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Committee Meetings

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

Class of 2008 Happy Hour
 5:30 p.m., Choppers Sports
 Grill, 80 S. Madison St.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

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

Youth Exchange Committee

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Membership/Retention
 Committee 10:30 a.m., DAC,
 Mtg Rm TBD

MONDAY, APRIL 6

Project C.U.R.E. Sort Night
 7:00 p.m., at their warehouse,
 10377 E. Geddes Ave. In
 Centennial

TUESDAY, APRIL 7

DRCF Board of Trustees 11:30
 a.m., Colorado Bar Association,
 1900 Grant St., Ste., 900

TUESDAY, APRIL 14

World Community Service
 Committee 7:30 a.m., Rotarian
 Pete Wall's Office, 303 E. 17th
 Ave. Ste., 800

Club Executive Committee

4:15 p.m., Denver Rotary
 Office, 1900 Grant St. Ste.,
 850 or Teleconference

For questions about programs
 or speakers after 7/1/09, please
 contact Doug McLemore,
 2009-2010
 Meetings Committee Chair, at
 (303) 680-4018

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CEBA Awards Luncheon

Thursday, March 26, 2009 • 12 Noon

Marriott City Center Downtown Denver

Keynote Speaker: Richard Evans

Richard H. Evans is a native of Denver, Colorado. He graduated in 1966 from the University of Denver with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Management. Richard is currently the Chairman and CEO of Evans Holdings, LLC, a Naples, Florida Real Estate Investment and Real Estate Services Company. He also serves as Board of Director of Life Point Hospitals, Inc. (NASDAQ), (Director, Member of Audit Committee, Governance and Nominating Committee and Chairman of the Compensation Committee). He is also involved on the Board of The World Presidents Organization (WPO) and the Chief Executives Organization (CEO) from 1998 to Present.

Please join us in honoring the companies and individuals who exemplify ethics in our Colorado business community. The annual awards luncheon is a great way to meet other business leaders while enjoying a wonderful lunch and listening to our renowned keynote speaker, Richard Evans.



1701 California Street, Denver, CO 80202 (corner of 17th & California)

~ Valet parking available & in lots in surrounding area ~

12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Look for the Denver Rotary Banner for check in and table assignments.
 For a list of this year's honorees and more information about the awards,
 please visit their website at www.ceba.org.

Reservations are REQUIRED!

If you would like to attend and have not made a reservation, please call the Rotary office to see if there are still spots available. There is no charge for our Active Ordinary members; \$50 for Active Exempt/Honorary and Guests.

This will take the place of our regular weekly luncheon at the DAC.

If you have made a reservation but are unable to attend, please call the office ASAP.

ALL members who RSVP'd but do not cancel their reservation prior to Tuesday, March 24th or are "no shows" may be billed for the luncheon cost as our attendance count is guaranteed after that date. If we are unable to fill your spot a \$50 charge will appear on your next quarter's dues statement.

Thank you for your consideration.

Upcoming Club Meetings

April 2

April Fools Walk In—Kapelke and Company

April 9

OFFSITE—Fellowship Meetings

April 16

Group Study Exchange Program—Team New Zealand

Pride-a-tarians



Ved Nanda has been selected to receive the 2008-09 Les Bevans Pacesetter Award for Outstanding Vocational Service in Rotary. This is an annual award that is sponsored by the Rotary Club of University Hills and will be presented at the District Conference in Colorado Springs May 1-3, 2009. Congratulations Ved!

Sherry Helmstaedter's art work was recently juried in at John Madden's Palazzo Verdi's Madden Museum of Art in Greenwood Village. Inspired by seeing art work around the world on three continents, Sherry Helmstaedter's medium is acrylic, watercolor and mixed media of landscapes, florals, animals, abstract and non-objective works. She has studied with many national artists and paints both for residential and commercial buyers. Congratulations Sherry!



Club 31 Roster Updates

New/Updated Address

Jean Herman: 290 W. 12th Ave. #303
Denver, CO 80204

Mike O'Connell: 1900 E. Girard Pl. #1102,
Englewood, CO 80113

Tom Niver: National Financial Advisors, 100
Fillmore Street, #500, Denver, CO 80206

James Warner: 9158 Ranch River Circle, High-
lands Ranch, CO 80126

New Email Address

Rich Spong: rpspong@comcast.net

Tim Sheahan: timsheahan@comcast.net

New Phone Numbers

Mike O'Connell: (H) 303.888.9996



SOUP DAY PROCEEDS

*We are pleased to announce the
proceeds from our last two soup days...*

January 25, 2009 - \$1,514.07 and

February 26, 2009 - \$1,401.38 both

checks were presented to Polio Plus. Thank you to everyone who participated and enjoyed a bowl of soup while helping those in need.



