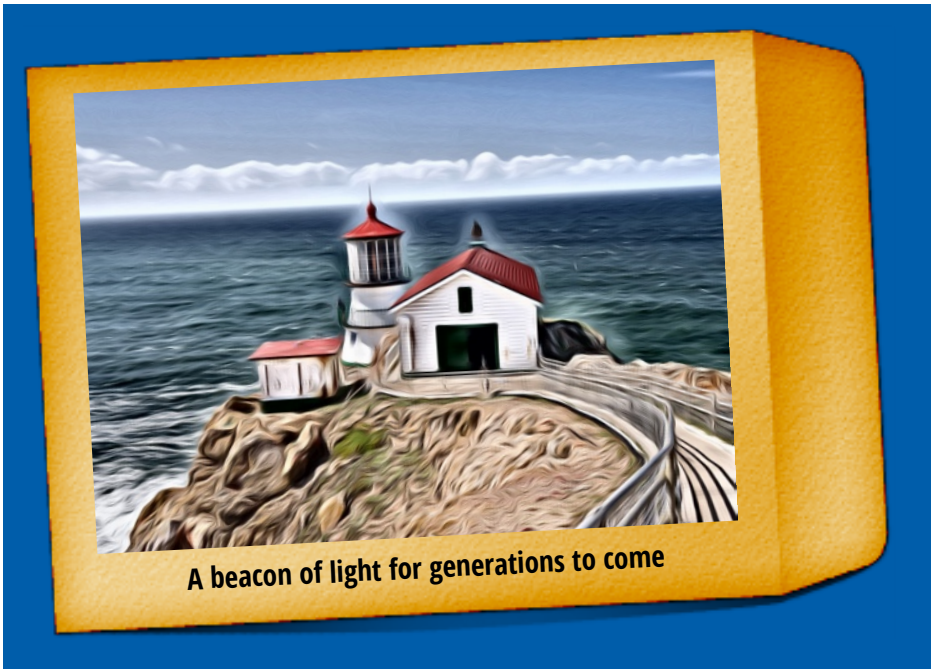




NEWSLETTER



Upcoming Events

Check out www.rotarydistrict5190.org for more event details

- April: Maternal and Child Health Month
- Apr 2: RLI III Session, Reno, NV
- Apr 8: Grant Management Training, Reno, NV
- Apr 8: [Paul Harris Society Dinner](#), Reno, NV
- Apr 9: [District 5190 Club Leadership Assembly](#), Reno, NV
- May 7: RLI I Session, Cameron Park, CA
- May 12: District Golf Tournament, Washoe Golf Course
- May 13-15: District 5190 Conference, Reno, NV



Coach's Corner

98% of District Service Grant Funds were spent by our clubs in their communities

District Conference

All you ever wanted to know about District Conference

D5190 is a Winner

Certificate of achievement for our Rotary Youth Exchange program

Membership Tip

How to personalize your new member induction ceremony

Foundation Tip

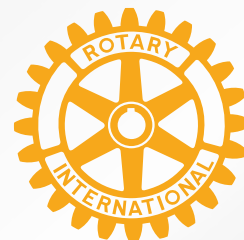
Updates on District Service Grants, grants management training, Club Spending Plans, and more



REGISTER FOR ROTARY DISTRICT 5190 CONFERENCE MAY 12 - 15, 2016



FIND OUT HOW TO GET A FREE WEBSITE



SIGN UP FOR THE CLUB LEADERSHIP ASSEMBLY AT WWW.ROTARYDISTRICT5190.ORG

COACH'S CORNER



Happy Spring and welcome to Rotary's celebration of Maternal and Child Health Month! With 3 months to go in our Rotary year, the momentum only continues to build. As of yesterday, 6 clubs in our District qualified for the Presidential Citation! Congratulations to: the Rotary Clubs of Alturas, Carson City, Plymouth Foothills, Reno, Reno

Central, and Sparks Centennial Sunrise. Receiving a District Governor's Citation for completing all categories except New Generations is the Rotary Club of Winnemucca. Congratulations to all clubs for striving for success and we look forward to presenting these awards at the District Conference in May! Let's not forget that our Interact clubs have until 15 April to report for the Presidential Citation.

On April 8 and 9, our annual get together at Club Leadership Assembly (CLA) at the Atlantis in Reno, NV will permit your club leaders and members an excellent opportunity to hone their leadership skills and share ideas with others in our District. Friday afternoon is Grant Management Training followed by the Paul Harris Society Dinner. Saturday will be a fun filled day of training and learning.

