



The Spoke

Rotary Club of Estes Park's Newsletter

Welcome to our Club!

We meet Thursdays at 12:00 PM
Nicky's Steakhouse
1350 Fall River Rd.
Estes Park, CO 80517
United States of America



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Fourth Thursday Committee Meetings

Check the bottom of your newsletter to see which committees you've chosen for this Rotary year. Was it Financial Development? Community Service? International Service? Youth/New Generations/Vocational Service? Membership? Programs? Club Administration? Meet in a small group of your choice after lunch this week. You are welcome to join any committee at any time!

Directors/Committees

Fund Development - Karen Thompson
International Service - Ron Gordon
Membership - Trudy Collar
Community Service - Jack Overly/Pete Sinnott
Youth/New Generations - Sue Fereday
Programs - Rick Taylor
Club Administration - Karol Rinehart



Sept. 26 Duty Roster

Invocation: **Dennis Gellhaus**

Song & Pledge: **Madison Casey**

Guest Intro: **Ward Nelson**

Scribe: **Pete Sumey**

Photographer: **Jon Thompson**

Greeter: **Chuck Bonza**

Program Intro: **Doug Mann**

October 3 Duty Roster

Invocation: **Gregg Jurgens**

Song & Pledge: **Madison Casey**

Guest Intro: **Brad Rosenbaum**

Scribe: **Jennifer Comstock**

Photographer: **Jon Thompson**

Greeter: **Wayne Newsom**

Program Intro: **Tara Moenning**

Speakers

Sep 26, 2019
[Fourth Thursday](#)
ComMeetings

Oct 03, 2019

September 19 meeting notes

President Doug Mann called the meeting to order. He made the following announcements:

- Volunteers for Trustees and Officers for next year are needed. If interested, contact Bill Solms or Doug Mann.
- Former district governor Linda Vomaske's husband Bob passed away. A memorial service will be held in Fort Collins; contact Doug Mann for details.

Rotarians were greeted by Jennifer Comstock. Invocation was given by Karen Thompson. Madison Casey was unavailable, so there was no song. Introductions were led by Longley Parker. Guests of Rotarians included: Jerry Huff, former newspaper man, guest of Jim Whiteneck; and Vanessa Solesbee, guest of Doug Mann and Town Parking and Traffic manager (she is also a former Rotarian). Visiting Rotarians included: Bill Kehl (Greeley/Centennial Rotary) and Jerry Huff (Fort Smith Rotary). Karen Thompson delivered the joke in Scott's absence.



Happy Money

- Tom Maher was happy that he was able to ride his bike to the meeting on a beautiful September day.
- Annie Slack was happy that she got to meet Vanessa Solesbee.
- Dave Boone was happy that a family member was enjoying their honeymoon in Kilimanjaro.

More Announcements

- Karen Thompson shared that we still need two volunteers to sell beer at Elk Fest next Saturday from 3 - 6 p.m. (Tom Maher volunteered).
- She also reminded everyone that the first Duck Race meeting will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 25 at 5 p.m. at Nicky's, and food will be served.
- Dave Evans announced that he will be coordinating volunteers to serve at the Community Cafe on January 31; more information to come; contact him about volunteer spots.
- Pete Sinnott and Jack Overly were thanked for agreeing to co-lead the Community Service Committee.
- Reminder of the Foundation meeting at the Quality Inn after the general meeting.

Program

Rick Taylor introduced Kathy Whitacre, Program Coordinator for

[Tim Cashman](#)

Critical Access Hospitals

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Upcoming Events

[Duck Race Committee Meeting](#)

Nicky's

Sep 25, 2019

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

[Club Board Meeting](#)

Wasson Room, Library

Oct 01, 2019

5:00 PM – 6:30 PM

[Foundation Board Meeting](#)

Quality Inn

Oct 17, 2019

1:15 PM – 2:00 PM

[World Polio Day](#)

Oct 24, 2019

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Get the New Friendship Card Support Club Projects



\$10 for a year of local discounts

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Birthdays, Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Karol Rinehart

September 5

Virgil Holtgrewe

September 22

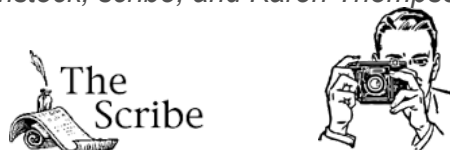
Guy Van der Werf

September 25

Partners Mentoring Youth. She shared information about the program, volunteer opportunities and the youth they serve, including the special challenges they face. Dave Boone also shared his personal experience with mentoring multiple junior partners through the program.



