

# District 5190

## Striving Together Achieving Results



# Rotary



### GOVERNOR'S THOUGHTS

#### *Club Visits Are Underway*

As this is being written, my wife Sandy and I have completed two weeks of Club visits. Or as she calls them, after looking at our schedule, Mr. Toad's Wild Ride. So far we have visited the Rotary Clubs of Tonopah, Ely, Bishop, Bishop Sunrise and Mammoth Lakes Noon. Each Club was very hospitable, unique and reflective of their community. Some distinctive projects were discovered. Information about them and others I learn about from other Clubs will be shared with Club Presidents or articles on the website or in the newsletter. If we have not been to your Club yet we look forward to those visits.

#### *August is Membership and Extension Month*

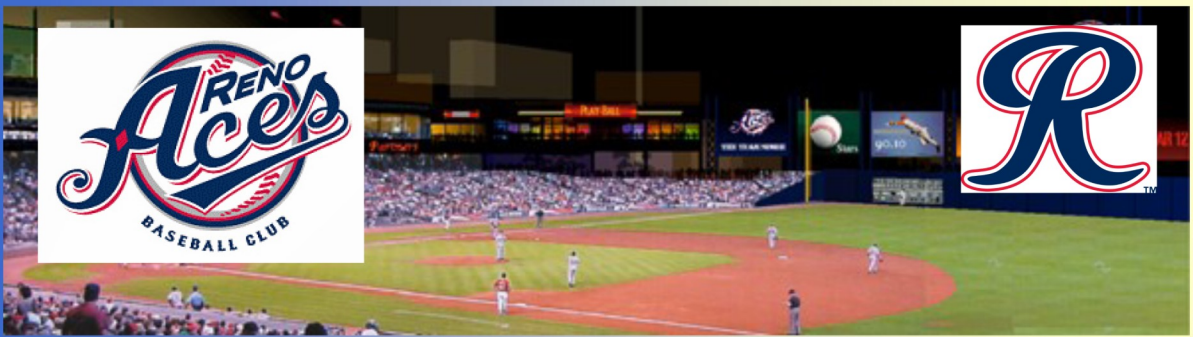
Last year 334 members terminated their membership in District 5190 Rotary Clubs. Of those 38 were honored during the Remembrance portion of the District Conference. Clubs always have a need for new members just to replace those that terminated.

In a study commissioned by Rotary, Rotarians were asked why they joined Rotary and why they stayed in Rotary? These are the results:

	WHY JOIN?	WHY STAY?
Friendship	30.0%	38.4%
Positively Impact My Community	35.5%	36.1%
Networking	18.7%	5.2%
Recognition	4.3%	2.3%
Training	3.3%	3.5%
Positive Impact Globally	8.2%	14.5%

If our Clubs and our District are to grow and prosper the focus needs to be on those things that

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## **Reno Aces vs Tacoma Rainiers**

### **Sunday, August 28, 2016**

Group Location: Exclusive  
Infield Reserved Seating!!!

### **at 1:05pm**

## **Greater Nevada Field, Reno Nevada**

**All Tickets \$20 (a portion of each ticket goes to Polio Plus)**

### **Fan Appreciation Day & Dollar Menu Sunday!**

**Join us for a celebration of YOU and the continued support you've provided us this season on Fan Appreciation Day \*PLUS\* it is Dollar Menu Sunday! Enjoy \$1 hot dogs, ribs, small popcorn & candy!**

**SIGN UP NOW!**

Tickets can be purchased online  
at <http://tinyurl.com/2016-Rotary-Day-at-the-Aces>  
or for more information, contact Deb Nelson  
[debyoung.nelson@gmail.com](mailto:debyoung.nelson@gmail.com)

## **GOVERNOR'S THOUGHTS** (Con't from Page 1)

matter the most to prospective and existing members. It must start with our attraction criteria, fireside chats and a new induction model that emphasizes friendship, impact on the local community and valuing our members and their work. This must replace the old formula stressing the international scope and size of Rotary for more of a local focus. After induction we need to be sure to engage our members and follow-up with both new and existing members to confirm they are receiving value for their membership. Always of critical importance is to have **FUN**.

