



# The Spoke

## Rotary Club of Estes Park's Newsletter

### Welcome to the New Year!



*Dr. Jim Jonell*

Our Speaker this week is Dr. Jim Jonell, one of our own Rotarians. Dr. Jim Jonell is a retired clinical psychologist who researched and taught in Sweden for almost nine years. He has returned many times and always enjoys speaking Swedish. He will share some slides and tell us about academic life in Sweden as well as giving us a tour of Uppsala University and Stockholm. At Uppsala he was granted a doctoral fellowship by the university chancellors of Sweden to study the outcome of student changes in personality and values. His clinic treated over 200 students a week using group therapy. The clinic was able to do this because it trained psychologists and psychiatrists to do the therapy. This was the first group therapy clinic in Sweden to use closed circuit tv. He will briefly share the results of these studies and then give a tour of Uppsala and Stockholm.

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

### January 5 Duty Roster

**Invocation:** Madison Casey

**Song & Pledge:** Gellhaus/Casey

**Guest Intro:** Members to introduce

**Scribe:** Pete Sumeey

**Greeter:** Jim Whiteneck

**Program Intro:** Karen Thompson

**Meeting Set-up:** Mark Lee

### January 12 Duty Roster

**Invocation:** Jim Jonell

**Song & Pledge:** Gellhaus/Casey

**Guest Intro:** Member to Introduce

**Scribe:** Madison Casey

**Greeter:** TBD

**Program Intro:** Karen Thompson

**Meeting Set-up:** Mark Lee

### Speakers

Jan 05, 2023

[Jim Jonell](#)

Travels/Life in Sweden

Jan 12, 2023

[Maria Kinder](#)

Rwanda Project

Jan 19, 2023

**Time:** Lunch served from 11:30 - 12:00  
**Cost:** \$20  
**Parking:** American Legion and the church only

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## Update by President Dennis Gellhaus

Happy New Year!

And looking back, what a year it has been! From War, Weather, Health, Politics, Culture, Sports, Arts, Life and Death, we have lived the history in 2022.

As we begin this new year, my prayer is that Rotary will continue to be a mighty force for good in this world and that we might gather together for that purpose. Thanks to everyone for their continued support in our small corner of the world. But, we do make a large impact!

Thanks for listening.  
Dennis

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## Help Mark Lee with the Sound System

Mark Lee needs help with setup of the sound system and running Zoom. Mike Connolly and Lawrence Trifiletti have signed up but more help is needed. Here is a link to sign up and training will be provided.

This is the sign up sheet:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Crh2ZJj8SF6l-7vUKy2eQz6du2YnnYf3W9z1Dxk51mw/edit?usp=sharing>

There are two jobs that people can sign up for.

- One is the setup of the sound system (which requires no computer skills and can be completed in about 10 minutes before the meeting and ten minutes after).
- The second job is to run the zoom meeting. This job requires some computer skills, but training can be provided and all of the equipment is also provided by the club.

Please consider volunteering your time to help even if it is just one week a month.

Contact me at [anneslack@aol.com](mailto:anneslack@aol.com) if more information desired.

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## Scholarship Dinner Fundraising Results

### [Marsha Weaver and Students](#)

Students Fundraising Efforts

[View entire list](#)

## Birthdays, Anniversaries

### Member Birthdays

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#### **Barry Hannigan**

January 11

#### **Bill Smith**

February 1

#### **Sarah Walsh**

February 3

#### **Mike Connolly**

February 5

#### **Pete Sumej**

February 7

#### **Longley Parker**

February 18

### Anniversaries

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#### **Wayne Andersen**

**Judy**

February 6

#### **Carl Robicheaux**

**Aime**

February 14

#### **Gregg Jurgens**

**Suzanne**

February 14

#### **Larry Williams**

**Linda**

February 14

#### **Jay Harroff**

**Jane**

February 17

### Join Date

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#### **Dave Boon**

January 3, 2003

20 years

#### **Bill Smith**

January 8, 1987

36 years



**Rotarians enjoying the Scholarship Fundraising Dinner**

Thanks to everyone. We raised a total of \$7001. 27. And thank you Carl Robicheaux for your \$15 contribution of Happy Money to round off the total earnings to \$7000. We finally have the scholarship funds up to a good level and had fun doing it!

Tara

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**Duck Race Committee Meeting**  
**January 19, 2023**  
**5:00 PM**  
**upstairs in the Wasson Room at the Library**



**Lucky Duck**

Contact Scott Robbins, Little Duck, for more information.

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- Choose the charitable organization by typing in Estes Park Rotary Foundation. Our club and the Longs Peak club will come up in the search. Click on Estes Park Rotary

**Wayne Newsom**

January 10, 1980  
43 years

**Pete Sumey**

January 14, 2004  
19 years

**Sarah Walsh**

February 2, 2012  
11 years

**Barry Hannigan**

February 17, 2022  
1 year

**Dennis Gellhaus**

February 22, 2018  
5 years

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Big Duck

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