

Spokesman TODAY

meeting virtually

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OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise...

"Service above Self"

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Chris Woodruff (Greeley)
ADG: Bob Eatman

RI President

Holger Knaack



PROGRAM

Nov 17 - "Early American Humor" Dr. Robert Meroney, Professor Emeritus, CSU Inspiration: Chris White

CALENDAR

November - KidsPak food deliveries on Wed and/or Fri

Nov 19 - Loveland Day of Giving 2020 - dedicated to the memory of Rotarian **Miki Roth**, also a member of UCHealth Northern Colorado Foundation board **Dec 8** - Colorado Gives Day 2020

UPCOMING PROGRAM

Nov 24 - "Thompson School District Update" by Dr. Marc Schaffer, Superintendent, TSD

Inspiration: Nicole Whitenight

Birthdays • November 18 - Evan Patterson • November 19 - Cindy Guldy • November 20 - Fred Hansen • November 21 - Norm Rehme

Rotary Club of Loveland (meeting location when meeting in-person)

Tuesday noon; Mountainview Presbyterian Church

Rotary Satellite Group of Loveland

2nd Wednesday of Month, 6:30-8:00 pm 533 N Grant Ave. First United Methodist Church Details: www.facebook.com/ RotarySatelliteGroupofLoveland

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Rotary Satellite Club of Berthoud 2nd/4th Wednesday of Month, 6:00 pm Details: www.facebook.com/BerthoudSatellite |an Grack- igredram@gmail.com

www.LovelandRotary.org P.O. Box 1144, Loveland, CO 80538 District 5440, Club 1113 Chartered in 1920 as Club 685 Nov 10, 2020

Presiding | Pledge + 4-Way Test

Nicole Whitenight substituting for Pres. Brian

Inspiration Bob Eatman

MORE ITEMS OF INTEREST

John Stewart Updates

Betty Stewart posted that John has been moved to PAM Specialty Hospital of Denver. All members are encouraged to collectively send a shower of cards to him! Address: PAM, 3rd Floor | 1690 Meade St. | Denver, CO 80204

Meeting Guests

Ashley "Ash" McCuaig Susan & Larry Stewart

New Red Badges

Becky Huner lim Webb

Important to Attend!

Nov 17 club elections for the following roles: PE Nominee - Irv Johnson • New Directors (2021-2024) - Jim Epstein & Ron Weinberg

Virtual-only Meetings

Due to a Larimer County Public Health Order still in force, we are Zoom-only for the time being. Stay tuned for future resumption of hybrid meetings.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jerry Westbrook (100 years and Counting): A look back at the history of RI presidents reveals... Paul Harris.

Rotary's founder, was the first (1910-11,



1911-12), and since then, there have been 108 of them; 62 were from the U.S., and the rest spanned the globe from Canada to Thailand, and from Switzerland to Brazil. The Loveland Rotary Club has had 104 presidents, 26 of which (25%) are still club members to this day!

Dick Bradsby (KidsPak Update): We're still delivering more than 375 food bags each week, on Wednesdays, to most schools, and on Fridays, for kids not in

PROGRAM

school.

Our Veterans Day Program consisted of a talk by Lieutenant Colonel Matt Tilman (Professor of Military Science & Commander of the Army ROTC, CSU) that focused on an inspirational story of just one example of our U.S. military's heroic response to a threat to our country — the coronavirus pandemic — unlike any our service men and women are typically trained to fight. Highlights of Lt. Col. Tilman's remarks included these:

- Our soldiers take an oath of enlistment, first and foremost, to "support and defend the Constitution of the United States" on behalf of all of us.
- An Army force out of Fort Carson was tasked, in early March 2020, with deploying a combat support hospital (designed to serve wounded soldiers in the field) inside of the CenturyLink Convention Center, in Seattle, to serve ICU patients suffering with COVID during the first surge of the virus.
- This amazing team of men and women in uniform constructed a fully functional, 250-bed hospital complete with newly plumbed sewer and water lines on the floor of the facility — in only 10 days.
- When advised by officials that the hospital wasn't needed after all (due to the success of the state's COVID response), the entire Army hospital was dismantled in 3 days, and readied for new service.
- More such young heroes are needed so that our military can continue its fine history of service!