The key to making this happen is to insure that every member of our Clubs understands the importance of this new focus. Old scripts for fireside chats and member inductions need to be replaced with new ones that emphasize what is important to our members.

## **ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP**

It is time for District 5190 Rotary clubs to start planning the recruitment of Rotary Youth Exchange Scholars (Students). Starting this year, the District Rotary Youth Exchange program is promoting RYE as a scholarship program. Students (from your community) who go on exchange are hosted by a Rotary club in one of partner countries. The students live with host families, and attend local high schools in their host countries. The scholarship portion of the RYE program includes room and board, school fees, and a monthly allowance. The student pays for travel, health insurance, a blazer, and the costs of the orientations that prepare the student for their year-long exchange.

Depending on where the student spends their exchange year, the value of the scholarship can be up to \$25,000. Consider the cost, in a major European city, of renting an apartment for 12 months, purchasing food, school fees (many schools in other countries have school fees) and living expenses.

As you start to promote RYE to your community, promote it as a scholarship opportunity. The District RYE program has created a marketing flier that is available to help clubs promote the program.

The preliminary outbound application can be downloaded at [www.rye5190.org](http://www.rye5190.org). Preliminary applications are due by October 15<sup>th</sup> for the 2017-18 exchange year. For additional information, or to receive the scholarship flier, contact RYE Executive Secretary Jon Greene at [ryexecsec@rye5190.org](mailto:ryexecsec@rye5190.org).

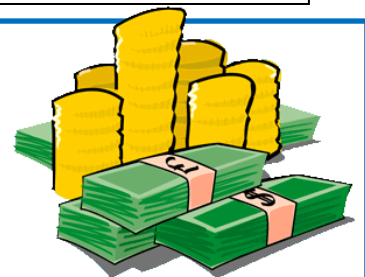
**"My dream is that every 17-year-old could become an exchange student. If the world could achieve this, there would be no more wars!"**

*-Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar, RI President 2005-06, from his 2005-06 theme address at the 2005*

## **GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED**

### **SUBMIT GRANTS NOW**

The District has received **\$99,216.00** from The Rotary Foundation for this year's District Designated Funds. The funds can be used for District Scholarships and District Service Grants (DSG) amongst other things. Approved District Scholarships total \$22,500. These funds will be disbursed as soon as all the paperwork is complete. That leaves \$76,716 available for DSGs. Qualified Clubs with trained members that have submitted a Member of Understanding may submit an application for a grant via the District website. Grants are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. For questions or to submit signed MOUs Vic Slaughter. His email address is [nvdesertrats@charter.net](mailto:nvdesertrats@charter.net). These funds are based upon District donations to the Annual Fund during the year 2013-2014.







## The Youth Exchange Scholarship

provided by a Rotary Club in your community



**Valued at up to \$25,000:** Room, board, tuition, and a monthly stipend for a high school year abroad.

### Have you always dreamed of...

- ▶ Experiencing another culture?
- ▶ Living in another country?
- ▶ Being fluent in another language?

- A one year program
- Stay with up to 3 host families
- You will have a Rotary counselor
- Attend a local high school
- The opportunity to go on tours in your host country

*The Youth Exchange Scholarships are made possible by the generosity of our overseas partners and local Rotary clubs in Rotary District 5190 (eastern California and northern Nevada). Qualified applicants must be ages 15 ½ - 18 ½ at the time of departure. The scholarships cover room, board, tuition, and a monthly stipend for one academic year. The student/family pays for the travel, insurance, a blazer, and other items.*



