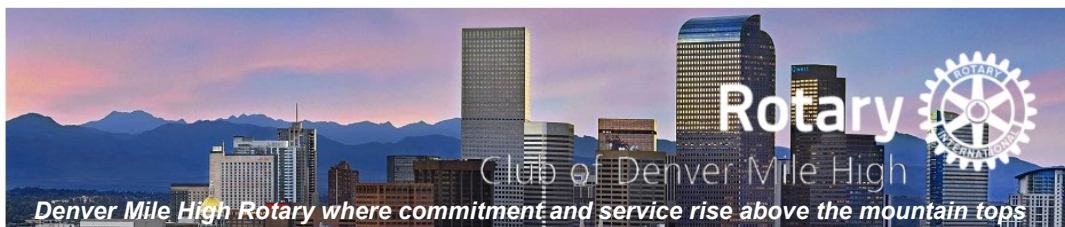




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October 3, 2017

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While traveling the country in the late 1970s, physician John F. Brensike observed a high-level of interest for screening services. He noted very few screenings were available and the quality varied, but more importantly, there was no mechanism to provide health education and medical follow-up to the community.

Dr. Brensike was passionate about promoting preventative health maintenance and established the National Health Screening Council for Volunteer Organizations (NHSCVO). Through this organization, the health fair concept was born and presented to interested communities across the nation.

In Colorado, the president of KBTB Channel 9 (currently 9NEWS) recognized the value to the community and agreed to provide financial and media support to launch the first 9Health Fair in 1980. Since then, 9Health Fair has grown into dozens of fairs around the state every

year, with 24 sponsors including, of course, Rotary. It is now the largest volunteer-driven, non-profit health, wellness and prevention effort in the nation.

Above and beyond contributing funds, members of our club, in concert with our Interact Club, put a tremendous amount of work into the 9Health Fair held at CEC every year. The Interact club members help set up for the Health Fair, as well as tear down afterwards. They also sell products at the Fair to raise funds for their own projects as well (something tells me the concurrent car show may have helped with the sales!). And of course, many of our own members volunteered at the fair to help ensure that as many people as possible get the free screenings so they can live better and healthier lives. This year, 9Health Fair saw participation rates up 20% over last year. Some of that may be due to increased medical needs, but I believe it was more due to the work of Bob Kemp, Greg Thielen, and many others

who blanketed the community with fliers promoting the Fair.

This is truly a "whole club" affair. Besides the work of the Interact Club, at least 15 DMHR members were involved in putting the Fair on this year. Way to go Linda Sue, Audrey, Sara, Bart, Sarah, Scott, Pat, Melanie, Geoff, two Toms, Carolyn, Scott, Dianne and probably several people I missed. Thanks to you, the 9Health Fair was apparently a huge success again this year! Way to show and way to go!!!

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Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming Programs

October 4th - Lucy Bradley-Springer, PhD, RN, ACRN, FAAN, an Associate Professor Emerita at the University of Colorado Denver School of Medicine will be our speaker. Dr. Bradley-Springer recently resigned from the Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS in protest of the health care policies of this administration. Join us for her presentation, "Not Done Yet: HIV in 2017". The presentation will cover advances and current barriers in the U.S. HIV epidemic. It will focus on the HIV Cascade of Care and the way social factors influence the progression of the epidemic.

October 11th - Jessa Crisp will present "Human Trafficking: Here and Now". Human trafficking is real and is taking place in our city and nation. Through hearing the story of a survivor and learning what human trafficking is, you will leave this presentation knowing how to identify it in your neighborhood and tangible ways to respond.

October 18th - Dark - tour Mile High October 21.



October Birthdays

6th - Scott Smeester

7th - Carolyn Nobel

8th - Kevin Gallaway

15th - Alessandro Eichstaedt

25th - Heidi Rose



Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts

October 4th

Inspiration - Kristy Bayley

Greeters - Ronnie Weiss

Host - Diane Wilson

Rotary Minute - Michael Tapp

October 11th

Inspiration - Michelle Ashby

Greeters - Pat Barry and Kristy Bayley

Host - Bob Connaghan

Rotary Minute - Alessandro Eichstadt

October 18th

DARK



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Weekly Food Bag Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Coordinator</u>
October 6	Beach Court Elementary	4950 Beach Ct.	Jeff McAnallen

Shelter Box

If Rotarians want to help Hurricane victims in the Caribbean, a great option is to donate to Shelter Box. The cost of one Shelter Box is \$1,000. Donations can be easily made at www.shelterboxusa.org.

