

District 5300 Governor



Elizabeth "Betsy" McDonough Barry is the current District 5300 Governor which serves southern California and Southern Nevada. Betsy joined the Rotary Club of Upland in 2005. She served as club president, 2015-2016. She also served District Membership Chair.

Betsy's best Rotary moments include "Shopping at Target" where 100 under-privileged local children are given \$100.00 to buy Christmas presents; and reading and distributing books to Title I school children in grades K through third grade. During Betsy's year as President,

35 traffic signs were installed near every school in Upland to warn drivers to "Drive Carefully, Protect Our Children." Betsy is passionate about sharing Rotary so that others may know the wonderful works Rotarians do locally, nationally and worldwide.

Betsy's husband, Roy is a member Upland Rotary. Roy will serve as president for 2019-2020. Betsy served on the Upland City Council (1991-1998) and became Mayor Pro Tem (1996-1998). She was President of the Western San Bernardino County Bar Association (2002).

Betsy and Roy and their daughter, Maggie live in Yorba Linda, California. Roy is active in the Knights of Columbus at St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church. Betsy is a lector at the parish. Betsy serves as Treasurer for Maggie's Girl Scout Troop. She is a member of the Kappa Delta Alumnae Chapters for Orange County and San Bernardino County.

Born in San Bernardino, California, she graduated from Upland High School; earned a bachelors degree in Political Science with a minor in Business Administration, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona; and a juris doctor from Western State University, College of Law.

The Las Vegas Rotary Club's Mission:

Teaching Youth to Succeed through Literacy, Education & Life Skills Development



FEBRUARY 10, 2022 TODAY'S PROGRAM

ELIZABETH "BETSY" BARRY

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

MEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

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CALENDAR



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES WHAT IS ROTARY?

Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.



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District 5300 Governor Betsy McDonough Barry



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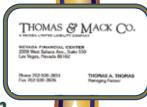
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Past President Representative **Tom Thomas**





MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Love gives meaning to life. It's what keeps us going when we feel like giving up; it remains when all else fails. True love doesn't quit or run out; it simply endures and overcomes.

Many of us think small acts of kindness make our days brighter and happier. However, an act of kindness, especially a consistent stream of warm acts, can be much more than that. Years ago, as a young father, I was counselled that love was spelled T -I - M - E. Giving our time consistently is one of the greatest acts of love we can perform.

Being loved as a child can provide a kind of protection throughout one's life. It gives a sense of self-worth and confidence when one is lonely, disappointed or threatened.

Have you ever considered 'love' as an act of courage? Sometimes it seems safer to close one's heart, to turn inward and avoid the possibility of heartache.

British writer C.S. Lewis wrote: "To love . . . is to be vulnerable. Love anything, and your heart will be wrung and possibly broken."

It takes **faith** and **hope** to truly love because there's always the risk of being hurt as we expose ourselves to others.

In the 1930s, young Gordon and Marjorie were engaged to be married. Gordon was worried about the economic realities of marriage during the Great Depression. He opened his heart to his fiancée and, with some anxiety, told her, "I think you should know that I only have \$150 to my name."

Marjorie responded with optimism, "Oh, that will work out just fine." She explained, "I had hoped for a husband and now I'm getting \$150 too!"

It was a vulnerable moment, but instead of expressing fear and worry, Marjorie expressed courage, confidence, optimism and even good humor. In other words, she expressed love. They did get married, and their marriage lasted nearly seven decades.

Memories of kindnesses can be an influence for decades and provide a sense of warmth long after the occasion has grown cold. These acts of unselfish love are remembered and cherished.

Love is courage, faith, hope and time. All of these I experience regularly in Rotary, locally, nationally and internationally. You, our members, are so generous in countless

In our club, I've experienced love in abounding ways. From a warm embrace from a meeting greeter when I showed up feeling down, to our members consistently reading to disadvantaged children, to giving wheelchairs, and on and on.

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These acts of kindness have lasting impacts on the youth of our community, the handicapped and the otherwise disadvantaged. It also influences us.



ARE WE RELATED?

