




Where & When We Meet:
 Central Park
 Recreational Center
 9651 Martin Luther King Blvd
 Tuesdays - 7:30-8:30 a.m.

Coming Up

Tuesday Happy Hour
Famous Dave's
5:00 pm

- * May 14 Clean up at Sandcreek Greenway Park at trailhead (west end of Smith Road) 9 am - 11 am
- May 24 Phil Clarke, "We Don't Talk About.. You Know." 
- May 31 Club assembly
- Jun 4-8 Rotary International Convention - Houston

Visitors
 Ray Anderson District Governor
 Gail Lehrman Asst District Governor

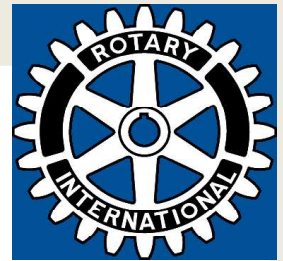
Good to see you last meeting!
 Barbara, Bruce, Callie, Greg
 Nate, Otis, Steve, Zach

We missed you...
 Bill, Ed, David, J.P., Karl
 Lance, Laura, Tom

Program assignments:
 May - Bruce, Jun - Otis
 Jul - Zach, Aug - J.P., Sep - David
 Oct - Nate, Nov - Barbara, Dec - Bill

The Object of Rotary

is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster: FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
 SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
 THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
 FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



The Rotary Club of Denver Northeast

For the Rotary Week of May 17, 2022

Business Recap (5/10)

- **Callie** conducted the meeting in Laura's absence. **Laura** and **Bill** are not feeling well with symptoms of COVID. Get well wishes to both and their families!
- **Bill** had emailed all members April Return on Rotary report with YTD \$3,600 contributions and 173.5 volunteer hours.
- **Steve** summarized details of Sandcreek Greenway trash pick-up for Saturday, May 14th, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Gloves, pinchers and bags will be provided.
- **Greg** will organize Happy Hour on May 17th at Famous Dave's.
- **Barbara** reported we have interviewed and selected both Young RYLA and RYLA applicants. She checked with RYLA Recruitment Committee concerning the applicants our Club did not select and both have been selected by other clubs.
- **Barbara** reported our club will partner with Aurora Fitzsimons with the peaches and pears sales. Noland Orchards will be setting their prices and create their delivery schedules after May 15th. **Nate** will champion the order sheet for our club. Details to come.
- **Callie** will continue providing monthly volunteer dates for the Denver Rescue Mission. If any members are free to volunteer, contact **Callie** directly.
- **Nate** reported his follow up with The Grove Retirement Community on having a Happy Hour, possibly Blood Drive at their facility. Possible date is June 28th in the late afternoon. More details forthcoming.
- The Center for Global Health Rotary Club Scholarship will be discussed at next meeting.
- **Barbara** stated the Club received a thank you from Iowa State University for our donation to the Robert Molison Scholarship in Music supporting current and future ISU Music and Theatre students. This tax-deductible gift was a memorial for **Laura's** Father.

Guest Speaker (5/10) – Ray Anderson, District Governor 2021-2022

Ray has been a member of the Rotary Club of Highlands Ranch since 1997 and was selected to serve as District Governor in 2021-2022. He served as Club President in 2000-2001 and has been on the District Membership Committee, District Visioning, and PETS Facilitation. He is a Paul Harris Fellow and a member of the Paul Harris Society.

Ray was born in Evanston, IL and moved to Coral Gables, FL in 1955. He went to Florida State University and received a Bachelor Degree in Business in 1972. While there, he met his wife and married in 1974 and subsequently moved to North Dakota, where he began his career as a Landman in the oil and gas industry. This brought him to Colorado and he retired in 2019.



Ray states it's a treat to visit all his clubs in the District with a focus to support the clubs and what they are doing in the community. **Ray** refers to a 1950's movie, "The Day the Earth Stood Still", and the message of patrolling the earth. With the worldwide perspective of Rotary today, Rotary patrols the earth and finds ways to end polio, to find peace and understanding, to fight disease, to provide clean water and sanitation, to protect the environment and to promote economic and community development. **Ray** states our Club is small but he's impressed with our energy and all the projects we are working on, including WooHooManity Challenge, Fruit Sales, Food Bank of the Rockies, to name a few. **Ray** talked about the Colorado bill to create a Colorado rotary license plate which is now on the Governor's desk for approval. He encouraged our club to apply for grants.

In summary, **Ray** states our club should continue our efforts with volunteering and doing community service projects. He encouraged club members to attend the International Convention in Houston, if possible.

-- Respectfully submitted, The Johnson's



The Four Way Test

Of the things we say and do,
 Is it the truth?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?