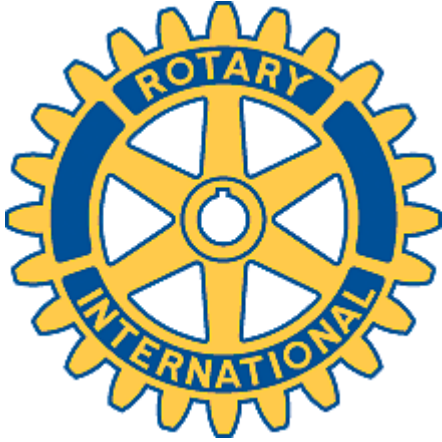


Mountain Foothills Rotary of Evergreen, CO.



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Wednesday September 24, 2008

Mt. Vernon Country Club

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Pres Sez.....

Good meeting last Wednesday. Welcome back Al and Jan! For those concerned, my wife, Madam First Lady, was at home when I got there. She missed the meeting because of work commitments. Can't even imagine.

Jerry

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DISTRICT GOVERNOR NEWS:

Governor Bill Ritter will give his State of the State message to Rotary on Oct. 23 from 11:30 to 1:30 at the Mercantile Mart.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

Oct. 1st Dr. Michelle Haney President of Red Rocks Community College talks to us about education today and the vital role community colleges play in keeping our workers competitive with the world

Oct. 8th Suzie Scott is a professor at Colorado School of Mines and has lived in the Middle East . She promises to tell us much more than we know today about the Middle East and how the culture(s) cause conflict

Oct. 15th Dan Schmelzer who is a missionary in Kenya to whom we made a small sponsorship will speak to us about the civil unrest there in the aftermath of elections and how it has affected life for the people there.

Jim Rohrer is our Program Chair, asks that all members please advise him of any potential speakers for our group. Please contact Jim at 303-679-0143, jimrohrer@evcowireless.com

SOME ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Many of you know Tom Hobson a long time member of the Denver Club, he is here quite often, we have not seen him lately, his wife (will get her name for us) is in Hospice, here is his address Tom Hobson 291 Hess Ave., Golden 80401, 303-526-0419

EChO's annual Make-A-Bed Fundraiser will be held this year at **Hiwan County Club** on Saturday, October 4th. Tickets may be purchased for \$50 at the EChO office, from church representatives, or Board members. In addition, raffle tickets (FANTASTIC PRIZES)

are available for \$10 each or 3 for \$25 -- you need not be present to win.

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TJ announced the Jefferson County Library Foundation "Whale of a Sale" book sale will be at the Fairgrounds....will get the date for you.

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Maren announced they will not be bowling on Oct. 21st, going to the Pumpkin Patch instead...at Church of the Transfiguration, join them if you can!

CRUTCHES 4 AFRICA

Dave has requested we cancel the event in November at Mt. Vernon, with all that is going on, working on three different shipments and a grant, so he wants to wait and focus on it later.

Dave's the man to talk to!! Crutches4africa@comcast.net

Member Profile:

Where is Wil from? *I was born and raised in Dodge City, Kansas.*

Why are you in Rotary? *My Dad was a Rotarian before I was born so I've been in Rotary all my life.*

What do you do for fun? *I start and create things and situations -- Businesses, Cow-Boy Band, Rededicated Rotary Monument on top of Mt. Evans, Founded the International Monovision Association for persons that are blind in one eye (3.4 million in the US)*

What is important to you at this time in your life? *Helping others in secret. (Matthew 6:1)*



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

As you may have seen in the Canyon Courier and hearing from Bob Jones, the EChO food pantry shelves are almost bare...keep in mind the grocery's 10 for \$10 items, great for this!!

TJ let us know the Foothills Fall Football Faldederal has started and he is pleased with results so far...more can always participate!!!

PROGRAM

John Tobin
An Engineer Turned Oil and Gas Economist

John followed up on his visit to us in August with more of his wit and humorous approach in explaining the economics of oil and gas. Very simply put....what drives prices.....Supply, Demand and Time. He really doesn't believe that speculators drove the prices so high, they may account for 10-15% of pricing at certain times.

(This he explains is from Augustine's Laws,....Norm Augustine, he wrote 52 unique laws to cover every area of business. Each law formulates a home truth about business life that, once pointed out, is impossible to forget or ignore.)

He felt our meetings are like a Symposium....the Greek root of the word means.....to gather and drink together.....Good to have John back to visit us.

PLANNING AHEAD:

Hello all

I'd like to postpone the October Board Meeting from Oct 1 to Oct 8, 5:30 pm at Mt Vernon. Linda and I are in Charleston learning southern.

Jerry

EChO's "Sweet Dreams" event will be October 4th 6:30 PM at Hiwan Country Club, tickets at \$50 per person.

John Jarvis would like to send another shipment to the troops, please bring items to the September 24th meeting!!

GUESTS:

Mary Lou Hale; and Martha Lundy, her father at one time was the oldest living Rotarian, he died at 103. She lives in Evergreen, read about our club in the paper and called Jerry, we're pleased she came to visit us.

VISITING ROTARIANS:

They missed out this week.

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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 – Cedar Grill in the
Fortune Valley Casino in Central City

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Joe E. Lewis

Bob Zavodsky, Editor

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