Later this month, the Council on Legislation will meet from 10 – 15 April. PDG Wyn Spiller has been keeping us informed and on track about this important 3 year occurrence and will make a special presentation at District Conference to let us know the outcome. Look for an email in May to inform your club of the exciting changes in flexibility for your clubs. And speaking of exciting: the District 5190 EClub is being chartered this month and we are having ongoing discussions about starting up a Passport Club in our District. If you are interested in learning about that, look up District 5180 Passport Club on Facebook. Their leadership has been generous in sharing their lessons learned as we move forward with another opportunity to broaden the Family of Rotary.

Some of us are signed up for the Rotary International Convention in Seoul, Korea, May 28 – 1 June and registration closes on April 30. There is talk that there may be 50,000 attendees.

But before that happens, the District 5190 Conference at the Atlantis Resort and Spa in Reno, NV is only a little over a month away. Registration closes Monday, May 9 and there will be no walk up registrations this year. Make sure you make your hotel room reservations early in order to take advantage of the excellent room block prices and sign up for the many fun activities and breakouts that will be taking place (e.g., blood drive, fascinator making session, discussions with Young Professionals, and of course, the ever popular Music and Speech Contests). Dan and I are looking forward to seeing many of you for an afternoon of golf on Thursday, May 12. How blessed we are to be able to celebrate your clubs' great year by spending a few days in fun and fellowship. And do not miss an opportunity to show off your projects in the House of Friendship!

Winner, winner, chicken dinner! We have our second monthly winner in the District Conference Registration contest: AG Donna Mullens. Every month, we will draw a winner from those registered for the District Conference and Donna is one of 80+ who registered through 3/1! All prizes will be presented in the House of Friendship at the District Conference by yours truly! So sign up now! Increase your chance of winning by getting in this month's drawing!

And more chances to win! Share Our Success (SOS) is the way that your clubs get to let everyone in the District know about the amazing projects and accomplishments of your year. Submit by 4/28 in order to receive recognition at the District Conference. An amended application is available on the District Website now. Do not miss the opportunity to be selected as Club of the Year or to have one of your projects selected as Project of the Year!

Our District Service Grant cycle is wrapping up. Get those reports closed out and give yourselves a huge pat on the back. As of this moment, \$100,333 of the available \$102,000 was spent by our clubs in their communities. I am proud to be a Rotarian with all of you with your huge Rotary hearts and ability to do good!

3 months to go to achieve our Rotary year goals and dreams! Go Team Virus!

Virus



Be a gift to the world



*Rotary District Conference
May 12 - 15, 2016*



Rotary
District 5190



Schedule

THURSDAY, MAY 12

- 10:00 am Golf Tournament at Washoe Golf Course with awards ceremony at the course
 3:30 pm House of Friendship set up (Paradise Terrace)
 4:00 pm Conference Registration Opens
 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm Hosted Reception by the Atlantis Hotel (Treasures C & D)
 For golfers, Past District Governors and early-arriving conference attendees
 7:30 pm Early Birds - Join the Rotary Club of Reno Midtown for their annual fundraiser, *Midtown Rotary Tonight*, at the Nugget in Sparks, (see renomidtownrotary.com for more info)

FRIDAY, MAY 13

- 10:30 am House of Friendship Grand Opening in the Paradise Terrace
 8:30 am – 9:00 pm Youth Track (Paradise B)
 8:30 am – 4:30 pm RLI II – PDG Dave Bianchi (Emerald A)
 8:30 am - 4:30 pm RLI III – PDG Dave Bianchi (Emerald B)
 9:00 am – 10:30 am District Finance Meeting- PDG Woody Wilbanks (Grand 1)
 10:45 am – 11:45 am District Advisory Meeting – DG Gail Ellingwood (Grand 1)
 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm Friday Opening Luncheon Event (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms)
 ✓ Featuring speaker John T. Capps
 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm Breakout Session: **Rotary Young Professionals** – with **Mitty Chang & Danielle Lallement** - A special opportunity to hear from some of the leaders in the Young Professional movement in Rotary, and to ask questions about how your Club can become more attractive and relevant to a younger generation (Grand 2)
 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm **District Business Meeting** with District Governor Gail “Virus” Ellingwood, followed by **2016 Council On Legislation Report** from District 5190 COL Representative PDG Wyn Spiller (Grand 1)
 5:45 pm – 6:45 pm No Host Cocktails (Paradise Terrace)
 6:45 pm – 10:00 pm Friday Dinner Event - **Old Fashioned Clam Bake** (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms)
 ✓ Casual Dress
 ✓ Introduction of Past District Governors
 ✓ Parade of RYE Students
 ✓ Youth Showcase
 ✓ Featuring Speaker Ann Lee Hussey
 ✓ Music – DJ and Lip Sync Contest and dance

