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MONDAY'S PROGRAM

Rew Goodenow

The U.S. Fulbright Specialist Program



Mr. Goodenow is a shareholder and a former director in the law firm of Parsons Behle & Latimer. His practice includes commercial and corporate transactions, mining, contract advice and drafting, corporate litigation and insolvency work for a wide range of local, statewide, national, and international clients. Mr. Goodenow authored Nevada's original limited liability company act and the book Nevada Business Entities. He assists both acquirors and target companies in the legal aspects of due diligence investigations, particularly in the mining industry. During 2006 and 2007, Mr. Goodenow served as president of the State Bar of Nevada. He is also Past-President of the National Conference of Bar Presidents. He currently serves as outside general counsel to the Board of Governors of the State Bar of Nevada and the National Judicial College. He has served as president of the Fellows of the American Bar Foundation and as a member of the Board of Visitors of the National Judicial College.

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November is Rotary Foundation Month

UPCOMING EVENTS

Rotary Club of Reno Board Meeting
November 17, 2026 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Dickson Realty Caughlin Ranch Office

Reno Rotary Foundation Board Meeting
November 19, 2026 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Dickson Realty Caughlin Ranch Office

Reno Rotary Holiday Party
December 14, 2026
Lunch meeting - Atlantis

OUR Place Holiday Dinner
December 21, 2026 | 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
OUR Place Shelter

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

Devon Reese
November 16, 2026
Data Centers in Reno

No Meeting
November 23, 2026

Taylor Adams
November 30, 2026
Northern NV Now

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

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF RENO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Julie Griffiths ..... President
Andrea Cantlon ..... President Elect
Mark Growdon .. Ex-officio Past President
David Spillers ..... Secretary
Kathy Fraser ..... Treasurer
Christine Barnicki ..... Director
Mark Cameron ..... Director
Sarah Elliott ..... Director
Julie Griffiths ..... Director
Chesa Keane ..... Director
Shenea Strader ..... Director

Committee Chairs

Club Administration ..... David Spillers
Community Service ..... Mark Cameron
Finance ..... Kathy Fraser
Fundraising ..... Judy Coleman
Fundraising ..... Tony Padavich
International Projects .... Colburn Shindel
Vanda Tarlea
Membership ..... Shenea Strader
Programs ..... Sarah Elliott
Social ..... Christine Barnicki
Sunshine ..... Stefanie Scoppettone
Vocational ..... Chuck Lutz
Youth Services ..... Chesa Keane

Reno Rotary Foundation

Steve Kent ..... President
Oliver Grosz ..... Vice President
Alex Phillips ..... Treasurer
Gary Warren ..... Secretary
Julie Griffiths .... Ex-officio RCR President
Stacy Asteriadis ..... Trustee
Dave Gallagher ..... Trustee
Chris Gaub ..... Trustee
Phil Mahoney ..... Trustee
Mike Young ..... Investments

Club Communication

David Spillers ..... Newsletter Editor
Brenda Tomburello ..... Webmaster

LAST MEETING VOLUNTEERS

Thought of the Day ..... Chesa Keane
Pledge ..... Andrea Cantlon
Scanner ..... Maria Sheehan
Sergeant At Arms ..... Mark Cameron
Cashier ..... Stacy Asteriadis
Photographer ..... Chesa Keane
Raffle ..... Taalut Boisson

HONOR ROLL

Kathy Fraser $100
Tom Hall $100
Chesa Keane $100
Judy Maruszko $100
Craig Wesner $100

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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During the Spring of 2026, Mr. Goodenow spent a month as a Fulbright Specialist, teaching international business transactions, mediation and arbitration and mining law at the Institut des Relations Internationales du Cameroun (IRIC).

Mr. Goodenow received his law degree from the University of Iowa, College of Law in 1988, where he was an editor of the Iowa Law Review. His undergraduate degree is from Tulane University of New Orleans, Louisiana. Mr. Goodenow practices with the philosophy that in order to be a competent transaction lawyer, you have to know your way to the courthouse.



Lu Boisson *received his blue badge from President Julie. Congratulations, Lu!*



Vicki Puliz, Vice Chair of The Rotary Foundation, was our speaker last week.



Jerry and Tasha Hall *receive Major Donor Level 3 recognition from The Rotary Foundation. Vicki Puliz, Vice Chair of The Rotary Foundation, presented the award. Congratulations Jerry and Tasha!*

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ROTARY FIRSTS

Rotary established the Rotary Endowment Fund in 1917, which became the forerunner of The Rotary Foundation.

Rotary first established the Paul Harris Fellow Recognition in 1957 for contributions of $1,000 to The Rotary Foundation.

The first Rotary club banner to orbit the moon was carried by astronaut club member Frank Borman on the Apollo flight in 1968.

The first head of state to address an RI Convention was President Warren G. Harding in 1923, at St. Louis, Missouri.

Source: The ABCs of Rotary

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CREATE LASTING IMPACT

Rotary
PEOPLE OF ACTION

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

- **first** — Is it the **TRUTH**?
- **second** — Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- **third** — Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- **fourth** — Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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