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Committee Meetings

THURSDAY, APRIL 1

Programs Committee
7:30 a.m., Lucile's Café,
275 S. Logan

Membership/Retention
Committee

10:30 a.m., Denver Athletic
Club, 1325 Glenarm

FRIDAY, APRIL 2

Club Centennial Committee
7:30 a.m., Denver Athletic
Club, 1325 Glenarm, Behind
the Tavern

MONDAY, APRIL 5

Project C.U.R.E. Sort Night
7:00 p.m., Project C.U.R.E.
Warehouse, 10377 E. Geddes
Ave., Centennial, 80112

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

Rotary Foundation Support
Committee
8:00 a.m., Village Inn,
I-25 & Colorado

Youth Exchange Committee
4:30 p.m., Zang Mansion,
709 Clarkson St.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8

New Member Orientation
Session #3
10:30 a.m., Denver Athletic
Club, 1325 Glenarm

Rotary New Member Class of
2009,
11:00 a.m., Denver Athletic
Club, 1325 Glenarm

For questions about programs
or speakers, please contact
Doug McLemore,
2009-2010
Meetings Committee Chair, at
(303) 680-4018

Thursday, February 11, 2010

Denver Athletic Club

11:45—1:00 p.m.

Thomas Hoenic

President and CEO of the
Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

"Monetary Policy and the Economic Outlook"



Thomas M. Hoenic is president and chief executive officer of the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. In this role, he directs Federal Reserve activities in economic research, banking safety and soundness, and fiscal and Treasury services in the seven-state Tenth Federal Reserve District - responsibilities that have been carried out in Colorado since 1918 at its branch office in downtown Denver. Mr. Hoenic is a member of the System's Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC), the group entrusted with authority over U.S. monetary policy.

Mr. Hoenic joined the Federal Reserve in 1973 as an economist in Bank Supervision, where he spent the first half of his Fed career. He was directly involved in bank supervision during the banking crisis of the 1980s. He was a co-developer of the first rating system for bank holding companies. Mr. Hoenic led the Division of Banking Supervision and Structure from 1987 until he was named president on October 1, 1991.

During his 19 years as President, he has convened the Kansas City Fed's annual "Jackson Hole Economic Symposium," an event that brings central bankers from over forty countries together with the Federal Reserve's top leaders, academic scholars and private economists to discuss issues of mutual concern.

Mr. Hoenic serves on various boards, including Midwest Research Institute, the manager of the National Renewable Energy Lab (NREL) in Golden, Colorado.

Also at the meeting:

Class of 2008 Project Presentation
District Conference Information

Upcoming Club Meetings

April 8 Bob Beauprez, Former U.S. House of Rep. *"Is Washington at War with Prosperity"*
April 15 OFFSITE Fellowship Meetings—Reservations Required
April 22 Dr. John Brock, Director, Center for Econ. Education at C.U. *"Leaving Apartheid Behind"*

A complete list of all our Upcoming Thursday Programs AND our Committee Meetings can be found on our website at www.DenverRotary.org under "Meetings & Events."

Club 31 Welcomes New Members



Gretchen Kneen "Gretchen"
Member Since: 2/16/2010 Active - Ordinary

Birthday: 10/09
"Human Services - Rocky Mtn Parents as Teachers"

Board Chair
Rocky Mountain Parents as Teachers

Sponsor: Lee White
Wk Ph:
Fax:
E-mail: gskneen@aol.com

Spouse: Tim Kneen
8400 Witez Court, Colorado Golf Club, Parker CO 80134

Hm Ph: 303-748-6532

Rotary Achievements:

Gretchen Kneen serves as Board Chair of Rocky Mountain Parents as Teachers, a monthly home visitation program for children birth through kindergarten, to promote school readiness, strong families and abuse prevention. She has chaired a Day in the Country Event to bring inner-city children to experience a farm.

Gretchen was born and raised in Denver and graduated from Colorado State University in 1988. She worked for her father and the Preston Partnership for six years to produce and train 40 embryo transfer Olympic caliber horses. Simultaneously, she began work as a Technical Analyst at Smith Barney. Gretchen continued in that position until 2005.