SATURDAY, MAY 14

- 7:30 am - 8:45 am **Special Invitation Breakfast** (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms)
for Rotary Academy Graduates and Instructors, Rotary Leadership Institute Graduates
and Facilitators, and New Rotarians joined since May 2014
✓ Featuring Speaker John T. Capps
- 8:00 am – 12:45 pm **United Blood Services Blood Drive** Give the Gift of Life by donating blood (Grand 1)
- 8:00 am – 5:30 pm **Youth Track** (Paradise B)
- 9:00 am - 11:45 am **Speech Contest** (Emerald A & B)
- 10:30 am - 11:30 am Breakout Session: **Roundtables--Youth Programs of Rotary** –learn more about Youth
Programs and why you will want to be involved! You will have the chance to talk with
Rotarians who are active in the programs as well as some of the young people who
have been impacted, with Bill Boon (Grand 2)
- 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm Saturday Lunch Event (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms)
✓ Speech Contest Winner
✓ Featuring Speaker Mitty Chang
- 2:15 pm – 4:45 pm **Music Contest** (Emerald A & B)
- 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm Breakout Session: **Join Leaders/Exchange Ideas/Take Action at the District Level!**
“Passport Fair” with District Committee Chairs and AGs to describe and connect you
with opportunities to serve beyond the Club with PDG Vicki Puliz. Prizes awarded for
participation! (Grand 2)
- 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm Breakout Session: **Fascinators with DG Gail “Virus” Ellingwood.** (Grand 1)
- 5:45 pm – 6:45 pm No host cocktails (Paradise Terrace)
- 6:45 pm - 10:00 pm Saturday Dinner Event (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms) - *Parade of Hats* and your
favorite evening attire
✓ Parade of Presidents
✓ Music Contest Winner
✓ Featuring Speaker John T. Capps

SUNDAY, MAY 15

- 7:30 am - 8:00 am Interfaith Service (Emerald A)
- 8:00 am District 5190 Traditional **Fizz-a-Rama** (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms)
- 8:30 am – 11:00 am Sunday Breakfast Event (Paradise C, D, & E Ballrooms) Featuring closing comments
from Governor Gail
✓ Remembrance with Ross Mitchell
✓ Parade of Presidents Elect
✓ Featuring speaker Ann Lee Hussey with more inspiring stories

Registration Guidelines

An Important Message!

- Late pricing begins 12:01 a.m. May 1st, 2016. Meal prices increase by \$5 each!
- Cancellations are subject to a \$10 per person cancellation fee.
- NO Refunds for cancellations after April 30th, 2016 (major medical issues excepted).
- There will be NO ONSITE REGISTRATIONS.
- NO meals can be ADDED to an existing registration AFTER Monday, May 9th, 2016.
- Online Registration will CLOSE at Noon on Monday, May 9th, 2016. You MUST finalize your registration before closing.

The message is clear! Book online now for the 2016 District Conference
www.rotarydistrict5190.org

Hotel Accommodations

Where You'll Stay:

Atlantis Casino Resort & Spa
 3800 South Virginia Street
 Reno, Nevada 89502
www.atlantiscasino.com

How Much?

Rooms are available in the Atlantis Tower for \$79 Thursday and \$119 Friday & Saturday. Room upgrades are available at a higher cost. Make sure you use the handy link in the D5190 site to book your room!
www.rotarydistrict5190.org

Amenities

- *Wired High-speed Internet
- *Complimentary Standard Wi-Fi
- *Premium Hotel W-Fi (guests)
- *Complimentary airport shuttle
- *SAFLOCK™ resort room access
- *42" flat screen HDTV
- *Complimentary bottled water
- *Sealy® pillow-top mattresses
- *Plush guest robe

- *Individual climate control
- *Refrigerator
- *Fully-stocked mini bar
- *Complimentary access to indoor atrium pool, outdoor pool and whirlpool spa, Cardio Theater and Fitness Center
- *Digital safe
- *Data ports and speakerphone
- *Special body and bath products
- *In-room coffee
- *24-hour room service

How Do I Sign Up?

