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**The Rotary Club of Reno meets at Harrah's Reno at Noon on Monday**

## MONDAY'S PROGRAM

### Katie Morales

*Supporting Education of Homeless Children and Youth*



Katie Morales was born and raised in Reno. She earned a bachelor's degree from University Nevada Reno in Human Development Family Studies.

Katie has been an advocate for the educational rights of homeless students for the last 10 years. She oversees the

implementation of the federal McKinney-Vento Act and Foster program in Washoe County School District, which identifies and provides resources to over 3,600 students experiencing homelessness and/or Foster care. She has worked closely with Washoe County and the State to improve the educational outcomes for children and youth in homeless situations.

The Rotary club of Reno has provided a \$7,500 community service grant to the Children in Transition (CIT) program put in place to satisfy the requirements of the McKinney-Vento Act (non-funded federal mandate). The CIT program includes a variety of support strategies focused on ensuring homeless students are provided with stability, security, and a safe place to learn. The target population is birth through 12th grade and CIT Homeless Liaisons work with schools and families to identify and address students' basic needs such as shelter, food, clothing, transportation and health care.

Homeless students may or may not have parents, a temporary location is not unusual as homeless

students frequently move around the community often changing schools, and a number of students are from the Record Street homeless center. Reno Rotary's assistance supports the after school tutoring conducted at the Bresson Boys and Girls Club and transportation after the tutoring sessions. Reno Rotary also secured a \$2,000 district service grant to provide clothing for students. All elements of the CIT program are intended to normalize and main stream homeless students in ways that will enhance their opportunities for success.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit [www.renorotary.org](http://www.renorotary.org) to sign up

### Club Board Elections

March 19, 2018

### Mardi Gras Fundraiser

March 24, 2018

Reno Ballroom

### Rotarians At Work Day

April 28, 2018

Bicentennial Park

## upcoming meetings

March 26, 2018

**NO MEETING**

*Reno Mardi Gras*

April 2, 2018

**Alan Olive**

*CEO N. NV. Medical Center*

April 9, 2018

**Professor Debra Modellmog UNR**

*Education and Liberal Arts*



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## Reno Mardi Gras Minute:

Reno Mardi Gras is our club's **largest fundraiser** and generated almost 50% of the \$193,000 Rotary Club of Reno donated in 2016-2017 to community and global service projects.

And, it's a great party with tons of food, wine, beer, spirits, entertainment and a can't-be-beat silent auction!

This year's event will be held on Saturday, March 24 at the Downtown Reno Ballroom. General admission is from 7-10 p.m. and from 6-7 p.m. we'll hold an exclusive pre-party for sponsors and special guest.

All the details, ticket sales, silent auction donation and more are available on our website: [mardigrasreno.com](http://mardigrasreno.com).

We hope you're planning to join us for this fantastic celebration! Here's some final details to keep in mind:

- Don't forget your **two bottles of wine** for the wheelbarrow wine raffle! You'll be able to drop your bottles off right when you walk in the room.
- Check out our **incredible silent auction!** You may have already received your personalized link via email. Look for a message sent from "noreply@ggo.mobi." In that message will be a link that's just for you! Click it and start bidding. If you haven't received a link, visit [tiny.cc/mgregister](http://tiny.cc/mgregister) and register to bid!
- There will be a limited amount of **parking** available early in the evening in the National Bowling Stadium (located on 4th Street across from the Event Center's south wall). If you arrive later in the evening, park in the Silver Legacy or Eldorado. Taking a cab or Lyft is also a good idea!
- If you haven't picked up your **wristbands** for entry at a Rotary luncheon, you need to go to Will Call when you arrive. When you arrive at the Reno Ballroom, you can enter from either the southeast or southwestdoors.

Laissez les bons temps rouler!

Thank you for your support and help! We really appreciate it!

If you need help or have questions, please contact any of the following people:

### Mary Brock:

[brockm9146@sbcglobal.net](mailto:brockm9146@sbcglobal.net) or 775-232-3073

### Annie Flanzraich:

[annie@flanzwrites.com](mailto:annie@flanzwrites.com) or 775-230-6839

**PLEASE ATTEND AND VOTE:**

**ELECTIONS FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
WILL BE MARCH 19TH**

For the coming Rotary year, which begins on July 1st, our club will elect three new members of the Board of Directors. Running for these three seats will be six great Rotary members. The elections will take place at our regular membership meeting on Monday, March 19th. Please attend and vote.

Thanks to the following Board members whose terms will be finished as of June 31st: Diana Hoffman, Gary Warren and Maria Sheehan. Your service is appreciated.

