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Denver Mile High Rotary where commitment and service rise above the mountain tops

## President's Column:

This weeks meeting **Sean Gatzen**, a key member of a District 5450 committee, will be our guest speaker. Sean will talk about the unique and ground-breaking collaboration between Rotary and the Peace Corps.



John Osterlund (far left) and Ron Burton watch as Peace Corps Acting Director Carrie Hessler-Radelet and Rotary International General Secretary John Hewko sign a letter of collaboration on a one-year pilot program in the Philippines, Thailand, and Togo.

In an effort to promote global development and volunteer service, Rotary and Peace Corps have agreed to participate in a one-year pilot program in the Philippines, Thailand, and Togo.

Under the agreement, Rotary clubs and Peace Corps volunteers are encouraged to share their resources and knowledge to boost the impact of development projects in these three countries.

As for the Denver Mile High Rotary Foundation meeting will follow our regularly scheduled meeting Wednesday.

Please continue to use your King Soopers Card. This is an easy and wonderful way for the club to fundraise. If you have not yet gotten a card, please see Sarah Hite or Besty Bourdreaux.



Also if you are free and would like to hike a 14er for a Cause—Hike For Good. Adventure for Good. 54 peaks attempted in 24 hours. Early in the morning on August 8, 2015, while the world is sleeping, we'll be lacing up our hiking boots.

July 21, 2015

We'll strap up, gear up, and hit the trails. Over five hundred men and women will be ascending peaks across the state, attempting to summit all 54 of Colorado's Fourteeners in one day - with the goal of raising money to help end water poverty for over 1,000 families in Nicaragua. You can register at [co54.org](http://co54.org)

And lastly please join me for a night of fellowship at A Night at the Rockies August 21, 2015.



The game is Friday, August 21st vs. NY Mets 6:40 PM

Bob Kemp

President 2015-2016



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# Denver Mile High Rotary Upcoming

WHAT WOULD IT TAKE TO CHANGE THE WORLD?

## Programs

ROTARY'S 1.2 MILLION MEMBERS  
BELIEVE IT STARTS WITH A COMMITMENT

**SERVICE ABOVE SELF**

**July 22nd** - Sean Gatzen will represent 5450 Peace Corps Alliance will be our guest speaker. Sean will talk about the unique Rotary Peace Corps collaboration.

**July 29th** - The Colorado Capitol Building has undergone a major facelift in the last two years so now is a perfect time to see these changes. Tom Cella will coordinate our early morning tour of this beautiful building. **IMPORTANT:** We will meet at the U Club as usual for breakfast then walk two blocks to the capitol building. Please wear good walking shoes. We will be climbing on some scaffolding.

**August 5th** - Mark Fleecs from the Denver Police Department will be our guest speaker. He will talk about the ongoing problem of gang violence in the Denver Metro area and the police departments strategy to combat it.

Thanks to the 10 people who are using their King Soopers grocery card please. Please keep it up and anybody who would like a card let me know. Everybody wins!

Especially Denver mile high Rotary club.

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## **Weekly Inspirators, Greeters & Hosts**

### **July 22nd -**

Inspiration - Carolyn Schrader

Greeters - Linda Sue Shirkey and Roberta Simonon

Host - Vass Sirpolaidis

Rotary Minute - Greg Smith



### **July 29th -**

Inspiration - Betty Speir

Greeters - Robin Springer and Jeff Sprole

Host - Michael Tapp

Rotary Minute - Greg Thielen

### **August 5th -**

Inspiration - Ann Tull

Greeters - Tony Vaida and Sonny Wiegand

Host - Chris Wong

Rotary Minute - Paul Anderson

### **August 12th -**

Inspiration - Pat Gorman Barry

Greeters - Kurt Bartley and Zig Berzins

Host - Brandon Blankenship

Rotary Minute - Elizabeth Daigle

### **August 19th -**

Inspiration - Kevin Galloway

Greeters - Kim Gardner and Don Garretson

Host - Melanie Gentz

Rotary Minute - Tom Giordano

# Continental Breakfast

The continental breakfast will be served every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

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## **Denver Mile High Rotary Calendar**

**July 22nd** - Rotary Foundation Board meeting - 8:30am

**August 8th** - Hike a 14er [co54.org](http://co54.org)

**August 21st**—Rockies Game ~ fun social Friday, August 21st vs. NY Mets  
6:40 PM

**October 17th** - Rotary Leadership Institute

**October 22nd** - Area 1 Assembly

**November 14th** - Rotary Leadership Institute

**January 9th** - Presidents Dinner

**January 16th** - Grants Qualification Training

**February 6th** - Rotary Leadership Institute

**March 11th - 13th** - PETS

**April 2nd** - Rotary Leadership Institute

**April 22nd - 24th** - District Conference

May 28th - June 1st - International Convention - Seoul, Korea



A Night at the Rockies  
August 21, 2015

The game is Friday, August 21st vs. NY Mets 6:40 PM

The Rockies are holding a block of up to 100 Club Level seats for us. tickets are \$60 each - but Bob Kemp needs to confirm this by July 1. Please RSVP if you would like to go!

Bob Kemp <RKemp10453@aol.com>



July 8th - Dan Himelspace

July 11th - Elizabeth Daigle

July 24th - Betty Speir





# ADVENTURE FOR GOOD

COLORADO, IT'S TIME TO SHOW THE WORLD WHAT WE'RE MADE OF.

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If you're an adventure-loving human who craves the crisp alpine air in your lungs, thrives in active community, and strives to have a positive impact in the world,

we want you. *Join us at [co54.org](http://co54.org).*

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54 MOUNTAINS. 24 HOURS. A CHANCE TO CHANGE THE WORLD.

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