Click the "Lodging" tab when you sign up for District Conference at www.rotarydistrict5190.org. Your discounted room rates will automatically be available! Or book thorough the Atlantis web site and use the Promo Code SRTRY16.

Join District Governor Virus for a wonderful time at the District Conference!

TRY IT, YOU'LL LIKE IT!

Rotary is in need of volunteers to aid the great Rotarians of District 5190.

Please volunteer to be a Sergeant at Arms for the District Conference and the District Club Leadership Assembly

We'll work around anyone's schedule! The assigned duty could be as short as 2 hours or just one day or all weekend long. District Club Leadership Assembly- April 9th ; District Conference- May12-15.

Please contact John Novak, who will provide all the information a Rotarian will need. Email - jnovakdmd@aol.com. Thank You!



MAY 12, 2016

Nugget Celebrity Showroom • tickets \$25

doors 7:00 PM show 7:30 PM

Join us for a night of variety!

- House Band: The British Invasion
- Vocal stylings of Keirsten Bailey
- VIP Sponsorships Available

renomidtownrotary.com

House of Friendship Reservation

There's no better way for your club to show support for District 5190 than reserving a club display at the House of Friendship at this year's District Conference. The House of Friendship will be the gathering place for Rotarians to interact and share success stories and information. Prizes will be awarded for the best displays in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in the House of Friendship. There are no fees for clubs to have displays in the House of Friendship.

Please fill out the form below and email or fax to: Don Daniels (Rotary Club of Grass Valley) Email: dondaniels@sbcglobal.net Fax: (530) 272-3996; Questions: Home (530) 272-6036; Cell (530) 913-6036.

Don't miss out on the fun and Rotarian camaraderie. Help share and take pride in all the great projects and accomplishments of your club for this year with all our Rotarians and guests in District 5190.

Please respond by April 15th

Rotary Club: _____

Contact Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

HOUSE OF FRIENDSHIP - request for exhibit space (check the appropriate items)

6 foot table (whole table) half a table Need electricity (bring your own extension cord).

Description of exhibit planned _____

Any special requests or needs: _____

NOTE: Exhibits can be set up starting at 3:30PM Thursday afternoon, May 12th, and should be set up no later than Friday morning May 13th. Grand Opening of the House of Friendship is at 10:00AM on Friday. Exhibits should be removed on Sunday May 15th at the conclusion of the Conference. The House of Friendship is not in a secure area, and no items of value should be left unattended.

Volunteers needed: We need help "house-sitting" the House of Friendship during the conference. If you can help, please complete the following:

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

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MEMBERSHIP TIP

Make it Personal!

Most clubs have performed a few new member inductions by this time of the Rotary year. Did you know that how you conduct your induction can be a critical first step to engaging and retaining that new member? In the past we were taught that the induction was very important, but the focus was mostly on explaining what a great organization he or she was joining.

Current thinking is that we shift the focus to a more personal induction. One that helps to educate the club about who is being inducted. Where are they from? What kind of family do they have? Do they have children? What age(s)? Where do they attend school? What does the spouse do? What are their professional skills and abilities? What are their personal interests and hobbies? When these questions are answered in an induction ceremony, some magic begins to happen.

People in the audience find things in common with the new member. They are more likely to strike up a conversation afterwards. The new member feels more valued, and their family understands that they can be as much a part of Rotary as they want. Basically, the personal induction begins the process of developing the glue that retains members and binds them to their clubs. That glue is friendship, the number one reason why people choose to stay in Rotary!



If your club would like to update its induction ceremony, there is good news! There is a "personalized Induction" template that is now posted on our District 5190 website (rotarydistrict5190.org), in the Membership Development section. For a short cut, just click [HERE](#) to access this great tool for improving your new member retention by getting off to a great start.

Sam "Woody" Wilbanks
Chair, D5190 Membership

FOUNDATION TIP

April's Foundation Calendar

Clubs with 2015-2016 District Service Grants - the deadline was March 31st. Please take steps to get these grants closed. We cannot apply for next year's Foundation Block Grant till this year's grant is complete.