Have you ever sat in a room full of people and wondered if or how you might be related to those around you?

Relatives around Me, a fun feature in the FamilySearch FamilyTree app, can tell you how you are related to friends, neighbors, or anyone sitting near you.

Do you know there's a good chance you are related to another member of the Las Vegas Rotary Club? Some of our board members have tried the app only to find they are fifth, sixth or eleventh cousins with others board members.



Family Tree

In January, we will be doing a program on Genealogy and Family History. To make it most effective, we need our members to do two things.

First, download the free app at the Google store or the Apple app store.

Second, look for your parents or grandparents using the app. You probably need to know their birth date and birth place. Once a few of your grandparents are in the app then you'll start getting hints. Build your tree as far as it is convenient. While you are visiting family during the holidays,

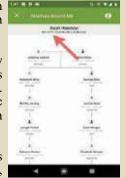
Once you go back to the 1940s or earlier, a lot of the research is easier since older data is regularly published by the government. For example, all of the census data from 1940 or earlier is available to the public and is in the FamilySearch app.

When you have that information in the app, it has a feature called "Relatives around Me." This fun feature in the FamilySearch Family Tree app, can tell you how you are related to friends, neighbors, or anyone sitting near you.

To try Relatives around Me, you and your potential cousin both need to be signed in to the Family Tree app and within approximately 100 feet of each other.

When you are in a room with others that have their Family Tree App open, you "Scan for Friends." Within seconds it will show you all the cousins you have in the room. Selecting the person's name will bring up a pedigree graphic showing your common ancestor and the lines through which you both descend. Pretty cool, right?

In addition, you can also find how you are related to famous people, like presidents, actors, athletes, historic figures, European royalty and more.



So download the app and search for your grandparents. We will give a brief demonstration in the meeting today.

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Les Saunders*	1923-24	Angelo J. Manzi*	1972-73
Bill Ferron*	1924-25	Keith Ashworth*	1973-74
A.A. Hinman*	1925-26	Robert E. O'Connell*	1974-75
Frosty Mildren*	1926-27	Don Ashworth*	1975-76
Fred Hesse*	1927-28	David F. Welles*	1976-77
Dr. F.M. Ferguson*	1928-29	James J. Corey*	1977-78
Dr. William S. Park*	1929-30	Darrell Luce*	1978-79
Charlie Dimock*	1930-31	Albert H. Purdue*	1979-80
Leo McNamee*	1931-32	Michael Hoover	1980-81
A.E. Cahlan*	1932-33	Donald L. Aikin*	1981-82
Douglas Dasheil*	1933-34	Joseph J. Buckley*	1982-83
Marion Earl*	1934-35		1983-84
Dr. Roy Martin*	1935-36	James Cashman III*	1984-85
K.O. Knudson*	1936-37	Mike Meyer	1985-86
Frank Gusewelle*	1937-38		1986-87
Tom Connolly*	1938-39	o .	1987-88
Archie Grant*	1939-40		1988-89
Otto Underhill*	1940-41		1989-90
Bryan Bunker*	1941-42		1990-91
Cyril Wengert*	1942-43		1991-92
Fred O'Donnell*	1942-45	Robert L. Forbuss*	
Frank Case*	1944-45		1993-94
Victor Shurtiff*			
Max Kelch*	1945-46		1994-95
Ed Ciliax*	1946-47		1995-96
	1947-48		1996-97
Lorin Ronnow*	1948-49		1997-98
Leonard Fayle*	1949-50		1998-99
Allye Lawson*	1950-51		1999-00
Harry Allen*	1951-52		2000-01
Les Edwards*	1952-53		2001-02
Wayne Kirch*	1953-54		2002-03
George Boman*	1954-55		2003-04
Spence Butterfield*	1955-56		2004-05
Walt Hunsaker*	1956-57	•	2005-06
Ted Brandt*	1957-58		2006-07
Julian Moore*	1958-59	Randy Campanale	2007-08
Ray F. Culley*	1959-60		2008-09
C.T. Harris*	1960-61	Karen Whisenhunt	2009-10
Ollie Gardner*	1961-62	Tom Axtell	2010-11
Tom Underhill*	1962-63		2011-12
Vern Willis*	1963-64	Randy Donald	2012-13
Ward Wengert*	1964-65	Ginger Anderson	2013-14
Bill Southard*	1965-66	Steve Linder	2014-15
Dr. Vince Sanner*	1966-67	Mary Ann Avnet	2015-16
Walter Wehner*	1967-68	David Thorson	2016-17
Dr. Robert Robinson*	1968-69	Dr. Michael Gordon	2017-18
Harold Wandesforde*	1969-70	James Kohl	2018-19
Mark C. Mielke*	1970-71	Jacqueline Thornhill	2019-20
Dr. Harold Boyer*	1971-72	Richard Jost	2020-21
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THE LAS VEGAS ROTARY CLUB