**[www.rye5190.org](http://www.rye5190.org)**  
or contact a Rotary club in  
your community

## SAVE THE DATE

**August 6, 2016** RYE Rebound Meeting, Incline Village

**August 13, 2016** RYE Inbound Orientation #1, Minden

**August 20, 2016** Facilitator Training in Reno

**August 28, 2016** D5190 Day at the Reno Aces

**February 4, 2017** Pre-PETS in Reno

**March 3-5, 2017** PETS in San Jose

## ROTARY MONTHS

July-New Rotary Year Starts

**August-Membership and Extension Month**

September-Basic Education and Literacy

October-Economic and Community Development

November-Rotary Foundation Month

December-Disease Prevention and Treatment

January-Vocational Service Month

February-Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution

March-Water and Sanitation

April-Maternal and Child Health

May-New Generations Month

June-Rotary Fellowships Month



June Attendance			June Giving Data		
	Offical Start Number	Current # Members	Attendance	Annual Giving YTD	Restricted Giving YTD
Alturas Rotary	27	26	89.00%	\$10,885	\$6,752
Alturas Sunrise	28	28	NR	\$4,474	\$2,500
Amador Upcountry Rotary	20	21	NR	\$3,793	\$660
Auburn	112	110	91.72%	\$25,439	\$4,850
Auburn Daybreak	12	11	NR	\$3,376	\$0
Auburn Gold Country	39	33	70.87%	\$7,435	\$1,500
Auburn Sunset	24	16	NR	\$1,705	\$0
Bishop	33	34	65.47%	\$10,817	\$708
Bishop Sunrise	27	32	55.30%	\$3,870	\$400
Cameron Park	59	58	73.80%	\$9,118	\$3,560
Carson City	68	70	53.85%	\$17,752	\$2,596
Carson City - Sunset	16	13	30.98%	\$3,120	\$130
Chester	21	18	66.00%	\$1,670	\$100
E-Club	0	21	60.71%	\$900	\$100
Elko	75	72	56.75%	\$9,018	\$1,004
Elko Desert Sunrise	32	34	65.68%	\$6,540	\$7,755
Ely	30	29	60.69%	\$2,925	\$870
Fallon	45	40	NR	\$7,857	\$1,039
Fernley	27	34	NR	\$1,870	\$1,103
Georgetown Divide	35	35	37.33%	\$1,720	\$0
Grass Valley Rotary	63	59	77.04%	\$16,418	\$1,523
Grass Valley South	19	21	NR	\$4,200	\$2,358
Greenville	7	7	NR	\$3,540	\$600
Incline Village	30	26	NR	\$2,550	\$125
Ione	30	34	55.77%	\$8,820	\$2,080
Jackson	62	54	64.79%	\$11,550	\$950
Loyalton	20	19	NR	\$5,253	\$795
Mammoth Lakes Noon	47	40	47.97%	\$1,280	\$25
Mammoth Lakes Sunrise	12	10	90.00%	\$25	\$0
Minden	32	35	79.58%	\$3,220	\$1,250
Nevada City	40	33	83.00%	\$5,143	\$2,176
Nevada City 49 Breakfast	90	93	83.55%	\$24,635	\$1,700
Penn Valley	34	30	62.50%	\$9,619	\$4,018
Placerville	35	31	42.00%	\$2,328	\$1,625
Plymouth-Foothills	35	42	61.00%	\$5,202	\$10,880
Pollock Pines-Camino	17	16	NR	\$1,411	\$1,132
Portola	22	20	NR	\$2,310	\$1,670
Quincy CA	47	45	81.48%	\$5,057	\$2,155
Reno	192	190	59.24%	\$41,676	\$39,063
Reno Centennial Sunset	28	35	85.04%	\$5,617	\$4,201
Reno Central	74	67	81.96%	\$19,769	\$2,250
Reno Midtown	23	23	NR	\$1,200	\$0
Reno South	56	54	74.30%	\$9,682	\$2,930
Reno Sunrise	47	50	61.22%	\$8,541	\$5,416
Smith Valley	32	30	74.12%	\$6,087	\$200
South Lake Tahoe	42	32	54.74%	\$6,565	\$165
Sparks	118	111	93.00%	\$18,743	\$4,163
Sparks Centennial Sunrise	33	34	68.57%	\$16,023	\$2,973
Surprise Valley	17	16	88.00%	\$25	\$400
Susanville Rotary Club	60	63	58.10%	\$3,500	\$107
Susanville Sunrise	31	32	54.01%	\$35,655	\$2,701
Tahoe City	38	28	64.29%	\$1,980	\$2,300
Tahoe-Douglas	76	58	45.67%	\$28,081	\$2,030
Tahoe-Incline	45	45	NR	\$13,265	\$9,240
Tonopah	16	19	60.52%	\$50	\$500
Truckee	83	95	NR	\$17,607	\$100
Truckee Sunrise	16	14	50.00%	\$1,426	\$1,770
Westwood-Lake Almanor	16	16	80.00%	\$651	\$0
Winnemucca	40	50	45.23%	\$8,316	\$2,350
Yerington	56	43	58.58%	\$2,840	\$2,960
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>2511</b>	<b>2455</b>		<b>\$494,144</b>	<b>\$156,508</b>
NR - No Attendance Report Filed Last Known Member count used					



