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

MONDAY'S PROGRAM

Rear Admiral Gregory Harris

Outdated Aircraft

Rear Adm. (Sel) Harris is a native of Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, and a 1987 graduate of the United States Naval Academy. He was designated a naval flight officer in May 1989 and subsequently a naval aviator in May 1993.

Prior command tours include Carrier Air Wing (CVW) 11 embarked on USS Nimitz (CVN 68), the FA-18 E/F series Fleet Replacement Squadron (FRS) Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 122 onboard Naval Air Station Lemoore, and Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 115, embarked on USS Ronald Reagan (CVN 76).

Harris' sea tours include Attack Squadron (VA) 185 aboard USS Midway (CV-41), Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 22 with deployments aboard the USS Abraham Lincoln (CVN 72) and USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63), and as department head with Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 115 aboard USS Abraham Lincoln (CVN 72).

Ashore, Harris' tours include VFA-125 as an Instructor Pilot and Training Officer, U.S. Special Operations Command, where he served in the Center for Special Operations, Training, Doctrine and Education Division, Commander Strike Force Training Pacific to serve as the Air Operations and Plans Officer, a brief assignment as a Battle Director, Combined Air and Space Operating Center, in support of Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom, OPNAV N3/N5 as the Deputy Director Air-Sea Battle, and most recently at OPNAV N98 as the Carrier Strike Aircraft & Programs Branch Head (OPNAV N980S).

He has accumulated over 4,200 flight hours, 1,045 arrested landings and has flown over 100 combat missions in direct support of Operations

Desert Shield, Desert Storm, Southern Watch, Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom.

Harris' personal awards include the Legion of Merit (two awards), Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (three awards), Air Medal (six Strike/Flight, one with Combat "V"), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (four awards, one with Combat "V"), Joint Service Achievement Medal, and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (two awards), as well as various other campaign and unit awards.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit www.renorotary.org to sign up

Loyalton Rotary BBQ

August 17, 2017

Loyalton Rotary Park

Annual Rotary BBQ

August 28, 2017 - 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Bartley Ranch

upcoming meetings

July 17, 2017

President Bill and Committee Chairs

President Bill's Agenda for the New Rotary Year

July 24, 2017

Kevin Carmen

Nevada FIT Program

August 7, 2017

Janet Phillips

Tahoe- Pyramid Bikeway Update



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MEMBER PROFILE

Stefanie Scoppettone

Stefanie was born in New York and grew up in northern California, where she graduated from UC Berkeley, and later worked at San Jose



State in information systems while earning a master's degree at SJSU in English. She is also a proud graduate of UNR, earning a Ph.D. in 1996, also in English.

For almost 30 years Stefanie worked in the computer industry, first as a programmer/analyst and then in large account sales at the Burroughs Corporation, which later became Unisys. Her role was in sales and large account management, maintaining long-term customer relationships for both public and private sector accounts in Nevada, California and Oregon. Some of these efforts required multi-year systems development, installation, and implementation schedules, and numerous subcontractors.

Stefanie's second and very rewarding career was as a fundraiser and development officer. She worked at UNR at the Business College when Mike Reed was Dean, and for six years for the Health Sciences Division and the School of Medicine, where she assisted in completing the campaign for the William N. Pennington Health Sciences Building. She retired from UNR in 2013, and continues to provide consulting services to several local nonprofit organizations.

Stefanie is a runner, reader, and enthusiastic traveler. She came to Nevada in 1977 to marry Gary Scoppettone, and they will celebrate their 40th anniversary this October.

LAST MEETING PICTURES



George Golbov receives his first Paul Harris Fellow award from President Craig.



Two great non-club members **Simon Brown** (left) and **Mike Alger** (center) are awarded Paul Harris Fellow awards for their services to Rotary by President Craig. Simon headed up our largest and best ever Mardi Gras Wine project this last year and Mike Alger headed up a special project in Guatemala to install over 100 self-contained and vented stoves in village houses in the most remote parts of Guatemala which prior to this project the occupants did all their cooking on open fires in the homes, suffering significant health issues due to the smoke.

LAST MEETING VOLUNTEERS

Scanner: Linda Powers
 Greeter: Jerry Hall
 Raffle Tickets: John Kadlic
 Invocation: Vic Bucher
 Pledge: Liza Maupin
 Sgt. At Arms: Kevin Melcher
 Sgt. At Arms: Phil Mahoney
 Photographer: Dan Nichols
 Piano: Genie Mathews

HONOR ROLL

Curt Chapman \$300
 Charlie Dodson \$200
 Pat Horgan \$100



President Craig in his last official meeting presents the Law Enforcement award to Reno Police Department Officer **Travis Orange** (center). Reno Police Department Sergeant Alan Sauter is on the right.



President Craig presents **David Spillers** with the Reno Rotary Club Member of the Month award – Well deserved David!

ROTARY CLUB OF LOYALTON'S ANNUAL LAMB BARBEQUE

Thursday, August 17, 2017

Loyalton Rotary Park

Cocktails – 5:00 pm Dinner – 6:00 pm

Dinner is \$20.00 (payable at the event) and \$10.00 for the bus ride, which can be billed to the club.

Come one, come all to the Rotary Club of Loyalton's Annual Lamb Barbeque. A fantastic night of fellowship; the traditional barbeque lamb, as well as chicken, beans, salad and bread, libations, and music, and all in the wonderful Sierra Valley where the night skies are absolutely perfect for star gazing. You may even spot our District Governor and a few Past Governor's as well.

Be sure to bring a jacket, as it cools down when the sun sets.

We depart at 4:15 sharp from KNPB (lower lot), and return at approximately 9:00 pm

You can sign up through ClubRunner or contact chair Blake Howe:

bhowe@funeraltrust.org

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. 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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