



President's Column:

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Hi everyone,

Wasn't last week's Rotary meeting wonderful, with the stories from the RYLA and Young RYLA participants? It is always great to hear their stories and how their experiences changed their attitudes and, perhaps, their lives. We could all benefit from some of the things that they learned. Scott's son Mason said it best (and then stopped talking): "Listen more than speak."

We also had a visit from Brian Adams, this year's District Rotary Scholar who will be studying at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. What an impressive young man.

Last week the world lost two truly impressive people: Aretha Franklin, the queen of soul, and Kofi Annan, a past UN Secretary-General and Nobel Peace Prize laureate. Two people who, in very different ways, sought to bring peo-

ple together and make the world a better place...Makes me think of Rotary and our mission.

I hope you enjoy the Club meeting this Wednesday: Jeff Keas of Populous will be speaking about world class events. And I want to remind you to be sure to attend on the 29th. That's the day when we will celebrate the many wonderful things that this Club does. I think we'll all be surprised by the scope of our service.

See you Wednesday.
Carolyn



Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

August 22nd, – Jeff Keas, Senior Event Architect at Populous will be our speaker. Populous is a global architecture and design firm with offices in Denver that designs the places where people love to be together, like Yankee Stadium, the London Olympics, and the Super Bowl. Over the last 35 years, the firm has designed more than 2,500 projects worth \$40 billion across emerging and established markets.

August 29th - District Governor—Sandy Mortensen



Making Connections - that's my theme for the 2018-19 Rotary year. I hope to connect with each of you in my monthly video. I urge all of you to connect with your fellow Rotarians, with your community locally and globally, and **Be the Inspiration** !

September 5th – Laney Shaler, Director of Teacher Pathways and Development for Denver Public Schools (DPS) will be our speaker. She will share information about DPS' effort to make the district the best place for teachers to begin their career. She will share details on district aims, and how the district works in collaboration with teacher preparation partners to increase the quality of training experiences candidates have before they lead a classroom of their own. The goal of these efforts is to support new teachers in getting better faster, so that they stay longer to positively impact students.

August Birthdays



August 10th - **Tom Giordano**
August 14th - **Vass Sirpolaidis**
August 17th - **Ronnie Weiss**
August 18th - **Sarah Hite**
August 21st - **Brian Good**
August 26th - **Ann Tull**
August 27th - **Chris Wong**

*If you would like your birthday listed be sure to update your membership info so we can wish you Happy Birthday!



Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

August 22nd

Inspiration - **Jeff Sprole**
 Greeters - **Michael Tapp and Greg Thielen**
 Host—**Andy Thompson**



August 29th

Inspiration - **Brad Thompson**
 Greeters - **Ann Tull and Tony Vaida**
 Host—**Mary Walta**

September 5th

Inspiration - **Bruce Ward**
 Greeters - **Amy Weed and Ronnie Weiss**
 Host - **Sonny Weigand**

September 12th

Inspiration - **Chris Wong**
 Greeters - **Michele Ashby and Pat Gorman Barry**
 Host - **Andrew Bell**

September 19th

Inspiration - **Mark Foseid**
 Greeters - **Kevin Galloway and Melanie Gentz**
 Host - **Lindsay Gerlach**



Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar

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

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

Aug 21 - World Community Service/ WCS meeting at 5:00 at Carolyn Noble's office. Please bring suggestions for projects for this year.



August 28th - Denver Mile High Rotary Happy Hour 5-7p—Ale House at Amatos—501 16th St, Denver, CO 80211

September 9th - [Rotary Peak Hike 09.09.18](#) Loveland Pass 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM - with the inbound Youth Exchange—Contact Jim Brook 970-409-8995 or Rick Clark 303-880-6447 for more information.

CLUB TRAINING WORKSHOP

Sept. 15th, 8:00 - Noon, Front Range Comm. College

Learn how to help your club and your community using the latest resources and technology

- Making Connections
- Getting Grant Money for Projects
- Ways to Show Off Your Club's Shine

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Final Honor Flight of Northern Colorado

You are invited to join other Denver Mile High Rotarians at the **FINAL Honor Flight of Northern Colorado** send off on Sunday morning, **September 9th**. The send-off ceremony will be held at the Signature Flight Support Terminal at DIA. (Directions are provided below) You should plan to be at the air terminal by approximately 9:30 AM. This is a patriotic and highly emotional event to witness WWII, Korean War, and Viet Nam Veterans as they depart on a trip to Washington D.C. to honor their service. Other Rotarians, who have participated in past send-offs include Bob Kemp, Bruce Ward, and Carolyn Nobel, Carolyn Schrader, and Brad Thompson. Ask them about their experience and join us at DIA.



For more information, please contact Geoff Noble at gtnoble@comcast.net or (303) 669-5281.

DIRECTIONS: The DIA complex/Signature Flight Support Terminal is our assembly & charter flight loading venue. Note that Signature is in an area completely open to the public at no cost.

Signature Flight Support Terminal, Harry B. Combs Pkwy DIA

The address to use on www.maps.google.com is 7850 Harry B. Combs Pkwy., Denver, CO 80249-6395.

Take Peña Blvd., Exit Jackson Gap.

At Stop Light at bottom of exit ramp go Right on Jackson Gap

At the stop sign take an immediate Left on to E. 75th Ave.

Continue East on E. 75th Ave. paralleling Peña Blvd. past various airline cargo terminals Bear Left as E. 75th Ave. turns into Harry B. Combs Pkwy

Just prior to 80th Ave. turn Right at Signature Flight Support Terminal Pedestal Sign with 7850 street number.

There will be a complex of buildings. Our Honor Flight assemblies are in the large building (hanger) to the right of the smaller Signature Terminal building directly in front of you. There is no name sign on this hanger but the address number posted is 7830. Turn right into that parking lot. There will be an ASIG decal sign on the passage door entrance.

PARKING: There is FREE parking space

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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

Checks should be made out the Rotary Club of Denver Mile High Foundation (although DMHR Foundation will work). For questions, contact Tom at 303-263-5091

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