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>

October 14th, Saturday

Rotary Bike Ride with CEC Interact

Denver Mile High Rotary, CEC Interact Club, Choose Outdoors and Trips for Kids come together to do another Rotary Bike Ride! Bikes provided by Trips for Kids, sponsored by Choose Outdoors. All are welcome! Meet at REI, 1416 Platte St, Denver, CO 80202 at 10am ready to ride on October 14th - weather permitting. See you soon! We will ride out and back from REI.

October 19th, Thursday

Rotary Monthly Happy Hour

5:30 - 7:30pm

2817 E 3rd Ave, Denver, CO 80206

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Park Stewardship Dinner - 11/20

This year's Park Stewardship Dinner will be held on Monday, November 20, 2017 from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the Denver Zoo, Norgren Hall. This dinner honors our amazing volunteers who contribute their time in helping beautify our Denver Parks and Trails year round. Our group will be getting recognized.

Please forward to other volunteers in your group **and RSVP by November**

1st to tina.myers@denvergov.org; or call [720.865.2434](tel:720.865.2434).

[Anson Thompson](#) is the contact for this event for Denver Mile High Rotary Club. Please also let him know if you will be attending.

ROTARY DISTRICT 5450 WASH SYMPOSIUM

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BUILDING CAPACITY AND SUSTAINABILITY IN WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

SATURDAY

Oct. 7, 2017

8:00 am-3:30 pm

Breakfast and Registration 8:00-9:00 am

Denver Wastewater Management Bldg.
2000 West 3rd Ave., Denver, CO 80223

Registration

Opens June 15th

General Reg.: \$40 earlybird /\$50 (after Sept 7)
Students: \$25

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Dr. James W. Jackson

Cultural Economics and the Power of Goodness
Founder and Chairman Emeritus of Project
C.U.R.E. and award-winning author, speaker,
humanitarian and cultural economist



Paul Polak, MD

The Path Out of Poverty via Social Enterprises
Founder of International Development
Enterprises (IDE) and Windhorse
International, author, speaker, entrepreneur



Tim Prewitt

Transformational Community Development
CEO of IDE, an organization reaching millions with
innovative market solutions, meeting global
challenges in poverty, food security, and health

SESSION SPEAKERS



Bruce Halloran

Owner, Colorado Water Savers and Co. Chair of
the BUILDING WASH Symposium



Levan Metreveli, MD

Chief of Party at USAID funded Water,
Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) Project in
Adjara, Georgia, Georgian Medical Group



Dr. Karen Loeb

Adjunct Faculty for Daniels College of Business,
University College, and the Honors Program at the
University of Denver



Dr. Braimah Apambire

Senior Director of the Center for
International Water and Sustainability at the
Desert Research Institute



Stephanie Cox

Founder & CEO at The Level Market Initiative
& Humanitarian Supplies



Dr. Emily Van Houwelling

Visiting Assistant Professor for the Masters of
Development Practice Program at Regis University



Steve Werner

President of Steve Werner Consulting specializing
in capacity building of local, national and
international nonprofit organizations



Dr. Douglas Jackson

President and CEO of Project C.U.R.E.



Dr. Peter Van Arsdale

Director, African Initiatives, University of Denver's Josef
Korbel School of International Studies

SUBTHEMES

Building successful business models
that bring functional WASH solutions.

Strengthening WASH education and
capacities for sustainability.

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Rotary Club of Five Points Denver Event

Wednesday, October 11, 2017

The Rotary Club of Five Points Denver is pleased to host a screening of the film *The Last Bill, a Senator's Story*, a behind-the-scenes documentary of State Senator and Rotarian Linda Newell's real-life story carrying bills through the legislature. The film will be followed by an open dialogue around the issues of peaceful problem solving and healthy communication in government. This event is one of many happening around the state during Colorado's Conflict Resolution Month in October. **Seating is limited.**

