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The Rotary Club of Reno meets at the Eldorado Resort Casino at Noon on Monday

## Monday's Program

Allen Ferrenberg

Climate Change



Dr. Ferrenberg has worked on various R&D projects in the aerospace industry and on advanced diesel engine technology. He was employed as a civilian scientist by the Air

Force, taught briefly and part-time at several universities, developed and operated his own small R&D company, and was employed at Rocketdyne. His aerospace R&D work generally involved modeling of combustion processes for aircraft fire and explosion protection, fuels research, and liquid rocket engine combustor R&D. At Rocketdyne, he managed the Advanced Combustion Devices Department, which was responsible for all advanced liquid rocket engine combustor research and development. This included the design, fabrication and testing of new concepts and engines as well as more basic combustor related research and combustor mod-In his "retirement" he taught undergraduate and graduate courses in thermal sciences (Thermodynamics, Heat Transfer, and Solar Thermal Systems) in the mechanical engineering department at the University of Nevada - Reno for seven years.

## 믜 Menu for next Monday ٰ모

Shrimp Scampi Fettuccine Vegan Option Gluten Free Option

## **Upcoming Events**

Visit www.renorotary.org to sign up

**Tahoe City Rotary Club Ski Race**March 1, 2019
Northstar Ski Resort

Food Bank Volunteers
March 2, 2019 | 9:00 am to 11:00 am

Food Bank of N. Nevada

Mardi Gras

March 5, 2019 | 5:30 pm to 9:30 pm Reno Ballroom

# upcoming meetings

March 4, 2019

No Noon Meeting

Mardi Gras - March 5 @ Reno Ballroom

March 11, 2019 Speech Contest

March 18, 2019

Drs. Schwenk & Hitchcock
UNR School of Medicine

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## **Reno Rotary Foundation**

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While in Ensenada on the **Smiles Without Borders** project, **Pat Horgan** is working hard!



The Rotary Club of Reno invites you the 27th Annual Reno Mardi Gras, on Tuesday, March 5th, 2019 at the Reno Ballroom. Celebrate Fat Tuesday and indulge in some of the area's best wine, beer, spirits, and cuisine.

The party starts at 5:30 PM and will conclude at 9:30 PM. VIP tables can be purchased for \$1,200 and include reserved table for 10 and recognition. Individual tickets to the event start at \$65, and prices increase to \$75 on February 9, 2019. Sponsorship opportunities are available, with packages including reserved seating, enhanced recognition and additional benefits starting at \$2000. Special room rates for Reno Mardi Gras are available, courtesy of THE ROW.

For more information and to buy tickets or sponsorships, visit mardigrasreno.com.

## ROTARY DISTRICT **SCHOLARSHIP**

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT:

\$3,000

## **CLUB APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 15, 2019**

District Grant Scholarships provide funds to help offset the cost of one year of study at the undergraduate level at any accredited college or university in the United States. The prospective scholar must complete the application and submit it to a local Rotary Club in District 5190. A club committee interviews and selects a qualified applicant for recommendation to the district 5190 Scholarship Committee, which conducts interviews and makes the final selection of District Scholars.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO FILL OUT THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION VISIT:

www.rotarydistrict5190.org: 1. Hover over For Members tab 2. Hover over the Rotary Foundation 3. Click on Global and District Scholarships

REVIEW - DISTRICT & GLOBAL GUIDELINES/ **IDEAL CANDIDATE** THEN EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS

AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION TO: Loretta Bonilla: Ibonilla@fosreno.com

## **ELIGIBILITY:**

Eligible students include high school seniors and undergraduate level students who attend a trade school, community college, or a university located in District 5190.

Scholarship money is available for one year and can be used for tuition, books, supplies, and other educational needs.

Must be accepted to an accredited college or university in the United States.

## **Last Meeting Volunteers**

Scanner:	Jim Endres
Greeter:	Kevin Melcher
Raffle Tickets:	Kirk Allaire
Invocation:	Debe Fennell
Pledge:	Darren Vanderford
Pledge: Sgt. At Arms:	
-	Jim Rogers

Honor Roll	
Ben Nelson	\$100
Bill Creekbaum	\$100
Brian Cassidy	\$100
Carl Fuetsch	\$500
Christine Fey	\$100
Corry Castaneda	\$200
Craig Wesner	
David Spillers	
Debe Fennell	\$100
Gayle Sherman	\$100
George Golbov	\$100
Gretchen Hughs	
Harvey Fennell	\$100
Jerry Hall	\$100
Kevin Melcher	\$100
Laurie Leonard	\$100
Leslie Farias	\$100
Loretta Bonilla	\$100
Mark Meich	\$100
Marlene Olsen	\$100
Mike Reed	\$500
Pat Horgan	\$100
Rew Goodenow	\$100
Rob Thayer	\$100
Ron Weaver	
Stefanie Scoppettone	\$200
Steve Kent	\$600
Tim Atwell	\$100
Vic Bucher	\$1,000
Vinnie Lucido	\$200



## Meet Fellow Rotarian Leslie Farias

Leslie Farias is a native Nevadan, having been born and raised in Smith Valley, Nevada, where she grew up riding horses and flying with her father in his classic airplanes. Her father, Lester Farias, was a three-time Past President of the Smith Valley Rotary Club. She graduated from the University of Nevada Reno with a Masters degree in Speech Communication and just six years ago completed her second Masters in Adult Education.

