

Rotary



Rotary Club of Estes Park Spoke

Welcome to our Club!



ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE

Service Above Self

We meet Thursdays at 12:00 PM
Rodeway Inn
1701 North Lake Avenue
Estes Park, CO 80517
United States



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Posted by Rita DuChateau

4th Thursday groups meet this week



The real work of a club happens at the committee level, and this week's meeting will give everyone the chance to engage in this important work. Following lunch and a brief business meeting, members will gather in groups related to their interests.

You can see what you indicated as your area of interest at the bottom of your Spoke every week. But, fear not! It's never too late to join in, try something new, or simply "shop" for a group.

Here are the club members who will lead the small group work at Thursday's meeting:

Doug Mann - International Service
Sue Fereday - Youth/New Generation Services

January 25 Duty Roster

Invocation: **Virgil Holtgrewe**

Song & Pledge: **Dave Evans**

Guest Intro: **Gene Oja**

Scribe: **Madison Casey**

Greeter: **Jim Austin**

Program Intro: **Kathy Groesbeck**

February 1 Duty Roster

Invocation: **Pete Sumej**

Song & Pledge: **Dave Evans**

Guest Intro: **Harriette Woodard**

Scribe: **Dale Bonza**

Greeter: **Karen McClure**

Program Intro: **Scott Thompson**

Speakers

Jan 25, 2018

[Kathy Groesbeck](#)

Fourth Thursday - Committee Meetings

Feb 01, 2018

[Kaycee Headrick](#)

Boys and Girls Club

Feb 08, 2018

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"Welcome to the USA", Library Services to New Americans

Karen Thompson - Fund Development

Karol Rinehart - Club Administration

Bill Solms - Sargeant-at-Arms

Rick Taylor - Programs

Scott Thompson - Membership

Roger Thorp - Community Service

Various members of the Duck Race Committee will also have an opportunity to convene to check on progress/plans for the 30th Rotary Duck Race Festival scheduled for Saturday, May 5, 2018.

Bring your energy, your ideas and your willingness to help the Rotary Club of Estes Park be a better club for all of its members. You can make a difference!

Sign up now for the District Conference!



Planning to attend the Rotary District 5440 District Conference? It will be right here in Estes Park on Duck Race Festival weekend. Here's how to register: <http://rotary5440.org/event/2018-rotary-district-5440-conference/>

Registration for a single attendee: \$135 prior to March 31 and \$200 after April 1. Registration includes numerous events, but does not include lodging. (Great, because you live here, right?)

Don't delay!



January 18, 2018 Meeting Notes

President Kathy Groesbeck rang the bell at 12:00. The Invocation was presented by Guy Van der Werf. Dave Evans led the song and Pledge of Allegiance. Guest Introductions by Mike Connelly. Visiting Rotarians: none. Guests of Rotarians:

- Guy Van der Werf introduced guest Dennis Gellhaus. Dennis has submitted his application for membership.
- Randy Skeie introduced his daughter, Lori.
- Doug Mann introduced his wife, Michelle.

Feb 15, 2018

[Al Milano](#)

Estes Park Performing Arts Center

Feb 22, 2018

[4th Thursday](#)

Committee Meetings

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Upcoming Events

[Club Board Meeting](#)

Estes Valley Public Library,
Wasson Room

Feb 06, 2018

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

[Duck Race Festival Committee Meeting](#)

Nicky's Reataurant

Feb 08, 2018

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

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5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

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5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Birthdays, Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Bill Smith

February 1

Jeff Liddle

February 1

Rita DuChateau

February 1

Sarah Walsh

February 3

Ward Nelson

February 4

Mike Connolly

- Bruce Carmichael introduced guest, Cindy Morgan.
- Dana Fritz introduced Audrey TeSelle, wife of former member Ken TeSelle



Program

Kerrie Hill introduced program speakers; Nursing Home Administrator Brook Richardson, and Director of Nursing Michelle Gordon, from Prospect Park Living Center.



Announcements

- Thor Homme's wife Darlene underwent partial knee replacement surgery on Monday. The Foundation Board will meet today in Thor's absence.
- Bruce Carmichael announced the date of the golf tournament, Saturday, June 30 with a start time at 8:00 am.
- Roger Thorp thanked all who have signed up to support the Community Café on February 9 and needs several more volunteers to staff the event.

The was no Happy Money requested.

Paul Harris Awards

Virgil Holtgrewe presented the following awards with an assist from President Kathy. Since 1982, there have been 209 awards to club members and family members. Of the 71 current members, 39 have received at least one award. Recipients of Paul Harris Fellowships today:

- Bob Benight, a special award for providing the pieces of rock for program speakers.
- A memorial award for Ken TeSelle, presented to his wife Audrey.
- A memorial award for Rob Ludlum, received by Ken Cole.
- Chuck and Dale Bonza in recognition of their work in disaster recovery with FEMA.

February 5

Pete Sumey

February 7

Longley Parker

February 18

Claudine Perrault

February 20

Bob Benight

February 26

Anniversaries

Rita DuChateau

Phil

February 3

Wayne Andersen

Judy

February 6

Gregg Jurgens

Suzanne

February 14

Larry Williams

Linda

February 14

Jay Harroff

Jane

February 17

Join Date

Ward Nelson

January 7, 2010

8 years

Bill Smith

January 8, 1987

31 years

Bruce Brown

January 8, 2004

14 years

Wayne Newsom

January 10, 1980

38 years

Kerrie Hill

January 14, 1999

19 years



Adjournment

President Kathy adjourned the meeting with the 4 way test.

Submitted by Pete Sumey, scribe, and Rita DuChateau, photographer



Put on your Rotary smile and be a Greeter!



Our members value being welcomed to each meeting. Club Administrator Karol Rinehart is looking for volunteers for the Greeter Schedule! Why not add your name to the list? Thanks, Jack, for welcoming us last week.

Rotary Quote of the Week

"Whatever brought each of us to Rotary, we stay because we find value in Rotary membership and believe that our service has value to the world. By building clubs that reflect that world in all its diversity, we build even more enduring value in Rotary: Making a Difference."

- 2017-18 RI President Ian H.S. Riseley



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January 14, 2004
14 years

Gene Oja
January 19, 1989
29 years

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January 24, 2013
5 years

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January 24, 2013
5 years

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February 2, 2012
6 years

Sarah Walsh
February 2, 2012
6 years

Jim White
February 18, 1988
30 years

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