



The Spoke Newsletter



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2022-2023 Theme

- **IMAGINE** -

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June 19th, 2023

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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Today's meeting was President Sandra's last "official" meeting as President. A small but stalwart group of Grass Valley Rotarians were in attendance.



President Sandra was our speaker. Sandra is the CEO of the [Sierra Nevada Memorial Hospital Foundation](#).

The foundation relies on donations from individuals, events, grants and contracts and corporate support. The foundation is constantly busy supporting our hospital and community with [Savvy Women Talk](#), [Martinis & a Movie](#), [SNMH Golf Classic](#), [Starry, Starry Nights](#), [BSM Triathlon](#) (being retired this year), [Doc Talks](#), [Alzheimer's Outreach Program Events](#), [Buy it Now Fundraiser](#), [Award Recognition Reception](#), [Message in a Book](#), and the [Summer Residency Gala](#).

The Gala is a new event with co-chairs Lisa Swarhout and Jan Arbuckle being held on July 22nd at the Miners Foundry Cultural Center in Nevada City. [Reservations](#) are limited and are \$200 per person with \$100 being tax deductible. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, catered dinner by Antonio, one drink ticket, welcome ceremony, a glass of champagne, a dessert bar and dancing with [Decades](#). There are other options for the event such as Dancing and Dessert only tickets and special pricing for SNMH Hospital employees, auxiliary and Chapa De employees.

The Foundation is proud to announce the following projects were recently funded through efforts from the community, events, grants and corporate support:

- A New Ambulance
- A Vital Signs Machine
- A C-Arm Machine for surgery
- A New Orthopedic Operating Table
- Office Equipment for Patient Rooms
- Alzheimer Outreach Programs
- 3D Stereotactic Mammography Machine
- Comfort Cuisine Program for Cancer Center
- Share The Spirit Wellness Vegetable Garden
- Support Groups for cancer patients and their families

UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS

5pm at [W.E.P.](#) for Promotion Party June 26th
 DARK July 3rd

IMPORTANT MEMBER DATES IN JUNE

Birthdays		Rotary Anniversaries	
Ed Sylvester	June 1	Monty East	37 Yrs
Kathleen Egenes	June 6	Jerry Trammell	20 Yrs
Rich Keene	June 7	Kellie Gruenefeldt	1 Yr
Larry McGrath	June 15	Derek Williams	1 Yr
Patti Ingram-Spencer	June 21		
Joshua Robinson	June 23		
Cory Clemons	June 27		

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONFESSIONS

Sandra announced our club display at the District Conference garnered a 2nd place.

Connie Stone was awarded her Paul Harris +6.

Tom Stanley will be leaving our club after 16 years while he spends time in Idaho.

For those members who are not yet Bell Ringers, ...well, now you are!

Both Scott Browne and Marcia Salter had glowing remarks regarding the Rotary International Convention held in Australia.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"SUNSETS ARE PROOF THAT ENDINGS CAN BE BEAUTIFUL TOO." - Unknown

Rotary Club of Grass Valley

P.O. Box 1213 Grass Valley, CA 95945

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

Area 4 Rotary Clubs

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

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

[Nevada City Rotary](#) meets @ [TJ's Roadhouse](#) on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 12:15PM. Food order RSVP needed by the day prior at ncrotary.org. On the 1st and 3rd Thursdays, the meeting is at 5:30PM at [Round Table Pizza](#)

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