

News from the Foothills

The Mountain Foothills Rotary Newsletter

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Wednesday Feb. 10, 2010
Mt. Vernon Country Club

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THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

A good Club Assembly last Wednesday night at the Old Warming Hut, thank you Maren for making the arrangements for using the Hut!

Ice Melt Update.....close to \$9000 in revenues with sponsors and ticket sales so far...outstanding Trent and Committee.

We have a chance to make a very good amount from this project, but the success will largely be dependent on individual ticket sales. Please do your part.....sell tickets

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DISTRICT GOVENOR NEWS:

We have an active District with so much going on, the below link is to the District calendar, check it out.

<http://rotary5450.famundo.com/public/calendars>

THE LATEST FROM ROTARY INTERNATIONAL:

This is a new part for our newsletter, some interesting facts, ideas and readings from "the rotarian" magazine we each receive monthly. Also, check it out online at www.rotary.org/rotarian.

Hear our speaker, Phillip Levi speak about credit card processing. You will learn some interesting things about who pays and who gets paid when you use your credit card.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

Feb. 17th Peter Link...Is it hot air or Global Warming?

Feb. 24th Gavin Maitland...Tells us everything about organ transplants

Mar. 3RD Dave Loomiller & Bruce Fifer will make the Veteran's Commemorative Walk presentation

Mar. 10th John Skeel (tentative) Executive Director of Parks & Rec.

Mar. 17th Bob White will speak about Iwo Jima...He should know, he was there

Mar. 24th Stacy Bair will talk to us about green jobs for vets

Mar. 31st Cody Horton, a hypnosis will spellbind us with her insight...You better stay awake!

Jim Rohrer is our Program Chair, asks that all members please advise him of any potential speakers for our group. Please contact Jim at 303-679-0144, jimrohrer@evcowireless.com

Our Named Ice Melt Sponsor is!!!!





A TIME TO HELP

Listed are some of the opportunities we have to help in the community from time to time.

Time to sell Ice Melt Tickets!!! Please help when you can at the LakeHouse on weekends.

*****Dave Talbot needs help with Crutches4Africa**

SOME ANNOUNCEMENTS AT THE MEETING:

*36 pints of blood were collected at the recent Blood Drive at Hiwan.

*Mac gave us the date for the 2010 Golf Tournament, [July 12](#) @ Hiwan.

*Bill Downes and Barb Collins discussed the possibility of hold and "Ice Ball" next Fall to kick off our Ice Melt Contest next Fall. Barb is outing together a planning committee.

*John Erlanson will be singing Friday night [Feb. 19](#) at the Ice House, next to Little Bear. It is a fund raiser for EChO, tickets are a suggested \$10 donation and bring a food item! Last year there were many of us there to show support for EChO , Bob Jones and John.

Check out the New Member Packet sent out by Jim Rohrer.

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CRUTCHES 4 AFRICA

**A great way to help Dave is coming February 27th at Mt. Vernon Country Club....The First Crutches4Africa Chili Cook off!!!
Beginning at 12:00 to 3:00 PM.**

Let's help Dave.....Who has a good Recipe they'd like to try on the judges!!! Enter and see how you do!

Or...tickets are only \$5 for a Bowl of Chile and a drink.

ENDPOLIO.COM Check out the new Rotary International site for Polio PlusToday there are a little over 900 cases of Polio worldwide with 700 between India and Nigeria, the rest spread around others places. "The most basic **human right is **mobility**"
Dave's the man to talk to!! Crutches4africa@comcast.net**

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT:

