



Rotary Club of Centennial Colorado



Centennial, Colorado

September 6, 2016



Ben Allen from Allen Technology Advising and the District Technology Chair presented material that can be used by Rotary clubs to improve club access and performance. Ben went through various web sites that can be used by clubs or committees to help out. Ben was originally a member of the Evergreen club and then became a member of the Denver Club. His main focus is international with helping Climb for Children, Africaid, and Youth Exchange. I will go through each that he presented.

SignUpGenius. This is a program that can be used for signing up for activities. Centennial Rotary uses it to sign up for Meals on Wheels. SignUpGenius will notify you 2 days before your meeting.

Virtual Meetings. FreeConferenceCall.com allows conferencing anywhere. It is a free service. You have to sign up once and then never again. It uses long distance numbers, but they are free.

Doodle.com. This is software for scheduling meetings. It is a free service. Attendees can vote on what times are best for a meeting.

Join.Me. This web site is just join.me. There is no .com. This is a free screen sharing service. You can share what is on your screen with other people on the conference.

Skype.com. This is a service that costs money to use. It is good for conferencing and screen sharing. It is limited to a certain number of participants. You have to download their software to use the service.

DropBox.com. This is a file sharing site. It does not cost any money unless the files or folders get too large, then there is a nominal fee for the service.

Snagit.com. This is a site for recording movies for u-tube. There is a cost of \$49.95. movies cannot be edited on this site. There is another site for about \$200 where the movies can be edited.

If you want to log onto the District website and you do not have a password, go to the website and enter your e-mail address the club uses for sending you information. Then click on you have forgotten your password and they will send you your password.

On the District web site, on the project side, it is possible for the Rotary clubs to enter their projects into a searchable database.

The previous material is information that clubs and committees can use. The following is more business related.

Passwords. Because of security problems do not use the same password on your websites. Use a different password for each website. If a website gets hacked, the password you used is now known to the hackers and they can get into your other websites or e-mail. Password management software can store all of your different passwords and make them accessible to you.



Charlie Jackson was not successful in getting the blue marble. Next weeks jackpot will be \$722.

2015-2016 Club Officers

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Mike Tagtow
Technology Innovations—John
Peterson
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ment—Trip Butler
Rotary Foundation—John McCarty

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT 7—BOARD MEETING

SEPT 10—FOOD COLLECTION

SEPT 13—CLASSIFICATION

TALKS: ANDREA TAGTOW,
RYAN WIDEMON, ELLEN VAT-
TEROTT

SEPT 17/18—CELTIC FESTIVAL

SEPT 20—NICOLE GARNEAU:
DENVER MUSEUM OF NATURE
AND SCIENCE

SEPT 24/25—CENTENNIAL
CHALK ART

SEPT 27—JEFF HOLWELL,
LONE TREE ECONOMIC DEV
DR.

OCT 4—VICTOR MOSS, AU-
THOR

OCT 5—BOARD MEETING

OCT 11—CLASSIFICATION

TALKS: NATE ZIPPLE, CHRIS
BANTOCK, LINDSEY ROBINSON

Peach sales this year were the best they have ever been. Over 350 boxes of peaches were sold with approximately \$3,700 going into the foundation. On the next page are pictures from the peach sales pickup.

There were over \$100 in Happy Bucks. This is a new record for the club.

Anne West, during the Rotary Minute, talked about the next RI convention which will be in Atlanta, GA. The next one in the US will be in Hawaii.

Travel Gifts. Bryon returned from Pittsburg with Lenox Champaign flutes.

Marc Garfinkel brought a stuffed animal from the Grand Canyon.

The club will be preparing “Care” boxes for Cathy Smith’s son. More details later.

Celtic Festival. Volunteers are still needed.

Contract Marc Garfinkel if you are interested in going on the Castlewood Canyon hike this Sunday.

**Next meeting is at the Arapahoe Sheriff's office at
13101 E Broncos Pkwy, Centennial, CO 80112**

Photographs from presenting the journals at Heritage Elementary are on the next page.

