



ROTARY CLUB OF ARVADA DISTRICT 5450

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7577 Wadsworth Blvd., Arvada, CO 6:30 pm

Meeting Bulletin – January 17, 2018

This week, January 17, 2018, James Gracey will serve as Rotarian of the Day. His program is being arranged by Mary Nelson. She was able to arrange for at least one of the cowboy poets, **Dick Warwick** to come to our meeting and provide some top shelf entertainment. Don't miss out! This is an annual event originally brought to our club by recently deceased Rotarian, Eldon Laidig. It is always this time of year and is always one of our most entertaining programs. The Cowboy Poets will perform at the American Mountaineering Center in Golden CO, January 19-21, 2018.

Last week, January 10, 2018, Dennis Hein was Rotarian of the Day. His program was presented by **Harold Patterson**, President of **International Hope Builders**. Harold has lived in Arvada Colorado for 40 years, was in the construction business building homes, office buildings and churches. He has taken that expertise to International Hope Builders where his group build homes from Styrofoam. The most recent project of International Hope Builders was in San Antonio de Copán, Honduras where they complete 5 houses in October. International Hope Builders is looking into funding possibilities with area Rotary Clubs and the Rotary Club of San Antonio de Copán, Honduras.

We had another visit from our outgoing exchange student, **Ethan Elzinga** from Ralston Valley High School. Ethan will be representing Rotary on his yearlong youth exchange to Croatia. Once again we are very fortunate to have such a great young person representing Rotary. Ethan hopes to attend our meetings on a regular basis until he leaves for Croatia in July.

Next Week, , January 24, Randy Hardwick will serve as Rotarian of the Day. Randy may be able to use some program suggestions as he has received very short notice of this ROD assignment. Can you help???????????

In Two Weeks, January 24, Matt Weller will serve as Rotarian of the Day. This will be the last time Matt will serve in this capacity as our Club President. Matt has a little bit less than half of his term as president remaining. He will be looking for all of us to give some input as to what we would like for our Club to accomplish in the remainder of his term. Come with some ideas.

Matt will be holding a Board Meeting at **5:30pm on 1/24/2018** -- please try to come early and participate in this with all the officers. As always, everyone is invited to attend.

WHAT ROTARIANS ARE DOING:

Harold Carver Academic Scholarships and Al Kilpatrick Vocational

Grants: Mike McHugh is chairman of this project. He needs some club support getting applications to the area schools and following up contacting school councilors to insure they are aware of the opportunities we are making available to their students. Can you help get the word out that our club is looking for applicants for the five \$2,000 Carver academic scholarships and the five \$1,000 Al Kilpatrick Vocational Grants? Time is short as applications are due back to us by Friday March 2, 2018.

Garden & Home Show: Rich Kramer is chairman of the project. He has been working on the guidelines for ticket selling with the Garden & Home Show Foundation for more than a month and prior to that for more than 25 years. Jim Fricke, the Show Manager will attend our meeting on January 17 to bring us up to speed on plans. We will need everyone we can find to fill the ticket booths during the show, February 24 through March 4, 2018. Go make some friends and get them to HELP us ASAP! There is a sign-up sheet attached to this bulletin.

Complete Sign-up Sheet attached!!

Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth. **Don Storey**, our representative for Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth (AWRSAY) has information on the upcoming awards ceremony on April 4 at Pomona High School.

Ringing the Bell for the Salvation Army: Arvada Rotarians rang the bell for the Salvation Army on December 16. Those working were **Linda Nedved** and **Sherry McGee** -11AM to 1PM; **Rex Stuck** and **Rich Nichols** 1PM to 3PM; **Rick Worley** and **April Fratzke**, 3PM to 5PM; **Rich Kramer** and **Jerry Younggreen**, 5PM to 7PM. **Bill Edwards** was in charge and may have an update.



Rich Kramer & Jerry Younggreen with flashing Xmas lights on their Rotary vest! Just part of why this is such a great project!

National Alliance on Mental Illness: **Leona Paul** (*Rotarian Dave Paul's spouse*), **Susan Weller**, **Della Blay** and **April Frantzke** are working together with other Rotarians and Clubs in the District toward organizing a joint venture to provide education, support and advocacy for individuals affected by mental illness. Ask them how you can get involved.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS: January 7, **Ed Niemeyer**; January 10, **Dennis Hein**; January 16, **James Gracey**; January 25, **Linda Nedved**

If your name isn't here and you were born in January please let Dennis Hein know so you can be recognized. Also you can make a check payable to the Arvada Rotary Foundation for \$1 to \$2 for each year you have completed in this life and forgo hearing all the club members and (Dennis Hein in particular) singing "HAPPY BIRTHDAY". The payment may be tax deductible, consult your tax advisor.

KRAMER'S CORNER: Here is another bit of wisdom Rich Kramer has sent me:

NEW ENGLAND BOILED WOOL MITTENS

In winter New England fishermen dipped their wool mittens in the warm water from the engine, wrung them out, and put them on wet.

Then clapped and beat hands and swung arms until fingers were so red they stung. Now he could work all day hauling traps from the frigid salt water, work with sloppy half-frozen bait, work clamming rakes, and his hands would stay warm. At the end of the day, he peeled his mittens off, his hands were red and so warm they steamed in the cold air. Boiled wool mittens have an amazing insulating quality when wet.

