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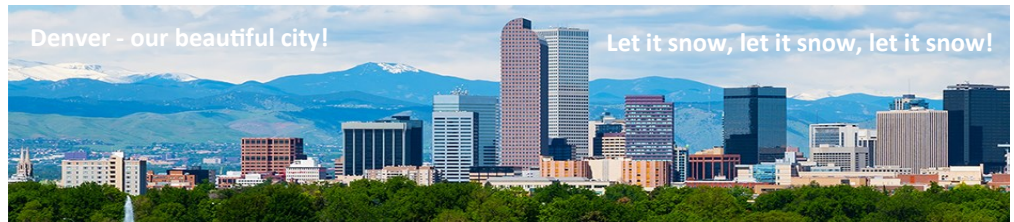
ZOOM LINK

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

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://
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j/81294791259?
pwd=aXZsTXRiZzJLZEVLRL
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Meeting ID:
812 9479 1259
Passcode:
903839



President's Column

Dear Rotary Colleagues,

24 March 2024

Upcoming

This week we welcome Kwabi Amoah-Forsen presenting via Zoom on his award winning humanitarian "Peace Bus" program.

Our Apr 3rd offsite will take place at the Denver Masonic Temple downtown (1614 Welton St). Our Apr 10th meeting will also be an offsite at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science, with a later starting time (7:30 AM). A small group TBD (10?) will be able to tour the museum's underground archive of artifacts and treasures. More details to come.

In Retrospect

Our presenter Adam Hill provided an inspiring personal story of rising above fears, anxiety, and addiction to compete at a world Ironman championship in Hawaii. When informed that we would be including his name as a contributor on our club's annual Polio contribution to RI, he decided to personally donate with a check for \$500.

Appreciations

Another round of thanks to the Village Exchange team last week, like a "full house" poker hand on hand (Three Toms, one Queen Annely, and a joker - Marty), assembling 120 bags of non-perishable food items.

One of Us

See if you can guess this week's member. Answer at bottom of next page. Claims to have grown up on a Western ranch, getting qualified as a cowboy by age 3. Among recommended favorites: Thai Pot Café for dining, Robinson and Cranmer Park for walks, Extraordinary Attorney Woo series and 1776 by McCullough for entertainment, and crafting Rotary governance / culture as a fun pastime [for real?]. Enjoyed a trip to the Costa Rican rain forests and still has eyes on the moon and Antarctica (but separate trips). Fun first job? – pitchforking stripped pea vines into a silage pit. Alternative career ideas? – research chemist, photographer, or forester. Loves that Rotarians make communities of the world better places. Favorite club project was the woman's empowerment / WASH efforts in Nepal. Would like to see stronger support between RI staff and local clubs. Also supports World Denver and SD School of Mines and Technology. Who am I?



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DMHR Book Club
All Welcome!
Thursday, April 18
[Assisted Living](#)
by Philip Brien Clarke,
a local author and
friend of Tom Cella.
Meet at 4:30 at
Tom Gregory's home
1 Black Swan Lane
Cherry Hills Village
80113

WEEKLY	Date	Inspirator	Greeter/Host
	27 Mar	Audrey Leavitt	Ann Lockhart
Off-site	3 Apr	Welton Masonic Temple	Denver
	10 Apr	Nick Melrose	Constance Mortell
	17 Apr	Annely Noble	Geoff Noble

March Birthdays

2 March - Audrey Leavitt
14 March - Geoff Noble
23 March - Constance Mortell



Help, please...
Geoff and I will be in Florida on
April 17th; would someone be
able to fill in for us as inspirator
and greeter? Please let me
know - 303-842-8725 or
Annely.noble@comcast.net
Thank you. Annely & Geoff