## The Rotary Club of Bishop has installation of new President, Board of Directors and Executives for their 2016 – 2017 year.

Rotarian Randy Van Tassell inducted new President DeEtte Johnston and her incoming Board of Directors at the June 24th demotion dinner for outgoing President Sue Lyndes. The Rotary Club of Bishop, which belongs to Rotary International, was founded in 1928 and has a rich history of service both locally and internationally. Our club is involved in projects that give back to our local community and benefit those in need around the world. Club members donate many hours of work for over 20 community and international projects. President DeEtte Johnston said “Our club is energetic and I look forward to another year filled with service to our community and the world.” She invites any interested person to join us for lunch, learn about our club and have fun with

some fellow community members who value service to others. We meet every Tuesday at noon at Astorga’s Mexican Restaurant and lunch is \$12.00. Call DeEtte at [760 872 7970](tel:7608727970) for more information about the club.



Pictured: Randy Van Tassell, Sue Lyndes, LeeAnn Rasmuson, Nicole Perry-Morley, Mike Gable, Robert Atlee, Dr. Leo Pisculli, DeEtte Johnston, Pat Nahin, Kay O'Brien, and Jody Cutler. Not Pictured: Maggie Kingsbury, Jack England and Manny Astora.

Submitted by Pat Nahin; Photo by Ed Nahin

### TAKE ME OUT TO THE OL' BALLGAME

Rotary Day at the Aces will be Sunday August 28, 2016. Tickets are \$20 per person and part of the money goes to Polio Plus. Sign up at <http://tinyurl.com/2016-Rotary-Day-at-the-Aces> This is also a Fan Appreciation Day and it is a \$ Sunday Menu. You can enjoy hot dogs, small popcorn, candy and ribs for just \$1. If you do not live close, car-pool or make a weekend out of it. We look forward to seeing you there. Don't be left out, buy your tickets now.



### MAMMOTH LAKE SUNRISE SURRENDERS CHARTER

We are sorry to report that on June 29, 2016 the Rotary Club Mammoth Lake Sunrise voted to surrender its Charter. Thus we have lost a Club and its ten members. The Club was chartered on March 15, 2001. For the last several years the Club has had some issues that it was just not able to overcome. With the exception of a Grant Management Training Seminar held in Mammoth Lakes, they had not recently participated in any District or Zone training including pre-PETS, PETS, Assembly and the Membership Seminar. Whether this contributed to their demise is of course unknown.

## **Two Elko Desert Sunrise Members will walk the 500-mile El Camino in Spain to raise awareness and \$15,000 to end polio, worldwide.**

Helen Hankins and Mike Mauser, believe that no child anywhere should suffer from polio – a completely preventable disease. Rotary International in partnership with the World

Health Organization, UNICEF, CDC and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, has been a leader in the fight to eradicate polio, worldwide. Thirty years ago polio was in more than 120 countries now it is in only two. Until it is fully eradicated, the risk of a pandemic remains.



