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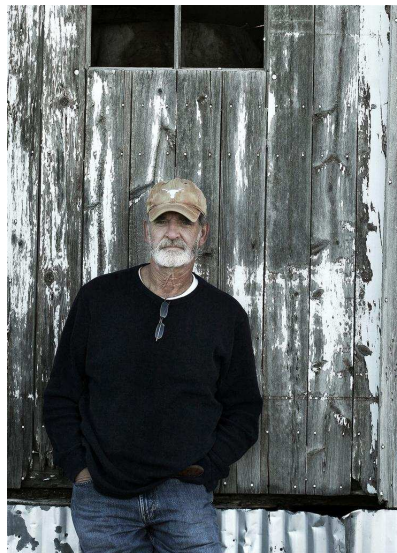
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### 100 Years 100 Ranchers

Posted by Timothy Puntenney on Aug 06, 2012



Scott Baxter has been a professional photographer for more than 25 years. His fine art images have been exhibited in the Phoenix Art Museum, the Tucson Museum of Art, the Desert Caballeros Western Museum, and the Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport Museum. His work is in numerous permanent collections including the Desert Caballeros Western Museum, and the City of Scottsdale Public Art Program.

Scott Baxter's editorial, corporate, and advertising work has garnered numerous regional and national awards, such as The National Art Directors Club Award, Simpson Paper Award of Excellence, Dallas Society of Visual Communications, AR 100, and Print Annual.

Giving back with his photography, Scott continues to work with philanthropic entities such as, The Peace and Justice Center, The United Way, The Make-a-Wish Foundation,

and the Salvation Army.

Scott has recently completed a photographic project that was over a decade in the making, documenting 100 Arizona ranchers for the Arizona Centennial. The project is being exhibited in several museums. A 224 page, first edition only coffee table book has been published, entitled, *100 Years 100 Ranchers*.

### Mystery Editor August 1

Posted by Ed Mystery on Aug 06, 2012

KEITH COBB led off with our invocation and as always gave a heartfelt and appropriate one. Then, once DAN GUARE located the American flag, we all said our pledge and sang our song.



MIKE DEVRIES introduced our guests and visitors. A special guest was Miss Arizona, Piper Stoeckel. No wonder all the men sitting at that table had goofy grins on their faces. She was a guest of RON OXMAN and they together serve on the board of the Southern Arizona Children's Advocacy Center.

Our sole birthday boy, DON SHROPSHIRE, celebrated 45 years in the Club and remarked on all the changes in that time, including so many technological devices on the podium

**El Tour - Rice to End Polio**  
Jun 17, 2012 06:00 AM - 06:00 PM

**Contract Committee Tasting Lunch**  
Dec 12, 2012 01:30 PM - 03:00 PM

**Holiday Mixer**  
Dec 19, 2012 12:00 PM - 10:00 PM

**Change of Leadership Party**  
Jun 29, 2013 05:00 PM - 10:00 PM

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that it's now hard to see the speaker. DON regretted not getting a phone call from Paul Harris, but maybe he should check his text messages.

STACIA DECKER was introduced as a new member by IRENE DECKER and GARY SCHEER. STACIA is GARY's daughter and is married to IRENE's son. Fortunately both GARY and IRENE are married to other people.

The program focused on our Rotary Youth Exchange and became an emotional and compelling way to encourage members to become involved. The Club, in keeping with our enhanced use of technology, ran videos from two former exchange students. It's too bad these YouTube videos always have the production quality of a hostage video, but they get the point across. They did however lack the impact of the personal delivery of our returning student from Brazil, Leticia Secco.

New President JIM LUBINSKI remarked that he would again likely end early but that he was banking the time for future use. This author believes that Rotary time is a use it or lose it proposition. And if we are ending so early, why do the meetings seem so long?