She met and married Tim Kneen, from Ottumwa, Iowa, a graduate of University of Denver and The Wharton School. They have two children, JP age 13 and Cassie age 11, who attend Colorado Academy. As a family in the winter they ski every weekend and foxhunt with the Arapahoe Hunt. During the summer they golf at Colorado Golf Club, camp, travel, and play tennis.

Gretchen is the daughter of Rotarians, Carolyn and Preston Smith. Pres was a Denver Rotary President during 1977-1978. As a youngster, Gretchen had the opportunity to travel with her family. Often they integrated Rotary International Conventions within their excursions. She particularly remembers Rotary times in Yugoslavia, Turkey, Greece and Hawaii. Gretchen also was a Rotary Summer Exchange Student with a family in the Netherlands. Together with her exchange student the family went to the LA Olympics in 1984.

Gretchen was introduced to Club 31 at our March 25, 2010 luncheon by her sponsor Lee White, who was sponsored by Gretchen's mother Carolyn and she is interested in serving on the Youth Service and Social Activities or World Community Service Committees.



Robert Hardaway "Bob"
Member Since: 2/16/2010 Active - Ordinary

Birthday: 06/14
"Law - Education - Private University"

Professor of Law
University of Denver Sturm College of Law
2255 East Evans Avenue, Denver, CO 80208

Sponsor: Ved Nanda
Wk Ph: 303-871-6310

Fax:
E-mail: rhardaway@law.du.edu

6135 E. 6th, Denver CO 80220

Hm Ph: 303-345-5220

Rotary Achievements:

After graduating Cum Laude from Amherst College and Order of the Coif from New York University Law School, Professor Hardaway joined the U.S. Navy JAG Corps where he processed civil claims and also served as both a prosecutor and a criminal defense lawyer. After serving four years, he joined the Denver law firm of Rovira, Demuth, and Eiberger where he practiced civil litigation. He also later served as Deputy District attorney for Arapahoe County and rounded out his litigation career as a Colorado Deputy Public Defender, where he handled hundreds of felony cases, including death penalty cases. From there, he first entered academia as a clinical supervisor at the University of Denver College of Law, ultimately becoming a tenured Professor of Law. He has also been a Visiting Professor of Law at Hastings Law School at the University of California, and at Washington University Law School in Washington, D.C. He is the author of fourteen published books on law and public policy, and 29 law review articles, reviews, and articles in professional journals. More recently, he has expanded the scope of his professional writing to include docudramas and law-related fiction and novels. He has written over 75 opinion editorials in national newspapers on issues of law and public policy, and appears frequently on television and in the media commenting on legal issues.

Bob was introduced to Club 31 at our March 25, 2010 luncheon by his sponsor Ved Nanda.

Pride-a-tarians



Club 31 Rotarian "Dougald" McDougal publishes 4th edition cookbook

A Culmination of 73 years of preparing interesting food that doesn't drive you crazy. Homemadely Yours is available online at: HomemadelyYoursCookbook.com. When you buy this cookbook A portion of the proceeds will benefit The Shining Stars Foundation. www.ShiningStarsFoundation.com



Rotarian Art Starr Celebrates 50 Years with Club 31

Wednesday, March 24, 2010 marked the 50th anniversary of membership in Club 31 for Rotarian Art Starr. Art is a retired Ophthalmic Surgeon and Rotary International Paul Harris Fellow. Thank you for your years of service in Rotary!



DU Sturm College of Law Honors Alumni and Fellow Rotarian John Baker

John Baker will be honored with a University of Denver Sturm College of Law Law Stars award on September 16, 2010. DU Law Stars is a program of the University of Denver Sturm College of Law Alumni Council to honor distinguished alumni and faculty, raise funds for the Student Law Office (SLO) and the Law Stars Scholarship Fund and to unite DU Law Alumni in a celebration of their peers.