SPEAKER VIDEOS are NOW ONLINE!

Denver Rotary Speaker Videos can be viewed on our website under Meetings/Events. There is also a link on the home page. A little patience please as we continue to add the links to our video archives. **AND**, the Club will be giving attendance credit for those viewed by our members – the 4-way Test applies! Visit our website for viewing and attendance instructions at www.denverrotary.org/meetings-events.



Rotary Club of Niwot

Dear President Sue,

On behalf of our 28 members, I want to thank you for attending our Charter Night Celebration and the Rotary Club of Denver for your generous gift of a \$150 gift certificate to Russell-Hampton. We have put it to good use.

We are excited to be the newest club in the District, and we look forward to participating with other clubs throughout our District and the world.

If you have the opportunity, please come to one of our meetings, held Thursday mornings in Niwot.

Thank you again,

Sincerely,

Eli Buzas, Charter President, The Rotary Club of Niwot

Save the Date: Denver Rotary Spring Dinner/Dance – Friday, April 24th - Lakewood Country Club. More details to follow...



FELLOWSHIP

APRIL 9 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 3!!**

Name: _____ (please print)

Phone or Email: _____

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

— **American Zang Investment Council—Zang Mansion** - 18 Spots Available,

Host: Rotarian Rod Greiner, (Zang Mansion, 709 Clarkson St. Denver, CO 80218)

- Come enjoy Fellowship at the Historic Zang Mansion. The Zang Mansion has been designated as a Historical Landmark by the City and County of Denver, the State of Colorado and is listed in the National Registry of Historic Places.
- Street Parking

— **Denver Kids @ Kepner Middle School** - 30 Spots Available,

Host: Rotarian Glenna Norvelle (Kepner Middle School, 911 S. Hazel Ct. Denver, CO 80219)

- Meeting will be held in the school library
- Parking is available on the east side of Hazel St.

— **Denver Center for International Studies** - 30 Spots Available,

Host: Rotarian Randy Dunn (574 W. Sixth Avenue, Denver, CO 80204)

- Meeting will be held in the Community Room
- Learn how Denver Center for International Studies prepares students for college by developing multilingual, intercultural competent citizens who are actively involved in our rapidly changing world.
- Parking is available at the school and on the street surrounding the school.

— **Rocky Mountain PBS** - 36 Spots Available, *Host: Rotarian Sheila Kowal and*

the New Member Class of 2008 (Rocky Mountain PBS Studio, 1089 Bannock St., Denver 80204)

- Meeting will discuss “Super School News” an award-winning, volunteer-managed, elementary school news program produced by Rocky Mountain PBS since 1980. SSN is a mini-television series written, illustrated and presented on RMPBS by 5th and 6th graders from schools across the state, promoting leadership, education, creativity, writing and speaking skills and more.
- Parking is free in the lot just south of the building. The entrance is on Bannock.

— **Horan & McConaty Mortuaries** - 50 Spots Available,

Host: Rotarian Fred Taylor (3101 S. Wadsworth Blvd., Lakewood, CO 80227)

- Learn about this family owned business that has been serving Denver since 1890.
- Parking is available in the lot at the building, the entrance faces Wadsworth.
- Lunch will be provided by Horan & McConaty Mortuaries.

*****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.—Box lunches will be provided by Three Tomatoes Catering, unless otherwise noted—Lunch is \$20 for Honorary/Active Exempt Members or Guests—No charge for Active Ordinary Members.

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

Birth-a-tarians



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Skip Ahern, 3/20, Charter Realty Group, "Real Estate"

David Lee, 3/21, formerly MBIA (retired), "Investments-Client Service"

Greg Osborn, 3/21, Saltzman Hamma Nelson Massaro, "CPA-Local-Tax Services"

Clark Rheem, 3/21, Consultant (retired), "Building Materials-Distributing"

Bruce Wagner, 3/21, Wagner Equipment Company, "Tractor Distributing"

Wayne Schell, 3/21, Hospital Shared Services, Inc., "Healthcare-Hospital Services"

Jim McFall, 3/24, MKK Consulting Engineers, "Engineering-Mechanical"

Chuck Everill, 3/25, "Marketing-Direct"



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. Please SHARE.

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