SAVE THE DATES: 2018 Garden and Home Show, February 24 through March 4, 2018-Rich Kramer

See Sign-Up Sheet last page in Bulletin!!

.Who's in Charge?

Date	ROD	Greeter	Greeter
1/17/18	James Gracey		
1/24/18	Randy Hardwick		
1/31/18	Matt Weller, Club Assembly. Board Meeting at 5:30PM		
2/7/18	Renee Brenengen		
2/14/18	Linda Nedved		
2/21/18	Dan Hershberger		
2/28/18	Dark, Garden & Home Show		
3/7/18	Susan Weller		
3/14/18	Garden & Home Show Appreciation Dinner		
3/21/18	Mike McHugh (Scholarship selections)		
3/28/18	Jack Emery		
4/4/18	Dark, AWRSA Awards @ Pomona High School. Don Storey		
4/11/18	Diane Head		
4/18/18	Nancy Nichols		
4/25/18	Bill Edwards		

5/2/18	Rick Worley		
5/9/18	April Frantzke (Club Assembly 2018/19 Plan		
5/16/18	Bryan Head		
5/23/18	Sherry McGee		
5/30/18	Della Blay		
6/6/18	Jerry Younggreen		
6/13/18	Cathy Gaume		
6/20/18	Rex Stuck		
6/27/18	Installation of Officers, 2018/19		
7/4/18	July 4, Holiday, No Meeting		

Got News? Please let Dennis Hein know so it can be included in the weekly Bulletin. Email me at dennishein@msn.com Thanks for all you do for Arvada Rotary!

“ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE”

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GARDEN & HOME SHOW TICKET SALES --- ARVADA ROTARY PROJECT 2018 SIGN UP SHEET

To: Arvada Rotary Club Members & Volunteers
From: Dennis Hein, Jim Gracey & Rich Kramer Project Coordinators
Re: Colorado Garden & Home Show (February 24-Mar. 4, 2018) Fund-raising and Community Service Project

Introduction

This perennial Club project is a major fund-raiser and Community Service requiring a heavy commitment of volunteer hours from all Club members, as well as family and friends of Rotary. The nine-day event will require each Rotarian to provide on the average approximately 25 hours during the show. If you are not available to participate, please provide friends, family to substitute for you. Our work with the Colorado Garden Foundation produces a very significant amount of funds for our Club projects and recognition for our Rotary District.

Schedule:

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Show Hours</u>	<u>Ticket Booth Hours</u>
Sat., Feb. 24 & Mar. 3	10 am to 8 pm	9:30 am to 7:00 pm
Sun., Feb. 25 & Mar 4	10 am to 6 pm	9:30 am to 5:00 pm
Mon –Thurs. Feb. 26- Mar. 1	noon to 7pm	11:30 am to 6:00 pm
Fri. March 2	noon to 8pm	11:30 am to 7:00pm

Information

Saturday and Sunday will have two shifts of 8 to 10 sellers plus a supervisor for each shift. This means we will need 20 shift persons each day provided largely by people still in the work force, plus a portion of the hours by our retired members, family and friends. Wednesday & Friday will require extra persons for ticket sales provided largely by our retired members, spouses and friends. On weekdays we can consider splitting the 8 hour shift if we can get coverage for that day. If this may work for you, include a note to that effect below. Please indicate all available times. You'll only be assigned shifts where needed.

On Wednesday we will need persons to sell the show garden plants, which were replaced with fresh ones. The money from the plant sale is used it to defray costs of distributing the plants for FLOWER POWER. After the Show, on Sunday (Mar.4), we will box plants for FLOWER POWER on Monday (Mar. 5)

Sign up

Please indicate below with checks all dates and times that you, your family and friends/relatives are available. Shifts will be assigned equitably and you may not be needed for all the times you check off. Each Club member will need to provide at least four (4) shifts to cover show needs. If you are unavailable, please provide substitutes. Also indicate availability for the Wednesday flower sale, Sunday Show closing flower roundup and FLOWER POWER. Free parking coupons will be available for Coors Field with free shuttle to take you to and from the show. Admission to the show is also free!

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Name(s): _____

<u>Weekends</u>	<u>Shifts</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Weekdays</u>	<u>Shifts</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Shifts</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sat. 2/24	9:00 - 3:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mon. 2/26	11:00 - 6:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Plant Sale Wed. 2/28	11:00	<input type="checkbox"/>
	11:00 – 7:00	<input type="checkbox"/>		Tue. 2/27	11:00 - 6:00		<input type="checkbox"/>	Flower RoundUp Sun. 3/4
Sun. 2/25	9:00 - 5:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wed. 2/28	11:00 - 6:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Flower Power Mon. 3/5	7:00	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Thu. 3/1	11:00 - 6:00		<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sat. 3/3	9:00 - 3:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fri. 3/2	11:00 - 7:00	<input type="checkbox"/>			
	11:00 – 7:00	<input type="checkbox"/>						
Sun. 3/4	9:00 - 4:00	<input type="checkbox"/>						