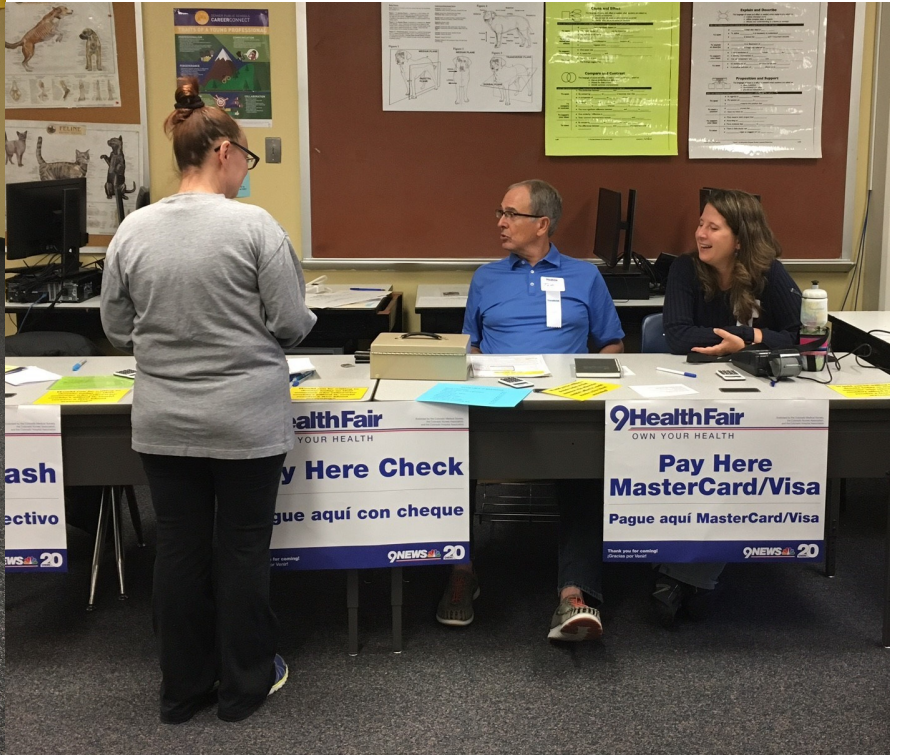
A portion of the proceeds will support Senator Newell's education initiative, developing academically aligned film curriculum guides to be used in K-12 schools across the state. Increasing the civic knowledge of youth and the civic engagement of our citizenry has never been more important. Many people lack knowledge or experience with the role, process, and positions in government. What better way than to show them from an insider's view?