Sarah Thorton offers invocation.



Susan Ziobro leads the club in the National Anthem.



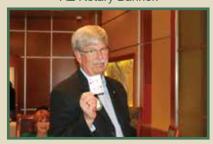
The Las Vegas Rotary celebrates the Rotarians with February birthdays, Bill Stephan, John Williams, Bob Werner, & Bhavendeep Singh.



Bill Regenhardt visited his former club and brought our club a Yuma, AZ Rotary Banner.



Carey Grohs and **Antoinette Monroe** are scheming about something good for Rotary.



PP Richard Jost won the raffle drawing today (pot was \$1,030), but he selected the Four of Diamonds and walked away with \$10 in consolation.

RAFFLE AMOUNT \$1,030.00

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THE LAS VEGAS ROTARY CLUB



Brock Fraser introduces almost 95-year-old **Bill Stephan**, honory Rotarian as a visiting member.



Sarah Bloomgarten, Scholarship Recipient, joins the club before she starts her year abroad.



Rotary Club board member **Mike Cudimat** and **President Mike** recognize

Kirk Holmes as a Paul Harris Fellow.



This week's head table: Chris Rodenfels, Dan Adamson, Mike Mewborn, Arleen Sirois & David Shephard.



John Williams won the Lawry's Gift Cards.



President Mike presented our speaker, David Shephard with a "Sole Power" award to benefit children in need of shoes & socks.

25 Julio

The Officers for the 25 Club

President - Susan Zioboro
VP - Bhavan Singh • Secretary - Barbara Castro
The 25 Club meetings are held on the 1st Thursday
each month at 6:00 P.M. at TBD



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SCRIBE - FEBRUARY 3, 2022

President Mike Ballard called the meeting to order.

Sarah Thornton gave the invocation and Susan Ziobro was the song leader.

President Mike gave thanks to members who help with meeting roles. Set up: David Jones and Anthony Barnes; Greeter: Antoinette Monroe; Sgt. At Arms: Alison Wechsler; Raffle tickets: Jaime Goldsmith and Arleen Sirois; AV: Kirk Alexander; Scribe: David Jones; Photographer: Jim Tucker and Stu Lipoff; Tear Down: Sarah Thornton and Barbara Castro.

Guests: (0) International Rotarians; (1) Visiting Rotarian: Jerry Brown (Los Angeles); Guest of Rotarians: Sarah Bloomgarten (Scholarship Recipient). Michael Gordon introduced JC Penny Managers: Renee Lanctot (Meadows) and Branda Almanza (Grand Canyon). Birthday Table: Bhavandeep Singh, Dr. William K. Stephan; Robert G. Werner: and John Williams.

