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Weekly Program

Aug 01, 2012 Dave Gallaher Rotary Youth Exchange

Aug 08, 2012 Scott Baxter 100 Years 100 Ranchers

Aug 15, 2012 RCoT Membership Club Assembly

Aug 22, 2012

District Governor Randy Brooks District 5500 Governor's Address

Aug 29, 2012 RCOT Meeting

Sep 05, 2012 Tom Warne Marshall Foundation

Sep 12, 2012

Home Hospitality Week! No Wednesday meeting make-up or attend Home Hospitality events

Sep 19, 2012 Jill Madden Social Media

Sep 26, 2012 Dr. Iman Hakim Nutrition

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Upcoming Events

Contract Committee Tasting Lunch

Sep 12, 2012 - 01:30 PM

Tucson Classics Car Show 2012 Oct 13, 2012

New Generations Service - Rotary Youth Exchange

Posted by David Gallaher on Jul 30, 2012



Dave Gallaher has been a member of the Youth Exchange committee for several years and has hosted three RYE students. Dave, member Tom Andrews (District 5500 Outbound RYE Chair) and Leticia Secco (RYE student District 4430 Sao Paulo Brazil) will share their experiences with the Youth Exchange program that is a life changing event for all involved.

New Generations Service became Rotary's 5th Avenue of Service in 2010. New Generations Service (NGS) recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities, involvement in community and international service projects

and youth exchange programs that enrich and foster world peace and cultural understanding. New Generations Avenue of Service acknowledges the exceptional work that Rotarians do with youth and young adults while encouraging Rotary Clubs to spread their reach even further. The NGS of Service encompasses a fundamental idea: that every Rotarian has a responsibility to support the personal and professional success of young people while recognizing the diversity of their needs. Rotary Youth Exchange, Rotoract, Interact, and RYLA are the four main programs under the New Generations of Service platform.

Mystery Editor July 25

Posted by Ed Mystery on Jul 30, 2012

It was a jovial crowd thronging into the meeting room to get out of the heat and humidity outside. The membership was introduced to a new meal menu for the first time in a long time. It looked like everyone enjoyed the meal. Not too many plates had leftovers on them.



PRESIDENT LUBINSKI started the meeting at high noon and joining him on the podium at his right were the birthday folks, BRUCE JACOBS, MARY MARTIN and KATIE DUSENBERRY, sitting at a table below the podium. Welcome back Katie! It's nice to see you again. On Jim's left sat the speaker, Bryan Martyn and JIM RONSTADT, who would introduce Bryan as the Executive Director for the Arizona State Parks.

The invocation was given by Jim Ronstadt, followed by SONNY SOLOT giving his usual rousing rendition of "My Country tis of Thee." Accompanying him on

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the piano was ELLEN WHEELER. Sonny and Ellen should compete on the America's Got Talent show! YVONNE IRVIN, introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests followed by the birthday kids each getting a minute or two to extol their sponsors and mentors, not to mention gifting their favorite organizations. After lunch, MARIANNE FREITAS, presented checks of \$12,500.00 to each of two selected community groups: Pima Council on Aging, and the YWCA. Sandy Goodsite is



making calendars and donating portions of the sales to the Annual Car Show, and speaking of the Car Show, BOB SHAFF, gave the audience a great update on where the club is on ticket sales. 2,000 tickets have been sold so far, 9% of the target!

Our speaker Bryan Martyn, Executive Director of the Arizona State Parks, kept the audience's attention with a professional presentation on the state of his budget, future plans for the parks, as well as informing the audience where the 29 parks can be found. All in all, a great presentation. President Lubinski closed with some thoughtful remarks followed by a toast and adjournment at 1:20pm.

Havasupai Canyon Hike Oct. 18-21, Rotary Youth Exchange

Posted by David Gallaher on Jul 30, 2012



Havasupai Canyon is a legendary spot in northern Arizona (part of the Grand Canyon) and should be on everyone's bucket list to see the tallest waterfalls in Arizona and visit the Havasupai Indian reservation. The hike is 11 miles to the campground and takes about four hours. The trip out takes about 5-6 hours depending on how quick you make it up the last switchbacks. The trip here is nothing short of spectacular. It is the perfect tune-up for making the Grand Canyon hike next Spring.

This trip has been part of Districts 5490 and 5510's (think all of Arizona) Rotary Youth Exchange hike for over 15 years. I first did

this trip with my wife and kids back in 2008 and have done it every year since except for the year of the big flood when the trip was cancelled due to damage to the campground. We did this hike last year and the canyon is back on the mend and the falls have not changed at all except for the lower falls of Navajo Falls. Anyone in reasonable condition can easily make this hike. IF you take your own transportation, you can even ride a mule or take the helicopter at extra cost.

It has been a fun international experience visiting with all or most of the RYE students from around the world. Typically, we have 20-25 students and this is usually their first and maybe only time to meet their counterparts statewide. This trip is extremely well organized by a group of very dedicated RYE program Rotarians from District 5490 and 5510. The scenery is great. The food is great. The experience is something to remember and the kids are loads of fun. Mid to late October is prime time for experiencing this magical place. Anybody can go including non-Rotarians. Rich Flynn from our Club went with me last year and raves about the experience. The trip is \$300 pp and includes an overnight in beautiful Seligman. The cost also includes meals in the canyon and your permits and fees for the Tribe. If you have any questions, call Dave Gallaher at 907-4983.