### Proposed New Member

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Aug 06, 2012

**The following application has been submitted for membership to Rotary Club of Tucson:**

**Proposed New Member:** Peter Akmajian

**Sponsor:** Emery Barker

**Classification:** Legal: Trial Lawyer  
Udall Law Firm, Partner

**If no written objections are received within seven days of publication, the applicant will be accepted into membership.**

### The Nuts and Bolts of It All

Posted by Marianne Freitas on Aug 06, 2012



Most of you have heard how the Car Show was created. President-elect at the time, ARNIE JACOBSEN was given the task by then club President JON WANG to come up with a signature fundraising event to support our commitment to Reading Seed. Arnie headed a search committee of about 25 fellow Rotarians who decided on a car show, after which Arnie began the task of putting together a team to create the event. Arnie was the chair for two years, the first year at the same time he served as your president while working full time running his food services businesses, Arizona Sunland Foods and Lucky Wishbone.

Here we were, a group of business-oriented Rotarians who knew nothing of how to run a Car Show, and many of us didn't even know the names of the cars, just that they were pretty awesome! That first year, we were blown away by the turnout of over 550 cars and about 20,000 attendees. We netted almost \$90,000 that first show, giving \$5,000 to St. Gregory College Preparatory School for a scholarship, and the balance to Reading Seed. From there we were off and running!

If he hadn't already done enough, three years ago Arnie convinced other local Lucky Wishbone owners to join him for a commitment of \$15,000 per year to be our show's first major sponsor. That commitment ends with our 2012 show. His fellow Lucky Wishbone store owners are moving onto other promos, but Arnie has pledged that his business will continue to sponsor our show alone at a lower level. We can't thank Arnie and the other Lucky Wishbone owners enough for their three years of phenomenal support.

You all should know some of the many talents of Arnie Jacobsen. He grew up in Ogden, Utah where his father was the Chief of Police, and was the youngest in his family with two





older sisters. At the age of eight, he founded his first business venture which was selling night crawlers to local fishermen. Later, in his teens, he became Ogden's first male roller skating car hop for a local drive-in restaurant. He has a Geology degree from Weber State College, a Masters in Urban Economics from Univ. of Utah, a PhD in Industrial Economics from University of Maryland and he worked in Washington, DC for a consulting firm that developed the Base Realignment and Closure Commission (BRAC). BRAC was developed to evaluate military bases, close bases not as "worthwhile" as others, and is the group that decided to keep Davis Monthan AFB open. The next review to close bases is in 2015.

Arnie is married to Tonie. They have three children with numerous grandchildren and their sons Josh and Joel work with Arnie and Tonie in their business. His outstanding organizational skills along with the ability to encourage others to take charge of various leadership areas of the car show set the tone for many years of success. He continues to mentor all of us on the TCCS leadership team, making it fun with his wit and sense of humor!!

Thank you Arnie and Lucky Wishbone!!!



#### LOA Members - You are Missed!

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Aug 06, 2012

The following members are currently on Leave of Absence from Rotary Club of Tucson:

Robin Stoddard, Anne Segal, Charlie Meaker, Carole Little, Christine Harvey, Guy Ferro, Rita Marshall, and Ted Forsberg.



#### Rotary Fellowships

Posted by Drew Vactor on Aug 06, 2012

*This is the Final of 4 parts of an article, written by Drew Vactor for eClub One in 2004, about Rotary Fellowships. This installment is about how ISFR.*

Rotary provides the opportunity for friendships, enjoyment and service. Rotary Fellowships further these benefits by offering Rotarians an opportunity join with others who have common interests to use their professions and hobbies in a most beneficial manner.

