

The Spoke Newsletter



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August 15th, 2022

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The Heart of the Gold Country



Spoke Notes
By
[Larry McGrath](#)

2022-2023 Theme

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Governor, District 5190

[Jeff Gabriel](#)

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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Past District Governor and International Service Chair, [Wyn Spiller](#), provided a presentation on the Rotary Global Grant Award and the ensuing project in Africa. Wyn Spiller, along with multiple Rotary members from various clubs, traveled to Bwindi, Uganda to aid in the transportation of additional equipment for a [newly contracted medical facility](#). She also observed program progress by giving professional guidance and mentorship to local personnel that may have been unfamiliar with the intricacies of a project of this magnitude.



Pres Sandra & PDG Wyn

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

August 22nd Club Meeting & Craft Talks
August 28th Club Meeting on [Toastmasters](#) w/ Viv Tipton
September 5th DARK for Labor Day
September 12th [Falls Prevention Coalition](#) - Hollie Grimaldi Flores

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

[BSM Triathlon](#) Volunteer Opportunity September 18th
Foundation Dinner @ [Miner's Foundry](#) March 9th
[Gold Country Challenge Bike Ride](#) June 3rd

IMPORTANT MEMBER DATES

August Birthdays

August Rotary Anniversaries

Steve Spiller	Aug 7th	George Grayeb	28 Years
Sandra Barrington	Aug 14th	Steve Spiller	20 Years
Scott P Browne	Aug 14th	Susan Fivelstad	12 Years
Susan Fivelstad	Aug 16th	Joshua Robinson	1 Year
George Grayeb	Aug 18th		
Marcia Salter	Aug 25th		
Carol Elizondo	Aug 29th		

August Anniversaries

George & Mary Grayeb	60 Years
Bob & Sharyl Long	49 Years
Tim & Marcia Salter	42 Years
Moe & Sherrie Allen	24 Years

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CONFESSIONS

- Larry Faller summarized school plans for his grandkids.
- Bob Long's oldest grandson starts at Boise State University
- Jon Byerrum shared the story about his granddaughter going to Vietnam for volunteer work, returning home, and very shortly thereafter leaving for Youth Exchange in Denmark.
- Kim Zwick played at the Pine Street Stand at Nevada County Fair.

[REGL](#) needs help transporting students to summer camp. The camp is quickly approaching! Please contact [Marcia Salter](#) if you're able to help out!

Thought of the Day

"Don't be discouraged, it's usually the last key in the bunch that opens the lock!" -Unknown Origin

Rotary Club of Grass Valley

P.O. Box 1213 Grass Valley, CA 95945

Meets @ the [Wild Eye Pub](#) on
Monday at 12:15 pm

Area 4 Rotary Clubs

[Penn Valley Rotary](#) meets @ [Players Pizza](#)
on every other Tuesday at 12 pm

[Grass Valley South](#) meets @ the [Litton Bldg](#)
on Tuesday at 7 am

[Nevada City Rotary](#) meets @ the [Litton Bldg](#)
on the 2nd & 4th of every Thursday at 12 pm
on the 1st & 3rd of every Thursday at 5:30 pm

[49er Rotary Breakfast Club](#) meets @ the
[Miners Foundry](#) on Wednesday at 7 - 8 am