# THE Renotarian









Chartered August 1, 1916 | Volume 41, No. 22 | December 11, 2023 We Meet on Monday's at noon at the Atlantis Casino Resort

## Monday's Program Kim Schweickert

OUR Place



Kim began her career at Washoe County in 2001 at the District Attorney's office running the Child Abuse Response and Evaluations (CARES) and Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) programs. During that time, she expanded the program

to include the addition of a Medical Director and 15 additional SANE Nurses. She was also the President of the Nevada Coalition Against Sexual Violence for 2 years.

In 2007 Kim moved over to Washoe County Social Services, now called Washoe County Human Services Agency. For the next 12 years Kim supervised various programs to include the medical unit, domestic violence advocates, human services support specialists, the visitation and transportation programs, and the case workers at thehomeless family shelter. She was also the President of Northern Nevada RAVE family foundation and the Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Task Force and served as a board member of Crisis Call Center, Prevent

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#### You can join us with Zoom: CLICK HERE TO JOIN MEETING

#### **New Meeting Location**

The Atlantis Casino Resort 3800 S. Virginia St., Reno NV 89502 Treasures Ballroom, 2nd Floor

**December is**Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

#### **Upcoming Events**

Rotary Club of Reno Christmas Party
December 18, 2023
Monday Meeting at the Atlantis

Rotary Club of Reno Board Meeting December 19, 2023 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Sunshine Litigation

#### **Upcoming Speakers**

Christmas Meeting December 18, 2023

No Meeting December 25, 2023

No Meeting January 1, 2023

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### The Rotary Club of Reno Officers and Directors

David SpillersPresiden	
Laurie Leonard	
Carl Fuetsch Ex	ecutive Secretary
Kevin Melcher	Treasurer
Kirk Allaire	Director
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Andrea Cantlon Direct	
Jim Endres	Director
Julie Griffiths	Director
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#### **Committee Chairs**

Club Administration	on Carl Fuetsch
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Programs Deb	e Fennell, Jim Endres
SunshineS	itefanie Scoppettone
Vocational	John Tatum
Youth Services Ki	m Mazeres Ion Olsen

#### **Reno Rotary Foundation**

Mike Blakely	President
Corry Castaneda Ex-off	icio RRF P. Pres.
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#### Newsletter/Website

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

#### **Last Meeting Volunteers**

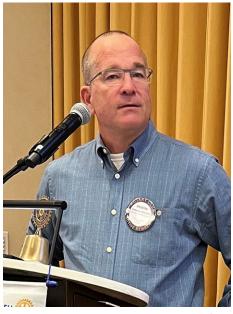
Thought of the Day:	Colburn Shindell
Pledge:	Chesa Keane
Scanner	.Anne-Louise Bennett
Sergeant At Arms	Andrea Cantlon
Cashier	Pat Horgan
Photographer	Karen Grosz
Raffle	Anne-Louise Bennett
Secretary	Carl Fuetsch
Set Up/Take Down	Anne-Louise Bennett
Set Up/Take Down	Carl Fuetsch
Set Up/Take Down	Mike Blakely

#### **Honor Roll**

William Dailey	\$100
Brooks Mancini	\$100

We can complain because rose bushes have thorns, or rejoice because thorn bushes have roses.

Abraham Lincoln



**Colburn Shindell** gives the Thought of the Day at our last meeting. Thank you, Colburn!

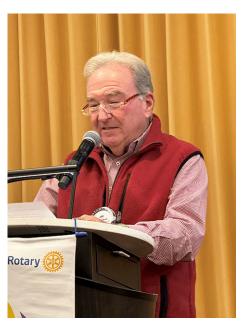
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#### ROTARY CHRISTMAS PARTY Monday, DECEMBER 18, 2023

Now that we all survived Thanksgiving, it is time to plan some Christmas fun!! Ho, Ho, Ho, let's have a party...unfortunately, it will be a buffet lunch, so the hardest drinks served will be coffee....feel free to bring a flask carefully hidden...sshh. We will have songs, possibly music, and a couple of games where guests can win prizes. The main event will be the funfilled gift exchange. Only those who bring a wrapped gift can participate and to leave with one as well. Value \$20-\$25.00. Please RSVP so we can get an accurate head count for the Atlantis.

Happy Holidays!





**Jim Endres** introduces our speaker at our last meeting. Thank you Jim!

#### Kim Schweickert

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Child Abuse Nevada, and the Alliance for Victim's Rights.

Currently, Kim is the Coordinator over OUR Place, a campus serving individual women and families experiencing homelessness. Kim served as the project lead during construction for design of the campus and buildings, as well as, purchasing and installing all the furnishings, bedding, décor, etc. Kim developed the policies and procedures for OUR Place, hired and supervises the Human Services Agency staff on the campus and manages the RISE operator contract for over 80 employees. Kim also supervises the Victim Advocate program within Human Services Agency and serves as the Co-Chair of the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team, a position she has held for 7 years.



#### **Membership Information**

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

#### **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@ymail.com.

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# Notes

#### Rotary 4



#### People of Action

Rotary is where neighbors, friends, and problem-solvers share ideas, join leaders, and take action to create lasting change.

#### WE CONNECT PEOPLE

Rotary unites more than a million people

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves

#### WE TRANSFORM COMMUNITIES

We take action locally and globally

Each day, our members pour their passion, integrity, and intelligence into completing projects that have a lasting impact. We persevere until we deliver real, lasting solutions.

#### WE SOLVE PROBLEMS

No challenge is too big for us

For more than 110 years, we've bridged cultures and connected continents to champion peace, fight illiteracy and poverty, promote clean water and sanitation, and fight disease.

# the 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.

