



ROTARY CLUB OF ARVADA DISTRICT 5450

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

Meeting Bulletin – November 8, 2017

This week, November 7, Rick Worley is Rotarian of the Day. His guest and program presenter is Professor Cannabis, Christopher Sloper. Christopher has a Master's Degree in Chemistry and is operation manager for a local Cannabis operation. He has years of experience in California prior to coming to Colorado.

We may have former Arvada Rotarian Paige Mason, District Governor Abbas Rajabi and Bill and Mary Piernot, a couple that visited us a couple of weeks ago as guests. Also, rumor is President Matt will preside over the meeting.

Last week, November 1, Dan Hershberger was Rotarian of the Day. His program was presented by Alexander Escalante, the Jerry Jelenik Memorial Scholarship recipient last year. After he spoke at the AWRSAY Get It Done breakfast, he agreed to speak to the Arvada Rotary Club. He will have a bright future somewhere where he can speak and make a difference.

Next Week, November 15: Don Storey is Rotarian of the Day. His program will be presented by Maria Burke from The Elevation Program--which offers a multi-faceted service learning program to high school students. The program encourages students to think for themselves while becoming aware of social inequality, learning about economic sustainability, and conservation. It is a 10 month program featuring local service projects and a summer expedition where students work on a larger project primarily in a Latin American country.

What Rotarians are doing: Several weeks ago **Dan Hershberger** wrote: "We will be leaving for the Philippines to wrap up the last leg of the VTT Global Grant for the prevention of Hospital Acquired Infections. We will return on October 29th." (*Sounds like there could be more to this story in the form of a program for our club.*)

"Also, Melanie Johnson, our outbound exchange student from Arvada West, will be attending interviews by the District on December 1, 2, and 3rd. She is interested in going to Finland for her senior year in high school."

ARVADA ROTARIANS AND FRIENDS GIVE TO HURRICANE HARVEY VICTIMS:

Arvada Rotarians and friends have donated at least \$300 to Hurricane Harvey victims. Contributions have been made through the Gulf Coast Disaster Relief Fund #608. Jim Gracey held an auction two weeks ago when he was Rotarian of the Day. He raised \$250 in the auction and is matching the money raised for another \$500 toward Hurricane Relief. The Arvada Rotary Foundation has sent \$844 toward the Hurricane Relief Fund setup by the Rotary International Foundation.

ARVADA WHEAT RIDGE SERVICE AMBASSADOR'S FOR YOUTH (AWRSAY): The Arvada Rotary Foundation has sent a check for \$4,000 to AWRSAY to fund two scholarships, one being the Jerry Jelinek scholarship for \$2,500. These will be awarded

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

November 20 – **Mike McHugh**
November 26 – **Randy Hardwick**

If your name isn't here and you were born in November 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 members of the club and (me 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:

SO YOU THINK YOU KNOW EVERYTHING. DID YOU KNOW?

"Dreamt" is the only English word that ends in the letters "mt".

February 1865 is the only month in recorded history not to have a full moon.

In the last 4,000 years, no new animals have been domesticated.

If the population of China walked past you, in single file, the line would never end because of the rate of reproduction.

If you are an average American, in your whole life, you will spend an average of 6 months waiting at red lights.

It's impossible to sneeze with your eyes open.

Leonardo Da Vinci invented the scissors.

Maine is the only state whose name is just one syllable.

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

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| Date | ROD | Greeter | Greeter |
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| 11/8/17 | Rick Worley | | |
| 11/15/17 | Don Storey | | |
| 11/22/17 | DARK, (Thanksgiving Eve) | | |
| 11/29/17 | Cathy Gaume | | |
| 12/6/17 | Rich Nichols, Meet at Cheese shop!!!!!! | | |
| 12/13/17 | XMAS Party, Iron Rail Tavern, Entertainment provided by Rotarian Fellowship. | | |
| 12/20/17 | ????????????? | | |
| 12/27/17 | ????????????? | | |
| 1/03/18 | Dennis Hein | | |
| 01/10/18 | Rich Kramer | | |

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