



RI President to Visit



Photo by Atejié Klang

RI President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar will be the guest speaker at an interclub meeting May 4. This will be at the Sparks Nugget the day before the official start of our District Conference. Our International Director Jerry Hall made this exciting arrangement.

The clubs in and around Reno/Sparks including Carson City and Truckee will participate in the planning. Other Rotarians in the District will be invited also to attend to hear and meet the RI President. A committee is being convened with the details of this event to be available in our next edition.

District Golf Tournament

May 4 will be a big day in our District. The District Golf Tournament starts that day with an 8AM shotgun at Wolf Run in south Reno. The course is in great condition and promises to challenge the best.

The cost of this event is \$100 per player that will include the round of golf, cart, range balls, and a barbecued lunch afterwards. Get your reservation in as early as possible to ensure your place in the field of 144 golfers.

Tee and green sponsorships are being offered this year for \$50 each. The purchasers, either club or individuals, will have their names noted on a banner at the event. Tee bag items or raffle prizes are being accepted also.

There will be many of the usual golf contests with a few other surprise ones thrown in to make this a day of fellowship and fun for this year's Conference.

Chairperson Brad Woodring can be contacted at 775-787-3393 or email him at woody521@charter.net if you have questions or want to make donations of prizes.



FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

I am often asked how the District is doing. I always respond that by every measure we are doing great. Membership is up, Foundation giving is on schedule, and every club is actively engaged in making their community and the world a better place.

The major reason for this is that we have 50 outstanding club Presidents. What is amazing is they have 50 distinct personalities, but the one thing they have in common is a love for Rotary and its ideals. Time in Rotary does not seem to be a criteria. We range from Loyaltown's Lynn "Hot Lips" Dotta who became President shortly after the ink dried on her membership application to Nevada City's Don "Fultzee" Fultz who is rumored to have known Paul Harris. All are in different socio-economic situations and various vocations.

Being a club President is one of the toughest jobs in Rotary. It takes a great deal of time and effort. None of our Presidents seem to be suffering from "short timers attitude". They all will carry on and accomplish their goals and objectives. I commend them all for their dedication and service.

Thank you.

District Governor Dave



David Bianchi

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

RI President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammer appointed PDG James Burnaw as his representative to attend our Conference. I offer my sincere apology to the PDG because I misspelled his name in the last issue. District Rotarians look forward to welcoming him and his wife, Sandra, when they join us at the Nugget.

The Conference Golf Tournament is May 4 and information on it is elsewhere in this issue. Plan to arrive for that, hear the President of Rotary International speak at an interclub meeting, then be ready for the official opening on Friday, May 5. Kim Peek will be the featured speaker. He and his father will amaze everyone.

After lunch there will be a Talent Show featuring Rotarians from around the District. To conclude the day there will be a Rotary Musical Extravaganza after the evening's dinner.

That is just the schedule for the first day. There is more to come.

Sign up early for the Conference. The special room rate of \$99.00 plus tax is available at the Nugget until April 5. Reservations can be made at 800-648-1177 and indicate our block number G 5190-6. It is a weekend of fun and fellowship where you meet old friends and make new acquaintances.

Further information is available from the Conference Chair Rich Rose at rytiff@aol.com or 776-843-7694.

AMBASSADORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Nine applicants applied for the District 2006-2007 Ambassadorial Scholarships. The selection process is completed with three chosen to receive the \$26,000 scholarships for this year. They are:

Ashley Taylor, sponsored by the Tahoe City Rotary Club, will pursue a Masters Degree in Community Development at the National University of Ireland, Galway. Her goals include global hunger solutions in underdeveloped regions. She is currently involved with intern studies in Bali, Indonesia, and Beijing, China.

William Orrock, sponsored by the Minden Rotary Club and a former RYE student, will study communication and diplomatic translation at the Universidad de los Andes, Venezuela.

Devon Bradley, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Truckee, is continuing his Spanish language studies. He is involved with cross-cultural outreach teaching and community involvement with Latino students and cultures. He is currently communicating with the Rotary Foundation and several Chile Universities to complete his application process.

District 5190 is accepting applications until July 28 for the 2007-2008 academic year. Interviews will be held August 12 in Truckee. Applicants must have completed at least two years of university or college work and cannot be directly related to a Rotarian.

Contact Matt Rusanoff at matt@srsarch.com for additional information. He is the Chair of this committee.

RYE

The first orientation for the 25 outbound RYE students has been held to prepare them for departure in August. Students will be going to 19 different countries on six continents. The next orientation, including parents and counselors, will be in April. The revamped curriculum brought improvement in the program to meet the changing requirements.

