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

MONDAY'S PROGRAM

Lee Dillard

V. P. and G.M. Harrah's Reno



Lee Dillard joined Harrah's Reno as General Manager in August, bringing with him a wealth of knowledge and experience to help guide the property as Reno experiences a

true re-birth.

Lee joined the company in May 2000 as the Assistant Director of Finance at Harrah's Cherokee and was promoted to VP of Finance in March 2004. During that time Lee led two casino expansions, improved service scores and helped achieved double digit growth in EBITDA.

In May of 2005, Lee moved to Northwest Louisiana where he was the VP of Finance for Horseshoe Bossier City and Harrah's Louisiana Downs. During his 6 years in Bossier City, Lee held roles with respect to Casino Marketing and Operations for both properties where he gained a true understanding of the Horseshoe brand.

In 2011, he re-located to Cleveland, OH to be GM of Thistledown and VP of Finance for the opening of Horseshoe Cleveland. In October 2012, he moved to Tunica, MS to lead finance for the properties there. While there, he was promoted to AGM in January 2014. During his time in the Tunica market, the properties maintained the position of first in the market and exceeded goals in both financial and customer service results.

Lee currently serves as Chair of the state of MS Casino Association.

Lee and his wife Cyndi are active in the community with a passion for serving children's hospitals. Lee also has two daughters Jordan 22 and Natalie 19.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit www.renorotary.org to sign up

Bulb Planting Party

October 28, 2017 - 8:00 am to 12:00 pm
Rotary Sculpture Garden

Rotary Means Business

November 8, 2017 - 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm
Front Office Staff

Mystery Bus Trip

November 17, 2017 - 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm
Northern Nevada or Northern California

Family Holiday Party

December 4, 2017 - 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm
Harrah's

upcoming meetings

November 6, 2017

Dr. Braimah Apambire and Dr. Gianluca Bonanno
Rotary Foundation

November 13, 2017

PDG Steve Lewis
Bigger, Better, Bolder

November 20, 2017

Sharon Chamberlain
Northern Nevada HOPES



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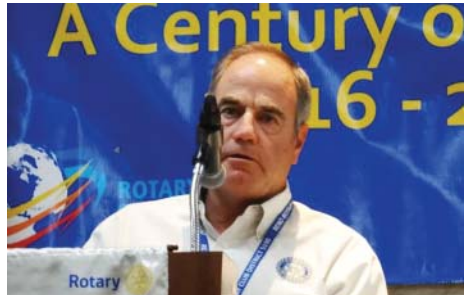
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LAST MEETING PICTURES



*The best of the day! Two new members being inducted into the Club. President Bill inducts **Pat Cashell** (second from left) with his sponsor Sue Sadler and **Ty Whitaker** (second from right) with his sponsor Corry Castaneda (right). Congratulations to Pat and Ty for joining our Club.*



*Our President Elect **Phil Mahoney** provides a Rotary Minute on Polio Plus and how far Rotary has come since taking on the responsibility of eradicating Polio. Started in 1986, Rotary has raised over \$1,300,000,000 (yeah – that billion) when there were hundreds of thousands of cases of Polio. Over the last 30 years, Rotary, the Gates Foundation and Non-Government Organizations have driven that horrible Polio count down to 10 this year, with the only active cases in Pakistan and Afghanistan. But, we still have a way to go, because until we eliminate ALL active polio cases they will exponentially reoccur.*



*President Bill presents the Rotary Club of Reno Law Enforcement Award to Washoe County Deputy Sheriff **Natasha Rickey**, for her life saving response to a call about a drowned infant that was ultimately saved through her outstanding efforts. Deputy Natasha's supervisor, Sergeant Armando Avina, introduced her and told the story. Past President and former District Attorney **Dick Gammick** (right) extends his congratulations also.*

ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

November 4, 2017

CVirtual, 155 Cadillac Place, Reno, NV

(Registration and Coffee begin at 8:30 am.
The Training will begin promptly at 9:00 am.)

Come and Learn About:

- Leadership
- Rotary District 5190
- Ethics
- The Rotary Foundation
- Service Projects
- Engaging Members
- Strategic Planning
- Team Building
- Club Communication
- Attracting New Members

Register Now! www.rotarydistrict5190.org

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ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS

Nov 08, 2017 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM

Front Office Staff

1755 East.Plumb Lane, Ste. 118

Would you like to get to know your fellow local Rotarians better? And let them get to know you better?

Come join Rotarians from all of Reno and Sparks at Rotary Means Business, hosted by our own Loretta Bonilla, at her business, Front Office Staff. You can expect wine, beverages, and delicious food catered by Fig Tree Catering.

There is no fee (THANKS, Loretta!) but please rsvp by Monday, Nov. 6 at 5 PM so we can have the right amount of food and wine.

Our members have asked us for ways to network and socialize more so please come if you can. It just won't be as much fun without you there!

LAST MEETING VOLUNTEERS

Scanner: Mary Brock
Greeter: Kris Wells
Raffle Tickets: John Kadlic
Invocation: Jessie Greer
Pledge: Debe Fennell
Sgt. At Arms: Olivia Tearnan
Sgt. At Arms: Andrea Cantlon
Photographer: Dan Nichols
Piano: Genie Mathews

HONOR ROLL

Harvey Fennell	\$500
Dick Gammick	\$100
George Golbov	\$100
Rew Goodenow	\$100
Vinnie Lucido	\$100
Kim Mazeres	\$200
Mark Meich	\$100
Kevin Melcher	\$100
Dan Nichols	\$100
Jim Urmstron	\$100



Past Rotary International Vice President **Jerry Hall** was a guest of Joe Hart on KSNV-TV Channel 3. Jerry did a fantastic job of telling Rotary's story of polio eradication and informed the public about World Polio Day! Thank you Jerry Hall for representing all Rotarians in our quest to end polio. Caption and photo by Randi Rascati.

At Monday's meeting, the Club will be awarding \$36,000 in grants to eight non-profit entities. At a previous meeting, the Club awarded Bridges Out of Poverty, \$2,500, bringing the total awarded to date to \$38,500 for local projects and programs.

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. 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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