Jennifer Comstock, scribe, and Karen Thompson, photographer



Memorial Service for Bob Vomaske

Many of you know and remember Estes Park Assistant Governor Linda Vomaske. Linda and her husband Bob moved out of our district last year to be closer to her ailing mother in California. Tragically Bob suffered a massive heart attack and passed away just a few days ago.



Linda and Bob Vomaske

You can send condolences to: Linda Vomaske, P.O. Box 1682, Fort Collins, CO 80522. Bob's memorial service will take place Saturday, Sept. 28 at 10:30 a.m. at Timberline Church, South Auditorium. In lieu of flowers, donations in Bob's name can be sent to "Christ in the Rockies" c/o of Allnutt Funeral Services, Drake Road Chapel, 650 W. Drake Road, Fort Collins.

Nominating Committee looking for leaders

Would you like to be a part of the RCEP leadership team? President-elect Bill Solms is convening the Nominating Committee that will publish a slate of proposed officers and directors who will begin 1-3

Heidi Cooper
September 27

Ron Gordon
September 30

Rick Taylor
October 7

Jon Thompson
October 12

Carl Robicheaux
October 15

Jack Overly
October 16

Dennis Gellhaus
October 20

Anniversaries

Mike Connolly
Carole Ann
September 10

Philip Moenning
Tara
September 14

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Philip
September 14

Brad Rosenbaum
Jennifer
September 26

Tom Maher
Marilyn
October 8

Lee Lasson
Sandy
October 15

Join Date

Harriette Woodard
September 14, 2005
14 years

terms on July 1, 2020. The list includes:

- President Elect: (to serve as President July 1, 2021- June 30, 2022)
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Sgt. at Arms
- Club Administration, Membership, and Community Service Directors

Contact Bill Solms or Doug Mann if you have an interest in serving as an officer or director of the Club or Foundation.



Do you have a Friendship Card? A local reminder of Rotary's ideals

Click on the image below to see the **MANY** local merchants that welcome your Friendship Card. Buy one at Nicky' today!

