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We meet **WEDNESDAYS**, 12:00 NOON - 1:20 PM  
 Double Tree Hotel  
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**Town Hall - Tucson's Congressional Delegation - Congressmen Barber & Grijalva**

Posted by Dorothy Kret on Apr 17, 2014



**Ron Barber** (born August 25, 1945) has been a member of the United States House of Representatives from Arizona, served as district director for U.S. Representative Gabrielle Giffords who resigned her seat. He won the Democratic nomination for the special election to finish Giffords' term and was sworn into office on June 19, 2012.

In the 2012 general election, he was elected to a full term. His district—numbered as the 8<sup>th</sup> district in 2012, and as the 2<sup>nd</sup> district since 2013—includes the eastern two-thirds of Tucson, as well as the southeastern corner of Arizona. Barber is running for re-election in

2014.

Barber was born in Wakefield, West Riding of Yorkshire, England, shortly after World War II. Barber's father was an airman stationed at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base. Barber graduated from Tucson's Rincon High School in 1963, and earned a B.A. from the University of Arizona in 1967.

He and his wife Nancy live in Tucson, Arizona; the couple has two daughters. They have operated a small business for 22 years.



**Raúl M. Grijalva** (born February 19, 1948) is the U.S. Representative for Arizona's 3<sup>rd</sup> congressional district, serving since 2003. The district, numbered as the 7th District from 2003 to 2013, includes the western third of Tucson, all of Yuma and Nogales, and some peripheral parts of metro Phoenix.

Raúl M. Grijalva's father was a migrant worker from Mexico. Grijalva was born in Tucson, Arizona, and graduated from Sunnyside High School in 1967. He is a 2004 inductee to the Sunnyside High School Alumni Hall of Fame. He attended the University of Arizona and earned a bachelor's degree in Sociology.

Grijalva and his wife Ramona have three daughters.

**Weekly Program**

Apr 23, 2014  
 Town Hall: Tucson's Congressional Delegation  
 Congressman Ron Barber & Congressman Raul Grijalva

Apr 30, 2014  
 Tim Martin  
 Special Olympics - Arizona

May 07, 2014  
 Bill Moore  
 Car Show Beneficiary Selection

May 14, 2014  
 Diane Dittmore, AZ State Museum  
 Baskets of the Southwest

May 21, 2014  
 (Tentative)  
 Pima County Panel Discussion

May 28, 2014  
 Charlotte Harris/Cindy Godwin  
 Rotary Club of Tucson  
 Foundation Report

Jun 04, 2014  
 Bishop Kicanas  
 Bishop of Tucson

Jun 11, 2014  
 Joaquin Ruiz  
 Dean, College of Science

Jun 21, 2014  
 Dave Gallaher  
 COA Party

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**Upcoming Events**

**Town Hall Featuring Tucson's Congressional Delegation: Congressman Ron Barber & Congressman Raul Grijalva**  
 Apr 23, 2014 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM

**YMCA of Southern Arizona - Triangle Y Ranch**  
 May 10, 2014 09:00 AM - 02:30 PM



**Moderator – Dan Marries** has been anchoring and reporting stories at KOLD News 13 since June, 1999. He moved to Tucson from Yuma, Arizona where he was the main anchor for KYMA-TV. Prior to Yuma, he spent a year at the CBS affiliate in Mankato, MN.

He got his start in television news at KREX-TV in Grand Junction, Colorado and is where he earned his B.A. in Mass Communications/broadcast journalism from Mesa State College.

When Dan is not working he loves spending time with his son, Kurtis.

#### Mystery Editor - April 16, 2014

Posted by Ed Mystery on Apr 18, 2014

Incoming President, MARY MARTIN did a wonderful job directing a somewhat irregular meeting format filling in for President DAVE GALLAHER. PAT ZUMBUSCH did his usual excellent job with the invocation and LESLIE GALLOWAY led us in the pledge and song, accompanied by ELLIE PATTERSON as we sang the 'Star Spangled Banner'. Because of a tight schedule for our guest speaker, LONNIE LISTER provided a singular welcome to the 7 visiting Rotarians and 35 guests.

U of A Athletic Director and honorary Rotarian GREG BYRNE introduced Coach Rodriguez characterizing him as the "entire package and full of energy". Greg further commented that because of Coach Rodriguez "if U of A football were a stock, it would be a hell of a buy right now".



Coach Rodriguez shared he believes the wide receivers are the best he has ever coached. There are seven high quality QB's now and probably nine in the fall but he expects to carry about six for the season. Coach addressed the question about his plans of staying at the U of A head on. He stated he would like to finish his career here which brought loud applause. There was a humorous moment during the Q&A when the Athletic Director for Pima Community College introduced himself and PCC's head coach by

asking if they could have QB's 7, 8 or 9 which brought a good laugh. Coach Rodriguez made his exit by walking thru the crowd shaking hands and saying hellos to a standing ovation.

GREG BYRNE gave a presentation explaining the importance of filling the stadium and he shared a funny but pointed You Tube video of Coach Rodriguez concerning the proposed 10 second rule. If you missed the meeting, look for 'Arizona Speed' on YouTube.



BILL MOORE gave a short heads up on the selection of the four finalists who will make presentations to us on May 7<sup>th</sup>. Three Happy Jacksons ended the meeting.



#### President's Letter

Posted by Mary Martin on Apr 17, 2014

We missed President Dave this week, but he was with his wife and family as they spent time with Susan's mom in her last moments in this life. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers.