Leslie has specialized in various aspects of communications, beginning with a 10-year career teaching high school English writing and literature at Reno High School. After moving to Dallas, Texas in 1988, she founded Farias Business Communication where her focus turned to facilitating workshops in team building and staff relations, presentation skills, business writing, business protocol, and adult training methodologies in the corporate arena. Organizations consistently review her trainings as positive and upbeat, resulting in lasting behavioral changes for optimal communication.

Leslie has also applied her significant knowledge of communication models to training judges throughout the U.S. and Canada in effective listening, gender differences in communication. communication in the courtroom. Through her work with the National Judicial College here in Reno, she has also assisted in the design, development and training of judges who have become instructors of other judges in their respective states. These states continue to use her adult education methodologies. Judge John Kennedy, Dean of California's Judicial Education said, "Leslie's was the best judicial education model I have ever seen "

In addition, University of Nevada Reno business college students have previously

gained valuable knowledge from her business communication classes.

Current clients include the Texas Court of Appeals; the University of Nevada Reno School of Medicine, Saint Mary's Regional Medical Center, and the justices of the Canadian Supreme Court. Justice Alan Wokowich of Canadian said, "Leslie she has the ability to simplify the complicated for optimal understanding and retention."

She has been a keynote speaker for organizations such as Toastmasters, the Professional Saleswomen of Nevada, Texas Women's Bar Association, Dallas Women in Business, The Canadian Supreme Court Annual Conference, and the Businesswomen of Atlanta, to name a few.

Leslie has raised two sons who are businessmen here in Reno: Conrad Wright, a graduate of Texas Tech University and a former Reno Air National Guard Intelligence Analyst and Veteran of Desert Storm and Desert Freedom, is the founder and owner of Alchemy Partners, providing intelligence and geospacial data collection and analysis internationally. And Brandon Wright, Co-Owner of the Depot Craft Distillery and Brewery, a graduate of the University of Nevada Reno and the International Brewing Academy in Munich, Germany, is an Internationally award-winning distiller and Master Brewer.

This time of year, you can find Leslie skiing with her 3 and 6 year-old granddaughters, Faris and Hazel Wright.



Leslie Farias gets introduced by Bruce Foster.

## Meet Fellow Rotarian Annie Flanzraich

Annie Flanzraich is an award-winning writer, editor, and content strategist with a proven track record of delivering exceptional results.

Flanzraich is the owner of Flanz Writes, a Reno-based business that offers writing, editing, strategy, and other content services. Since 2016, Flanz Writes has helped clients in Nevada, around the United States and internationally create authentic content that inspires by producing annual reports, special magazines, regular blog posts, scripts, op-ed pieces and more. When creating content for Flanz Writes' clients, Flanzraich practices meticulous research, surprising word choice, fastidious spell checking, and tight editing. She's a pro at developing content strategies, planning and executing editorial calendars, and managing multiple deadlines.

Before launching Flanz Writes in 2016, Flanzraich was the Creative Development Manager of RGJ Media and led a team of editors, designers and web strategists to produce 75 publications and online efforts each year. At this time, she also oversaw RENO Magazine as its editor in chief. Flanzraich's editorial experience also includes four years of managing newspapers on Lake Tahoe's north and south shores. She's also

**Annie Flanzraich** *gets introduced by Bruce Foster.* 

worked with the Associated Press, Las Vegas Sun and Nevada Broadcasters Association. A University of Nevada, Reno alumna, Flanzraich graduated from the Reynold's School of Journalism in 2007 with a bachelor's degree in journalism and American history.

When she's not managing content strategies or developing engaging copy, Flanzraich enjoys hiking with her husband and mini schnauzer, Max. She is currently writing her first novel.



Club Member and Board Member Tom Hall, who lost his home to the Little Valley Fire, reviews the disaster and his family's response to wholly unexpected disasters such as that fire. Tom provided an outstanding briefing on the fire's impact on his family and what to do to ameliorate the fire's impact and how to recover from such a disaster. Tom's briefing is available and provides an excellent step by step tutorial on mitigation of the impact of this type of disaster.

## What is Rotary?

We're a leadership organization of local businesses, professional and civic leaders.

We meet regularly, get to know each other, form friendships & through that we're able to get things done in our community and in countries around the world.

## **Our motto: Service Above Self**

For more than 110 years, our guiding principles have been the foundation of our values: service, fellowship, diversity, integrity, and leadership.

### What we do

Rotary members believe that we have a shared responsibility to take action on our world's most persistent issues. Our 35,000+ clubs work together to:

Promote peace

Fight disease

Provide clean water, sanitation, and hygiene

Save mothers and children

Support education

Grow local economies

# the way test

Of the things we think, say or do

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

## How To Introduce Your Guests And New Members At A Club Meeting

When introducing a guest or new members during a Club meeting, the correct way is to greet the Club President, fellow Rotarians and guests, introduce yourself and state your classification, and then introduce your guest, their title and business affiliation. Please do not introduce any guest as a prospective new member or that they are looking for a position or clients.

## Attendance

Please make sure you turn in make-ups to Carl Fuetsch at a club meeting or by email: info@ renorotaryclub.org. Don't forget that you need to attend or make up at least 50% of club regular meetings in each half of the year (rolling six months) and attend at least 30% of this club's meetings in each half of the year. Credit can be received for Rotary committee work and other official Rotary functions.







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