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## Schedule: Future Meetings, Service Projects, and Special Events

Date: 2018	What's Happening
Tuesday, July 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>12:00 pm: Sunny Kellerman - Report on RI Toronto Convention</li><li>1:15 pm: Foundation Board Meeting</li></ul>
Tuesday, July 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>12:00 pm: Elliott Price - Building and Living off the Grid</li><li>1:15 pm: Board Meeting</li></ul>
Tuesday, July 24	12:00 pm: Magdaleno Manzanarez - WNMU External Affairs
Tuesday, July 31	12:00 pm: Mark Hughes - Community Development

## Meeting Notes



President Joe Heidrick rang the bell at 12:10 pm after we had socialized for a few minutes. Max Higgs led the Pledge of Allegiance, Tom Bates gave the Invocation, and Joe Heidrick led the Four-Way Test.



## Guests

- Mike Carillo (right), today's speaker, with **Joe Heidrick** (left)



- Joe Pidutti (right) with **Jack Herndon** (left)



## Rotary Announcements

**Joe Heidrick** reviewed the accomplishments for the year:

- We participated in a broad spectrum of district activities (conference, trainings, assemblies).
- We completed these projects:
  - School garden project
  - Water catchment for the Commons
  - More than 1000 books for kindergarteners
  - Planted 29 trees
- We helped with Fairgate.
- We had a Polio Plus reception (raised \$2500), donated \$2950 to TRF for the Annual Fund.
- We attended the bi-district conference.
- **Peter Herzberg** went to Guatemala.
- We had an OB Exchange Student.
- We had these FR events: Mystery dinner, Holiday dinner (\$600 WNMU), Valentine dinner (\$2500 BB/BS), and Rummage sale.
- We had scholarships and donations to numerous local endeavors.
- We rented a storage unit for all our "stuff."
- We raised more than \$30,000 at our signature live and silent auction.
- We helped create a Rotaract club at WNMU.
- We were named Club of the Year at the District Conference.

**Peter Herzberg** spoke about what he wants to do:

- To have more people to know what we do
- To maintain the median area of the road (created a list of people interested)

**Peter Herzberg** started the 4th of July raffle today.

**Suzanne Kavanagh** passed around 4th of July list.

## Special Presentation



**Sunny Kellerman** transferred the presidency from **Joe Heidrick** to **Peter Herzberg**, swearing him in.

**Sunny Kellerman** swore in the Board members present.



**Joe Heidrick** gave **Peter Herzberg** the president's pin.



## Braggs and/or Happy Dollars

### Jim Callender

- Told us that Art Eaton (**Kathy Eaton**'s husband) died Tuesday morning. His son put it on Facebook.
- Spent time with Teddy (**Peter Herzberg**'s older dog) Thursday night
- Had a cardio test done last Wednesday, and his pulse has dropped

**Joe Heidrick** thanked us for great demotion party.

## Program



**Tom Bates** introduced Mike Carrillo, who has been the leader of the detention center for 5 years. Mike has had a long career in law enforcement, having served as Grant County Sheriff, Bayard Chief of Police, and more recently Chief of Police in Deming before taking the job as Grant County Detention Center Administrator.



Carrillo told us that the original design of the Detention Center allowed all guards to see all men and women detainees in showers/bathrooms. That was changed so that male guards could view the men's bathrooms and female guards the women's bathrooms.

The detention center, located on Ridge Road, currently has 86 prisoners but can hold up to 100. About 40% are in the center for violation of parole, usually minor stuff. Some detainees are on suicide watch. He tries to get them out of jail when possible. Many are there for substance abuse/addiction; they shouldn't be there either, and Carrillo finds resources for them when possible. He has fought to keep mental health problem patients out of prison – they belong elsewhere, such as in a hospital, and he tries to have them moved to more appropriate facilities.

No segregation is done any more for punishment purposes, but sometimes inmates are placed in the segregation cells for their own security. However, they are not on 23-hour a day lock-down.

Carrillo is looking forward to the opening of Tu Casa, a residential drug rehabilitation facility. It is located on the 32nd bypass; there will be a ribbon-cutting ceremony for its opening soon. That will enable some inmates to be moved to a more appropriate setting.

He has recorded inmate parents reading to their children and then sent the recording to his/her children. They also give parenting classes to help inmate parents.

There was a Q&A session following the talk.

## Raffle

None

## Attendance

We had 15 of 29 active members in attendance, or 52%.