The committee is beginning to process inbound applications for the 32 to 35 students anticipated for this year. Chair Helen Hankins will have more information in our next issue about this portion. Any question can be directed to her at helemike@frontiernet.net.

CLUB ATTENDANCE JANUARY 2006

Bob Hartsfield
PDG Secretary

ROTARACT

The Rotary Club of Elko is the sponsor for the first Rotaract Club in District 5190. It is officially named the Great Basin College Rotaract Club. DG Dave Bianchi was there on February 1, 2006 to install the new members, present the Rotaract Plaque, banner, and the members' pins. The officers are President Janet Olsen, Vic-Chair Josh Schuettenhelm, Secretary Ger Heise, and Treasurer Desiree Flint. Dr. Paul Killpatrick, President of the Great Basin College is the advisor. Their first meeting and member recruitment will be March 1 with Rotarians donating various raffle prizes.

Reno Rotaract will announce their chartering at the joint Club meeting of the Reno/Sparks Clubs on March 20 at Harrah's. Two Rotaract Clubs in District 5190 sets a record. Congratulations to those who have worked so diligently to get these clubs started.

DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

Have you reserved your room and made plans to attend the District Assembly April 8? Reno Hilton is holding a block of rooms for District 5190 until March 8 with a special rate of \$89.00 plus tax for Rotarians. The reservation number is 800-648-5080. The Assembly is the 8th, but there is a reception the previous evening.

PDG Steve Snyder promises this is a BASICS "hands on" Assembly that will give you the tools all incoming officers need to make the year successful. The various sessions begin at 8 until noon. After lunch there will be a new subject called Rotary 101 with the material different from the morning sessions. This will be under the leadership of DGE Bob Dorr.

All Rotarians are invited to attend with emphasis on incoming officers, committee chairpersons, and committee members.

Any questions can be directed to Chairperson PDG Snyder at sas@goldrushchevy.com.

Area	Club	Membership Total	Gain For Month	Loss	% Attendance	Paul Harris Annual Giving	Giving Restricted
	District Contribution					\$347.00	
1	ALTURAS	25	0	0	80%	\$570.00	\$
1	ALTURAS SUNRISE	23	0	0	73%	\$	\$
1	CHESTER	58	0	0	61%	\$4,700.00	\$
1	SURPRISE VALLEY	19	0	0	0%	\$	\$
1	SUSANVILLE	69	0	0	0%	\$2,200.00	\$
1	SUSANVILLE SUNRISE	49	1	0	68%	\$3,575.00	\$
1	WESTWOOD/ LAKE ALMANOR	15	0	0	0%	\$	\$
2	GREENVILLE	12	0	0	0%	\$400.00	\$
2	LOYALTON	31	2	0	92%	\$1,000.00	\$
2	PORTOLA	32	0	0	94%	\$266.00	\$
2	QUINCY	41	0	1	82%	\$	\$
3	INCLINE VILLAGE	39	0	2	80%	\$1,000.00	\$
3	TAHOE CITY	59	0	0	62%	\$1,000.00	(\$700)
3	TAHOE INCLINE	51	1	0	89%	\$	\$300
3	TRUCKEE	85	3	1	77%	\$7,000.00	\$30,000.00
3	TRUCKEE SUNRISE	33	1	0	74%	\$5,091.00	
4	GRASS VALLEY	76	1	1	91%	\$16,944.00	\$30
4	NEVADA CITY	58	0	0	0%	\$24,570.66	(\$100.00)
4	NEVADA CITY 49er BREAKFAST	85	0	0	82%	\$8,548.00	(\$1,150.00)
4	NEVADA COUNTY SOUTH	35	1	0	98%	\$4,175.00	\$
4	PENN VALLEY	30	0	0	97%	\$3,100.00	\$
5	AUBURN	113	2	2	84%	\$6,875.00	\$
5	AUBURN DAYBREAK	23	0	0	96%	\$6,716.00	\$
5	AUBURN GOLD COUNTRY	60	0	0	0%	\$2,800.00	\$
6	CAMERON PARK	71	0	1	84%	\$750.00	\$5,168.00
6	GEORGETOWN DIVIDE	27	0	0	55%	\$1,000.00	\$
6	PLACERVILLE	71	0	0	77%	\$1,637.47	\$
6	POLLOCK PINES-CAMINO	16	0	0	94%	\$2,100.00	\$
7	AMADOR UP COUNTRY	27	0	0	85%	\$400.00	\$
7	IONE	22	1	1	49%	\$775.00	\$
7	JACKSON	69	0	0	0%	\$50.00	\$
8	RENO	214	2	0	64%	\$3,100.00	\$1,400.00
8	RENO CENTENNIAL SUNSET	39	0	0	0%	\$1,200.00	\$
8	RENO CENTRAL	73	0	0	85%	\$5,530.00	\$
8	RENO SOUTH	84	1	0	72%	\$4,212.00	\$
8	RENO SUNRISE	62	1	1	78%	\$11,681.00	\$80.00
8	SPARKS	107	0	0	83%	\$	\$
8	SPARKS CENTENNIAL SUNRISE	33	1	0	95%	\$	\$200.00
9	CARSON CITY	103	0	0	69%	\$9,410.00	\$
9	CARSON CITY SUNSET	23	0	0	0%	\$240.00	\$
9	MINDEN	34	0	0	0%	\$	\$3,500.00
9	SOUTH LAKE TAHOE	51	0	3	48%	\$1,000.00	\$
9	TAHOE DOUGLAS	72	3	0	90%	\$600.00	\$
10	FALLON	81	1	1	43%	\$10,359.00	\$
10	SMITH VALLEY	28	0	0	59%	\$2,800.00	\$790.00
10	TONOPAH	17	0	0	71%	\$900.00	\$
10	YERINGTON	39	1	3	67%	\$675.00	\$
11	ELKO	102	1	1	63%	\$8,295.00	\$275.00
11	ELKO DESERT SUNRISE	26	0	0	75%	\$5,286.75	\$550.00
11	ELY	32	0	0	0%	\$3,200.00	\$
DISTRICT 5190 Totals		2619	24	18		\$176,078.88	\$40,343.00