FOOD AND DRINK	FOOD AND DRINK	FOOD AND DRINK	FOOD AND DRINK	FOOD AND DRINK
Beef Jerky Outlet	10% discount	Nicky's Steak & Seafood House	5% discount on breakfast menu	
Big Horn Restaurant	10% discount. One discount per card. Not valid on specials.	Old Fashion Candy Store	10% discount	
Caramel Corn	10% discount	Other Side Restaurant	15% discount. Not good with other discounts.	
Coffee on the Rocks	10% off all purchases	Penelope's	15% discount	
Country Market	10% discount on purchases of \$30 or more	Pepper's Mexican Grill	15% discount. Not good with other discounts including punch card	
El Mex-Kal Family Mexican Restaurant	10% discount on full entree	Rocky Mountain SereniTea	10% discount	
Estes Park Brewery	50 cents off a 6-pack or \$1 off a case	Smokin' Dave's BBQ & Tap House Main location	15% discount. Dine-in only. Not valid on alcohol or catering. Not valid with other discounts.	
Flavor of the Rockies	10% discount on ice cream	Smokin' Dave's BBQ & Tap House @ The Hanger	15% discount. Dine-in only. Not valid on alcohol or catering. Not valid with other discounts.	
Fresh Burger Stop	15% discount, excluding specials	The Barrel	10% discount	
Grubsteak Restaurant	10% discount	The Taffy Shop	Free extra handful with any box purchase. One use per card, per day.	
La Cabaña Mexican Bar & Grill	15% discount. Not good with other discounts.	Trailhead Restaurant	15% discount, excluding alcohol, tax, & gratuity	
Lonigan's Famous Grill Pub	10% discount on food	Wild Rose Restaurant	10% discount on food	
Molly B Restaurant	10% discount on food	You Need Pie	10% discount on Dine in meals	
Munchin House	10% discount			
ENTERTAINMENT	ENTERTAINMENT	ENTERTAINMENT	ENTERTAINMENT	ENTERTAINMENT
Creativity Cabin	Buy 1 studio fee, get 1 half-price	Open Air Adventure Park	\$5 per person discount	
Estes Park ATV Rentals	\$15 off per machine			
RVICE	SERVICE	SERVICE	SERVICE	SERVICE
Big O Tires	\$10 off synthetic oil change, \$25 off brake service, 10% off any service (up to \$100 off), Free Rotate and Balance with purchase of alignment (\$45 value)	Glow Spa Aveda	10% discount	
Classic Hair Designs	Free deep conditioning service with any color service	Jazzercise	50% discount on Joining Fee (\$14 value)	
Enchanted Florist	10% discount	Real West Old Time Portraits	10% discount	
HOPPING	SHOPPING	SHOPPING	SHOPPING	SHOPPING
A la Carte Kitchen Store	10% discount on purchases over \$15	MacDonald Book Shop	10% discount	
Bear's Den (Moraine Ave location)	10% discount including sale items	Mad Moose	10% off all purchases \$50 or more	
Bear's Den (Park Lane location)	10% discount including sale items	Mystic Mountain Gallery/Dianka Designs	\$5 off any purchase \$25 or more	
Betsy's Bijoux (Inside Highland Music & Gifts)	20% discount on regular priced items	Outdoor World	5% discount	
Blake Trading	10% discount	Patterson Glassworks Studio & Gallery	15% discount on items made in house	
Cabin Fever of Estes Park	10% discount	Real West Old Time Portraits	10% discount	
Cabin Store	10% discount	Red Rose Rock Shop	10% off all purchases	
Colorado Homestead	10% discount	Rocky Mountain Connection	5% discount	
Country Market	10% discount on purchases of \$30 or more	Rocky Mountain Gateway Gift Shop	10% discount	
Dakotah Jewelry	10% discount	Rocky Mountain Pharmacy	20% discount on all generic over-the-counter products	
Enchanted Florist	10% discount	Rocky Mountain Tops	10% discount	
Estes Ark	10% discount on purchases \$50 or more on toys & plush	Sgt. Pepper's Music & Video	10% discount storewide	
Estes Park Brewery	50 cents off a 6-pack or \$1 off a case	Sterling Pony	10% discount	
Farmhouse Market - Catherine Moon	15% discount	Village Goldsmith, Inc.	Free ring check and cleaning	
For Barefeet Shops	10% discount	Village Store of Estes Park	20% discount on purchases of \$100 or more - Village Store only	
Grey House	10% discount on regular priced items	Wildflower Mercantile	5% off total purchase including sale items	
Highland Music & Gifts (Upper Stanley Village)	10% discount on regular priced items	Wynbrier Home	10% discount excluding antiques	
Images of Estes Park	10% off print purchases & photo session bookings	Wynbrier Ltd	10% discount excluding tobacco products	
Images of RMNP	10% off on in-store purchases			

Larry Williams
September 21, 2006
13 years

Tom Maher
September 29, 1977
42 years

Tom Anderson
October 1, 1981
38 years

Dana Fritz
October 2, 1997
22 years

Brad Rosenbaum
October 6, 2011
8 years

Anne Slack
October 10, 2002
17 years

Tim McLemore
October 10, 2017
2 years

Kathy Groesbeck
October 16, 2014
5 years

Karen Thompson
October 22, 2015
4 years

Sue Fereday
October 25, 2012
7 years

Jay Harroff
October 29, 1998
21 years

Executives & Directors

President
[Doug Mann](#)

President Elect
[Bill Solms](#)

Our meeting location: Nicky's!

If you haven't been to a meeting for a while, please join us! Our club meets at **Nicky's Steakhouse, 1350 Fall River Rd.** No R.S.V.P. is necessary. You may choose from three options: full lunch buffet with beverage and dessert (\$15), beverage only (\$5), or beverage and dessert (\$9).



Congratulations, 2019 scholars



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(If you have any comments or questions, please contact the editor)

Rotary Quote of the Week

"We will end polio forever, but only if we remain steadfast and vigilant. **World Polio Day (Oct. 24)** is a time for Rotarians from all over the globe to come together, recognize the progress we have made in our fight against polio, and plan the action we must take to end polio forever. The key word is action, because we still have important work to do."

-Mark Daniel Maloney, RI President 2019-2020



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