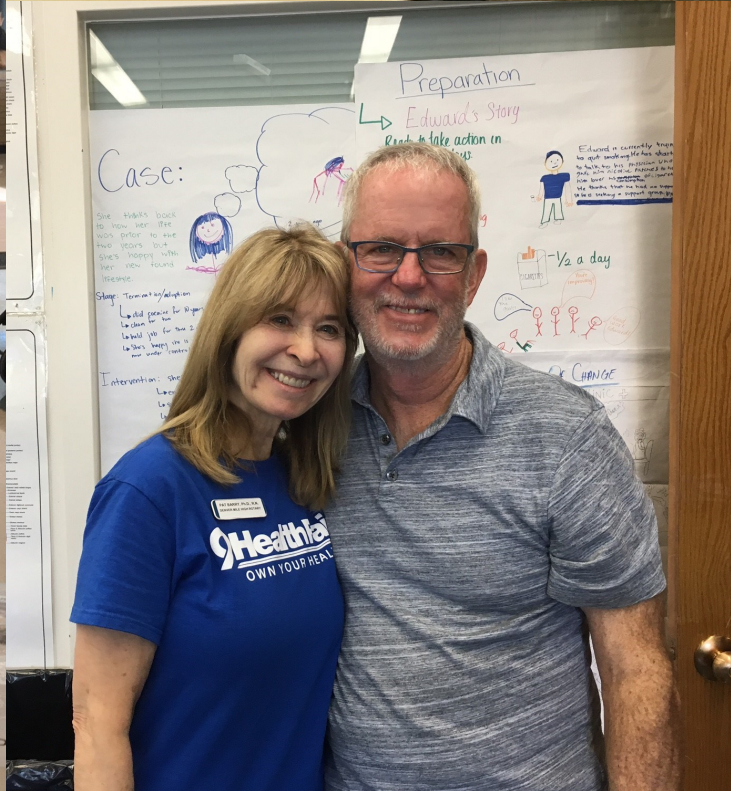
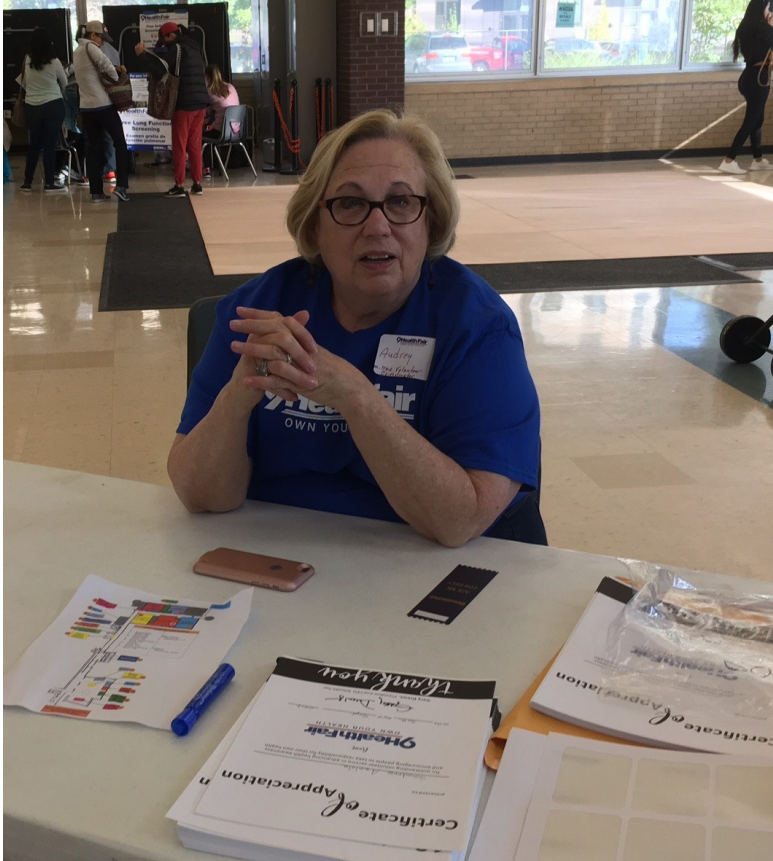
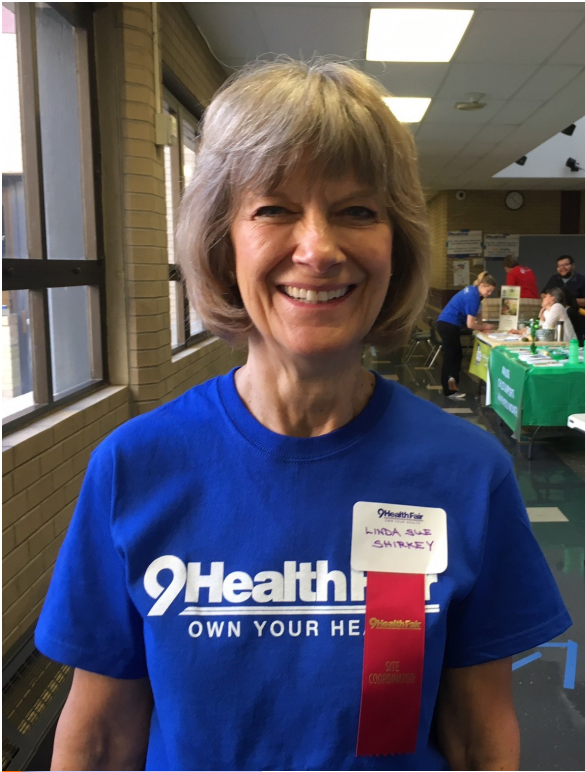
Additional proceeds from the event will benefit the Rotary Club of Five Points Denver programs targeting neighborhood schools, community, and educational organizations as well as Rotary's End Polio Now foundation and Shots for Tots and Teens.

This event will take place at the Posner Center for International Development in the Five Points neighborhood. A meet-and-greet happy hour will begin at 6:00 pm. The film will start promptly at 7:00 pm and a Q&A session with Senator Newell will follow. The event will conclude at 8:00 pm.

For tickets, hold ctrl and click [this invite](#).

9 Health Fair Pictures





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