



Service Above Self

Summit County Rotary Club

eBulletin

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Future Speakers

Jun 3 2008

[Ellen Reid](#)

"The Expansion of the Keystone Science School"

Jun 10 2008

[Deborah Hage](#)

"Why Rotary Can Do What Rotary Does"

Jun 17 2008

[Bob Faucett](#)

"Swan Mountain Bike Path"

Upcoming Events

District Assembly

Jun 7 2008

Subaru Raffle

Jun 7 2008 - Aug 9 2008

RI Annual Convention, Los Angeles

Jun 15 2008

Board Meeting

Jun 24 2008

Annual Dinner at the Raven, Three Peaks

Jun 27 2008

BBQ at the Summit

Aug 8 2008 - Aug 9 2008

News

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Jeremie, Haiti Request

by [Sandy Mortensen](#)

Dear Rotarians, Summit County Rotary in connected to a club in Jeremie, Haiti that has a fairly modern dental clinic built by a Rotary club from South Carolina. The dentist in the community has recently died and there is a need for dental missions to provide services to Jeremie. Jeremie is a very safe, beautiful corner of Haiti. Far from the chaos in the capital of Port au Prince. There is a lovely guest house. For more information please contact me at <mailto:deborah@jeremierelief.org>.

President's Message

by [Michele Knight](#)

Good Morning

BULLETIN CAN NOW BE FOUND ON THE CLUB WEB SITE!! summitrotary.com

Here is a message from District Governor, Dave Beal:

We had a powerful response to a Foundation Challenge at the District Conference and wanted to extend it to you and your members. If you are willing to make a \$500 gift to the Foundation, we will match it for you to become a PHF or a multiple PHF level. To do this, A check in the amount of \$500 payable to: The Rotary Foundation, needs to be mailed by June 14th to: Bill Eck, 3565 Moore Court, Wheat Ridge, CO 80033. He will match it and send it on from there.

Please be sure all donations you have collected are on their way to the Foundation by June 17th. That way, your year will get the credit for the money raised. (This money becomes available to us for our World Community Service projects in 3 years, allowing us to continue to get matching grants for our programs)

You and I and the power of our Rotary Foundation. Think of the possibilities.

Dave

Here is another message: Remember the 5th graders that spoke to us? The Summit Cove Elementary 5th graders raised over \$7000 for building a school in Pakistan or Afghanistan. Bo Tomlinson of the Breckenridge Mountain Rotary Club offered to match funds that they raised. The \$7000 will become \$14,000!!! Sounds more and more like Rotary!! These kids will be marked forever because of this project. They are saying thanks to all who participated by hosting a THANK YOU BANANA SPLIT PARTY at the school 6:30-7:30 on Monday June 2. Anyone in our club is invited. Thanks for passing the word. Bill Reetz

I want to remind everyone to look at our New Rotary Web page (summitrotary.com) and review the information on the "Home" page on how to log in to our secure page and edit your information in the directory if necessary. I also looked at "Edit My Page" to make changes to my profile. Also, the plan is to have the bulletin published on this site week to week.

"Why am I a Rotarian"

In 1976 I was invited to become a Rotarian. I did so because I appreciated the idea of serving our community and the needy by using all resources available.

Additionally, I also appreciated the opportunity to develop long life friendships and the ability to apply high ethical standards while spreading good will and peace. The more you are involved in Rotary, the more you enjoy it, because it is about people who give and people who need. About 1.2 million business and professional men and women in leadership positions within their respective vocations, are making decisions and get things done. True Rotarians are unique individuals who are "movers and shakers" in their communities. Rotary clubs are different from other clubs, because they are considered to be "Banks of ideas and service. "

Imagine, what would our communities be like without Rotary?

Could we have succeeded to eradicate polio, if there were no Rotary?

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Instructions for Accessing Club Directory

by Michele Knight

To access the club directory, you must log in to our website. First, you need to click login at the top of the page. Your userid is your first initial and the last name followed by 4335 (ex. mknight4335). The password is the first initial and the last name (ex. mknight).

Next, click on Admin at the top of the page. On the left hand side, under My Club Runner, click on View Club Directory. You should also take the time to update your directory listing by following the instructions posted in the document entitled "Updating Your Directory Listing." A link to this document is posted on the homepage on the bottom-right under Downloads.

Recap of 5/27 Meeting

by Waterman, Rob

The club was fortunate to host Chief Dave Parmley of Dillon Fire & Rescue, who spoke about the beetle kill in the county, and the resulting forest fire potential. Please click "more" to read a full recap of Tuesday's meeting!

According to Chief Parmley, currently there is an incident management team in place to respond to even the smallest fires. Police, fire fighters, search and rescue, EMS all have a role to play. Currently the county has 2 wild land engines and 4 other pieces of equipment that can respond to a wild land fire. There is a county wide evacuation plan in place. There is a plan in place on how to fight a wild land fire. The first priority is to keep the fire fighters safe. Houses without defensible space at the end of a road with one entrance and exit may not be saved. Several maps were shown showing the extent of the current beetle kill and where fire mitigation efforts are taking place. There isn't enough money in the budget to protect everything. He suggested visiting the Summit County website for more information.

Announcements

by Rob Waterman

Colorado Tornado Relief: call 211 to volunteer, this takes you to Weld County United Way which is coordinating the effort. United Way will give 100% of funds contributed to tornado Relief. www.coloradoredcross.org and click on supporting the Red Cross or call 970-352-7212 to make a contribution. Rotary Clubs are not making a separate fund drive at this time. Karen Sekich, ksekich@aol.com 970-397-9107 is coordinating Rotary information for this relief effort.

The Million dollar Hole in One Shoot Out, Denver Mile High Rotary; June 8th 8am into the afternoon. www.denvermilehigh.org for information.

Sky High Charter Night June 7th at the Denver Press Club 303-477-6800 or celestina@egs-partners.com to register. \$50/person.

GSE NEWS: The search is on for a Rotarian team leader and a team of four young professionals to travel to D4240, the countries of Nicaragua, Panama, Costa Rica & El Salvador, March 6 to April 5, 2009. This team will be made up of individuals from various professions. While command of Spanish is desirable, it is not required and some basic language preparation will be part of the training.

Need to do a "Make Up"? You can attend a committee meeting, another Rotary Club meeting, a Board meeting, go to the e-club on line, or volunteer for a Rotary project/event. Be sure to email your make-ups to the club secretary, Linda, as soon as possible to keep our attendance stats high!

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER:

***Mark Hanschmidt.** Sponsors: Kevin Batchelder and John Minor

Birthdays

by Rob Waterman

Blake Davis June 8

Wedding Anniversaries

by Rob Waterman

Celia and Bob Johnson 19 years
Hal and Sharon Hufford 47 years
Susan and Bill Juergensmeier 19 years
Benedicte and David Manwaring 6 years

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by Rob Waterman

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