



Rotary Club of Centennial Colorado



Centennial, Colorado

February 19, 2019

Feb 26 meeting is at the South Metro Fire Station at Quebec and Orchard. Parking is limited. Park in the SW corner of the Safeway parking lot at Quebec and Arapahoe Rd and there will be a shuttle to take you to the meeting.

ROTARY MINUTE



Jeff Oline, our newest member, gave the Rotary minute. He talked about the upcoming Chat Groups and what a great way it is to meet members and socialize. The members of the different Chat Groups

are listed on P 3 of this Newsletter. The first person listed in each Chat Group is responsible for arranging the group meeting.

BUSINESS MINUTE



John Berry presented the Business Minutes. He talked about his new and used auto sales. He does a good job as he got me a nice Toyota Four Runner.

GUEST SPEAKER

Our guest speaker was supposed to be Gwen Jewell; however, the storm on Monday night made it difficult for Gwen to get over Monument Hill.

At the last moment our Marc Garfinkel filled in and spoke about the US Presidents. He has amazing knowledge of the different Presidents. He spoke without notes or a PowerPoint presentation.



Be it a liberal or conservative group trying to rate the Presidents, the top three generally end up being George Washington, Abe Lincoln, and Franklin Roosevelt.

George Washington. Two of his significant accomplishments were the design and start of construction of Washington DC. He also created the Treasury Department along with Alexander Hamilton.

John Adams. John Adams was a one term president and didn't do much.

Thomas Jefferson. Jefferson did one thing that was a huge mistake—because of what the British were doing to our sailor (impressment) Jefferson stopped all imports and exports with Britain. Jefferson sent Lewis and Clark on their expedition to find a path to the Pacific. Jefferson also did the Louisiana Purchase.

James Madison. James Madison was 5' 2" tall and had significant health issues. He is the father of our Constitution. Sixty percent of what he proposed to the Constitutional Convention was accepted. Madison, because of the strong ruler in England, did not want a strong executive. Madison is the only President to lead troops while in office. Dolly Madison, when the British were attacking, saved the portrait of George Washington that was and is hanging in the White House.

2018-2019 Club

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb 26-**Off-Site Mtg at South Metro Fire Station, Quebec and Orchard Rd**

Mar 5-Pramod Goel, Placid Way Medical Tourism

Mar 11, 12-Opioid Symposium

Mar 12-Mary Lou Fenton, Well-spring Community

Mar 19-Classification Talks, Tom Gross and Jeff Online.

Mar 26-Dr Migs Muldrow, Assisting At-Risk Women

Apr 17-State of the City

Apr 20-Food Drive

John Quincy Adams. He is the only President to become President who did not win the popular vote or the electoral vote. The election was a tie and went to the House for a decision. After being President, he ran for the House of Representatives. The Amistad was a slave ship that was taken over by the slaves. JQ Adams was the attorney for the slaves.

Andrew Jackson. He was known as old Hickory and has a mixed bag of recognition. He not only owned slave, but he was in the slave trading business. He prevented South Carolina from succeeding from the USA. He also eliminated the Bank of the United States. This resulted in small regional banks taking over and they loan money to farms who depended on the weather. Well the weather didn't work for the farmers and this resulted in the panic (depression) the next year.

Marion Van Buren. He was Jackson's vice president.

William Harrison. He was the last of the Whig presidents. He felt he was so strong that he didn't need to wear a coat or hat to his inauguration. Thirty days after his inauguration he died from pneumonia.

John Tyler. He had children late in life as did is offspring. As a result, one of John Tyler's grandsons died about twenty years ago. He ran for President, but the Democrats did not like him so he ran without a party.

James Polk. He was run as the Democratic candidate against John Tyler and won. He pledged to only serve one term, which he did. The Mexican-American war started under Polk. It was primarily for the land in Texas that the US wanted. He was weak and sickly and apparently had kidney stones as a child.

Zachry Taylor. He wore a heavy coat to a July 4th celebration and some how got sick. He died the next day.

Millard Fillmore. One of two Presidents referred to as 'His accidentcy.' He passed the Be Nice to Animals law and the Fugitive Slave Act. He wanted to be nice to animals but not to certain humans. He was a one term President.

Abraham Lincoln. One of the top three Presidents. He issued the Emancipation Proclamation. The transcontinental railroad was started under Lincoln. Lincoln also started the first income tax which was used to pay for reconstruction.

Andrew Johnson. Andrew Johnson was Lincoln's vice president. Andrew had strong southern sympathies and was impeached. He was not convicted.

Ulysses Grant. Grant stopped the income tax started by Lincoln. As a result, the country went into another panic.

CLUB BUSINESS

- Blessing Bags. Blessings Bags stuffing is postponed until March 13 because some of the material to go in the bags has not arrived.
- John Weksler thanked everybody for helping on the Flower Power.

TRAVEL GIFTS

Kathy Smith back a flag from the Singer Island Rotary club. She also brought coasters from Belize, a neckless from the Keys and a puzzle from Disney World.

BLUE MARBLE

John Berry was not able to find the elusive blue marble.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1847 the Donner Party is rescued from a blizzard in the Sierra Nevada mountains.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Centennial Rotarians,

Did you know that Rocky Mountain Rotary Youth Exchange (RMRYE) and District 5450 are hosting The North American Youth Exchange Network 2019 Conference **here in Denver?**

What is NAYEN?

The North American Youth Exchange Network, commonly known as NAYEN, is a Regional Association representing 167 districts, in Canada, Mexico and the United States, which are involved in Rotary Youth Exchange. The annual three day conference provides a forum for training youth exchange officers in best practices and the opportunity for interaction and collaboration with our overseas counterparts. NAYEN further supports its members through the development of resources and training materials to support their district programs.

How do I register?

Attendance at the conference provides a unique opportunity for you to interact with Youth Exchange Officers from around the world and get information on best practices. We encourage you and anyone in your club who wants to learn more about youth exchange to register for the conference which will be held at the Westin Westminster March 14-16th. You can register for the whole conference or there other options. Follow this link to register:

<https://nayenconf.org/sitepage/co2019>

Volunteer to assist with the conference

You can register to volunteer for the conference. When your shift is over you can attend plenary and breakout sessions for free; however you will have to pay for any meals you want to participate in. Sign up to volunteer at:

<https://nayenconf.org/101483/volunteer/managevolunteercontacts?VolunteerSignUpId=5cb58b72-27b4-42d9-8000-f0eae9e210b9&AccountId=101483>

Please let me know if you have questions or need additional information.

Hope to see you at the conference!!