

THE Renotarian



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We Meet on Monday's at noon at the Atlantis Casino Resort

Monday's Program

**Carolyn Dondero and
Lorie Schaefer**
Assistance League

AssistanceLeague® Reno-Sparks is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit devoted to helping those in need within our community by serving children, seniors, veterans and victims of abuse. Our all-volunteer organization operates 11 philanthropic programs such as Operation School Bell (providing school clothing for elementary and middle students), Veterans (supporting homeless veterans, as well as those in community settings), and Food Pantry (distributing groceries to low income seniors at the Senior Center, Indian Colony, and to

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Upcoming Events

Rotary Club of Reno Board Meeting
November 19, 2024 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Dickson Commercial Group

Reno Rotary Foundation Board Meeting
November 21 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Dickson Commercial Group

Membership Information

Please contact **Shenea Strader** at shenea.strader@gmail.com if you have any membership questions or need information about joining our club.



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Upcoming Speakers

Phil Mahoney
November 25, 2024
International Projects

Pat Hickey
December 2, 2024
Here and Hereafter

Dan Lee
December 9, 2024
Hasty Team

**The Rotary Club of Reno
Officers and Directors**

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 Sunshine Stefanie Scoppettone
 Vocational John Tatum
 Youth Services Kim Mazeres, Jon Olsen

Reno Rotary Foundation

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Newsletter/Website

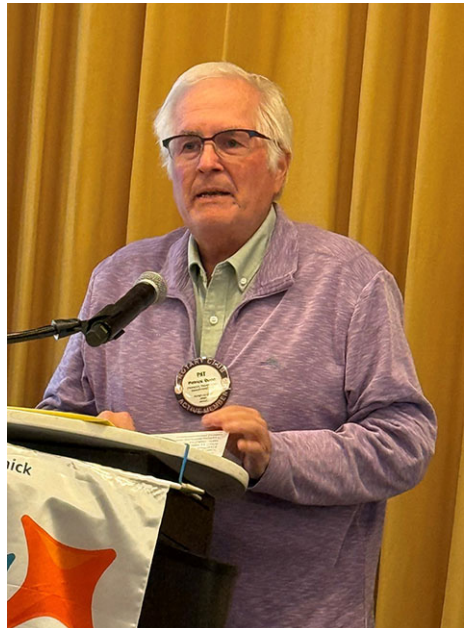
David Spillers Newsletter Editor
 Julie Griffiths Web-master
 Alex Phillips Web-master
 Oliver Grosz Reno Rotary Roundup

Last Meeting Volunteers

Thought of the Day:..... Pat Dunn
 Pledge: Andrea Cantlon
 Scanner Judy Maruszko
 Sergeant At Arms Kim Mazeres
 Cashier Christine Barnicki
 Photographer..... Chesa Keane
 Raffle Stacy Asteriadis
 Secretary David Spillers
 Set Up/Take Down Carl Fuetsch

Honor Roll

Rew Goodenow \$100



Pat Dunn gives the Thought of the Day at our last meeting.

Sunshine Report Contact Information

If you have any information about yourself or fellow Rotarians that you would like announced at the weekly meeting, please contact **Stefanie Scoppettone** at: scops@unr.edu, **Mike Blakely** at mdblakely@charter.net, or **Pat Horgan** at horganpat@gmail.com.



Reno Rotarians at the Food Bank on 11-2-24. We packed over 10,000 pounds of food! Thank you **Vanda Tarlea** for organizing the event!

Assistance League

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those homebound). Our thrift shop at 1701 Vassar in Reno is the primary source of income for our programs and we are proud to say what we make here stays here in the Reno-Sparks community.

Lori Schaefer

Lorie has lived and worked in Northern Nevada for over forty years. For many years she taught in the Carson City School District. During that time she also contributed to the weekly Fresh Ideas column in Carson City's Nevada Appeal. Retired now, she lives in Reno with her husband where she spends her time avoiding house-



work by reading, writing, and watching her granddaughter grow up way too fast. Lorie serves on the Assistance League board and is the Marketing Committee chairperson.

Carolyn Dondero

Carolyn Dondero, M. Ed., is a fourth generation Nevadan who retired from 31 years of teaching high school English in Southern California. She also taught 17 years in Nevada. Carolyn is affiliated with Assistance League and P.E.O. Her purpose is to contribute to community and support human rights. She is a reading grandmother with AL



Collection Bin at the Meeting



OUR PLACE

UNLOCKING A BETTER TOMORROW

OUR Place is the largest emergency housing provider for women and families in our community. We provide shelter and wrap around services for 138 women, 38 families, 28 seniors, and all of their animal companions every day.

Items always needed:

- Tampons/Pads
- Infant/Adult Diapers
- Baby Wipes
- Hand/Body Lotion
- Chap Stick/Lip Balms
- Beauty Supplies
- Deodorants
- Razors/Shaving Cream or Gel
- Combs/Brushes
- Cold weather clothing for women/children
- Women's underwear any size
- Bras any size
- Shoes/boots (no heels)

Notes

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?

Rotary started with the vision of one man — Paul Harris. The Chicago attorney formed the Rotary Club of Chicago on 23 February 1905, so professionals with diverse backgrounds could exchange ideas, form meaningful, lifelong friendships, and give back to their communities.



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