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Rotary
Club



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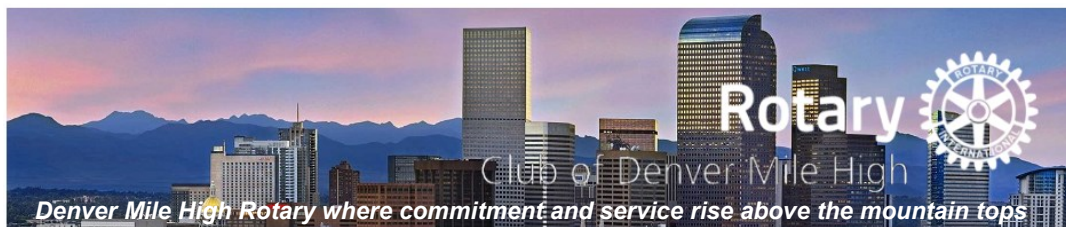
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President's Column:

May 30th, 2017

I hope everyone enjoyed their Memorial Day 3 Day Weekend. A Weekend to remember those we have lost in service and take a moment to say Thank You to those who have fallen.

This is a reminder that we are meeting at CEC on Wed – **May 31, 2017!** It will be a wonderful and full meeting. There will be many members of the CEC Interact club, we will have a speaker, **Mark McIntosh of Victory Productions** and Aracely will be honored with a Scholarship for her future endeavors as she heads off to college! This is such a great way to build our relationship with the CEC Interact club. We will not be meeting at the University Club.

CEC is located at 2650 Elliot St. Wed meeting will be run like a regular meeting so if you can be there by 7:00am and we will get started at 7:15am!

June 6th if you are interested – The World Den-

ver event will be held at the University Club from 5:30 – 7:30pm on the subject of – A Fine Mess: A Global Quest for a Simpler, Fairer, and More Efficient Tax Code. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to register and to find out more information on the event, or ask Robin Springer.

I cannot believe May is already over and we are down to the last month of my year! It will fly by! Next week Adams will get a taste of being President while I am out of the country and on the 14th, Bob Kemp will run the meeting while there are 7 to 8 members of our club that will be at the Rotary International Convention in Atlanta, Georgia!

Thanks to Geoff Noble for his continued work on the rafting trip for **June 17th**, you still have time to invite friends and family. Last day to let Geoff know if you are going in June 14th. Currently there are almost 50 people signed up! It's going to be a great day!

Then of course the Rotary year will be wrapping up! June 30th will be here before we know it.

See you Wed!

Melanie
Denver Mile High Rotary



Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

May 31st - CEC Breakfast located at 2650 Elliot St.

June 7th - [Chuck Adams: Drone Technology](#)

"With the advent of Unmanned Aircraft comes timely, cost effective, actionable intelligent drone services companies like 1UP Aerial Drone Services. Chuck Adams, President, will present an overview of the drone industry, today's commercial use cases, and bring a glimpse into the future of the marketplace for services from companies like eHuang, AirBus, AmazonPrime, and UPS who are contemplating revolutionary solutions from the drone world, i.e. delivery, transportation, and personal services beyond your imagination."



May Birthdays

10th—Robin Springer

11th—Tony Vaida



Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

May 31st

Inspiration - Lindsay Gerlach

Greeters - Tom Giordano and Tom Gregory

Host - Susan Henderson

Rotary Minute - Ted Hendryx

June 7th

Inspiration - Dan Himmelspace

Greeters - Diane Messamore and Noreen Keleshian

Host - Bob Kemp

Rotary Minute - Audrey Leavitt

June 14th

Inspiration - Kevin LeVezu

Greeters - Jeff McAnallen

Host - Constance Mortell

Rotary Minute - Lawrence Mundy



Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar

June 10-14 Rotary International Convention—
Atlanta

June 10th - Visit Garden Tour of Northwest
Denver

June 17th - Denver Mile High Rotary Rafting
trip!