Grants Management Training at the Atlantis is April 8th, the next opportunity will not be till July 23rd. If your club is planning on applying for Grant Funds this coming year, the current President-Elect (next year's President) and the President-Elect Nominee (next year's President-Elect must have attended GMT in the last couple of years.

The next Grant milestone will be the District Scholarships. **Applications are due to the District Scholarship Committee on April 15th** (tax day). Clubs wanting to apply for a District Scholarship should be reviewing their candidates and then make out one application to be turned in by the deadline. There is a session on District and Global Scholarships at Club Leadership Assembly. You will be able to get last minute questions answered.

The 2016-17 Club Spending Plan is due on April 30th. All the supporting instructions and documentation is located at www.rotarydistrict5190.org - Select the "Foundation" tab and then "Global and District Scholarships". The Spending Plan is at www.rotarydistrict5190.org - Select the "Foundation" tab and then "Grants".

Club Foundation Chairs should brief their Club Board about next year's Grant opportunities for 2016-17. The club's plan should include either getting their club qualified or keeping their club qualified. It is anticipated that there will be similar amount for District Grants next year. Actual District Service Grants and District Scholarships will be announced in May. There is a session at Club Leadership Assembly for Club Foundation Chair. It will point out your duties and duties of your committee.

Vic Slaughter
Chair, D5190 Rotary Foundation



POLIO THIS WEEK

As of 30 March 2016

	WPV	cVDPV
Year-to-date 2106:	9	3
Year-to-date 2015:	21	1
Total in 2015:	74	32

WPV = Wild poliovirus

cVDPV = Circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus

[Read more](#) about the global switch from Trivalent to Bivalent Oral Polio Vaccine between 17 April and 1 May, 2016.

BREAKING NEWS

In recognition of Maternal and Child Health Month, you may enjoy reading these Rotary International stories:

- ☀ [Touching Lives in Honduras](#)
- ☀ [5 Concerns Facing Professional Women Today](#)
- ☀ [What We Can Learn From Inspiring Women of Action](#)
- ☀ [Share why you joined Rotary](#)

TEAM ROSTER: February 2016

	Official StartNumber	Current # Members	Attendance	Annual Giving YTD	Restricted Giving YTD
Alturas	27	28	96.00%	\$6,335	\$4,310
Alturas Sunrise	28	28	79.00%	\$2,734	\$2,500
Amador Upcountry	20	21	44.00%	\$2,709	\$285
Auburn	112	113	90.00%	\$18,079	\$4,450
Auburn Daybreak	12	11	89.47%	\$1,301	\$0
Auburn Gold Country	39	36	70.41%	\$4,495	\$1,500
Auburn Sunset	24	19	52.63%	\$0	\$0
Bishop	33	36	44.37%	\$4,635	\$573
Bishop Sunrise	27	28	58.93%	\$2,305	\$100
Cameron Park	59	58	76.10%	\$7,598	\$2,230
Carson City	68	76	54.96%	\$15,677	\$1,754
Carson City - Sunset	16	14	61.95%	\$1,680	\$110
Chester	21	18	61.95%	\$1,600	\$100
Elko	75	72	52.87%	\$6,773	\$686
Elko Desert Sunrise	32	33	68.18%	\$5,110	\$4,345
Ely	30	30	42.11%	\$0	\$0
Fallon	45	43	64.15%	\$5,914	\$367
Fernley	27	33	78.03%	\$1,770	\$386
Georgetown Divide	35	32	38.33%	\$1,720	\$0
Grass Valley	63	62	80.10%	\$15,898	\$922
Grass Valley South	19	21	NR	\$3,400	\$1,308
Greenville	7	7	NR	\$2,360	\$100
Incline Village	30	29	45.65%	\$0	\$0
Ione	30	33	74.80%	\$6,060	\$50
Jackson	62	60	63.76%	\$9,607	\$950
Loyalton	20	19	89.00%	\$3,450	\$645
Mammoth Lakes Noon	47	38	43.75%	\$800	\$0
Mammoth Lakes Sunrise	12	11	NR	\$0	\$0
Minden	32	30	NR	\$910	\$250
Nevada City	40	42	78.20%	\$3,698	\$948
Nevada City 49 Breakfast	90	90	89.43%	\$14,150	\$500
Quincy CA	47	45	87.10%	\$3,207	\$2,055
Penn Valley	34	34	67.31%	\$7,883	\$3,239
Placerville	35	31	43.00%	\$2,328	\$357
Plymouth-Foothills	35	41	50.00%	\$2,103	\$10,760
Pollock Pines-Camino	17	16	82.81%	\$1,070	\$1,032
Portola	22	23	73.04%	\$2,000	\$170
Reno	192	189	60.13%	\$23,790	\$4,940
Reno Centennial Sunset	28	33	80.65%	\$4,650	\$1,728
Reno Central	74	76	NR	\$14,214	\$1,050
Reno Midtown	23	23	NR	\$1,175	\$0
Reno South	56	59	63.30%	\$6,544	\$1,915
Reno Sunrise	47	51	73.31%	\$5,410	\$3,656
Smith Valley	32	34	78.68%	\$2,772	\$200
South Lake Tahoe	42	41	38.62%	\$4,594	\$140
Sparks	118	120	88.31%	\$12,336	\$4,013
Sparks Centennial Sunrise	33	33	62.88%	\$11,326	\$2,678
Surprise Valley	17	16	94.00%	\$0	\$400
Susanville	60	61	NR	\$3,400	\$107
Susanville Sunrise	31	32	68.00%	\$31,380	\$460
Tahoe City	38	30	58.62%	\$1,440	\$300
Tahoe-Douglas	76	57	65.15%	\$26,678	\$2,030
Tahoe-Incline	45	45	NR	\$9,215	\$8,660
Tonopah	16	18	66.70%	\$50	\$0
Truckee	83	89	NR	\$10,362	\$350
Truckee Sunrise	16	14	59.52%	\$1,254	\$1,181
Westwood-Lake Almanor	16	18	NR	\$0	\$0
Winnemucca	40	43	57.06%	\$5,202	\$770
Yerington	56	49	56.63%	\$2,540	\$2,960
Totals	2511	2492		\$347,691	\$84,520

