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ZOOM LINK

The Zoom meeting 'room' will open at 7:00 am, and the meeting will begin at 7:15am.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81294791259?pwd=aXZsTXRiZzJLZEVLR1N2RFZ3bnBRdz09

Meeting ID: 812 9479 1259
Passcode: 903839

President's Column

Dear Rotary Colleagues,

22 April 2024

Upcoming

This week we welcome Steve Friesen, Buffalo Bill museum former director and author.

Our club's Epic Day of Service is now 3 weeks out (May 11th), representing our annual signature civic event. We will work with The Park People to plant 30 trees in the Denver Greenway Park near East 26th Ave and Spruce (Central Park area). We need 30 participants and have filled 17 slots to date. Please join this fun day of service benefitting our city and the environment.

In Retrospect

DMHR stalwarts, Bob, Carolyn, and Audrey presented our club's international grant and project activities. Several current and historical examples were provided to bring this important service area to life. DMHR is one of the District's leading clubs initiating international grants. Additional participation of the World Community Service committee was invited.

Appreciations (please notify Marty with any suggestions)

Thanks to the weekly Village Exchange food packers (Tom Gr, Kip, Walter, Dan H and Jim).

One of Us?

See if you can guess this week's mystery member. Answer at bottom of next page.

A Denver native, could almost throw a baseball from family home of youth to current residence. Stated favorites include: La Hacienda restaurant, 'It's a Wonderful Life' film, golfing and biking, past trips to Hawaii, and future trip to Sri Lanka. Once scooped ice cream at Dolly Madison and would consider being a Graphic Designer in another life. Appreciates all things Rotary, especially service and fellowship. Most fulfilling projects are associated with Project Worthmore. Wouldn't mind simpler forms related to the bureaucratic workings of the organization. Who am I?

Cinco De Mayo DANCE PARTY!!!

Click here for all the details and to register.

Fiesta time! - Saturday - May 4th - 6-10pm

Chris Coates' Party Garage

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R.S.V.P. now - space is limited!

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April Birthday
14 April - Mary Walta



In case you missed it
on the first page →

WEEKLY	Date	Inspirator	Greeter/Host
U Club	24 Apr	Charlene Porter	Adams Price
Off-site	May 1	Volunteers of America	Details to follow
	May 8		

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DMHR Calendar

Apr 22 - World Community Service Mtg (WCS) 4:00pm -Contact Audrey Leavitt for information

May 1 - Offsite – Volunteers of America (VOA) – 27th and Larimer

May 1 - Polio Zoom Webinar - [Click here](#) for details and to register

May 4 - DMHR DANCE PARTY! Practice your dance moves now and [click here to register!](#)

May 8 – Ziah (Curtis) & Club Founding Anniversary celebration (Betty)

May 11 - DMHR's Epic Day of Service - [Click here to volunteer!](#)

May 12 - Rockies Baseball game - annual Rotary function - The Rockies slug it out against last year's World Series champions, the Texans. Five dollars from each ticket sold will go to polio. [Click here!](#)

May 15 - Off-site at the Museum of Nature and Science—No meeting for those of you not registered for the private followup tour. Please contact Robin Springer for details.

May 16 - 7:30am - DMHR Foundation Board Meeting - Contact Mary Walta for details

May 22 - Kurt Gurwitz

May 25-29 - Singapore - Rotary International Conference

May 29 - 5th Wednesday Happy Hour - location to be announced later. Usually 5-7pm

May 18 - Epic Day of Service - District-wide - [Click here](#) for more info. www.epicdayofservice.org

June 15 - Global and District Grant Training - In person at Front Range Community College. Annually, one individual from our club must attend in order that we may continue to write grants! Is it YOU?

A word from your editor

Dear fellow Rotarians,

There's nothing like visiting family, especially after not seeing them for a few years, they understand my humor and can finish my sentences. My roommate, her husband and I picked up like we had seen each other yesterday, and the fact that they still live in Ann Arbor where we all attended the University of Michigan was an added bonus...old times, old dorms, classrooms and haunts revisited. So happy I made this trip! I hope that you all connect with your out of town families and friends as often as practical.

I'm heading to Florida to bring Geoff home and we'll both see you in May. Happy April to all.

See you Saturday, May 4th at the [DANCE PARTY!](#)

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*The more you contribute to your Rotary Experience,
the more you benefit from your Rotary Experience.*

What are YOU contributing to Rotary?