Denver Rotarians... You are invited to take part in the Downtown Denver YMCA 9Health Fair



April 23, 2010 – 7:00a.m. to 12:00 noon
At 25 E. 16th Ave., Denver, Colorado

(Located at the corner of 16th & Lincoln, please use the Lincoln Street entrance)

9Health Fair returns to Downtown Denver on Friday, April 23, 2010 as a combined Trinity/YMCA site location. In addition to the basic screenings and comprehensive blood screenings, the Downtown Denver YMCA will feature resources and screenings especially valuable for Women's Health. Stop by the Downtown Denver YMCA between 7:00a.m. and 12:00 noon for your annual health check-up.

If you plan to have a blood chemistry screening, please fast for 12 hours prior to the screening.

For more information: Call 303.698.3799 or 1.800.332.3078 or www.9HealthFair.org
Please bring your used eyeglasses to share the gift of sight.

LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER?



Denver Rotary Club sponsors two days at 9HealthFair – NEW LOCATION!!

WHAT: Volunteer Cashiering Opportunities

WHEN: 19 and /or 20 April, various hours
between 7 am to noon each day

WHERE: Mississippi Avenue Baptist Church,
13231 E Mississippi Ave, Aurora 80012

We are doing it again and this is a great opportunity to serve our community! For the mornings of Monday the 19th and Tuesday the 20th of April, the Rotary Club of Denver will provide cashiering services (no accounting experience required!) at a brand new location for both 9HealthFair and our Rotary Club! More participants are expected than our usual 500 to 600 participants each day and we are stepping forward to be cashiers, reconciliation assistants and cashier supervisors. Our site also has a new screening test to offer. **We need 20 to 25 Rotarians.** This should be lots of fun – and we get to handle the money (check, cash and credit cards)!

As in the past, we will have 2 hour shifts available or you can join us for the full time on either day, or both days. If you have any questions or want to sign up, please contact Harriet Downer at: HSDowner@LogicalConnections.org or 303.601.8591. Of course, training will be available.

Come and join us for this great opportunity to help so many of our community in true Rotarian style!

FELLOWSHIP

APRIL 15 is the date for our next Fellowship Meetings. Fellowship Meetings are a good way to get to know more about members and their individual businesses at various off-site locations.

THE DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS FRIDAY, *APRIL 9TH!*

Name: _____ (please print)

Phone or Email: _____

Which meeting would you like to attend? (Check in Preference Order)

— **Johnson Moving and Storage - 14 Spots Available**

(7009 S. Jordan Rd., Centennial, 80112) Host: Rotarian Jim Johnson

- Enjoy fellowship time
- Parking information will be available soon.

— **Denver Kids @ Kepner Middle School - 15 Spots Available**

(911 S. Hazel Court in the Library) Host: Rotarian Glenna Norvelle

- Enjoy fellowship time, lunch and learn about the Diplomas and Dreams Project.
- Street parking is available on Hazel and Kentucky. Enter through the doors on the east side of the school.

— **Multiple Sclerosis Society, Colorado Chapter - 15 Spots Available**

(900 S. Broadway, Broadway Station, Suite 250, Denver, 80209) Host: Rotarian Mary Hobson

- Enjoy fellowship time, learn about Multiple Sclerosis and what the MS Society is doing in our community.
- Parking information will be available soon.

— **CTL Thompson - 15 Spots Available**

(1971 W. 12th Avenue, Denver, 80204) Host: Ron McOmber

- Enjoy fellowship time and a tour of the soil sample testing lab.
- Parking is available on site.

— **Rotary Club of Denver Office "100 Year Anniversary Book" - 14 Spots Available**

(1900 Grant St., Suite 850, Denver, 80203) Host: Carl Lindsay and Roy Berkeley

- In the Club's 100 History Book, we want to capture our living history and are looking to our members to provide these personal accounts relative to our youth programs, specific projects, and/or how our Club help shape Denver's history. If you have stories to share, please join us.
- Parking is available in the attached garage, adjacent lots or on the street.

