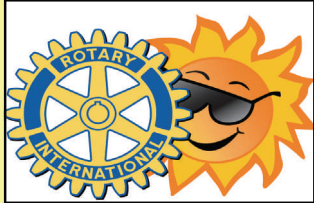


2009 ~ 2010
Leadership
Team



Boulder City Sunrise Rotary

Service Above Self™ - He Profits Most Who Serves Best!

The Rotary Wheel August 20, 2009

President
Paul Krumm

Past President
Goldie Begley

President Elect
Kevin Nicholson

President
Elect-Elect
John Milburn

Secretary
Toni Mattei

Treasurer
Eric Estes

Board
Rich Baughman
Bob Blair
Roger Hall
Bob Kenney
Kevin Gillespie
Dick Piliponis
Doug
Schepmann

Sgt
Harold Begley

Foundation
DB Merrell

Newsletter
Goldie Begley
grinstoyou@aol.com



The eradication of polio, what a wonderful legacy to leave our children.

This writer attended last weeks District 5300 seminar at the Boyd School of Law, UNLV. Since I have been attending this sort of seminar for over 5 years I thought I would just go as a representative of our club. Maybe, even leave early. I am finished with my presidency so, "what more could I learn?"

Concentrating more on my breakfast roll, coffee and attention to Joe Roche's comments about the noon club happenings, my ears perked to a conversation going on behind me. Since the room was mostly filled with the new presidents, presidents elect and board members, I was not familiar yet with a lot of the faces. I peeked out of the corner of my eye to see if I knew any of the Rotarians or could see if their badge told me what club they were from.

They were talking about Franklin, our Polio Pig! "I hear they dressed him in beach wear and took him on a vacation to someone's beach home." "When I was in Boulder City I stopped at the Chamber of Commerce to pick up some maps and information about the art walk and they had a polio pig on the counter so I immediately went to the craft store to find one for the doctors office where I work. Within the week I had over \$50 in it."

When the meeting started they asked me to stand and tell about what our club had done to raise the \$50 per member and \$1,000 per club, district had asked for. They mentioned that we had won an award for community awareness, fundraising efforts, raising almost \$6,000. And Franklin winning 2 awards. When the speaker, who had been leaning on the front of the desk walked away, we saw he had been standing in front of, guess what? A white Polio Pig just like ours. Other clubs said, "Thanks, Boulder City, for the idea, during these economic times, that worked well for our club too!" Thanks Sunrise Rotarians for those efforts.

District has asked for the same \$50 per member and \$1,000 per club this year, the second of the three year fundraising goal to eradicate polio. If you remember, Bill and Melinda Gates have contributed over 355 million dollars in rotary matching funds.

The mission of the Rotary Foundation is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

The Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation solely supported by the voluntary contributions from Rotarians and friends of the foundation who share its vision of a better world.

How can you help?

Wait for President Paul to unveil this years Polio Plus efforts or when you fill out your annual financial commitment you may add some to the Polio Plus Campaign.

For those of you like me who are not great at math, just commit to one dollar per week and you will have \$52.00 to meet your obligation. Maybe our treasurer Eric Estes would rebate the \$2.00or not!



Visit our website www.bcsr.org Make-Up www.rotaryEclubone.org

Sunrise Rotarians

Not just members of a Thursday Morning Social Club

To the contrary, when you run around the web you find all kinds of interesting information. This list reflects the diversity of intellectual, cultural, military, athletic, and governmental leaders around the world who have been active or honorary members of Rotary Clubs. There were thousands, and the following is a selective sampling of those valuable Rotarians.

Neil Armstrong, astronaut
Asgeir Asgeiron, president, Iceland
Eusebio Ayala, president, Paraguay
King Baudouin 1 of Belgium
Fernando Belaunde Terry, president, Peru
Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands
Orville Wright, aviation pioneer
Woodrow Wilson, president
Earl Warren, chief justice, Supreme Court
Charles Walgreen chairman Walgreen Drug
Franklin Roosevelt, president
Prince Rainier of Monaco
Walter Scheel, president, Germany
Dr Charles Mayo, co-founder Mayo Clinic
Connie Mack, baseball manager & owner
Dr Karl Menninger, psychiatrist, Menninger Clinic
Norman Vincent Peale, clergy & author
James Cash Penney, founder JC Penney
Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh
George Marshall, army general -Nobel Prize
William Fulbright, senator
Warren G Harding, president
John F. Kennedy, president
Walt Disney, animation filmmaker
Sir Winston Churchill, prime minister, England
Clarence Birdseye, developer of quick freeze foods

If you didn't see your name in the above list, maybe it's because you haven't brought information or auction items for the 09 WurstFest.

If you have forgotten about WurstFest, always the last weekend in September, (Rich Baughman makes me say that!) I feel quite sure you will be reminded again this week and every week until, yes, it's always the last weekend in September.

Life Lessons

Don't compare your life to others. You have no idea what their journey is all about.

DRACULA

Lee McDonald is at it again.

Lee is our local Dracula and is once again out looking for blood. If you are unable to give, you can always volunteer some time.

BOULDER CITY COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

Thursday, September 3rd

1 pm—7 pm

LDS Chapel Gym

916 5th St. (across from school)

For appt contact Lee McDonald 795-8335

All donors will get a voucher for \$5.00 off of one purchase at Jason's deli. (Yummy-If you can't use the voucher, someone else can.)

LOL Laugh out Loud

As Past President, Kevin Gillespie, would say, "I would like to apologize in advance for this joke!"

If my body were a car....

If my body were a car, this is the time I would be thinking about trading it in for a newer model. This **Cash for Clunkers** sounds interesting.

I've got bumps and dents and scratches in my finish, and my paint job is getting a little dull. But that's not the worst of it. My headlights are out of focus, and it's especially hard to see things up close.

My traction is not as graceful as it once was. I slip and slide and skid and bump into things even in the best of weather. Subway Sandwich shops are my enemy.

My whitewalls are stained with varicose veins. It takes me hours to reach my maximum speed. My fuel rate burns inefficiently.

And, almost every time I sneeze, cough or laugh, either my radiator leaks or my exhaust backfires.