

Spokesman TODAY

Hybrid Club

Meeting via...

GOVERNOR'S

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

I Is it the TRUTH?
2 Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3 Will it build GOOD WILL
& BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4 Will it be BENEFICIAL

Board of DirectorsOfficers

to all concerned?

(And... Is it FUN?)

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PROGRAM

Sep 22 - "Winter in the Arctic" by Jessie Creamean (CSU scientist featured in *Smithsonian*)

Inspiration: Lee Asa

CALENDAR

Sep 25 - Next KidsPak deliveries **Sep 25** - Governor's Art Show & Sale *Gala* (virtual)

Sep 26-Nov I - Governor's Art Show & Sale (Loveland Museum)

Apr 23 (2021) - Loveland Rotary

100-year Celebration, Embassy Suites Hotel **UPCOMING PROGRAM**

Sep 29 - "Food Industry Surviving COVID" by Ken Rosander, Main Street Catering (+ Art Show Night)

Inspiration: Dave Mills

Birthdays • Sep 22 - Chad Walker • Sep 27 - Dennell Gonzalez | Anniversaries • Sep 22 - Drew & Mara Johnson • Sep 27 - Kathryn & Andrew Vilha

Rotary Club of Loveland

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 Jan Grack—jgredram@gmail.com

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Presiding Brian Nienhaus

Pledge + 4-Way Test

Brian Nienhaus

Songs

Gary Camp (+keyboard) Song: "Star Spangled Banner" (National Anthem)

Inspiration Ted Nutting

MORE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Reduced Club Dues
Offer for Oct-Dec

Please respond to **Jim Scudamore** email by Sep
26 if you're *not* having
lunch and *accept* this offer.

Club Meeting COVID Requirements

All in-person attendees must wear face masks (when not eating), social distance (6 ft.), and sign-in on the attendance sheet.

Help Wanted!

Club still needs another tech savvy member to back-up **Ron Weinberg**, in setting up technology for hybrid meetings at our physical meeting location.

Guys-Only Car Show

This fall event has been moved to Spring 2021!

Rotary Oktoberfest!

This Sep 26 fund-raiser party for global water projects (24-hr *online*, join 5 p.m. any time zone) starts in New Zealand and is sponsored by B-R-E-W Rotary fellowship.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Brian Nienhaus: Kathryn Vilha was thanked for stepping up to be the new club financial secretary. Also, Drew Johnson, Bill Moninger and Diane LaPierre (and anyone else interested in helping) will be handling the Governor's Art Show & Sale pedestal painting project (at Loveland Museum) on Sep 16.

George Stroh: Reviewed how Rotary Foundation invests the money within its various funds, including Annual Fund (conservative liquid and fixed assets with lower return), Endowment Fund (stocks, equity investments with higher return), and PolioPlus Fund (short-term, fixed-income securities with lower risk).

Rick Parker & John Stewart: Pictures of top winners for large, decorated ducks were shared, and the tumultuous history of the 2020 Duck Race project was recapped. A \$25, 518.46 check (proceeds from the fundraiser) was presented to the Loveland Rotary Foundation, and Kathy Zavela Tyson won the contest for guessing the check's amount (only off by \$356.77), receiving the Pourhouse gift certificate!

Dixie Schmatz: League of Women Voters for Larimer County is now soliciting questions for candidates to answer in forums soon to be held for elections for County Commissioner candidates, State House and Senate candidates and District Attorney.

Dick Bradsby: *KidsPak* updates: (1) the team needs more volunteers for food bag deliveries on Fridays, (2) Medical Center of the Rockies is doing their annual fundraising for KidsPak (yeah!), and (3) pickup trucks (and their drivers) are needed for picking up and transporting food donations to the food bank from various grocery locations.

PROGRAM

Joe Bowden, a subject matter expert on EMP (Electromagnetic Pulse) for the U.S. Strategic Command, spoke on fact versus



fiction when it comes to the effects of EMP on our lives—whether it occurs naturally (from space weather such as solar storms) or nefariously (when weaponized). Highlights of his talk included the following:

- an EMP burst in the stratosphere will disable (fry) delicate electronic devices in a wide area, but is harmless to humans, animals, and plant life
- EMP events resulting from solar storms have caused major power outages (blackouts) on earth