and socialize, on one or any of the following dates... SEE YOU THERE!

Our next Happy Hour will be:

Feb 12	Red Mountain Grill- Dillon
March 12	Back Country Brewery- Frisco
April 9	Ruby Tuesday- Dillon

The Happy Hour Committee members are:

Judy Irwin, Julieanne Gilchrist, David Matthews, Aleda Kresge, Diane Monaghan and Ann Clement. Some of us will be at each of the Happy Hours to welcome everyone. If you would like to be on the Happy Hour Committee, please contact Ann Clement at almclement@comcast.net

Prospective Member Bios

Posted by Debra Irvine on Jan 18, 2014

Bob Gregory

I grew up in rural Indiana where I enjoyed the benefits of small town life, such as the freedom of leaving the house on my bike on a summer morning and not returning until dark, all while my parents trusted in my safety and the joy such freedom brings to an adventurous child.

I attended business school at Indiana University, and upon graduation, my future wife and I headed west to the mountains of Breckenridge. After a short career in outdoor education, including a stint with the BOEC, I attended law school at the University of Colorado. We spent several wonderful years in Boulder and Denver, but once again the high country came calling and I began my legal career as a Deputy DA here in Summit County. I recently left the DA's office and started my own law practice in October 2013.

I enjoy most outdoor activities, especially telemark, alpine, and cross country skiing, extended river trips, and backpacking. I play softball and basketball, and dabble in poorly executed home improvement projects. My wife teaches at Summit Cove elementary and is expecting twins in March. Our dog, Indy, likes to prance through the snow.

Tessa Elder

Originally from Littleton, CO, Tessa Elder, loves living in Summit County. She enjoys the outdoor activities and the close-knit community. She and her fiancé, Kevin, will be married in Breckenridge this summer.

Tessa is the Dean of Students at SHS. She received both her Bachelor of Science in Spanish Education and her Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction with an endorsement in English Language Development from the University of Kansas. Before moving to Summit, Tessa taught English language development in Kansas City and Spanish in her hometown. She taught Spanish at SMS for 5 years before accepting the Dean of Students position.

Tessa is looking forward to making connections with Rotary members and within the community. She hopes to participate in international and local youth projects and committees. When asked about her big-picture goals, Tessa stated, "One of my many goals is to promote a culture of inclusion within the school and the Summit community."

Erin Gigliello

Erin grew up in New Hampshire and moved to Summit County in 2003. She immediately fell in love with Breckenridge; its beautiful sense of community and the mountain lifestyle.

Erin is the General Manager of TV8 Summit and Outside Television Summit. She serves on the GoBreck Board of Directors as well as the Summit Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors.

Erin also volunteers as a Court Appointed Special Advocate for CASA of the Continental Divide. She is passionate about skiing, mountain biking, live theater and local business sustainability.

Satellite Meeting News

Posted by Michele Knight on Jan 18, 2014

The Satellite Club is up and running. Our meetings are the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at the Holiday Inn in Frisco. Meetings are from 5:30 - 6:45, and we encourage you to get there a bit early to grab a bite to eat and a beverage from the bar on your way in!

Here's our upcoming schedule, all Rotarians are welcome and we hope that you'll invite your friends and colleagues to check us out as well! No advanced notice needed, please just join us any time you can! Any questions, please email Michele Knight, cpa@cpamichele.com

January 23rd – Bob Lau, Fundraising & Charitable Fund
 February 13th - [Steph Katz, New Generations](#)
 February 27th - Mary Ann Johnston, Community Service
 March 13th - Sandy Mortensen, Orientation
 March 27th – [Jeff McElhatten, Marketing/Pro](#)
 April 10th – Gary Nicholds, Vocational Service

Membership

Posted by Debra Irvine on Sep 16, 2013

We want to thank all of those sponsors who are identifying community leaders/business professionals and bringing them to our meetings. Remember, a Prospective Member should attend 3 meetings before turning in their application, sponsor form, a short bio and \$100 application fee to **Debra Irvine**. The application will then be presented to the Membership Committee for approval and then the Board of Directors. Once approved their name and bio will be posted in our bulletin for 3 weeks. If there are no questions about the Prospective Member the induction will be scheduled.

If you would like to be a Mentor to a new member please see **Ann Clement**. We encourage new members to interact with Prospective/New Members as much as possible. One of the Red Badge requirements is to be a Greeter 3 times. Because our club is growing and we are experiencing so many guests, greeters are so very important. You don't have to be a new member to be a greeter. It is just one more way of participating in Club Service.

Corporate Sponsors
Posted by Kathryn Davis on Nov 25, 2013



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