One of us...Tom Cella



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Paying Dues using Zelle

Several members have expressed interest in paying dues with Zelle, a service that allows Club members to send dues payments directly to DMH Rotary. There is no charge and the transaction takes place in only a few minutes. And the sender can choose the amount to send. Below is information about signing up for Zelle and setting up the payment information for Denver Mile High

- **Enroll with Zelle® (your bank must offer Zelle transfers as a service)**
 - Sign into Online Banking or mobile banking on your electronic device
 - Go to "Send Money with Zelle®" in Online Banking or the *Zelle* tab in the Mobile app.
 - Agree to terms and conditions.
 - Enroll your bank account.
 - Verify security code.
- You're ready to start sending/receiving payments through your bank account using *Zelle*.
- **Send money to Denver Mile High Rotary**
 - You can use DMHR as the name of the Club.
 - Enter rotarydmh@gmail.com as the unique identifier for the Rotary Club of Denver Mile High.
 - Enter the amount of the payment and an optional memo. (e.g., invoice number)
 - Review your payment. Make sure that you've entered the correct email address for the Club; then hit "Send."
 - Your payment will appear with your name on the Club's bank statement.

DMHR Dues information

Please pay quarterly dues on or before:
 Q1-July 15; Q2-October 15; Q3-January 15; Q4-April 15
 Deliver a check to Carolyn at a meeting, or mail to:
Denver Mile High Rotary
PO Box 101471
Denver CO 80250
 For more info, [click here to log in](#) to the DMHR website, then click on "member resources."

RYLA

It's that time again...to enlist students into RYLA and Young RYLA (**Rotary Youth Leadership Awards**)

RYLA and Young RYLA are leadership camps for students entering high school (please see fliers linked below for details).

RYLA and Young RYLA Camps occur this summer in June and July at YMCA of the Rockies in Estes Park.

RYLA - Sun-Fri: July 28-Aug 2, 2024 for students currently sophomores, juniors and seniors in high school.

YRYLA - Sun-Fri: June 23-28, 2024 for current 7th graders
Sun-Fri: July 6-12, 2024 also for current 7th graders

For complete information, [please click here for RYLA](#) And [click here for Young RYLA](#).

Applications are due immediately or as soon as possible. **NOTE:** Please note on application that Denver Mile High Rotary is your affiliated club.



[Colorado Gives](#)

Marty Waters has registered Denver Mile High Rotary with Colorado Gives. It could not be easier to donate through this site to give to our DMHR Foundation. You can make a one time donation or a recurring commitment. Additionally, Colorado Gives provides an option for the donor to cover the very small processing fee so that our foundation benefits from the donor's entire contribution.

To give one time or to set up a recurring donation, [please click here](#). Thank you in advance!

Our foundation treasurer, Noreen Keleshian, did an extensive comparison of giving platforms (including PayPal) and found Colorado Gives to be the most cost effective way to donate to Denver Mile High.



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Denver Mile High Rotary's EPIC Day of Service -

May 11 Saturday 8:30-noon - Denver Mile High Tree Planting Phase 2
[Click here](#) for info on this May 11th Service Project! [Click here](#) to volunteer.



Conflict Center Peace Day

The Conflict Center is busy planning the 2024 Peace Day, which is scheduled for Saturday, June 1st. As in previous years, we will once again distribute 1,000 boxes as well as host an on-site event. We will need lots of volunteers to assist with assembling the boxes and staffing the day of the event. MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! Below are the dates for Peace Day prep and day of the event:

Prep Days:

- Tuesday, May 7, 1:00 - 4:00
- Wednesday, May 8. 1:00 - 4:00
- Tuesday, May 14, 9:00 - noon
- Wednesday, May 15, 1:00 - 4:00
- Tuesday, May 21, 9:00 - noon
- Wednesday, May 22, 1:00 - 4:00

Day of shifts - Saturday, June 1st

- Set-up - 9:30 - 11:00 am
- Event staffing - 11:00 - 2:00
- Clean-up - 2:00 - 3:30

Please contact me at ronnie.weiss@onflictcenter.org and let me know which days and shifts you can assist with.

Your assistance is very much appreciated.
We couldn't do it without you!

UPDATE - Denver Mile High Rotary's EPIC Day of Service May 11 - 8:30-noon

Location - Denver Greenway Park (East 26th Ave & Spruce St, Central Park), the exact meeting spot at the park will be sent closer to the date. Look for the Rotary Flags and our banner.

Volunteers - We have 17 signed up so far and expect more. We have invited Young Rotarians from East High School to join us

Registration - Because we are not using the Epic framework for fundraising purposes, we are not registering through the Epic Site but rather a simplified sign-up, link attached which your members can use (either one works as will have the basic contact information to send updated notices). [Click here](#) or use the following URL in your browser:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1SSsiWUysswXSiEeHG69nd69XpGLKTy3SJn0YnlhqtUA/edit?usp=sharing>