The following six members have stepped up to run for the three Board seats: Tom Hall, Liza Maupin, Dan Nichols, Grace Nichols and Jim Urmston. Diana Hoffman is running for a second term, as she serves on the present Board of Directors.

The nominating committee included: Rew Goodenow, Pat Horgan, Bill Matthews, Marlene Olsen and Stefanie Scoppettone. They considered the following criteria when contacting potential Board members: be willing to chair a major club committee. be able to attend all Board meetings, be familiar with Club functions and assist where needed. Other requirements include at least three years of club membership and have good club meeting attendance.

Don't forget to attend March 19th and vote for the new Board of Directors.

**LAST MEETING VOLUNTEERS**

Scanner: .....Zanny Marsh  
Greeter: ..... Ryan Hart  
Raffle Tickets: ..... John Kadlic  
Invocation:.....Debe Fennell  
Pledge: ..... Cate Keggs  
Sgt. At Arms:..... Gayle Sherman  
Sgt. At Arms:..... Mark Meich  
Photographer:..... Dan Nichols  
Piano: ..... Genie Mathews

**HONOR ROLL**

Bill Boon ..... \$500  
Corry Castaneda ..... \$100  
Dick Gammick ..... \$500  
Mariluz Garcia ..... \$100  
Laurie Leonard ..... \$200  
Kim Mazeres..... \$500  
Jim Pfrommer ..... \$600  
Bob Rusk ..... \$500

**MEMBERSHIP MINUTE**

**PEANUT or PLAIN? DICK vs DENNY?**

Don't forget to invite your friends and colleagues who would be good potential members to a club meeting or event. You'll be rewarded by a large bag of M&M's (because "Membership Matters.") If they join, your team, captained by Dick Gammick or Denny Williams, will score a point toward our Membership Competition. We can't wait to hear what our team captains pick think of for each other for winning this competition. It should be hilarious!



The Rotary Club of Reno was chartered August 1, 1916. In the past year, we donated over \$94,000 to local projects, and gave hundreds of hours of volunteer service to our community. Learn more about our club at: [www.renorotaryclub.org](http://www.renorotaryclub.org). Join us to make the world a better place!

## LAST MEETING PICTURES



President Bill (left) and Charlie Dodson (second from right) present a plaque to **Linda Clift** in honor of her late husband Dr. Bob Clift for all the work he had accomplished on the Panama Orphanage project where that plaque will be hung in the new hospital. Kurt Mische (right) presented another plaque for the hours and hours of work and the donations of books that Dr. Bob made possible to Lemelson STEM Academy Elementary School. The principal will be naming their school library in Dr. Bob's honor.



The winners of the Speech Contest (all from Reno High School) flanked by Mariluz Garcia on the left and Susan Mayes-Smith on the right. From left to right is 2nd place Kathy Morse, 1st place winner Samantha Clements, and 3rd place winner Chloe Kinerson.



## FOOD BANK PICTURES

We packed 27,600 pounds of food into boxes for elderly people. 22 rotarians and guests participated.



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APPLY TODAY FOR THE

# ROTARY DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT:

**\$3,000**

CLUB APPLICATION DEADLINE:

**APRIL 2, 2018**

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.

**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](http://www.rotarydistrict5190.org) 1. Click The Rotary Foundation 2. Click Global & District Scholarships

**REVIEW - DISTRICT & GLOBAL GUIDELINES/IDEAL CANDIDATE**

**THEN EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION TO:**

Loretta Bonilla [lbonilla@frontofficestaff.com](mailto:lbonilla@frontofficestaff.com)

*Rotary's conflict-of-interest policy related to individuals receiving grant funds requires that the applicant does not fit in any of the categories below: Rotarian, including honorary Rotarian, employee of a club, district, or other Rotary entity, or of Rotary International; spouse, lineal descendant (child or grandchild by blood, legal adoption, or marriage without adoption); spouse of lineal descendants; or ancestor (parent or grandparent by blood) of person(s); employee of an agency, organization, or institution that partners with The Rotary Foundation or Rotary International; former Rotarian or honorary Rotarian who has terminated membership within the preceding 36 months; person who is ineligible based on family relationship to a former Rotarian or honorary Rotarian, for a period of 36 months after termination of family member's membership.*

## WHAT IS ROTARY?

Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who come together to make positive, lasting change in communities at home and abroad.

Solving real problems takes real commitment and vision. For more than 110 years, Rotary members have used their passion, energy, and intelligence to take action on sustainable projects. From literacy and peace to water and health, we are always working to better our world, and we stay committed to the end.

### 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 4 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](mailto: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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