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BE THE INSPIRATION

Schedule: Future Meetings, Service Projects, and Special Events

Date: 2018	What's Happening
Tuesday, August 14	12:00 pm: Mike Jousan - Mastering Clear Communication 1:15 pm: Foundation Board Meeting
Tuesday, August 21	12:00 pm: Becky Nell Young - Reading to Kindergartners
Tuesday, August 28	12:00 pm: Melissa Amarello - Advocate for Snake Preservation

Meeting Notes



President Peter Herzberg rang the bell at 12:10 pm after we had socialized for a few minutes. **Kathy Eaton** led the Pledge of Allegiance, **Anita Larson** gave the Invocation, and **Kate Watson** led the Four-Way Test.

Visiting Rotarians

Past District Governor **Dick Jones** from the Santa Fe Club



Guests



Wendy Spurgeon (left) introduced Susan Price (right), her new neighbor.



Leslie Bush (below left) introduced Carlos Lucero (right) from Western Bank.

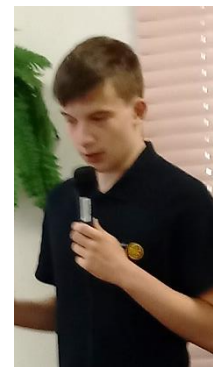
Francis Reyes introduced Jan from Germany, our new exchange student.

Sunny Kellerman introduced Richard Zollinger, Accounting manager at Freeport McMoRan.



Jim Reynolds

Richard Zollinger



Rotary Announcements

President Peter Herzberg made the following announcements:

- He introduced Jan, our new exchange student from Germany.
- He mentioned the fundraiser at Ruidoso Downs; more information is available online.
- Peter Falley asked him to announce that a Foundation Meeting would be held next Tuesday, August 14.
- He showed us a picture of **Francis Reyes** in the paper and she is now certified in basic rural economic development.

- Pat Falley's celebration of life will be this Sunday, August 12, at Terrazas Funeral Chapel at 2 pm. The funeral chapel is located at 1 Fort Bayard Road, at the corner of Highway 180 East. There will be a special celebration in the WNMU Sunset (meeting) room afterward.

Sunny Kellerman said there would be no Membership meeting held this week. She also asked who would be interested in attending a Rotary Leadership Institute (formerly Rio Grande Academy) if it was held in Silver City.

Cynthia Bettison announced that on September 1, 2018, at the WNMU Museum, there would be reception for Dick Rhoades' wife who passed away.

Special Presentation

Jan, our new exchange student from Germany, introduced himself to the group. He will talk with the group soon with a longer presentation.

Braggs and/or Happy Dollars

Today is **Suzanne Kavanagh's** husband's (Kevin's) birthday, and they both are going to California.

Anita Larson had a birthday and saw Madam Butterfly.

William Knuttinen went to Albertson's first, looking for microgreens that the speaker talked about last week, but they were sold out. He then went to the Farmers Market and bought some microgreens, but they were almost sold out by 9AM.

Program

Sunny Kellerman introduced **PDG Dick Jones**. He then spoke to us about Membership and the things that Rotary has been doing, such as ridding the world of polio – which we've almost done. He said we had tended not to toot our own horn in the past, but it was necessary to let people understand what kinds of things Rotary does these days, since evidently people no longer know.

He also suggested that regular Rotary meetings are not (exclusively) the best place to recruit new members. In addition to meetings, he asked us to invite prospective members to fellowship events and to participate with us in service projects.



One suggestion was what they do in Santa Fe. On August 22nd at the Opera House in Santa Fe, they have what is called a tailgate party at the Opera. It is a potluck dinner, and food and wine are enjoyed by all before the Opera.

Raffle

Carlos Lucero from Western Bank won the raffle.

Attendance

We had 24 of 29 active members in attendance, or 83%.

Gallery



Nick Seibel



William Knuttenin

Jack Herndon



Jim Tindall

Linda Telaak



Maggie Veeder

Kate Watson



Francis Reyes

Kathy Eaton



Mark Richard

Max Higgs