



## President's Column:

July 23, 2019



Fellow Denver Mile High Rotarians..

Coming up with topics for the newsletter is not always easy, but in the short time I've been doing it, I'm learning that I just have to let the topic come to me. And this morning, as I was reaching for The Rotarian magazine for inspiration, the inspiration appeared before I even opened the issue.

The Rotarian magazine had been sitting on my goal notebook, and the notebook had what I needed, right there. You see, a couple of years ago I added a piece of paper to the front of the notebook that has three questions to challenge me to be better in the roles of my life:

How can I serve \_\_\_\_\_?  
How can I serve \_\_\_\_\_ better?  
How can I serve more people like \_\_\_\_\_?

"Service Above Self"... I am quite confident that my new involvement in Rotary at the time had been the influence in creating those questions, and those questions are serving me to this day as the president: How can I serve Denver Mile High Rotary? How can I serve Denver Mile High Rotary better? How can I serve more people like Denver Mile High Rotarians?

What's interesting is, if you work backwards and think about influential people you know who are not Rotarians, the clear answer to all of those is "Rotary!". Yes - Rotary is the answer to getting influential people involved in serving, which is a deep rooted desire I believe is in all influential people.

We have recently lost some members to our club and it's time to concentrate on getting our numbers back up. I would like to encourage you all to ask (and then listen intently to) one influential person you know: "what are you intentionally doing these days to serve?"

Scott

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## Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar of Events

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

**August 20th / 4:00pm-** World Community Service Committee Meeting

**August 15th** - Happy Hour - Irish Snug -

**August 25th** - Past Presidents Party

**April 18th, 2020** - 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mile High Spring Swing event! Date is set. Venue secured. Band is getting locked in. Catering should be good to go. Wheels are in motion. Discounted tickets are in the works

[CLICK HERE to](#) buy your tickets

\$75 until 12/31/19

\$85 from 1/1/2020 until 2/29/2020

\$100 from 3/1/2020 until April 18, 2020.

### Some District Events

**Grays Peak Climb. Thursday, August 1** - a once in a lifetime opportunity to climb with the first blind man ever to make it to the summit of Mount Everest. [Click Here for More Info](#)

**Hike Rotary Peak. Monday, August 5** - join other Rotarians and the Kazoo Band at the summit! [Click Here for More Info](#)

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**Grants/Club Qualification Webinar. Thursday, August 15** - this training will qualify your club to apply for 2019-2020 District Grants. It will also be an opportunity to ask questions to move your grant ideas forward. [REGISTER NOW!](#)

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**Club Training Workshop. Saturday, September 21** - *save the date* for this District-wide training. Registration will open soon



## Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

**July 24th - Rick Marsicek**, Planning Manager for Denver Water—Our amount of Colorado River water is about to change. Should we worry?

The Colorado River produces half of the water that serves Denver Water's 1.4 million customers. It also supplies water to others throughout Colorado and six other states: Wyoming, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona, Nevada, and California.

The water of the Colorado River was divided among states in the 1922 Colorado River Compact. Earlier this year the states and federal government adopted Drought Contingency Plans that will modify water allocations if our current 19-year drought continues.

Rick Marsicek of Denver Water will give an overview of the Colorado River basin and the history of the Law of the River. He will speak to us about the current drought, the Drought Contingency Plans, and what this means for Denver Water customers.

**July 31st - Robert Mintz** - Cherry Creek Dental Mission 2019 Temple Buell Scholar—one of Cherry Creek Rotary club's dentists who have traveled the world providing dental care to those who otherwise have no access it. The dentists volunteer time and bring down their own equipment. This fall they are going to Honduras.

## Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

### July 24th -

Inspiration - Tom Gregory

Greeters - Ted Hendryx and Dan Himmelspace

Host - Sarah Hite

### July 31st -

Inspiration - Noreen Kelesian

Greeters - Bob Kemp and Audrey Leavitt

Host - Kevin LeVezu

### August 7th -

Inspiration - Michaela Levine

Greeters - Jeff McAnallen and Diane Messamore

Host - Constance Mortell

### August 14th -

Inspiration - Carolyn Nobel

Greeters - Geoff Noble and Karl Paulson

Host - Charlene Porter

### August 21th -

Inspiration - Adams Price

Greeters—Kalli Purviance and Heidi Resetarits-Buckhout

Host - Chuck Rudolph

## July Birthdays

July 4th - **Brad Thompson**

July 8th - **Dan Himelspace**

July 23rd - **Jared Beach**

July 24th - **Betty Speir**



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(subject to change pending weather)

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Tom Giordano  
7271 East Wesley Avenue  
Denver, CO 80224

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