Fellowship Hosts are Still Needed

We are still in need of a few more hosts for this date. If you would be interested in hosting a Fellowship meeting please contact Don Kany at dkany@walnutstreet.com or the Rotary Office at staff@denverrotary.org.

****Please note: There will NOT be a regular meeting at the DAC****

Each location can accommodate a limited number of attendees.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED and are available on a first come, first serve basis.

Meetings begin at our regular time of 11:45 a.m. till 1:00 p.m.

Lunch is \$20 for Honorary/Active Exempt Members or Guests—No charge for Active Ordinary Members.

Fax your selection to 303/893-5702 or simply contact us at 303/893-1919 or Holland@denverrotary.org

This Rotary year, the Club is asking our Fellowship Hosts to sponsor the meetings and underwrite the luncheon costs. If you make a reservation and need to cancel, please do so with as much notice as possible so our hosts can make the necessary updates with their caterer.

Thank you...

Ms. Harriet Downer
World Community Service Committee



UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO
FOUNDATION

Dear Ms. Downer,

Thank you to you and The Denver Rotary Club Foundation for your gift in support of the Center for Global Health Fund. We truly appreciate this generous donation.

The University's academic and research programs enrich our community in countless ways. Support such as yours enables us to sustain and build on our productivity. Thank you for your investment in our excellence.

Your support is deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,

Cheryl J. Kising
Vice President of Development

Mr. Charles I. Thompson
President
Denver Rotary Club Foundation



Dear Mr. Thompson,

On behalf of the Denver Kids Board, staff and students and families we serve, thank you and the Denver Rotary Club Foundation for the grant we received for \$145,000 to be dedicated to our general operating support. We are so grateful to the Denver Rotary Club for the long-term support of our mission.

This spring our graduation rate of 88% far exceeded that of the general population of the Denver Public Schools which is at 50% - this is significant because Denver Kids, Inc. serves a high risk population and the graduation for this population is even lower. Even more promising is that over 80% of our 2009 graduates are now enrolled in a two or four year college. Our counseling and mentoring programs are successful because they provide the individual intensive support and guidance every student needs.

We continually seek ways to broaden our base of support so that we can expand the number of students served without sacrificing quality. We know that there is no shortage of students in Denver Public Schools who would benefit from the long-term educational counseling and mentoring that Denver Kids provides. In order to address the growing number of students who qualify for our services, we have created an aggressive three year strategic plan that was approved by our Board of Directors in October and calls for a 20% increase in the number of students served over three years.

Each time we write a thank you to Denver Rotary, it seems impossible to convey how truly grateful we are for everything that you and the membership provide for the students of Denver Kids. It has and continues to make a profound difference for the Denver community. Again, our sincere thanks for your partnership.

Sincerely,

Glenna Norvelle
President/CEO

Vickie Puchi
Vice President of Development

Birth-a-tarians



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

(Pictured Left to Right)

Karl Berg, 3/28, Karl Berg Architect, *“Architecture—Planning & Development”*

Dick Harvey, 3/29, Retired, *“Law—Alternative Dispute Resolution”*

Randy Kenworthy, 3/29, Caddis Capital LLC, *“Investments—Private Equities”*

Jeff Mason, 3/30, Rare Space, Inc., *“Real Estate—Commercial—Tenant Advisor”*

Kristi Shaffer, 3/31, Junior Achievement—Rocky Mountain, *“Associations—Junior Achievement”*

Hugh Brown, 4/1, Davis Partnership Architects, *“Architecture—Institutional”*

PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR ROTARY FAMILY!

It is a Rotary tradition to honor our Birth-a-tarians each week. We also want to rejoice when one of our members receives GOOD NEWS, such as an award, the birth of a child, marriages or business success. Conversely, we want to let you know WE CARE when our lives are not going so well. We often miss knowing when a member's loved one has died, a member is sick or one is experiencing difficult challenges in their life. Forms are available to you at each meeting.

They are located on the hospitality table at the back of the room. Feel free to take some home.

They can also be downloaded from the website or by clicking here. Please SHARE.

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