

# Spokesman TODAY

Rotary

Spring Assembly

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District 5440

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#### ROTARY'S VISION

"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves."

# **Board of Directors**

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#### District Governor

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

#### RI President

Gordon R. McInally (Scotland)



#### THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Apr 9 - "Resettling Legal Migrants" by Cheryl Smith

Inspiration: Bob Eatman 🦽

#### **CALENDAR**

Apr II - Rotary After Hours (leff Swanty's home)

Apr 13 - District 5440 Spring Assembly (Virtual - on Zoom) May 16-18 - Rotary District

Conference (Steamboat Springs)

#### **UPCOMING PROGRAM**

Apr 16 - "The Magic in Water" by Dave Stewart.

Stewart Environmental Consulting Group & Northern Water Board

Inspiration: Dave Mills

Birthdays • Apr 9 - Mary Camp • Apr 10 -

Norma Perez | Anniversaries • Apr 9 - Ken & Jan Grack

# **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**

I<sup>st</sup> 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**

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesdays, 12:00 PM - Cornerstone Cafe 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 5:30 PM - Bradfords Details: www.facebook.com/BerthoudSatellite

Email: BerthoudRotaryClub@gmail.com

P.O. Box 1144, Loveland, CO 80539 District 5440, Club 1113 Chartered in 1920 as Club 685

Apr 2, 2024 **Presiding &** 

Pledge (Open) & Four Way Test (Close)



President Jim Sing-Along Songs

Gary Camp (Keyboard)

"Take Me Out to the Ball Game" & "Piano Man" Inspiration



Judy Chapman



# Charity Raffle Rotarian portion

(\$14) won by Mo Heth



APRII Student of the Month Melody "Envy" Milburn. Loveland H.S.





# **Newest Applications**

Valerie Van der Worf Berthoud Satellite Club (Lyle Jones, sponsor)

Debra Sawyer Berthoud Satellite Club John Beck

Berthoud Satellite Club (Deanne Mulvehill, sponsor)



# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Tisha Wernersbach

(Thumbnail): One of our newest members recounted her life



story in just 2-3 minutes! Some highlights Tisha shared:

• Her family and her moved from TX to Fort Collins when she was 10. • After H.S., she worked in the salon business for 16 years. • Then she lived in Cheyenne for 14 yrs after marrying her husband, who served in the U.S. Air Force for 24 years. • She's the proud mother of 3 children and 3 grandchildren (with 2 more on the way). • Tisha has more recently been a realtor. • She is hoping to follow in her father's (**Dan Chenoweth**) footsteps as an active Rotarian. Welcome Tisha! Jim Epstein (Rotary's Mission): For everyone's better understanding of why we belong to Rotary, Jim read the mission statement of Rotary:

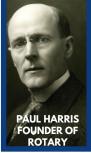
We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

#### LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Our own Lynn Hammond, past club president and DG, as well as past board member of Rotary Foundation, spoke about Rotary's past and future. A few of

Lynn's choice remarks: • Though Founder Paul Harris earned a law degree (1891) and settled in Chicago as a lawyer (1896), during his intervening "5-yr plan" he traveled the U.S. and Europe, working odd jobs, including a stint in





Colorado as a reporter (Rocky Mountain News) and a ranch hand. • His Rotary idea came from his desire for a fellowship of men from many fields, with no religious or political restrictions, but "having a broad tolerance for other people's opinions." • Arch Klumph (1916) first had the idea of an endowment fund (Rotary Foundation), which started with just \$26.50. • Rotary diminished in the 1930s (Great Depression and WWII), but it grew greatly in post-war years. • A U.S. Supreme Court ruling in the 1980s finally allowed women to be Rotarians - a truly monumental and positive change!