



The Spoke

Rotary Club of Estes Park's Newsletter

Estes Park Health Hospital Foundation

Our program this week will be held in person, but a Zoom link will be provided. Click on the link below to be admitted.

Meeting link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7985707369>

Rotary Weekly Luncheon

Place: American Legion

Time: Lunch served from 11:30 - 12:00

Cost: \$15

Parking: American Legion and the church only.



Kevin L. Mullin, MNM, CFRE

Kevin serves as President of the Estes Park Health Foundation in Estes Park, CO. He has over 20 years of experience in nonprofit management and fund raising, having previously served in leadership roles at multiple local and national organizations. He serves as adjunct faculty in the Nonprofit Leadership Program at the University of Denver. Kevin has a B.S. Degree in Business Administration from Regis University and holds the Certified Fund Raising Executive (CFRE) designation. He has also earned a Master of Nonprofit Management degree and a Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Capacity Building from Regis, and is a graduate of the Institute for Leaders in Development at the University of Denver.

Update by President Jim Whiteneck

Announcement:

- Thank you to Bill Smith for conducting the official induction ceremony for Gail Corrigan.
 - It is great have her in Rotary!
 - Thanks to Tony, her husband, for accompanying her. It was nice to have an

December 9 Duty Roster

Invocation: Dale Bonza

Song & Pledge: Jim Whiteneck

Guest Intro: Scott Thompson

Scribe: Madison Casey

Greeter: Karol Rinehart

Program Intro: Dennis Gellhaus

December 16 Duty Roster

Invocation: Michelle Mann

Song & Pledge: Jim Whiteneck

Guest Intro: Scott Thompson

Scribe: Pete Sumey

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Upcoming Events

Club Board Meeting

Dec 08, 2021

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Foundation Board Meeting

Dec 16, 2021

1:15 PM – 2:00 PM

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Speakers

Dec 09, 2021

[Kevin Mullin](#)

EPHealth Hospital Foundation

Dec 16, 2021

[Skip Neilsong](#)

opportunity to meet him!

- Thank you to Annie Slack for sponsoring Gail.
 - She is a wonderful addition to our fellowship.
 - We will look forward to hearing about Gail & Tony's remarkable sailing adventures sometime in the future.

December 2, 2021 Meeting Notes

President Jim Whiteneck called the meeting to order.
 Gregg Jurgens gave the invocation
 Jim led the Pledge of Allegiance.
 Madison Casey provided a song.

Guests of Rotarians:

Jeannie Logomann attended as a member of the Philanthropy Committee for PEO Chapter GJ.
 Gail Corrigan introduced her husband Tony Wessendorff

Announcements:

- Ron Gordon provided a report for the International Services Committee on the completed project for the Amaro Tan playground in Albania.
 - Please see the separate section about this project to be able to click on the link to our Facebook site.
- Credit card processing will be available for the lunch payment next week.
- Phil Moenning announced that parking may be a bit of a problem for the Scholarship fund raiser dinner on December 7th. Carpooling was advised.
- The December 16 club meeting will feature a special meal.



New member inducted:

- Bill Smith inducted Gail Corrigan (sponsor Anne Slack) who was accompanied by her husband Tony. Welcome!
- Sergeant at Arms, Mel Rueppel, fined Bill Smith for having his picture in the paper announcing his retirement.
 - He quizzed us on where the District and International Rotary meetings would be held next year.



Happy Money:

Bill Smith added \$5 to the Happy Money jar and challenged everyone

Guitarist/Singer

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Birthdays, Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Dale Bonza

December 1

Gary Hazelton

December 3

Chuck Bonza

December 13

Jennifer Comstock

December 16

Harry Livingston

December 18

Anniversaries

Chuck Bonza

Dale

December 26

Dale Bonza

Chuck

December 26

Gary Hazelton

Kris

December 31

Kris Hazelton

Gary

December 31

Join Date

Dave Boon

January 3, 2003

19 years

Bill Smith

January 8, 1987

35 years

Wayne Newsom

January 10, 1980

42 years

Pete Sumey

January 14, 2004

18 years

Rick Taylor

January 24, 2013

to make \$5 the minimum fine.
Dennis Gellhaus added \$1 because he was happy Annie Slack was doing the program introductions.
Other Happy Money was added.

Program:

Annie Slack introduced program speakers Bev Bachman, President, and Alissa Anderson, Vice President, of the Estes Park Education Foundation. They spoke about a new software program they are working to get initiated before scholarship applications are introduced to the Seniors in 2022.



Jim Whiteneck concluded the meeting at 1:00 PM with the 4 Way Test.

Pete Sumey, scribe



Posted by Phil and Tara Moenning

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISING DINNER Tuesday, December 7th 5 to 8 pm



Announcements:

It's time to purchase your table for the winter Rotary Scholarship Fundraiser dinner.

- The dinner will be held on Tuesday evening, December 7th, 5-8pm, at the Taharaa Mountain Lodge/Twin Owls Steakhouse, 3110 S. St. Vrain Ave.
- The dining room will be decorated for the holidays and will provide a beautiful setting for our event.
- The menu choices will be
 - Prime Rib
 - Salmon
 - Basil Pesto Pasta.
- A table for four will be \$715 (\$400 will be tax deductible); a table for six will be \$1070 (\$600 will be tax deductible).
 - Purchase a table(s) to enjoy with friends/family, or to entertain as a gift.

9 years

Doug Mann

December 1, 2016

5 years

Jim Austin

December 11, 2008

13 years

Gary Hazelton

December 12, 2002

19 years

Kris Hazelton

December 12, 2002

19 years

Gordon Ulrickson

December 20, 2018

3 years

John Thomason

December 20, 2018

3 years

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Youth/New Generation Services

- You may decide on your guests and their menu selections at a later date.
- A special musical presentation will be included for a portion of the evening.

We look forward to your joining us, Fund Development Committee

Sign Up to Ring the Bell for Salvation Army!

Announcement

- Here is the link to sign up using the SignUpGenius website: <https://tinyurl.com/6jz9b4wh>
- Once you are in the website, click on the slot that you want to claim,
- Go to the bottom of the screen and click "Submit and Signup,"
- Fill in the necessary information, then click "Signup Now" at the bottom of the screen.
- Call Pete Sinnott (970-577-7766) or Gordon Slack (970-222-2120) with questions.

Posted by Ron Gordon

International Service Committee Report

The project for the Amaro Tan playground in Albania is complete. Ron and Michelle have provided a video which is available on Facebook. See link below.

<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=4531687456951754>

Posted by Longley Parker

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! At long last, credit cards can pay for your meals!

Announcement:

Beginning Thursday Dec. 9th the Club will start accepting credit cards to pay for meals, beverages and desserts at the weekly meetings. There will be a \$1.00 convenience fee added to cover the fees associated with the use of the credit cards. No changes in the cost of meals, etc if you pay with cash or personal check.

Posted by Karen Thompson

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**Mary Kay Wilson
Winner of Photo Contest
for
Rotary Friendship Card Design**



The winning photo was selected from 19 entries. Wilson stated "I'm so excited to have my photo 'Reflecting on a Perfect Day' chosen for the 2022 Friendship Card." The 2022 Friendship Card will be available for purchase in early December.

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[Anne Slack](#)

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