The 90 day campaign begins Thursday July 21 and ends in October, just before World Polio Day on October 24. The 500-mile walk will begin in St. Jean de Pied de Port, France in late August and end in early October at the Cathedral o St. James in Santiago de Compostela. Mike and Helen will walk in honor of fellow Rotarian Sarah Sweetwater (1940-2015). Sarah was a polio victim and an active campaigner against polio. She traveled to Ghana and India to immunize children against polio. Mike and Helen have started the fund raising off by their own donation of \$1,000.

Rotarians are urged to contribute today to encourage Helen and Mike and to support polio eradication at <https://givingtrail.org/campaigns/200050/end-polio-now> 100% of all donations will go to the Rotary Foundation. Every dollar pledged will be matched 2:1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Updates will be provided periodically about the walk on this same website.

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## **TEAM WORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK**



Effective communication is the key to success. With the wide spread area covered by District 5190, it is critical that the sixty clubs under DG John Sullivan's leadership are aware of what the various clubs are doing to make this world a better place. Whether it is local community projects or international projects funded with RI Foundation money, it would benefit us all to know what our fellow Rotarians are up to. Fellowship items are also fun to share. Maybe a club project that is being performed in one area could be picked up on and improved UPON in another.

As the new newsletter editor for the district's communication source, I believe in sharing, sharing, sharing. Pictures are the one thing that could make a good news article a great news article. Maybe that's just the photographer in me (my classification is "Portrait Photographer") but I would like to see lots and lots of photographs in the month's to come.

When submitting photographs, please send me JPG's, PNG's or TIFF's that are about 800pxl

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what the photo is showing and who took the photo.

I am using a PC so I cannot accept MAC based word files. ALL articles and photos must be compatible with current PC standards and should be less than 300 words (?). Another option would be to embed your message in the email rather than making it an attachment. If in doubt, please include your phone number with any emails that you send me so that I can reach you if I have any questions, problems or concerns.

Please note that I am a photographer by trade, not a word smith. Therefore I will be simply cutting and pasting any articles that you send me. Unless there are any glaring errors, I will be accepting what you send me at face value. Any information that you would like to include in the newsletter should arrive in my inbox (dirk@wentlingstudio.com) by 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.



## **Rotary & District Officers 2016-2017**

### **Rotary International**

President: John F. Germ

President-elect: Ian H.S. Riseley

Vice President: Jennifer Jones

Treasurer: Hsiu-Ming

Director Zones 25/26: Bradford R. Howard

### **Non-Voting Advisory Board Members**

District Governor Nominee: Tina Spencer-Mulhern

District Governor Nominee Designate: TBD

District Conference Chairs: Randy Van Tassell & Stacy Graham

District Executive Assistant: Ginny Lewis

### **Rotary District 5190 Advisory Board**

District Governor: John A. Sullivan

Immediate Past District Governor: Gail "Virus" Ellingwood

District Governor Elect: Douglas McDonald

District Treasurer: Cheryl Zarachoff

District Secretary: Phil Mahoney

District Administration: Wyn Spiller

Service: Stacy Graham

Foundation: Vic Slaughter

Membership: Richard Forster

Youth Service: Bill Boon

Communication: Oliver Grosz

Club Administration: Larry Harvey

Public Image: Dave Zybert

### **Assistant Governors**

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Area 2: Pete Hochrein

Area 3: Sherilyn Laughlin

Area 4: Dennis Geare

Area 5: Jim Greenlee

Area 6: Donna Mullens

Area 7: Roberta Pickett

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Area 9: Bill Kirby

Area 10: Mel Foremaster

Area 11: Helen Hankins

Area 12: Edie Asrow

Area 13: Ramona Delmas

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