June 10, 2017

Visit the Garden Tour of Northwest Denver

Garden Tour

The 17th Annual Enchanted Gardens of Northwest Denver Tour will be Saturday, June 10, 2017!

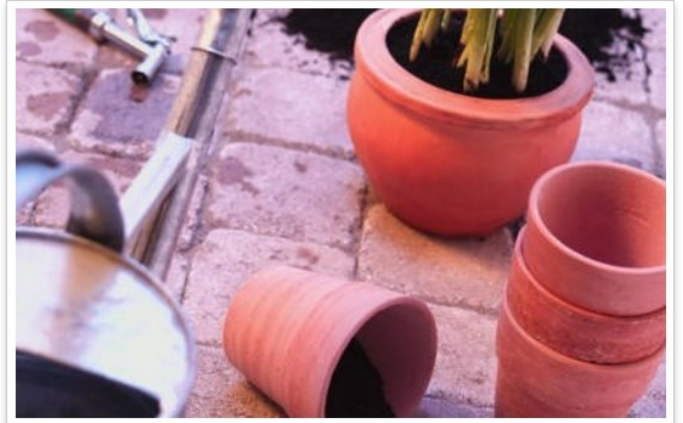
(Rain or shine!)

The 17th Annual Enchanted Gardens of Northwest Denver Garden Tour has served as a fundraiser for The Conflict Center's local school programs since 2001. This tour showcases gardens in northwest Denver. Watch your email for more information as this year's event takes shape!

Want to volunteer for this year's Garden Tour? Interested in being on the Garden Tour? Call Ronnie Weiss at 303-433-4983 or email ronnie.weiss@conflictcenter.org

Buy your tickets before May 15 at the early bird price of \$15 each (after May 15 tickets will be \$20)

Tickets are on sale now at The Conflict Center, or purchase online:



WHAT WOULD IT TAKE TO CHANGE THE WORLD?

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

Mile High Rafting Trip

ROTARY HALF-DAY RAFTING TRIPS WITH MILE HI RAFTING ON SATURDAY, JUNE 17TH. A \$5 DONATION IS INCLUDED IN THE COST OF EACH TRIP. ALL PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT THE WARRIORS ON CATARACT PROGRAM

SURE-SHOT - \$49 ADULTS, \$44 CHILD

Rafting on Clear Creek River's mountain water is an experience that's fun for the whole family. Get ready for some fun on our exciting 'Sure Shot' beginner-rafting trip. Begin with passing by the historic Charlie Taylor Water Wheel experiencing Class II rapids (ripples). While rafting through Historic Idaho Springs the Class III rapids of Castle Falls and Argo Holes test your newly developed rafting skills. Below town history and nature abound, with the occasional sighting of Retail Hawk, Deer, Fox, Bob Cat, Lynx, Elk, and Big Horn Sheep. Dizzy Lizzy, Power Line, Mountain Lion, and Box prepare us for the grand finale of Mr. Twister! The perfect beginner - starting with Class II water so you can practice, and then the Class III rapids. There is a 50 pound minimum for rafting to insure proper fit of the life jacket. Allow 3 hours for the trip.

BLAST (INTERMEDIATE HALF DAY) - \$59 ADULTS

Perhaps you've already been there and done that, and are looking for something more. Most folks who paddle the Blast weren't expecting some of Colorado's most consistent whitewater, and come back for more! With five solid class IV rapids and more class three whitewater than we have space to mention, the Blast is waiting for those with good physical conditioning and an attitude for adventure. If you are active in your daily life the 'Blast' is the trip for you. Allow 3 hours for the trip. Minimum age 14.

KAMIKAZE (ADVANCED HALF DAY) - \$79 ADULTS

One of our former guests refers to this trip as "the best darn whitewater around!", and after braving the rapids of the Kamikaze trip you'll understand why. Add another two miles of continuous (and we aren't kidding!) class IV/III whitewater onto the Blast and you have an adventure that will bring you back over and over. If you're on your toes you might have time to enjoy the scenery of the Front Range before you dive into your next rapid. Previous experience and the ability to swim is highly recommended. Allow 3 hours for the trip. Minimum age 14.

