



Rotary Club of Grass Valley



The Spoke

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Engage Rotary, Change Lives

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July 15, 2013

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Rotary has provided us with some useful apps. Take a look and see for yourself ...

You can now search for a Rotary club with RI's free mobile app. it's called the Rotary Club Locator from Rotary International

[iPhone version](#)

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ClubRunner Mobile App available for download

<http://web.clubrunner.ca/mobile>



We are "This Close" to ending polio

[Watch the video](#)

Wild Poliovirus (WPV) cases

Total cases	Year-to-date 2013	Year-to-date 2012	Total in 2012
Globally	140	100	223
in endemic countries	59	95	217
in non-endemic countries	81	5	6

Speakers:

July 22nd Wyn & Steve Spiller—*International Service*
July 29th Lynn Lorenson—*Director NC Resource Conservation District*

Dates to Remember:

July 23 International Committee 5:30 p.m. NC Winery
July 24 Bocce Play at Western Gateway Park 6:00
July 25 Board Meeting—Steve's office 5:15 p.m.
Aug 2 Area 4 BBQ Western Gateway Park 5:00 pm
Aug 21 Finance Committee Meeting 5:30 @ Steve's

Reach beyond your community and connect with others who share common interests. Make a positive impact on people's lives worldwide. Whether you're interested in meeting new friends, participating in a cultural or vocational exchange, or finding a partner for a service project, Rotary International has resources that can help.

Visit [Rotary Service Connections](#)

Avenues of Service



Club Service Chair - Steve Spiller
Foundation Chair - Jon Byerrum
International Service Chair - Valerie Logsdon
Membership Chair - Tim McCall
New Generations Chair - Blake Smith
Community Service Chair - GV Rotarian needed
Vocational Service Chair - GV Rotarian needed

The clock is ticking. Time to get your club survey in to President Steve. Pick one up at the next meeting or fill it in online:

[GV Rotary 2013-2014 Club Survey](#)



Click here to view: [District 5190 Newsletter July 2013](#)



Meeting Notes

July 15, 2013

The meeting started with President Steve still in possession of his bell. However it was apparent to all, that it is only a matter of time as the bell was left unguarded on several occasions. Valerie Logsdon was our Greeter, while Eric Trygg lead the Pledge, and Chuck Elizondo gave the Thought for the Day. Fred Claessens pulled double duty, introducing visiting Rotarian (Lindy Beatie, the immediate Past President of 49'er Breakfast, hawking their Duck Race tickets, and photographing the meeting at the same time. Scott Spencer assisted Ken Holbrooke with Sgt. at Arms duties.

Chuck Elizondo brought David Jones as his guest. David is a long time generous friend of our Club (even though he is a Kiwanian). David has single handedly bid up the price our dinners sold in the Casino Night Silent Auction to remarkable levels and never losing a bid.



Lori Burkhart-Frank led a lively meeting on the Nevada County Community Leadership Institute where she serves as a Facilitator. The Community Leadership Institute annually offers ten all-day sessions to a class no larger than 25 community members covering many issues and topics in our community. The subjects include Economic Development, Land Use and the Environment, our Local Media, Local Government, Arts & Culture, Education, Health & Human Services, and the Criminal Justice System. Many members of our club have presented at the Institute, and we have a large alum group including: Judy Bagley, Sandra Barrington, Lori Burkhart Frank, Marianne Cartan, Kathy Egenes, Eric Fredrickson, Jan Friend, Mike Fronk, Judy Hess, Valerie Logsdon, Tim McCall, Scott McFarland, Nancy Palmer, Marcia Salter, Steve Sarantopoulos, Bill Schultz, and Kim Zwick.

Lori totally lost control of the meeting when she invited

former presenters and alum in the likes of Jon Byerrum and Judy Hess up to the microphone to tell Community Institute gossip and war stories. Still, graduates benefit by becoming more knowledgeable and integrated into the community. They develop deeper understanding of a variety of community sectors, thereby increase the opportunity for collaboration. Graduates have the opportunity to make new friends, and have fun.

Steve Sauer reminded everyone to put Friday, August 2nd from 5:00 p.m. to dusk, at Western Gateway Park, on their calendar for the Rotary - Area 4 BBQ.

There will be a Bocce Ball Tournament, and other games that fail the 4-way test such as Liars Dice. All Rotarians and their guests from the five western Nevada County Rotary Clubs (Nevada County South, Penn Valley, Grass Valley, 49'er Breakfast, and Nevada City) are invited. This event is for FELLOWSHIP not fundraising. Tom Stanley is preparing a dinner of Ball-Tip and Chicken with all the fixins' for \$15, there is the donation bar, and music. Come and bring your friends who might be interested in joining Rotary. Get your signups to Steve Sauer at steve@signaturehealthinsurance.com.



Congratulations to Carol Lenhard for pulling the black marble! She generously donated her winnings to Polio Plus.

Steve Spiller, Spoke Scribe

The Four-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?



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P.O. Box 1213 – Grass Valley, CA 95945
Meeting location: **Monday** at 12:15 PM
The Holbrooke Hotel – 212 W. Main St.

Make Up Meetings

Members who miss a regular meeting may make-up by attending any other Rotary club's meeting within 14 days before or after the missed meeting.

E-makeup: www.rotaryclubone.org

Tuesday

7:00 a.m. Nevada County South,
Alta Sierra Country Club
12:00 Auburn, Auburn Elks Lodge
12:15 Penn Valley, Players Pizza
12:15 Marysville, Peach Tree Golf
& Country Club

Wednesday

7:00 a.m. 49er Breakfast Club,
Escaton Lodge

7:00 a.m. Auburn Daybreak,
Sierra Smokehouse Grill
12:15 Yuba City, The Refuge

Thursday

7:00 a.m. South Yuba County Sunrise
Peachtree Restaurant (Marysville)
12:15 Auburn Gold Country,
The Ridge Golf Course
12:15 Nevada City, National Hotel