Announcements:

- Social Media Thrust: post Rotary events and activities on social media
- Spouses Luncheon: Thursday, February 10 with Prime Rib
- Jamie Goldsmith announced Valentine canned food drive this month only for the Salvation Army.
- All-Rotary Club Meeting: February 09, 2022
- Feb 03, 2022: 25 Club Meetings & Social **Bhavandeep Singh**: next meeting hosted by **Antoinette Monroe**.
- Bhavandeep Singh: Super Bowl Board has been filled-up / sold-out
- Rotary 4-Way Speech Contest (Club Level) **Rene Gamero** announced Four-Way Speech contest will be held Feb 26th
- Dan Stover Music Contest (Club Level) **Rene Gamero** announced the contest takes place on February 24.
- RYLA-Rotary Youth Leadership Award has been cancelled Rene Gamero or Shawn Noorda.
- Bill Ravenhearts presented a Rotary Banner from the Yuma, AZ Club
- Robert Werner gave a \$1,000.00 donation to the Las Vegas Rotary Foundation which will be matched by another \$1,000.00 by Tom Thomas
- Sunday, March 27, 2022 Foundation Dinner at Red Rock Country Club
- Toni Kern asked for volunteers in April for two Green Our Planet dates: 1) April 8 we will assist with a Garden party pop up dinner auction volunteers needed to set up in the morning and in the evening need servers from 4-9 pm. Up to 20 volunteers needed for each team; 2) April 22 for the farmer's market. Details to follow. See the Green Book to sign up.
- \bullet Family Search phone App we discovered how many of us are related . . . some Club Members are 10th, 12th, or 13th cousins.
- Paul Harris Presentation
- Michael Cudiamat presented to Kirk Holmes as a Paul Harris Fellow.
- Richard Jost won the raffle drawing today (pot was \$1,030.00) but he selected the 4 of diamonds and walked away with \$10.00; John Williams won the \$50.00 Lawry's Gift Card.

Mike Newborn introduced our speaker, **David Shepherd**, of the Readiness Group. Mr. Shepherd spoke about Human Trafficking and Missing Persons. He recommended all to watch the YouTube movie, Groomed, by Travis Plunkett

President Mike presented our speaker with a "Sole Power" award to benefit a child in need of shoes and socks. Immediately following the meeting was adjourned.

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District Governor Elizabeth "Betsy" McDonough Barry invites you to attend the

Southern Nevada

DISTRICT 5300 ROTARY FOUNDATION RECEPTION

Sunday, March 27, 2022 4:00 – 6:00 pm.

Red Rock Country Club

2250 Red Springs Drive Las Vegas, NV 89135

CONGRATULATING

District 5300 RECENT Paul Harris Fellow Members

and

PDG Gregory and Brenda Jones

For Becoming Members of the Arch Klumph Society in March 2021

District 5300 Members who Reached Major Donor Level 1 or Higher

July 1, 2019 - December 31, 2021

SPECIAL GUEST

VICKI PULIZ

Rotary International Director 2021-2023

Event Tickets are \$50 per person. Includes hors d'oeuvres and wine

Registration at https://registrations.dacdb.com/Register/index.cfm?EventID=77573516&NoCaptcha

For more information, please contact DRFCC Mariscal at 323-816-6713 or markmariscal@yahoo.com

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Note: As of January 2022, Face Masks are required indoors. We will keep you informed about any other requirements.



















February 10, 2022

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- 2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

CALENDAR

ROTARY EVENTS ARE LISTED IN RED / GUEST SPEAKERS & PROGRAMS IN BLACK

02/17 4 Way Speech Competition

02/19 Mayor's Cup Soccer Feb 19th-21st

02/24 Dan Stover Music Competition

03/03 Tony Sanchez

- NV Energy / Our Growth Story

03/10 Travis Brady - Brady Industries

- Local Growth Story

03/12 Highway Clean Up

03/17 St Patrick's Day

03/24 Mary Mazur - Vegas PBS

03/31 John Edmond - Nevada Pioneer

04/07 Rod Barksdale

- Experiences from the NFL

04/14 Fion Chun - Chinese New Year

04/21 Valedictorian Lunch

04/28 John Lynn - HealthcareScene.com

05/05 Jay Bybee - 9th Circuit Judge



MAKE-UP DAYS AND PLACES

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www.LasVegasRotary.com - Our Club Site



Rotary At A Glance

Rotarians Members - 1,207,102; Clubs - 34,823; Districts - 538; Countries - 200+; Rotaractors Clubs - 7,868; Members - 180,964; Countries - 162 Interact Clubs - 18,005; Members - 414,115; Countries - 132