I had the honor and privilege of conducting the meeting as we heard from both Coach Rich Rodriguez and Greg Byrne. We had a packed house and it was nice to see so many wearing our school colors. Coach Rodriguez is enthusiastic about our team this year and is encouraged with the progress that our football program is making. It was a good reminder from both the coach and Greg Byrne about the importance of our support of UA Athletics. Wearing the school colors on Fridays, buying season tickets and attending the games helps with getting great recruits and is a strong economic driver for our community.

#### Clothes Closet Cleaning Day

May 14, 2014 11:30 AM - 01:30 PM

#### Grand Canyon Hike - Sept 2014

Grand Canyon - Phantom Ranch  
Sep 17, 2014 - Sep 21, 2014

#### San Carlos Trip

Dec 05, 2014 07:00 AM - Dec 08, 2014 06:00 PM

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We are excited to be hosting our "Town Hall" meeting with Congressman Raul Grijalva and Congressman Ron Barber, moderated by Dan Marries with KOLD. Remember to register your guests on Club Runner. Next week is also our District Conference at the Tucson Hilton East, April 25th, 26th and 27th. Please register for the various sessions and learn more about Rotary, our District and meet fellow Rotarians from District 5500.

We look forward to seeing you next Wednesday and remember to bring a guest. A strong and thriving membership is how we're able to do all the wonderful community and international projects that our club is known for. Thank you.



#### Welcome Returning Member

Posted by Dorinna York on Apr 17, 2014

Please welcome the following returning member into the Rotary Club of Tucson.

**New Member:** Bruce Richardson

**Classification:** Service Industries: Pest Control

**Sponsor:** Charlotte Harris

#### Words From Dave ...

Posted by David Gallaher on Apr 18, 2014

All Rotarians have a life outside of Rotary and all Presidents face some challenges during their year. This past week, we lost Susan's mom, Marie Christine Gaudielle. Since you all are our friends I thought I would share a little bit about Marie. Marie was an incredible woman who faced many hardships during her life but always managed to be a positive force in and around anyone she ever met. She raised five children on her own during the



60s and 70s when that was a different time for single mothers. She had relatively little material things and had no use for them but she marveled at the world and stopped each day to admire a sunset, her hummingbird feeder, her favorite roadrunner, the current weather, her bridge club, and of course her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a wonderful grandmother to all of our RYE students and was most supportive

of Susan and myself in all of our Rotary activities. She particularly loved our Club home hospitality and we always included her and she enjoyed telling many stories of the "old" Tucson days. She was a resident of Tucson for sixty years.

She particularly enjoyed talking and joking with Herb Bloom whom we always invited over for those affairs as he lived close by.

Marie was a consummate care giver herself when she went back to school and got her LPN license. She spent ten years providing the best possible love and care to her husband Dr. Andrew Gaudielle who would pass from Parkinsons. She had a voracious appetite for reading all things and could easily discuss any subject. She was a scrabble warrior and a professional cross word puzzle person.

Like most grandmas, she spent the holidays with me in our kitchen arguing about the best way to make gravy. They were fun arguments and she always won. She also had a tough time figuring out my wacky sense of humor and finally figured me out. In the early part of my 25 years with Susan, she was not always fond of my fishing trips, but learned how much they meant to me and finally accepted the meaning of them as I was her favorite son-in-law (the only one) and she was my favorite mother-in-law. So it is affectionately appropriate that I did not make this past week's trip. She taught me valuable lessons of tolerance for others.

She spent the last two and half months in Kanmar Place, which is part of Casa de la Luz. She went in knowing her caregivers would be fantastic and we are forever grateful for their love and care. I do not know how these beautiful people do what they do. I know that many of our membership are caregivers now or at some point in their lives, and it is the last act of kindness for those we cherish and love.

Thank you to Dorinna and Mary this past week for your help. Thank you everyone for your thoughts and prayers. My wife Susan had an incredible journey with her mom this



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past two and half months and Susan is a rock star. There are no services planned but a memorial will be held in the not so distant future.

Dave and Susan



#### Registration for the District Conference - April 25-27

Posted by David Gallaher on Feb 14, 2014

The online registration for the District Conference (April 25th-27th) is up and running. Please register at:

<http://www.d55002014conference.eventbrite.com/>

This year's conference will be full of useful Rotary information plus good fun, fellowship and food! Come join us ...

If you have any questions, please contact:

Liz Cohn

2013-2014 D5500 Region B Assistant Governor

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#### Menu for April 23rd at the DoubleTree

Posted by Dorinna York on Apr 17, 2014

**Plated Salad** ~ Caesar Salad w/Caesar & Italian Dressings

**Chicken Marsala** ~ Chicken Cooked in a Marsala Wine Sauce served with Seasonal Vegetables and Chef's Choice of Starch, DoubleTree Chocolate Chip Cookies served Family Style, Coffee, Decaf or Iced Tea.

**Vegetarian Option if reserved by Monday noon:**

**Vegetarian Lasagna** ~ Layers of Lasagna Noodles Baked and Stuffed with Vegetables & Ricotta Cheese

**Fresh Fruit if reserved by Monday noon.**

**Gluten Free meals available by advance reservation only.**

#### Membership and Attendance

Posted by Dorinna York on Apr 18, 2014

Membership		Scholarship Cups	
Active Members	167	Cash Contributions	\$ 203.00
Active Members Attendance Exempt	55		
<b>Total Active Members</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>Total Scholarship Cups</b>	<b>\$ 203.00</b>
<b>Honorary Members</b>	<b>18</b>		
<b>Meeting Attendance - April 16, 2014</b>		<b>Raffle</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
Members	111		
Active Members AE	19	Auction RCOTF	\$ 0.00
LOA/Honorary Members	3		

<b>Total Members Present</b>	<b>133</b>
Guests	28
Guests of the Club	9
Visiting Rotarians	7
<b>Total Meeting Attendance</b>	<b>177</b>