DMHR Calendar

Mar 27 - Kwabi Amoah-Forsen is a humanitarian and influencer from Tacoma, WA, fostering dialogue on the meaning of peace through "The Peace Bus". See photo on page 3 and [click here](#) for more info.
Apr 3 - Off-site meeting at the Welton Masonic Temple Downtown Denver - 1614 Welton St, Denver
Apr 10 - Another offsite at Denver Museum of Nature and Science, 7:30 AM start
Apr 12 - Chuck and Char Rudolph Memorial Service - 11am, Montview Presbyterian
Apr 14 - 3-5pm - DMHR Spring Wine Tasting at the Pinnacle - [Click here](#) for info and to register!
**Apr 20 - Denver Digs Tree Distribution Date (City Park and Sloans Lake) club volunteer opportunity - a warm up for our Tree Planting Day on May 11. [Click here to sign up for Apr 20](#)
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 4 - DANCE PARTY! Details to follow but practice your dance moves now!
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 18 - Epic Day of Service - District-wide - [Click here](#) for more info. www.epicdayofservice.org
June 15 - Morning 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 going to be YOU?**

A word from your editor

Dear fellow Rotarians,

Our Rotary year is more than half over; let's finish strong! If you have any friends or family who have voiced interest in our club, please bring them to a meeting. Our programs are always interesting and our off-sites novel. Never say "no" for those you know, let them experience our club and maybe they will say "YES" to membership!

See you Wednesday, 27 March at the U Club
Annely Noble, Past Pres 2022-23
Annely.noble@comcast.net 303-842-8725

*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...Dan Himelspach



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Epic Day of Service -

May 11 - 8:30-noon

Denver Mile High Tree Planting
Phase 2

[Click here](#) for information on this

May 11th

Epic Day of Service Project!

[Click here](#) to volunteer.



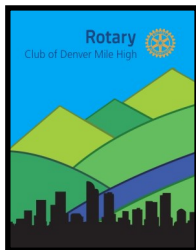
Kwabi Amoah-Forson in his famous "Peace Bus"

Kwabe will be our featured speaker

on March 27th.

Kwabi Amoah-Forson is a humanitarian and influencer from Tacoma, WA.

Through various humanitarian campaigns, he has assisted those in need in his community and across the country. He also strives to educate others about the true meaning of peace and foster dialogue on the subject through "The Peace Bus".



When you are looking for hope in the world...

Join the Reading for Peace team with

The Conflict Center.

A few sessions left for this year.

Contact Marty, Debra, or Ronnie for more info.



Marty, Walter, Sis (Walter's wife), and Marcus spent
a wonderful day skiing as a Rotary outing!

[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](#). 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. Thank you in advance!



**Information regarding
Chuck and Charla Rudolph's Memorial**
Memorial services celebrating both
Chuck and Charla's lives will be held at
Montview Presbyterian Church
1980 Dahlia Street, Denver, CO 80220
April 12, 2024 at 11:00am

Reception immediately following at the
Denver Botanic Gardens located at
1007 York Street, Denver, CO 80206.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are
suggested in Chuck Rudolph's name to
Denver Mile High Rotary Foundation at
[https://www.coloradogives.org/organization/
Denver-Mile-High-RotaryFoundation](https://www.coloradogives.org/organization/Denver-Mile-High-RotaryFoundation).

Condolences for family of
Chuck and Charla Rudolph
Since Chuck and Charla Rudolph's son, Mark, was
not able to join our Zoom meeting honoring his
dad and mom, you may consider sending a con-
dolence to Mark at his address:
Mark Rudolph
2280 Locust Street
Denver, CO 80207

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**Join the
Rotary Club of Denver Mile High**
for this fellowship event to learn about
and taste several different wines.

The tasting will be curated
and guided by
Sommelier, Becca Greigg.

Tasting pairings of fruits, chocolates,
and cheeses to enhance the wine -
flavor notes will be available.
Proceeds fund local and global
humanitarian projects.

Soft drinks and water will be available

\$85 per person – Cash or Check

Payable to:
Denver Mile High Rotary Foundation
Mail to:
Denver Mile High Rotary Foundation
P.O. Box 101471
Denver, CO 80250.

Or:
hand to Marcus Hanlon or
Noreen Keleshian at meetings.

Or:
[\\$92.55 Credit Card Payments
at Eventbrite](#)

Street Parking in the neighborhood