ROTARY OFFICERS

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Ken Miller

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In Memoriam

Rotarians of District 5190 extend sincere sympathy to the families of the following who have passed away recently:

David Sinai, Reno Central Rotary Club
Graham Arlitz, Sparks Rotary Club
George Warren, Reno Rotary Club
Milt Komito, Incline Village Rotary Club
Len Stevens, Jackson Rotary Club

INFORMATION NEEDED

PDG Dave Denny will hold the Necrology Service at the District Conference. He is compiling a list of those Rotarians who have passed away since July 1. He needs the name, a picture, and a brief Rotary bio. This can be sent by email to denneyd@sbcglobal.net or by mail to 12060 Pasquale Road, Nevada City, CA 95959. His phone is 530-265-8676. It is preferable to have the information by email, but please assist him for this important part of the Conference.

CHANGES & CORRECTIONS

Chuck Van Paemel, President Chester, 530-259-5669

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Minden Rotary will meet at noon starting March 21. Gather at 11:30 with the bell at 12. Carson Valley Inn.

NEWSLETTER COPIES

Please note the newsletter is posted on the District website. Go to District Web Site www.rotarydistrict5190.org where you will see instructions printed for you to follow to have a "link" e-mailed to you. It is necessary to have "PDF Acrobat Reader" to be able to read it. Each Assistant Governor has a hard copy. If you cannot print a copy from the website, contact your AG and ask for a copy.

AROUND THE DISTRICT

CHESTER has Chuck VanPaemel as President when he stepped in for a sudden vacancy in the position **TONOPAH** has Rick Kilburn substituting for President Joe Maslach who has been ill **AUBURN** will host 30 Japanese students **SPARKS CENTENNIAL SUNRISE** is seeking other clubs chartered February 23, 2005 **RENO CENTENNIAL SUNSET** is going to repaint the Senior Center **ALTURAS** is working on a barn renovation **SMITH VALLEY** changed the bylaws to enable the club to recognize youth in the area **TAHOE DOUGLAS** welcomed Jenny who was married recently to the President Tim Buscher **SOUTH LAKE TAHOE** again having their great car sweepstakes **RENO SUNRISE** had a service day in which they moved a family to a new home..... **YERINGTON** President Ward Ireland was injured and Joe Giomi is filling in.

CAMP RYLA 2006

RYLA Camp has 120 paid reservations for this year. The camp is scheduled for June 18 – June 23 at Grizzly Creek Ranch. It is important to note that student registration forms are due May 1 and if not received by May 15 the camper's slot will be vacated in lieu of those on standby. If you need assistance contact Joe Donahue at 775-378-5914 or Vicki Puliz at 775-425-4247.

LATE NEWS

RI President elect William Boyd announced the theme for his year. It will be "Lead the Way". and we wish District Secretary PDG Bob Hartsfield a speedy recovery from his illness.

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