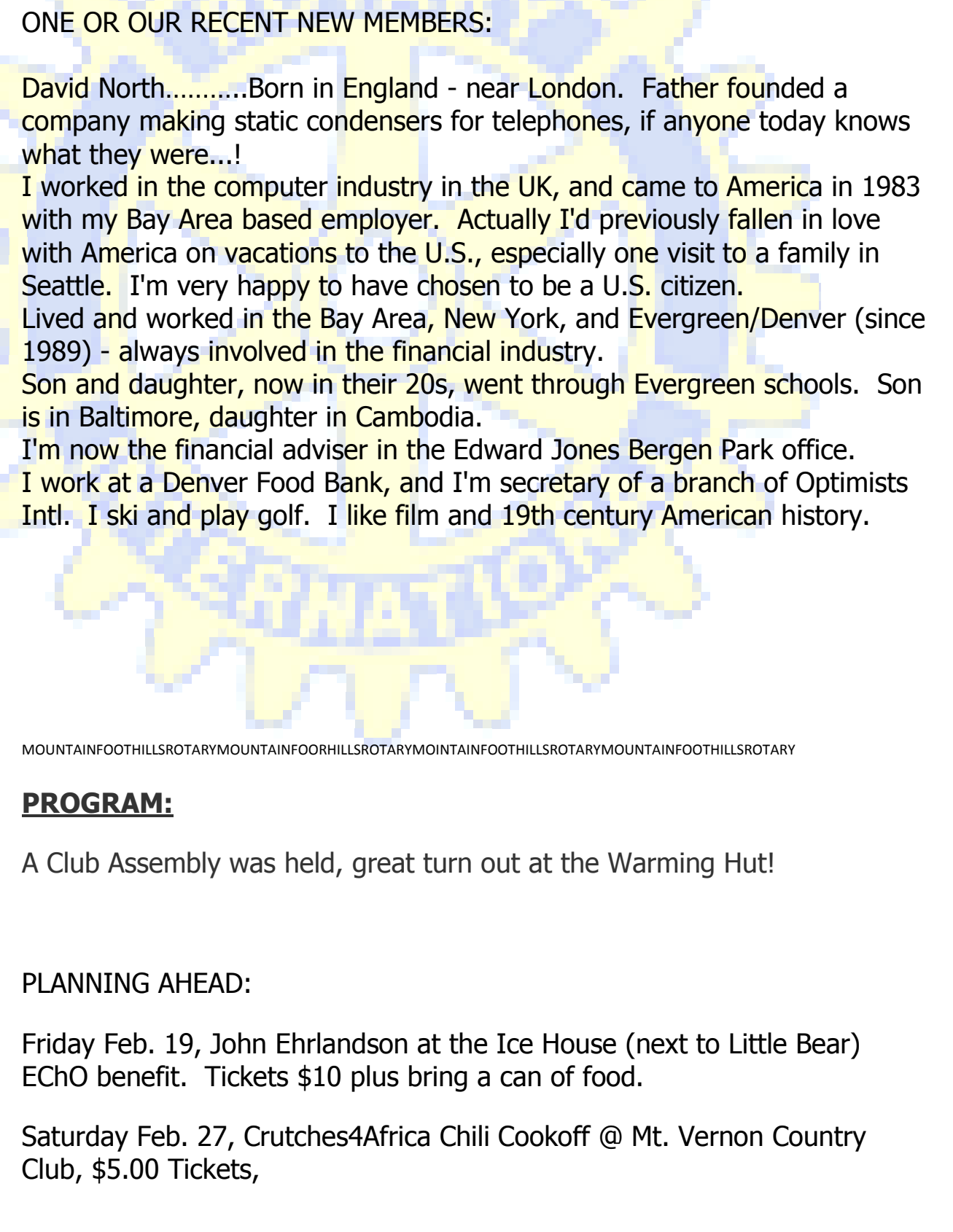
EChOA NOTE FROM PAM Hello All -

Well, here we are, planning for Feb. already - unbelievable. We have already signed up 23 new EChO families, with at least 3 more to go today! For your information, we finished out 2009 with 1,772 visits to our little cabin by the creek - that is compared to 1,232 visits in 2008. Whew! And all of this was made possible by your unbelievable generosity. When we asked for your help, we always received it - tenfold! And as for toilet paper - Thank You!!!!!!!!!! Our shelves are bursting at the seams with your beautiful rolls of TP.

Pam

ATTACHED IS THE FEBRUARY NEEDS LIST.

We still need a new Program Chair for the upcoming yearthink about it.



ONE OR OUR RECENT NEW MEMBERS:

David North.....Born in England - near London. Father founded a company making static condensers for telephones, if anyone today knows what they were...!

I worked in the computer industry in the UK, and came to America in 1983 with my Bay Area based employer. Actually I'd previously fallen in love with America on vacations to the U.S., especially one visit to a family in Seattle. I'm very happy to have chosen to be a U.S. citizen.

Lived and worked in the Bay Area, New York, and Evergreen/Denver (since 1989) - always involved in the financial industry.

Son and daughter, now in their 20s, went through Evergreen schools. Son is in Baltimore, daughter in Cambodia.

I'm now the financial adviser in the Edward Jones Bergen Park office.

I work at a Denver Food Bank, and I'm secretary of a branch of Optimists Intl. I ski and play golf. I like film and 19th century American history.

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PROGRAM:

A Club Assembly was held, great turn out at the Warming Hut!

PLANNING AHEAD:

Friday Feb. 19, John Ehrlanson at the Ice House (next to Little Bear) EChO benefit. Tickets \$10 plus bring a can of food.

Saturday Feb. 27, Crutches4Africa Chili Cookoff @ Mt. Vernon Country Club, \$5.00 Tickets,



GUESTS:

Bill Downes Family, Mom Joy, sister Judy, brothers Mel and Chris; Mary Lou Hale, Candace Talbot; Charlene Pasco; Barbara Huntington; Trent's wife Judy; guest of Wil, Pastor Dorn and Wil's son Blair; Martha Z; and Lisa and John Erlandson who sang for us!

VISITING ROTARIANS:

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

Denver West Rotary

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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SOME GOOD AND/OR MISCELLANEOUS THOUGHTS*****

"To love and be loved is to feel the sun from both sides."

David Viscott,

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