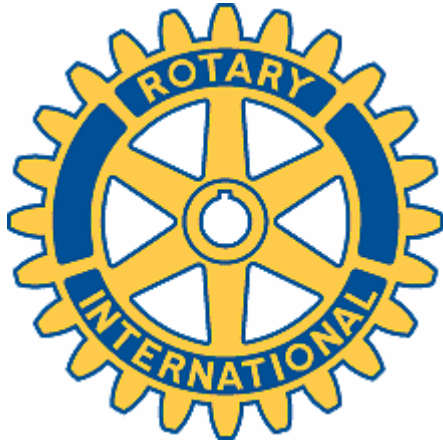


Mountain Foothills Rotary of Evergreen, CO.

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Wednesday September 12, 2007

Mt. Vernon Country Club

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Once again I am using my Prez Corner to talk about Bruno and our club. I am happy that we were able to help Steve with picking up Bruno and getting him to places he needs to be. Thanks to Martha Z and Maren for stepping up and helping Steve and Bruno. Our club always digs in and helps when needed, don't we?

I also want to thank Kay and Dave for having a brunch at their home once a month so we can all meet Bruno on a one to one basis. I know Bruno will also enjoy meeting all of us in a casual environment too.

See you Wednesday,

Judi Q

SOME ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Keep Sept. 30 at 1:00PM opened.....Brunch at Kay and Dave's to have time to chat with Bruno!!

Saturday Sept. 22 the District will host a Grants Seminar for clubs to discover ways to go about making grant requests. Time is 7:30 to 12:00 PM, the club will pay your fee...check with Judi, she is going along with a few others.

Maren and the Kids have started Bowling...there are 25 of them participating!! If you would enjoy a nice time with them, remember Tuesday's 3:30 – 4:45 at Green Mountain bowl on Kipling & Kentucky. Also, skiing will be at Breckenridge this year.

John Jarvis will begin the collection of goodies for our Troops in Iraq, will have boxes shipped before the Holidays, so think about you books, magazines and other gifts, such a batteries, calling cards ...a detailed list will come from John!!

There will be two GSE (Group Study Exchange) teams visiting our district this coming spring 2008, let's think about possibly hosting one.

The Annual Fall Football Falderal has begun....and to date \$270 has been raised!!

CRUTCHES 4 AFRICA, update

If you are in need of a barrel for a specific location, please let me know and I can get one to you. Lots of locations, especially churches are gearing up right now for the "everybody is back from vacation" fall and winter scheduling. So if you want to do a focused collection of this type, let me know and I will supply you with any information you may need.

Thanks,
David 303-877-2803 crutche4africa@comcast.net

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

Keep Sept. 30 at 1:00PM opened.....Brunch at Kay and Dave's to have time to chat with Bruno!!

T.J. Carney was presented with his Paul Harris + 1 pin, Congratulations T.J. for your generous help in supporting Rotary International with its worthwhile projects around the world!!

REPEAT, BUT IMPORTANT!

EChOBob Jones let me know some of the needs for Evergreen Christian Outreach:

*Toilet paper *Hamburger Helper *Potatoes *Canned Stew * Crackers *Cake Mixes – any non-perishable food items: *Men’s work clothes and Boy’s clothes.

They also need drivers once a month to pick up food from COMPA (near coliseum) and the Food Bank of the Rockies (I-70 & Havana). They also need volunteers in all areas to work on a substitute basis.

Please call EChO at 303.670.1796.

***Tickets for Bootstraps Mini Cooper Raffle and the Deluxe Rail Trip are now available from Bob Z. \$100. (if all tickets are sold, your chances are still 1 in 375!!!! To win a fabulous prize)

PROGRAM

Our program this week was a local...Dick Over, a member of the outstanding 10th Mountain Division. This group of 14,000 young men trained and prepared themselves for war in the mountains of Leadville. After traveling via Texas, they found themselves in Italy in early 1945, and were cast into the battle to push the Germans out of the mountainous Po River Valley in April 1945. Their success was at the cost of over 900 fellow soldiers killed and over 4,000 wounded, including future Senator Bob Dole.

Dick shared a video interview by Tom Brokaw with several members of the 10th which took place in early 2002 just before the Olympics in Salt Lake City. Many of the 10th returned to Colorado and various ski areas in the US and build the modern day ski business. Vail was seen as an ideal place by these men as they trained in Leadville.

Dick is still an avid skier, and teachers at Winter Park, he lives in Mt. Vernon area and can be seen picking up trash along Old Hwy 40 with fellow 10th Mountain friends.

We are blessed to have men such as Dick and our fathers who truly were "The Greatest Generation."

There currently is a nonprofit organization called The Greatest Generation Foundation here in Denver which puts together trips and helps fund some veterans to visit the theatres of war where they fought

PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

September – New Generation Month

19 – Lt. Ron Leonard, Jefferson Cty. Sheriff's Dept., Government Accountability

26 – Frank Leitz, Geologist – Water supply issues

Oct. 3 – Tony Boyle, Author, Actor (the original Marlboro man in Australia/Europe

Oct. 10 – Tentative....those RYLA students who missed our meeting.

Tom Hale is our Program Chair, asks that all members please advise him of any potential speakers for our group. Please contact Tom at 303-674-9422 or mlthale@comcast.net

PLANNING AHEAD:

Sept. 30, 1:00PM Brunch at Dave and Kay's, time with Bruno!

December 21, 2006, Tickets sales for 2nd Annual Ice Melt!!!!

January 2008 Blood Drive

July 2008 The Annual Special Needs Golf Tournament

GUESTS:

Martha Z., and Audrey Watson, Albany, NY, came with the Alderman's.

VISITING ROTARIANS:

George and Marilyn Alderman, Wilmington De., Tom Hobson, Denver, & Sam Callendar, Westminster

ROTARY MAKE-UPS ARE FUN, EASY AND ENCOURAGED!

Note: New eClub One URL for make-ups (Book Mark It!)
eClubOne, www.rotaryclubone.org (7 x 24 x 365). Be sure to get a printout to turn in for meeting credit.

Some Nearby Rotary Clubs:

Evergreen Rotary, Friday, 7:00 am - El Rancho Restaurant
Conifer Rotary, Tuesday, 7:00 am - Mountain Resource Center
Golden Rotary, Tuesday, 7:15 am - Rolling Hills Country Club
Lakewood , Tuesday, 7:15 am - Lakewood Heritage Center
Lakewood Foothills, Tuesday, 12:10 pm - Warren Tech Center
South Jefferson County , Tuesday, 7:15 am - Fox Hollow Country Club
Clear Creek County , Friday, 7:00 am - Rocky Mountain Village , Empire
Gilpin County Peak to Peak, Thursday, 12:00 pm - Farraday's Rest.,
The Isle of Capri Casino, 401 Main St. , Black Hawk
Rest of the World: www.rotary.org
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ED SEZ "Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves." James M. Barrie

Bob Zavodsky, Editor

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