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We meet WEDNESDAYS, 12:00 NOON -1:20 PM DoubleTree Hotel 445 S Alvernon Way Tucson, AZ 85711 **United States**

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District Site

Parking at the Doubletree - January 30 thru February 13

Posted by Dorinna York on Feb 08, 2013

The Bead and Gem Show will hinder our **PARKING** again this week at the Doubletree. The big tent will be located on the West parking lot and therefore will not be available to use for parking. Other parking options to utilize will be the lot South of the hotel main entrance or the East lot behind the ballroom. We are asking that you please plan ahead for our February 13th meeting.

The Role of Eller in the Development of the Sun Corridor Posted by Jim Lubinski on Feb 08, 2013



Len Jessup, Ph.D.

Dean and Halle Chair in Leadership

Eller College of Management, University of Arizona

Len Jessup - Dean, Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, and Halle Chair in Leadership - joined his alma mater, the University of Arizona's Eller College of Management, in May 2011.



In 2000, Jessup was recruited from the Kelley School of Business at Indiana University to head the Department of MIS at Washington State University (WSU). During more than a decade at WSU, he served in a variety of leadership roles, including Dean of the College of Business, Vice President of University Development, and President of the WSU Foundation. His most recent roles were Chair of the Department of Entrepreneurship and Information Systems and Director of the Center for Entrepreneurial Studies.

In his role at the WSU Foundation, Jessup led the transformation of the university's fundraising efforts, which resulted in doubling its overall fundraising totals and achieving record numbers of donors. During his tenure, the university received a commitment for the largest gift in its history and initiated its largest comprehensive campaign.

Jessup served as Dean of the College of Business at WSU and Philip L. Kays Distinguished Professor in Management Information Systems from 2002-2005. As Dean, he led a complete,

Weekly Program

Feb 13, 2013 Len Jessup Eller School

Feb 20, 2013 Barbara Fox Chocolate Fox

Feb 27, 2013 David Azuelo **Emergency Preparedness**

Mar 06, 2013 Sharon Kha Parkinsons Disease

Mar 13, 2013 Mike Czechowski Annexation

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Upcoming Events

Reading Seed Ctr - sort and clean books Feb 23, 2013 09:00 AM - 12:00

Change of Leadership Party Jul 06, 2013 05:00 PM - 10:00

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Director **Alan Schrope** two-year reengineering of the business program which resulted in the successful AACSB reaccreditation of the College in Spring 2004. Under his leadership, the College of Business embarked on a new strategic plan to lead a University-wide Entrepreneurship and Innovation Initiative, driven by the College of Business and its nationally-recognized entrepreneurship program.

Jessup has taught in entrepreneurship, management, and information systems, and has published, presented, and consulted on electronic commerce, computer-supported collaborative work, technology-supported teaching and learning, emerging information technologies, entrepreneurship, leadership, commercialization, technology transfer, and related topics.

His research is aimed at helping people better understand, commercialize, and manage emerging technologies, and other innovations. Recent work includes papers on open innovation, commercialization of radical innovation, new venture strategies, and social entrepreneurship. He has served as an associate editor of *MIS Quarterly* and as reviewer and editor on over a dozen other journals and conferences.

Jessup received his B.A. in Information and Communication Studies in 1983 and his MBA in 1985, both from California State University, Chico. He earned his Ph.D. in Organizational Behavior and Management Information Systems from the University of Arizona's Eller College of Management in 1989, and was awarded the Outstanding Ph.D. Alumnus Award in 2004.

He grew up in the San Francisco Bay Area, and has two children, ages 9 and 13.

Mystery Editor February 6

Posted by Ed Mystery on Feb 08, 2013

We gathered at the Radisson on Speedway as the Gem and Mineral Show displaced us from our normal DoubleTree meeting spot. PRESIDENT JIM LUBINSKI called the meeting to order by introducing TED KIRACOFE (boo ASU!!) who did the Invocation. Next JUDY CLINCO led us in the



pledge and song. Then it was time for fellowship and a chicken lunch "Radisson style" before JEFF RONSTADT had a tricky time with the introductions of guests and visiting Rotarians. Our birthday boys for the week, TIM PUNTENNEY, PETE RAGUZIN and the recently retired DON CLARK, were up next. Those 3 have a combined total of almost 91 years of being Rotarians!!! After that, PRES JIM made a very special Member Emeritus presentation to SONNY SOLOT whose wife and daughter were there to join our whole club in giving him a standing ovation. We love you SONNY! Sergeant at Arms KEVIN WONG was

back with us this week for some announcements. First he thanked DAVE PASHKOW for filling in for him last week. Then CAMERON MOORE made a limited time offer regarding Bulletin/Website sponsorships. Lastly, PRES JIM reminded us to check our inboxes for the first email monthly billing. After that YVONNE ERVIN introduced the speaker, DR. KAREN SEAT, who is the Associate Professor and Director of the U of A Religious Studies Program. Her topic was "The Role of Religion in American Politics", which garnered quite a few questions at the end. PRES JIM closed the meeting with a quote from Yogi Berra - "If you don't know where you are going, you'll wind



up some place else". With that, the meeting ended and we all went some place else. :-)

