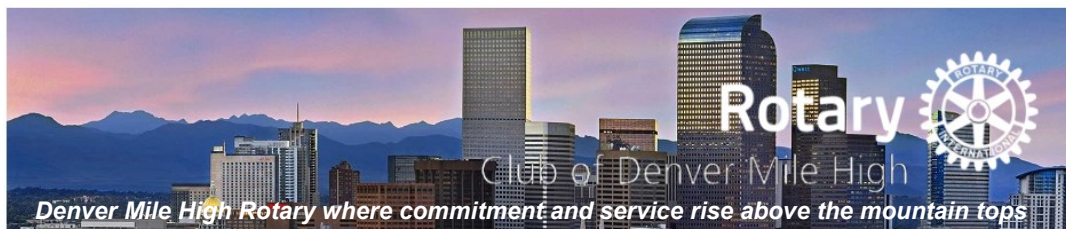




Denver Mile High
Rotary
Club



August 2, 2016

President's Column:

Hope everyone had a wonderful weekend another great week and Rotary!!

I'm so looking forward to our program tomorrow. Myra Isenhardt will speak on Forgiveness. Myra is an author of—Forgiving Others, Forgiving Ourselves: Understanding and Healing Our Emotional Wounds - Myra teaches, writes and consults about ADR. Currently an adjunct faculty member at the Regis University Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution, she designs and teaches courses such as The Psychology of Conflict and Organizational Conflict management.

We had another great happy hour last week!! Thanks to all who came out.

We are getting ramped up this year with the world community service the local

community service committees planning out there year!!

Also hope the new members enjoyed the new member gathering and will get involved as much as possible on this coming year!!

We hope to have a lot of fundraising events this year as well! Lots of brainstorming to come.

Next week we have our second Denver Mile High Rotary board meeting all are welcome. More information will be sent out soon. If you are working on your blue badge please come and visit. Please let me know if you have questions and I can send you details.

Don't forget about the mini dinner coming up on

August 13 in which Michael Tapp and Heidi Restarits are hosting. Please check if there is still room if you would like to go and see who the top chefs of our club are!!! So looking forward to hearing about this mini dinner!!

Until next week have a great one!!

yours in Rotary,

Melanie

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Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

August 3rd, - Myra Isenhardt will speak on Forgiveness. Myra is an author of—Forgiving Others, Forgiving Ourselves: Understanding and Healing Our Emotional Wounds - Myra teaches, writes and consults about ADR. Currently an adjunct faculty member at the Regis University Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution, she designs and teaches courses such as The Psychology of Conflict and Organizational Conflict Management.

August 10th, - This year Denver Mile High sent 3 students to Young RYLA and 6 students to RYLA. On August 10th we will host these students and their parents at our meeting. It is our chance to hear first hand how the experience of RYLA has made a difference in their young lives and how they will be able to use what they have learned as they become leaders in their schools.

August 17th, - Felicia Muftic will speak about the Education of girls in Bosnia. Felicia, a member of Club 31, has nearly 50 years of involvement in politics, finance, and consumer affairs in international, national, state and local levels. Keeping girls in school has the added benefit of reducing the number of girls who are at risk for becoming victims of human trafficking. Bosnia has become a major source of human trafficking as girls seek alternatives to poverty, widespread domestic violence, and lack of education needed to become employable. Large numbers of girls in rural Bosnia do not complete elementary school, according to United Nations agencies. One result is that Bosnia has become a major source of human trafficked girls in recent years as travel restrictions were lifted.

August Birthdays



10th—Tom Giordano
14th—Vass Sirpolaidis
18th—Sarah Hite
26th—Ann Tull
27th—Chris Wong

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Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

August 3rd

Inspiration - Kim Gardner

Greeters - Tom Giordano and Tom Gregory

Host - Susan Henderson

Vocational - Ann Tull

August 10th

Inspiration - Ted Hendryx

Greeters - Dan Himelspace and Sarah Hite

Host - Bob Kemp

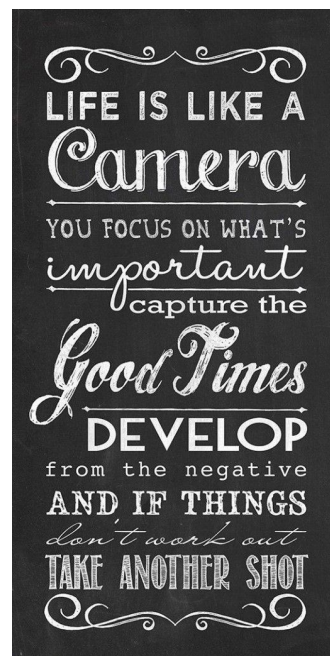
Rotary Minute - Noreen Keleshian

August 17th

Inspiration - Diane Messamore

Greeters - Preston Dickey & Debra Flick

Host - Mark Foseid



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Mini Dinners

Only a few spots left! Please RSVP to Betty Speir at bspeirsells@comcast.net if you want to join in the fun!! Or, call Michael Tapp directly at 720-937-0452. There is always room for one more. Late RSVPs are OK.

