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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"

Board of Directors Officers

Jim Epstein, President Bob Tello, President Elect Irv Johnson, Past President Chris White, Pres Elect Nom Jon Kindschy, Club Secretary Julie Marko, Board Secretary Kathryn Vilha, Financial Secretary lim Whitenight, Treasurer Steve Lemanski, Editarian Dixie Schmatz, Committee Coordination and Engagement

Directors

Diane Lapierre	(2024)
John Moore	(2024)
Mary Camp	(2025)
Matt Barber	(2025)
David Carmichael	(2026)
Hayden Lowry	(2026)

District Governor

Steve Sehnert (Steamboat Springs Rotary) ADG: Kathi Wright (Thompson Valley Rotary)

RI President

Gordon R. McInally (Scotland)



THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Nov 21 - NO CLUB MEETING

Enjoy your Thanksgiving Holiday week with family and friends!

CALENDAR

NOVEMBER - Foundation Month

Nov 23 - Thanksgiving Holiday

Dec 5 - Int'l Volunteer Day

Dec 7 - Hanukkah (first day) & Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

UPCOMING PROGRAM

Nov 28 - "Tenth Mountain

Division Return Trip" by Lee & Jeremiah Harris

Inspiration: Pat Williams

Birthdays • Nov 21 - Norm Rehme • Nov 26 -Mark Anderson • Nov 27 - Nicole Bristow Anniversaries • None listed this week.

WE ARE ROTARIANS



HANUKKAH

Rotary Club of Loveland

Tues 12 PM | Mountain View Presbyterian Church

Website www.LovelandRotary.org

Events Calendar https://portal.clubrunner.ca/5257/Events

Rotary Satellite Club of Loveland

First Wednesdays at 6:00 PM

Earl's Coffee Shop, 1421 N. Denver Ave. Loveland

Details: www.facebook.com/

RotarySatelliteGroupofLoveland

Email: stephensongwen | @gmail.com

Rotary Satellite Club of Berthoud

2nd Wednesdays, 7:00 AM - Cornerstone Cafe 4th Wednesdays, 5:30 PM - Adams Bank & Trust Details: www.facebook.com/BerthoudSatellite

Email: BerthoudRotaryClub@gmail.com

P.O. Box 1144, Loveland, CO 80538 District 5440, Club 1113 Chartered in 1920 as Club 685

Nov 14, 2023

Presiding, Pledge of Allegiance (Open), &Four Way Test (Close) President Jim Epstein

Sing-Along Songs Gary Camp (Keyboard)

"Battle Hymn of the Republic" "What a Wonderful World" "Everybody Loves Somebody"

Inspiration Hayden Lowry



Upcoming Election

On Dec 5. the following election will

ELECTION NEWS

BOARD

be held:

Co-Pres Elect (Dec 2023)

Diane Lapierre

Pres Elect Nom (Jul 2024) Iulie Marko

Directors (2024-2027)

Rick Parker Katie Guthrie

Why We're Thankful

Irv Johnson: I'm so thankful that the two children I've lost were a part of my life.

Jim Epstein: I'm thankful for all the people in our world who try to make the world a better place.

Bob Tello: I'm so thankful for my dad (who just passed) and the life he gave me.





LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Charlie Bouchard (LRC Foundation): Charlie led a large cast of Loveland Rotarians who displayed what we are all about - the vital service projects that are supported by Loveland Rotary Club Foundation, which receives the significant revenue brought in annually by our two big fundraisers.

Laura Armstrong traced the amazing story of our scholarships, growing from 6 scholarships (\$22,000), in 2014, to the 18 scholarships (\$176,000) we gave out this year!

Dave Mills explained the literacy projects funded by our LRC Foundation, including books for 9 low income elementary schools (1st & 2nd grade), books for early childhood centers (3-4 yr olds), and Imagination Library.

Mary Camp presented how our middle school and H.S. students benefit from the life skills training and friendships of the RYLA summer camps in the mountains.

Gary Camp announced the good news of the resumption (after a COVID pause) of our Four Way Test middle school program.

Dixie Schmatz gave us a look at the fun and rewarding community service projects carried out by our H.S. Interact Clubs.

Lily Beineke delighted us with a time-lapse video of the benefits wildlife are receiving from our Heart | Center Guzzler project.

Doug Rutledge showed us how the interpretive nature kiosks along Big Thompson River are designed by teachers and students, and built and maintained by our club.

Due to an oversight, the Student and Teacher Recognition Program was left out of the program. These important awards date back to 1982; it is financially supported through gifts from the Pulliam Foundation.

Rick Parker told how the Rubber Duck Race raises big revenue for our LRC Foundation, but also lets us engage with the community in a fun way.

Diane Lapierre shared how this major cultural event - The Governor's Art Show also raises revenue and benefits both the community and Colorado artists!















River Trail Nature Information Kiosks





