



## President's Column:

December 24, 2018



Hi everyone,

The meeting last week was great. Thank you all for participating. There were wonderful stories at every table. Thanks to those of you who left notes on the table. I want to share the most unusual holiday gift: a quarter pound of weed!!! Must have been mellow holiday.



I have few reminders, if your thoughts turn to Rotary during the holidays.

There are several District activities scheduled in January—information and registration are in this newsletter.

There is a separate flyer for the Mental Health Symposium, which should very informative, including a special session on the opioid crisis. You can register for the symposium at no cost—see the separate flyer for more information.

Regarding the Grants Training on Saturday January 12, at least one member of the Club needs to attend if either the Local or World Community Service Committee wants to sponsor a District or Global Grant this year.

The Club has funds for 10 attendees at the RI President's Dinner on Friday January 25. Please register on your own and indicate that you want to be seated with your Club. We will reimburse you your full or prorated cost, depending on the total number of Club registrations, after the event. Spouses/partners are welcome as well.

**Dan Himelspach** and I have a meeting with the U Club on Monday January 7. After we understand what our choices will be, we'll get back to you with our options.

**Have a wonderful holiday. We will see you on January 9 at the U Club. Carolyn**

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# FAMILY OF ROTARY

Thanks for volunteering this Holiday Season!!





## Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

**December 26th - DARK**

**January 2nd - DARK**

**January 9th - Linda Montgomery—Work Life Colorado**

### Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

#### January 9th

Inspiration - Jane Fisher

Greeters - Debra Flick and Mark Foseid

Host - Kevin Gallaway

#### January 16th

Inspiration - Melanie Gentz

Greeters - Lindsay Gerlach and Tom Giordano

Host - Brian Good



### December Birthdays

December 3rd - **Noreen Keleshian**

December 4th - **Tom Gregory**

December 13th - **Tom Cella**

December 16th - **Bob Kemp**



The Rotary Club Of Denver Southeast  
And Rotary District 5450



PRESENT THE 12TH ANNUAL  
**STATE OF THE STATE LUNCHEON**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019**

**DENVER MARRIOTT TECH CENTER | 4900 SOUTH SYRACUSE STREET**

**Floyd Ciruli, Political Analyst, 9-KUSA TV, KOA Radio, and Denver Post**

Floyd Ciruli is perhaps Colorado's best-known and well-respected pollster and political analyst. For 33 years he has led Ciruli Associates, a research and consulting firm specializing in public policy. Now that the mid-term elections are over, he will speak on what's ahead for Colorado.

**Molly Bloom, Keynote Speaker**

Molly Bloom is the author of the book-turned-Oscar-nominated film, *Molly's Game*. She went from Olympic athlete to student to accidental entrepreneur, running one of the most exclusive, high-stakes underground poker games in the world. She has battled addiction, anxiety, and depression, and has faced tough choices few can imagine.

**Kim Christiansen, 9News, Emcee**

**SCHEDULE**

8:30-11:20 am: Mental Health and Wellness Symposium\*

10:00 -11:45 am: Mental Health & Wellness Expo\*\*

10:00 -11:55 am: Lunch Registration

12:00 - 1:30 pm: Lunch Program

1:30 pm: Conclusion

\* See back for additional details

\*\* Visit more than 30 mental health organizations to learn about the many mental health and wellness resources available in the metro area.

**Register at: [sos.dserotary.org](http://sos.dserotary.org)**

**Individual Luncheon Tickets \$60**

For more information on Luncheon, Mental Health & Wellness Expo and Sponsorship opportunities: Larry Bass – [larrybass50@gmail.com](mailto:larrybass50@gmail.com)

For more information on Mental Health & Wellness Symposium:

Seth Patterson, Rotarians for Mental Health – [seth@pattersoncompanyllc.com](mailto:seth@pattersoncompanyllc.com); [R4MH.org](http://R4MH.org)

# Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar

Be sure to check the calendar online for all events (meetings, happy hours, committee meetings)

**January 8, 2019** [State of the State Luncheon 01.08.2019](#)

Marriott Denver Tech Center  
11:30 AM – 1:30 PM

**January 12, 2019** [Grants/Club Qualification 01.12.19](#)

Red Rocks Community College  
12:30 PM – 3:30 PM

**January 14th, 2019** - Local Community Service Meeting 5pm—6pm - Michael Tapp's Office - 1700 Broadway 10th floor

**January 23, 2019** [Rotary Night at the Stock Show 01.23.19](#)

National Western Club  
5:00 PM – 10:00 PM

January 25th - [RI President's Dinner & Polio Fundraiser](#)

Denver Marriott South  
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Don't miss out! [Register Now](#) for the Friday, January 25 event at [www.rotary5450.org](http://www.rotary5450.org).

<http://denvermilehigh.org/Events/Calendar>

**Planning Calls for the Spring Fling event** will be 1st and 15th of every month from 8 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. If you are interested in helping, please join in on the planning calls.

Download the software to your computer or mobile device.

Log into [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us) or download the software to your computer or app on your mobile phone before the call!

Then you click to JOIN the call at 720-219-8737.

Click on the video camera icon so we can see your bright and shining faces.. Or keep it off if you are just rolling out of bed and would rather not be seen! ;)

**April 13th** - Denver Mile High Rotary Spring Swing



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Contributions to the DMHR Foundation can be made by giving them to Tom Giordano at club meetings or by mailing checks directly to

Tom Giordano  
7271 East Wesley Avenue  
Denver, CO 80224

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