A close up view of the International Skiing Fellowship of Rotarians shows how fellowships work. Known by its members as ISFR, this group meets yearly in North America and bi-annually in Italy (as of 2012, annually in Europe), with special trips to other countries. Members in most cases are skiers or family members of a skier. Recent North American trips have included Whistler, Breckenridge, Heavenly Valley, Jackson Hole, Banff, Sun Valley and Telluride. The 2005 North American trip will be to Fernie, Alberta, Canada. (Since 2005, there were also trips to Aleyska, Steamboat Springs, Whistler/Blackcomb, Crested Butte, Park City, Aspen and Revelstoke - 2013 will be in Telluride) Meanwhile, skiing Rotarians in Madonna di Campiglio, Italy stage a similar event including extensive ski racing activities.

In addition to the fun of skiing together and partying together, ISFR members from around the world also participate in the Davis Boyd Memorial Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the Fellowship. This Foundation provides funds for an adaptive ski program in the community where the annual ski gathering takes place. Adaptive Ski programs provide instructors and equipment for handicapped skiers to enjoy this exciting winter sport. Money comes from silent and live auctions at the gala dinner and from participant fees for races and clinics.

For more information about the International Skiing Fellowship of Rotarians, go to: [www.isfrski.org](http://www.isfrski.org)

Watch for our next series from the eClub One archives about Attendance.

#### President's Letter

Posted by Jim Lubinski on Aug 06, 2012



Driving in to work today I was reminded that it is back to school season in Tucson. Seeing the crossing guards and the students caused me to reflect back on our program from last week. Dave and Tom did a great job describing Rotary's "fifth avenue of service – New Generations" and its importance to the future of Rotary and Leticia was a great example of the power of the youth exchange program. Our future leaders and future Rotarians are in school today. It is crucial that we do all we can to help education and support world-wide goodwill and understanding through youth exchange, Interact and Rotaract. Please consider hosting a student

or participating in some way with any of these valuable programs.

From our future to our past – this week's program will provide us with a history of ranching in Arizona with a presentation by Scott Baxter, "100 Years 100 Ranchers". This should be a fascinating trip through an interesting and valuable part of our state's history.

Just a reminder that next week's meeting will be a club assembly. We will vote on the suggested changes to our Bylaws and hear from various committees on the work they do and the needs they have. For any of you searching for ways to serve or get involved, you will not find a better forum. Service is an essential component of your Rotary experience so I encourage you to attend and pay close attention to these presentations. This is a very important meeting so please plan to be there.

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



#### August 8 Menu

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Aug 06, 2012

**Plated Salad** ~ Waldorf Salad with Apples, Celery and Grapes

**Blackend Salmon Salad** ~ Seared and Cajun Blackened Salmon atop a fresh bed of Greens with Parmesan Cheese, House Made Croutons, Caesar and Ranch on the side, Rolls and Butter, Doubletree Chocolate Chip Cookies served family style, Coffee, Decaf or Iced Tea

**Vegetarian, if Reserved in Advance:** Classic Caesar Salad ~ with fresh Romaine Lettuce, shaved Parmesan Cheese, sliced Roma Tomatoes and House Made Croutons

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

**Gluten Free meals are also available by advance reservation.**

#### Resignations

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Aug 06, 2012

The following Rotary Club of Tucson members have resigned:  
*Jonathan Martin, Bruce Read, Tom McQuillen, and Larry Peth.*

#### Membership and Attendance

Posted by Mary Laughbaum on Aug 06, 2012

Membership		Scholarship Cups	
Active Members	177	Cash Contributions	\$ 24.00
Active Members Attendance Exempt	49	Quarterly with Dues	\$ 240.00
<b>Total Active Members</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>Total Scholarship Cups</b>	<b>\$ 280.00</b>
<b>Honorary Members</b>	<b>16</b>		
<b>Meeting Attendance August 8, 2012</b>		<b>Raffle</b>	<b>\$ 260.00</b>
Active Members	114	<b>Auction</b>	<b>\$ None</b>
Active Members AE	11		
Honorary Members	1		
<b>Total Members Present</b>	<b>126</b>		
Guests	<b>12</b>		
Guests of the Club	2		
Visiting Rotarians	3		
<b>Total Meeting Attendance</b>	<b>143</b>		