



# Rotary Club of Grass Valley



# The Spoke



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### RI International Convention 2015



### Speakers:

- Sep 8    Club Assembly—Membership
- Sep 15    Evening Social—Location TBA
- Sep 22    Dick Landis - Past President Del Monte Foods
- Oct 13    DARK—Columbus Day
- Oct 20    Field Trip Micro Precision Calibration

### Dates to Remember:

- 9/20/14    Foundation Seminar Harrah's Reno
- 9/27/14    [Club Barbecue at Osnas home](#)
- 10/3/14    REGLE session 1 Grizzly Creek Ranch
- 10/27/14    Evening Social - Location TBA
- Feb 7, 2015    Casino Night 2015
- May 9, 2015    [2nd Annual Gold Country Cycling Challenge](#)
- June 6-9, 2015    Rotary International Convention Sao Paulo, Brazil

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If you are a member of Team September, contact your team leader—Bob Lenhard. He is looking for his team to step forward and volunteer for the September duties—in particular: spoke note recorder

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John Peplowski and Chuck Elizondo sharing some great fellowship before the meeting



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The meeting was called to order by Pres. Steve Spiller at 12:15pm. The pledge was led by Larry Faller, Thought for the day by Dave Peeler, photos by Fred Claussens, and Greeter and Spoke notes by Don Daniels. George Grayeb announced the visiting Rotarians, who were Ginny Trapani from Nevada City 49er, Coleen Young from Scottsdale, AZ. and Vince See from Saratoga.



Guests attending were Valerie Cassity (guest of Steve Sarantopoulos), and Chris Roberts and Lisa Awalo from Lyman Gilmore School (Lisa is our new



INTERACT coordinator for Lyman Gilmore). Pres. Steve related that we are looking to expand our INTERACT club to Union Hill. Joe Labell was there from Union Hill School to start that process.

Steve talked about the REGLE programs for this year as well as RYLA. Steve Sarantopoulos spoke about a new project for our INTERACT clubs which will include both Union Hill and Lyman Gilmore Schools. The project will involve and help both schools with their Audio/Video classes and their "News Network".

Wyn Spiller showed a film about the RYLA camp and program which was very informative. Pres. Steve related that REGLE for our kids will be Oct 3-5th this year. He informed us that he has forms on hand for volunteers for camp counselors. Anita Daniels was called forward to receive 2 photos of the pigs purchased by GV Rotary at the fair.

Anita also received her pin for 12 years of perfect attendance for the 2nd week in a row (way to go).

Kathy received her pin for her 14th year of perfect attendance. Steve Sarantopoulos was awarded a Paul Harris +1. John Peplowski announced the year-end BBQ signup sheet was being passed around the room. Larry Faller confessed to another motor home trip to Oregon \$25 fine. Ray Enneking announced that his daughter just graduated from Vanderbilt as a nurse practitioner- fined \$25.00.

Pres. Steve introduced our speaker for today our very own member Jerry Trammel. Jerry spoke about his family business in south Nevada County, Micro Precision Calibration. Jerry's company employs over 300 people in 26 worldwide locations. His company is located here and in 16 other countries. He just opened two new offices in Taiwan and Vietnam. Jerry's company does calibrations for private industries, the government, military, NASA, the space hubble, HP, and many others. His business is very successful with a 15% growth rate per year. Great talk from a true (Texan) and Grass Valley Rotarian.



Pres Steve announced that we are dark for Labor Day. Anita won the drawing but didn't pick the black marble (just 2 marbles were in the pot). Next meeting good luck as the only marble left is BLACK.

### Rotary Club of Grass Valley

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](http://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