PAST PRESIDENTS - HAL AND LARRY ADAMSON

Posted by Jerry Harris on Feb 08, 2013

Hal and Larry Adamson's ties to Rotary go all the way back to 1925 when their father, Harold, was recruited by some of the founding members to join the Rotary Club of Tucson. The club had received its charter in 1921 and Harold Adamson had founded Baum and Adamson, a retail tire



business, in 1923. Hal went into the family business and stayed until 1994 when he retired. Larry became a lawyer and still has an active practice specializing in Estates and Trusts. In the early days, the family business went beyond selling automobile tires. They expanded their business supplying mines with specialty tires and corrosion resistant rubber products to help

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line the many tanks in the Arizona mining industry. Harold remained active in Rotary for many years and his sons followed him into the club.

Hal joined the club in 1956 and Larry joined in 1971. Hal was President in 1961-62. During his term, he redesigned the membership badge to reflect our local character by including cactus and mountains on the face of the badges. He also started the tradition of passing Scholarship Cups at the meetings. The expected donation at the time was a quarter. Hal enjoys pointing out to his brother that active membership was at

300 during his term of office and shrunk to 295 during Larry's Presidency.

Larry was President during 1985 and 1986. He points with pride at a Party-Auction the Club hosted

that year. Under the direction of Mike Anderson, over \$34,000 was raised. Larry says this was a landmark event since it was the most ambitious fundraising effort to date by the Club. Also during his term, Larry discovered a transplanted member from Chicago, Leland Case, who had never achieved a Paul Harris Fellow during his many years of membership. Larry promptly fined him \$1,000 and the fine was paid. Larry also prides himself on many other innovative ways he found to raise money through fines.

Hal points with pride to the fact that he maintained perfect attendance for 38 years and his brother only could muster 12 years of perfect attendance. Hal says the main difference in the Club now compared to the club during the fifties is that in the fifties there were more social activities. This has gradually changed over the years, the emphasis of the Club shifted to community service projects. Larry has been to 14



Rotary International Conventions. Both still are engaged in Rotary Activities. Hal was instrumental in the shaping and founding of the Tucson Classic Car Show and remains active in the administration of the Show. When asked what attracted them to Rotary, both agreed that the Rotary Club of Tucson was the premier service club in Southern Arizona in the 1950's and onward. In their opinion, our Club had the best and the brightest when they joined and feel that this has not changed over the years.



Proposed New Member
Posted by Dorinna York on Feb 08, 2013

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

Proposed Member: J. Blanton Belk

Classification: Youth Entertainment: Up With People

Company/Organization: Up With People

Sponsor: Charlotte Harris



President's Letter
Posted by Jim Lubinski on Feb 11, 2013

This week we are back at the DoubleTree but, be prepared for parking challenges as the west parking area may still have tents from the Gem Show in place. It was great to be able to honor long time member Sonny Solot at our meeting last week. Sonny we wish you the best and hope to see you occasionally at future meetings.

I have had some feedback on the e-mails we are sending out for members who have missed our weekly meeting. These e-mails are intended to address several important issues. First, we missed you! Second, provide a brief overview of what you missed and to encourage you to make-up for the missed meeting. And third, to help keep Rotary on your radar.

This week we will hear from Dr. Leonard Jessup, Dean of the Eller College of Management at the University of Arizona. Dr. Jessup will be discussing how the College is contributing to the development of the Sun Corridor region as well as how the school is preparing the next generation of global business leaders. I heard Dr. Jessup give this same presentation to a group of business leaders several months ago and can assure you it is a program you will not want to miss.

Have a great week and see you Wednesday!



Menu for February 13
Posted by Dorinna York on Feb 08, 2013

Plated Salad ~ Mixed Greens with Ranch and Herb Vinegarette dressings

Braised Boneless Beef Ribs ~ slow cooked and braised with house made Spice Rub and Sauce, Oven Browned Potatoes, Chef's Roasted Fresh Seasonal Vegetables,

Rolls and Butter, Doubletree Chocolate Chip Cookies served family style, Coffee, Decaf or Iced Tea.

Vegetarian option if reserved in advance: Oven Baked Polenta Medallions with Fresh Tomato and Mushroom Sauce

Fresh Fruit Plate and Gluten Free meals are also available by advance reservation only.

Membership		Scholarship Cups	
Active Members	171	Cash Contributions	\$ 174.0
Active Members Attendance Exempt	50	Quarterly with Dues	\$ 0.0
Total Active Members Honorary Members	221 17	Total Scholarship Cups	\$ 240.0 414.0
Meeting Attendance February 6, 2013		Raffle	\$ 0.0
Active Members	105	Auction	\$ 0.0
Active Members AE	21		0.0
Honorary Members	2		
Total Members Present	128		
Guests	3		
Guests of the Club	6		
Visiting Rotarians	4		

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