Contact Heidi Resetarit at heidi.rr@gmail.com

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Bart Schaffer at bsaschaffer@yahoo.com

Or, Geoff Noble at gtnoble@comcast.net

We can get a 10% rebate for every rafter booked by March 1st 2017. All rebates to be donated directly to the Colorado based non-profit program Warriors on Cataract



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Redesign the Club Banner/Flag

Tom Cella is pursuing the possibility of re-designing/new art for our club banner / flag. Anyone interested should contact Tom. Cell: 303-981-1222

King Soopers Cards

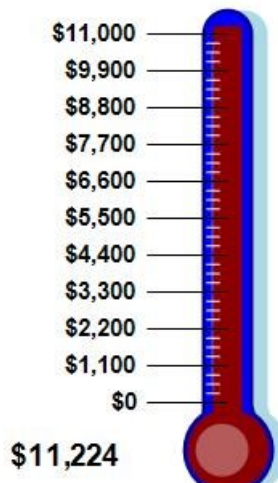
Remember to keep using your King Soopers cards. 5% of every dollar loaded spent goes towards the club! If you don't have one yet, contact Sarah Hite to get one (schite2000@yahoo.com).



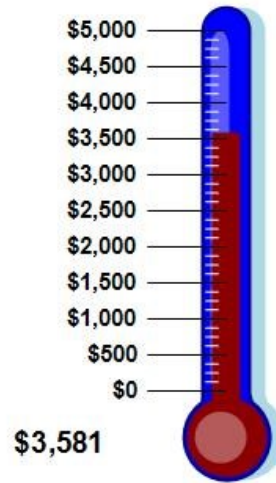
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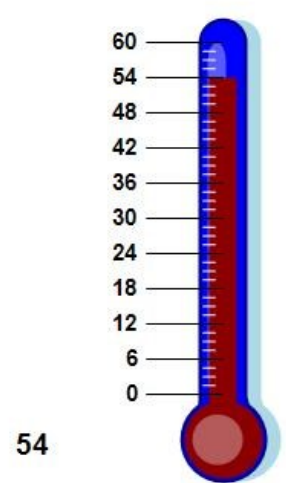
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Happy Hour Photos

Happy hour at Elways.





An Evening with T.R. Reid on the American Tax System

**Do Americans pay more tax or less than citizens
of other rich democracies?** (Answer: far less.)

**Could our tax system be fairer?
Could it be simpler?**
(Answers: Yes, and Yes.)

World Denver and Denver Mile High Rotary join to bring you an evening with one of the nation's best known journalists: T. R. Reid who will discuss what he learned about how the US Tax system compares with other countries. His latest book- A Fine Mess: A Global quest for a Simpler, Fairer and More Efficient Tax Code- is designed to give Americans useful ideas as we [embark](#) on a national debate about tax reform (and will be available for sale and signing at the event).

The current code is desperately in need of reform, and Reid's book is an illuminating and even entertaining tour of how taxes are done in countries from Mexico to Estonia, the Czech Republic to New Zealand. Reid finds many models for taxation that show how the process can be made comprehensible and equitable.

Join us and bring your friends to what will most assuredly be an informative and engaging evening!

Event Details:

When: June 6, 2017

Where: The University Club

Cost: \$ 20.00 for club members, \$35.00 non-club members

Registration: <https://denverworldaffairsCouncil.wildapricot.org/event-2544732>

5:30p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Networking Reception with Hors D'oeuvres and Cash Bar

6:30p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Presentation and Audience Q & A

Parking: ABM Parking Systems surface lot available at 1750 Sherman Street and is complimentary most evenings. Street parking is also available near the venue and is free after 6:00 p.m. on weekdays.

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