

2010-2011 Leadership Team



Boulder City Sunrise Rotary

"Service Above Self" - Building Communities Bridging Continents

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RI president: Think big, seek best practices, innovate

As we embark on the 2010-11 year to continue the work of *Building Communities — Bridging Continents*, look to RI President Ray Klinginsmith for support to make Rotary more effective and enjoyable for all. Klinginsmith is encouraging Rotary leaders at all levels to think big. "Think about major projects, because that's what gives Rotarians pride in their club," he says. "And if those projects also are visible in the community, people become interested in Rotary and join, if asked. If you get that cycle going, clubs will be bigger, better, and bolder."



All Rotarians should seek out best practices to build upon what works, Klinginsmith adds. "What I'm trying to do is create a culture of innovation where we can take a fresh look at everything we do, to see whether or not it's a best practice or just a traditional practice. If we are already doing it in the best way, I don't want to disturb it. But if we can find a better way to do it, then we need to start some new traditions."

Innovation also comes from the local level, Klinginsmith insists. "Clubs and districts can innovate on their own by looking at their own practices and sending word up the line about what is working well for them. It's very much a two-way street between Rotary International and the clubs — you cannot have one without the other."

To Klinginsmith, success depends on all Rotary leaders knowing their role and how to work together, beginning at the club level.

"It's the club presidents who really run Rotary. I want to help them do what they want to do and facilitate their service as they see it," he says. "I also want to thank them for their work and give them whatever suggestions I can from my experience to make their job a little easier and more effective."

Sunrise Rotary

When our club attends District Conference, District Leaders and Presidents from other clubs take notice and usually wonder what we are up to now! Our hospitality room is filled with those interested in the changes in our signature projects and events, WurstFest, Grad Night, Polio Plus and the KenDucky Derby.

At Board and planning meetings every detail is discussed again and again. The book from last years project is brought out to look for things that did not work and how to make the event better. Some of our projects and events have been around for awhile but are always a work in progress.

We have a lot of changes again this year, one being, sponsoring our own car show, The Wurst Dam Car Show, at WurstFest. Alan Bowman and Paul Hagan have stepped up to help WurstFest chairman Geoff Baughman, Rich Baughman and Prez Kevin with this great event. The committee stated that things can be changed and improved every year. Also, advertising venues have been changed and to save money on our largest expenditure, the tents are being sponsored this year. That will help on our outlay and also give more exposure to merchants as well as organizations who need marketing.

At District Conference, wearing the 2010 weird club shirt, members made sure everyone had a brochure in their hand with information about WurstFest, the Derby and our club. President Kevin even wore a Duck Ring Floater around his waist and sold ducks for the KenDucky Derby in and around the restaurants at The District.

"Best practices, traditions, and innovation", RI President Klinginsmith, WE'RE ON IT!



A Gift for Prez

Doug Scheppmann traveled to Minnesota and brought Prez Kevin a cherished CD of the comics of Olie & Lena, making fun of his Minnesota culture. We're sure it brought back memories!

Keep those

Wurstfest Auction Items comin'.

Here is a sampling of items already brought in by members. Are you still holding on to yours! Lets make it easier on everyone and get them in so we know where we stand! Rich starts getting cranky about this time and that's not a pretty sight.

BMW Convertible
 2001 Chevy Astro Van
 Several Original Paintings
 Vacation Packages
 Blue Man Group Tickets
 Cabo San Lucas, MX
 Airplane Tour Cancun, MX
 Massage Table with case
 Beverage/Wine Refrigerator
 Rascal Convertible Scooter
 Lake Mead Cruises packages
 Radio Controlled Mustang

Bicycles
 Mountain Bikes
 Pool Table Light
 Lowery Organ
 Rafting Tour
 Grand Canyon Tour
 8G IPOD
 Gifts Cards
 Helicopter Tour
 2010 Rodeo Tickets
 New Tandem Bike
 And more

SAVE THE DATE!

What date? What For? Who? What? Why?
The committee met to plan the debunking of Paul Krumm. Details to come!

A member sent this to share!

New Stock Market Terms

CEO --Chief Embezzlement Officer.

CFO-- Corporate Fraud Officer.

BULL MARKET -- A random market movement causing an investment banker to mistake himself for a financial genius.

BEAR MARKET -- A 6 to 18 month period when the kids get no allowance, the wife gets no jewelry.

VALUE INVESTING -- The art of buying low and selling lower.

P/E RATIO -- The percentage of investors wetting their pants as the market keeps crashing.

BROKER -- What my broker has made me.

STANDARD & POOR -- Your life in a nutshell.

STOCK ANALYST -- Idiot who just downgraded your stock.

STOCK SPLIT -- When your ex-wife and her lawyer split your assets equally between themselves.

FINANCIAL PLANNER -- A guy whose phone has been disconnected.

MARKET CORRECTION -- The day after you buy stocks.

CASH FLOW-- The movement your money makes as it disappears down the toilet.

YAHOO -- What you yell after selling it to some poor guy for \$240 per share.

WINDOWS -- What you jump out of when you're the guy who bought Yahoo @ \$240 per share.

INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR -- Past year investor who should be now locked up in a nuthouse.

PROFIT -- An archaic word no longer in use!

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