

The Spoke Newsletter







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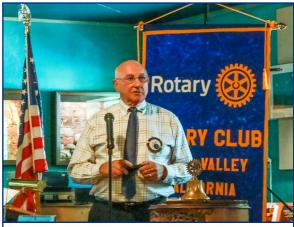
Jeff Gabriel

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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Gil Mathew was our guest speaker. He is a former Rotary President, member of Grass Valley 49er Club, and the Director of Nevada County Economic Resource Council (NCERC).

The ERC works to create value (increase GDP) for NC. It is a resource board for community businesses to assist in the set up and growth phase of a business. They also assist existing businesses with specific business needs, such as market research. Presenting the ERC with a business plan is one of the first steps to elicit their help. The ERC has partnership with 22 county organizations in their effort to grow this county.



Gil Mathew - NCERC Director



Marcia cheerfully hunting for the elusive black marble

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

September 5th	DARK for <u>Labor Day</u>	
September 12th	Falls Prevention Coalition	
September 19th	Sierra Youth & Families	

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

BSM Triathlon Volunteer Opportunity	September 18th
Foundation Dinner @ Miner's Foundry	March 9th
Gold Country Challenge Bike Ride	June 3rd , 2023

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

Sean Jackson reminded the audience of the Halloween BBQ drive through on October 29th & 30th at Lyman Gilmore School. Ed Pinto and Pat Ward will be co-chairing and will be seeking volunteers to support the event.

Larry Allen is setting up details of Casino Night and is in need of volunteers and auction items. Please reach out to Larry to help in set-up, gaming activities, and clean up.

Steve Spiller welcomes another Grandchild to his family!

Marcia Salter won the raffle and drew a white marble. We need more participation in this fund-raising activity, only \$7 in tickets were sold this week.

Rotary Club of Grass Valley

Area 4 Rotary Clubs

P.O. Box 1213 Grass Valley, CA 95945

Penn Valley Rotary meets @ Players Pizza on every other Tuesday at 12 pm

Nevada City Rotary meets @ The National **Exchange Hotel** on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 5:30pm & @ Bistro 221 on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 12:15pm - Please RSVP

Meets @ the Wild Eye Pub on Tuesday at 7 am

49er Rotary Breakfast Club meets @ the Miners Foundry on Wednesday at 7 - 8 am

on Monday at 12:15 pm

Grass Valley South meets @ the Litton Bldg



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ROTARY MINUTE



VIBRANT CLUB WORKSHOP

September 10, 2022 - 9:00 am - 2:00 pm (Coffee at 8:30!)
Truckee Meadows Community College
7000 Dandini Boulevard - Reno, Nevada

"The Vibrant Club - Trained Rotarians Building Better Communities"

MEMBERSHIP/HYBRID MEETINGS The Power of Community Leaders

- Engaging Hybrid Meetings -Live Demo & Making it Happen
- Effective Strategies for Welcoming, Attracting and Retaining Members

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION Leverage Financial Resources

- Leverage the Power -Demystifying Our Rotary Foundation
- · Successful District Grants A to Z
- Global Grants & Global Scholars -Be Inspired

PUBLIC IMAGE Promote People of Action

- · The Art of the Brand
- Best Social Media practices for clubs
- Fun Fellowships Telling Our Rotary Stories

PUBLIC SPEAKING Have Your Voice Heard

- Walk Away Feeling Confident -The How To of Public Speaking
- Feeling Confident Tips & Practice!

DISTRICT LEADERSHIPLead with Confidence

- · Opportunities To Serve
- · The Joy of Serving
- DG Information Session -Interested in becoming a DG?

REGISTER FOR VCW



Scan the QR code or click on the address link below to register for this event.

https://bit.ly/3KoTNJN

\$25.00 Fee Billed To Your Club

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