Please attend the Mini Dinner hosted by Michael Tapp and Heidi Resetarits (and their spouses)

Date: Saturday, August 13th, 6 pm

Location: Michael and Betsy Tapp's home: 10503 Oakmoor Lane, Parker, CO 80134

Cost: \$40 per person, all proceeds to benefit the Denver Mile High Rotary Foundation

Theme: Chopped!: A Competition Among Chefs.

This is going to be a very fun and entertaining evening. We'll be following the premise of the Food Network television show "Chopped!", where celebrity chefs compete to make the best appetizer, main entrée and dessert using a basket of mystery ingredients. Betty Speir, Kurt Bartley, and Dan Himelspace have graciously agreed to be our "celebrity chefs" for the evening. With the help of their spouses / friends, they will be competing for the title of "Grand Rotary Chef". You, our Mini Dinner guests have the honor of being the judges for the evening, rating each dish on taste, presentation, and creative use of the required mystery ingredients, to decide which chefs will be chopped, and who will go home with the Grand Prize. In fairness to our volunteer chefs, and to our guests who will eat their food, Heidi and Michael will let the chefs know in advance what the mystery ingredients will be, so they can hone their culinary skills and prepare something delicious for everyone. Please consider joining us for this entertaining evening of food, drink and fun. Contact Michael or Heidi with any questions about the evening.



TRAINING

Would you like more knowledge and training from Rotary. Our District hosts **District Learning and Leadership Development**—Plans and carries out, with the direction of the District Governor Elect, the District Assembly in the spring of each year; serves as a resource to club trainers, and assists in other District seminars, workshops, and conferences as requested.

The Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) - Rocky Mountain Division

A training program dedicated to improving the Rotary knowledge and leadership skills of the future leaders of Rotary Clubs and Districts. [Click here to view the RLI Brochure.](#)

Don't be afraid to ask, there are resources out there. Become a better leader, member of Rotary of society.

<http://www.rotary5450.org/SitePage/training>

Get Involved with CEC's Interact Club!

Interact is Rotary's program to introduce and involve high school students in Rotary projects. For the last three years, DMHR has sponsored an Interact Club at DPS' Career Education Center (<http://www.northdenvertribune.com/2013/02/the-cec-middle-college-of-denver-leads-the-way-in-college-preparation/>).

Come and find out how you can support these terrific young people! Join us to discuss activities for the 2016-2017 school year on **Wednesday, August 10 from 8:30am-9:00** at the University Club, second floor, by the fireplace.

Service Projects. At the end of last year, the Interactors identified three areas for service projects during the 2016-2017 school year:

- One group expressed an interest in working with cats and other shelter animals. They need help identifying a service project, finding a shelter, and working out transportation and other logistics.
- A second group expressed an interest working with children in daycare or preschool, and talked about helping at nearby DPS child care centers. They, too, need help identifying a sustainable service project and working out logistics, including transportation.
- A third group wanted to work with seniors, and two sites were mentioned: the nearby Mullen Home for the Aged, and senior program at the Anschutz Center where an Interactor volunteers. Melanie suggested a possible service project that involved the seniors working alongside the Interactors with children or shelter animals.

These project areas were identified at the end of the 2015-2016 school year, and may change when the Interactors gather for the new school year. Whatever their projects, they will welcome guidance from DMHR.

Organized Trips. DMHR members have put together fellowship trips that have brought the Interactors to visit Estes Park, raft for Wounded Warriors, and an upcoming hike up Rotary Mountain. We need members to put together other trips, help recruit Interactors and other CEC students to participate, and/or collaborate with other Interact clubs on trips and activities.

DMHR Scholarships for CEC Interactors. CEC students are often the first in their families to attend college. We need a member or members to take charge of raising money and creating a scholarship fund for Interactors that would help pay college or post high school technical training expenses.



CEC Interact Club Pictures



Thirst Project Presentation



Book Giveaway



Tour of the American Museum of Western Art

PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATION

At our July 27 DMHR meeting, Kristin Fong, Educator of the American Museum of Western Art invited the club members and guests for a private tour. We have scheduled our visit for Wednesday November 2 at 3 pm. This will be our get together in lieu of our club meeting for that date.

After an approximate 1 ½ hour audio tour, we will adjourn to the Brown Palace's Ships Tavern which is just across the street from the Museum at 1727 Tremont Place for no-host libation and club provided snacks.

We have ample space (limited by audio devices) at 50 units but we need to get your reservation. Please bring a spouse or friend. This is also a great way to introduce new people to the club. Your sole cost at the Museum will be \$5 per audio set.