NR - No Attendance Report Filed Last Known Member count used

Phil Mahoney
Secretary, District 5190

Gold Medals Aren't Really Made of Gold

At the 2016 North American Youth Exchange Network Conference, Rotary District 5190 was presented with a Certificate of Achievement Gold Award. Districts are recognized for varying levels of accomplishments: Bronze, Silver, and the highest level of Gold.

“Gold medals aren’t really made of gold. They’re made of sweat, determination, and a hard-to-find alloy called guts.” ~ Dan Gable ~

There are 171 districts in Canada, the United States, and Mexico that are eligible for the awards. This year one Bronze Award, 8 Silver Awards, and 23 Gold Awards were presented.



Jon Greene
Executive Secretary



Rotary Officers 2015-16

Rotary International

President: K.R. “Ravi” Ravindran
 President-elect: John F. Germ
 Vice President: Greg E. Podd
 Treasurer: Per Høyen
 Director Zones 25/26: Bradford R. Howard

Rotary District 5190 Advisory Board

District Governor: Gail “Virus” Ellingwood
 Immediate Past District Governor: Joe Zarachoff
 District Governor Elect: John Sullivan
 District Treasurer: Cheryl Zarachoff
 District Secretary: Phil Mahoney
 District Administration: Wyn Spiller
 Service: Lindy Beatie
 Foundation: Vic Slaughter
 Membership: Sam Wilbanks
 Youth Service: Bill Boon
 Club Administration: Larry Harvey
 Technology: Oliver Grosz
 Public Image: Dave Zybert

Non-Voting Advisory Board Members

District Governor Nominee: Doug McDonald
 District Governor Nominee Designate: Tina Spencer-Mulhern
 District Conference Chairs: Dick and Carol Hatch
 District Executive Assistant: Ginny Lewis

Assistant Governors

Area 1: Fred Autenrieb
 Area 2: Ralph Taylor
 Area 3: Jim O’Brien
 Area 4: Dennis Geare
 Area 5: Jim Greenlee
 Area 6: Donna Mullens
 Area 7: Roberta Pickett
 Area 8: Joel Muller / Tina Spencer-Mulhern
 Area 9: Bob Conner
 Area 10: Mel Foremaster
 Area 11: Anita Franzoia
 Area 12: Edie Asrow
 Area 13: Ramona Delmas

The Rotary District 5190 newsletter is published monthly by District Governor Gail “Virus” Ellingwood. Submit stories and photographs (300 dpi resolution digital images only) to Editor Elizabeth Cavasso at ecavasso@gmail.com by the 20th of the month.