Welcome New Member
Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Jul 30, 2012

Please welcome the following member into the Rotary Club of Tucson. He will be introduced to the club at a meeting in the near future.

















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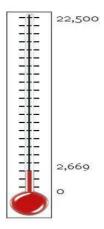
New Member: Rick Welch Classification: Retail: Printing

Company/Organization: Sir Speedy Printing

Sponsor: Mike Orcutt

TCCS Update for the Week

Posted by Bob Shaff on Jul 30, 2012



2012 TCCS tickets sales through Wednesday, July 25th total 2,669...over 11% of our goal of selling 22,500 tickets prior to the day of the show.

Joe Pennington's team has sold 514 tickets, primarily from great participation in "event selling". Joe's team is led by ticket-seller supreme, Jerry Harris, who has sold 447 at the events our Club has attended.

Online Sales, the easiest way to sell tickets, are lagging, with only 148 sold online so far. Our "Mail Me My Tickets" option is a very popular way to get the tickets to purchasers, and our online ticket system is working flawlessly.

"Event Selling" at the SAHBA Home Show and the Padres Games has produced over 2,000 of our ticket sales. We have many more events scheduled during August and September...so sign up and show up for a few hours of fellowship, and help us make the 2012 TCCS "The Best One Yet!!"



Rotary Fellowships
Posted by Drew Vactor on Jul 30, 2012

This is the third of four parts of an article, written by Drew Vactor for eClub One in 2004, about Rotary Fellowships. This installment is about how Rotary Fellowships are formed.

For a Rotary Fellowship to receive official recognition, an extensive application must be submitted to Rotary International. Here are some of the criteria that are common to approved Rotary Fellowships:

Members are from at least 3 countries

District Governors in at least 3 districts in 3 countries must approve

Must have a President and Officers

It must be financially self sustaining

Objective must be furtherance of acquaintance and fellowship among Rotarians

Must publish its roster and share it with the RI Secretariat

There must be an annual "forum" in person or in writing

Must be unique in its recreational or vocational focus and activities

RI helps promote fellowships, including a quarterly article in The Rotarian. There are also booths for fellowships at the International Convention. Rotary Districts have RRVF Chairs who coordinate between Fellowship members and individual clubs. The President of an RRVF is also a member of the RI RRVF committee.

Fellowship members also find wonderful opportunities to serve in their areas of interest. For instance, Yachting Fellowship members treat disabled children to cruises, Flying Rotarians ferry patients to hospitals and transport supplies to disaster areas and Skiing Rotarians fund opportunities for disabled skiing enthusiasts to get expensive specialized skiing equipment. A fellowship of Peace Officers helps develop parks and gardens as havens of peace while Environmental Fellows work to preserve our planet. Musical fellows provide musical leadership and entertainment at Rotary meetings on all levels and the missions of various Medical Fellowships are often apparent from the groups' names.

The Final Installment will be about a Fellowship that many of our members of the Rotary Club of Tucson participate in, the International Skiing Fellowship of Rotarians.

President's Letter

Posted by Jim Lubinski on Jul 30, 2012



This past week your new board met for the first time. It was a great meeting and many new and exciting ideas were discussed. The energy and focus which we present should help make this a great year for our club. We will continue to present some of these ideas and changes over the next several months and welcome your comments and feedback.

This week we will hear from our own Dave Gallaher (your presidentelect) and Tom Andrews about Rotary Youth Exchange and Rotary's new "fifth avenue of service," New Generations. In order to continue to thrive, Rotary recognizes the importance of getting the younger generation involved. Dave and Tom will speak about their experiences with the various youth programs and how they have positively impacted their lives. It should be a great program.

On August 15th, our meeting will be a club assembly. We have a number of club business issues to transact that day including a vote on proposed changes to our bylaws. But the main focus of the meeting will be short presentations by many of our committee chairs on what their committees are up to and where they could use help. I highly encourage you to plan to be at this important meeting to learn more about all of the good things being done by our club via our committees and projects. You may discover a new area in which you would like to serve.

I look forward to seeing you on Wednesday and have a great week!



August 1 Menu Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Jul 30, 2012

Plated Salad ~ Traditional Cold 4-Bean Salad

Lemon Caper Chicken ~ Lemon-Egg Battered Chicken Breast finished with a Lemon Caper Butter, Wild Rice Blend, Seasonal Squash Medley, Rolls and Butter, Doubletree Chocolate Chip Cookies served family style, Coffee, Decaf or Iced Tea

Vegetarian, if Reserved in Advance: Pasta Primavera ~ Chef's choice of Pasta with Sauteed Vegetables and Parmesan Cheese finished in a White Wine Garlic Sauce

Fresh Fruit Plate if reserved by Monday: Fresh Fruit with Low Fat Cottage Cheese

Gluten Free meals also available by advance reservation.

Membership and Attendance

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Jul 30, 2012

Membership Active Members Active Members Attendance Exempt Total Active Members Honorary Members	177 49 226 17	Scholarship Cups Cash Contributions Quarterly with Dues Total Scholarship Cups	\$ 100.00 \$ 240.00 \$ 340.00
Meeting Attendance July 25, 2012 Active Members Active Members AE Honorary Members Total Members Present Guests Guests of the Club Visiting Rotarians Total Meeting Attendance	109 14 1 124 8 5 2 139	Raffle Auction	\$ None \$ None