Please also respond if you only expect to come to the Ship's Tavern, indicating "Ship's Tavern Only".

A Evite invitation will be sent out to all members. Please reply to the invitation as it will make it easier to track responses. If you did not receive the evite, you can also follow the following web address:

http://www.evite.com/event/0249TMSGKK4PPECVCEPGLGS3JFGELY/activity?gid=006AQ6OB5WBWA4A7IEPGLGTA5W2DPU&utm_campaign=view_invitation_button&utm_medium=email&utm_source=GUEST_INVITE_EVENT

The American Museum of Western Art provides access to one of the world's most comprehensive collections of Western art in one of the most unique settings in the country, the historic Navarre Building. The Collection is displayed in a salon style, which is in keeping with the Navarre's 19th Century origins and allows the Museum to exhibit a survey of Western art and history. The Museum's permanent exhibition (which includes over 300 paintings, drawings, and sculptures by more than 180 artists and spans nearly 200 years of American history) promotes the public's understanding and appreciation of art depicting the American West from the early 1800s through the present day.

WHAT WOULD IT TAKE TO CHANGE THE WORLD?

ROTARY'S 1.2 MILLION MEMBERS
BELIEVE IT STARTS WITH A COMMITMENT TO
SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Continental Breakfast

The continental breakfast will be served every 2nd Wednesday of the month.

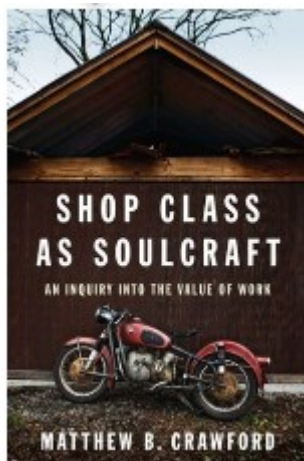
Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar

August 13th - CHOPS—Michael Tapp and Heidi Resetarits Mini Dinner

August 20th - Grants and Club Qualification Training - 9:00 to 11:30 am—
To register email Carolyn Schrader at schrader407@gmail.com

January 7th - RI President's Dinner & Polio Fundraiser 5:30—8:30

Rotary Book Club



Would you like to join the Denver Mile High Rotary Book Club?

Our Rotary Book Club would be delighted to welcome new members from our Club. We'll be reading "Shop Class as Soulcraft: An Inquiry into the Value of Work" by Matthew B. Crawford. Called the "Sleeper hit of the publishing season," a philosopher/mechanic's wise (and sometimes funny) look at the challenges and pleasures of working with one's hands.

Our next meeting is Monday, September 12 at 7:00 p.m. at Tom Giordano's home

Contact Sarah Hite for more information
schite2000@yahoo.com

King Soopers Cards

Sarah Hite has King Sooper's cards. It's an easy way to make money for our Club and make shopping easier for you! They also make great gifts.



<http://www.endpolio.org/>



Happy Hour Pictures



Message from District Governor Bill Downes



"ROTARY SERVING HUMANITY"

As our District's new Lieutenant and Assistant Governor's and Committee Chairs, and Club's presidents and their boards take office July 1, let us all be grateful for their leadership, willingness to give of their talents, time and treasure to accomplish all that we have set out to do.

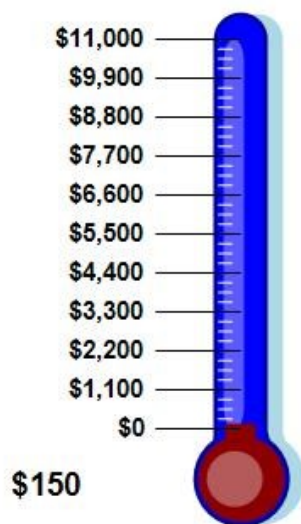
See more— <http://www.rotary5450.org/>

Denver Mile High Rotary gifting Goals 2016—2017 to the Rotary International Foundation and Polio Plus campaign.

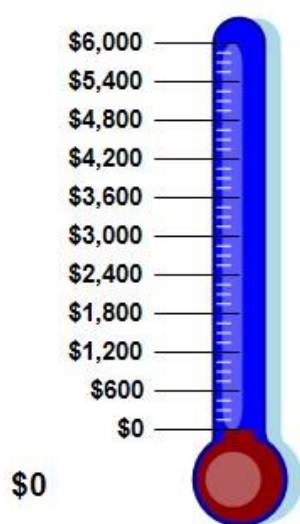
Year to date in 2015-2016 the Denver Mile High Club donated \$10,884 to the RI Foundation and \$5,614 to the Polio Plus fund.

I thought it would be fun to track our success this year on these goals that the district and Rotary International asks us to achieve!

Rotary International



Polio Plus



Membership

