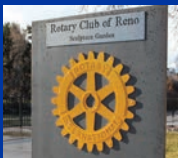


THE Renotarian

Rotary
Club of Reno



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

Monday's Program

Jorge Montano-Figuero

Safe Kids



Jorge Montano-Figuero, RN, BSN, is a Pediatric Injury Prevention Specialist for Renown Hospital, and is the Coalition Coordinator for

Safe Kids Washoe County. Safe Kids Washoe County is led by Renown Health, which provides dedicated and caring staff, operation support and other resources to assist in achieving our common goal: keeping your kids safe. Based on the needs of the community, this coalition implements evidence-based programs, such as car-seat checkups, safety workshops and sports clinics, that help parents and caregivers prevent childhood injuries.

**SAFE
KIDS**
WASHOE COUNTY

**August is Membership and
Extension Month**

Upcoming Events

Rotary Club of Reno Board Meeting

August 19, 2025 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Dickson Realty Caughlin Ranch Office

Reno Rotary Foundation Board Meeting

August 21 | 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Dickson Commercial Group

Lemelson STEM Academy BBQ

August 23 | 10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Lemelson Stem Academy

Urban Roots Off-Site Rotary Lunch Meeting

August 25 | 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Urban Roots Location

Petroglyph Outing

September 14 | 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Meet at The Summit Mall before 9:00 AM

Fall Festival

October 14 | 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

The J Resort Glow Plaza

Upcoming Speakers

Zach Shellhammer

August 25, 2025

Off-site meeting at Urban Roots

No Meeting

September 1, 2025

Labor Day Holiday

The Rotary Club of Reno Officers and Directors

Mark Growdon	President
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Mark Cameron	Director
Andrea Cantlon	Director
Pat Dunn	Director
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Julie Griffiths	Director
Chesa Keane	Director
Shenea Strader	Director

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Youth Services	Chesa Keane

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Gary Warren	Trustee
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John Spears	Investments

Newsletter/Website

David Spillers	Newsletter Editor
Pat Dunn	Web-master

Last Meeting Volunteers

Thought of the Day:	David Spillers
Pledge:	Andrea Cantlon
Scanner	Chuck Lutz
Sergeant At Arms	Judy Maruszko
Cashier	Tony Padavich
Photographer	Chesa Keane
Raffle	Steve Kent
Set Up/Takedown	Carl Fuetsch

Honor Roll

Christine Barnicki	\$100
Mark Cameron	\$100
Judy Coleman	\$1,000
Pat Dunn	\$200
Carl Fuetsch	\$500
Mark Growdon	\$100
Jerry Hall	\$100
Paul Havas	\$200
Steve Kent	\$200
Brooks Mancini	\$100



Ron Smith, with the Reno Balloon Races, was our speaker last week.



Urban Roots Off-Site Rotary Meeting

Aug. 25, 2025 12:00 p.m. - Aug. 25, 2025 1:30 p.m.

\$35.00 per person. Play on ClubRunner or [Sign Up Here](#)

1700 East Second Street, Reno, NV 89502

Entrance is on Gould Street. Park in the lot across the street on Gould.

The Rotary Club of Reno is heading **off-site** for a special meeting at Urban Roots Teaching Farm - a local nonprofit dedicated to seed-to-table education for over 15 years!

Join us at NOON for a guided tour of the farm, an inside look at their impactful programs, and a delicious, locally-sourced lunch crafted by talented chefs using ingredients grown right on the farm.

Website: <http://UrbanRootsNV.org>

Reno Rotary Petroglyph Outing

Sep. 14, 2025 9:00 a.m. - Sep. 14, 2025 3:00 p.m.

Meet at The Summit Mall before 9:00 AM

13925 S Virginia St - Ride & Share Lot - Herz Blvd.

Sign up on ClubRunner, or [Sign Up Here](#)

Spend a day with fellow Rotarians four-wheeling and exploring famous Native American historic rock art in Storey County near Virginia City. Bring your lunch, water and hiking shoes and share the amazing history.

Honorable Guide: Craig Wesner
cwesner227@aol.com

We need Rotarians who have off-road vehicles, and are willing to transport fellow Rotarians; regular AWD or 4WD cars will not make it in the rough terrain.

Do you have off-road YES NO - Please advise Craig.

If answer YES, how many more passengers you can take?



Collection Bin at the Meeting



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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