

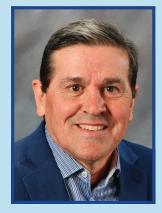


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November 13, 2025

Timothy Keener

Las Vegas Events, President



Tim Keener has extensive experience in the development, operation and management of special events.

Tim graduated from West Virginia University with both an undergraduate degree in Business Administration and a master's degree in Sports Administration.

In 1988, Tim began his career in sports management in Charlotte, where he spent the next 12 years working at several companies, including Raycom Sports, GNI Sport and ESPN Regional Television.

While at ESPN Regional Television, Tim worked for nearly eight years in the event management and operations of various special events, including collegiate basketball, football, and golf events.

In 2001, Tim relocated to Las Vegas and began his tenure at Las Vegas Events. Over the last 20 years, Tim has been responsible for the administration and operation of all company-related events pertaining to management & operational planning, event ticketing, sponsor fulfillment and sales and game day execution.

Tim has been involved in the planning and execution of the Wrangler National Finals Rodeo, Cowboy Channel Cowboy Christmas, America's Party Fireworks, FEI World Cup Jumping and Dressage Finals, SCORE Off-Road Racing, USA Men's Basketball Training Camp and Exhibition, NCAA Championship events including the 2008 USA Olympic Wrestling and Judo Trials and the Pac-12 Men's Basketball Championship, among others.

Tim's role with the NFR has allowed him to work closely with the General Manager — Production and the Thomas & Mack senior staff on many aspects of the production and operation of the event.

On January 1, 2023, Tim assumed the role of President of Las Vegas Events. Tim will continue to lead LVE's operation and position the prominent role that Las Vegas Events plays in the growth of special events in Las Vegas and Clark County in the years to come.

Upcoming Speakers

Cornucopia

11/20 DARK Due to: Formula 1

11/26 Jhone Ebert

12/11 Robbie Brown

12/18 David Cheiken

01/08 Diana Bennett

01/15 Sherry Morrow

01/22 Ciara Byrne

01/29 Contestants

12/04 DARK

12/25 DARK

01/01 DARK

Joint with Kiwanis Club - Superintendent Clark County Schools

Las Vegas Community

Santa Clothes

LV Search & Rescue; Deputy Commander Community Outreach

Fisher Bros., Head of Real Estate

Due to: Holiday Break

The Future of Learning

Due to: Holiday Break Rebels-EmpowHer - Founder Nevada State Medical Association GoP Financial Literacy

4 Way Speech - Club level

Our Club's Accomplishments

Good People, Doing Good Things, for People in Need.

- Rotarians come together to donate items to raise money for many causes we support. Tom Thomas recently donated a pair of fabulous tickets to the Rodeo to benefit the Canned Food Drive.
- The Halloween party brought in \$3,675 for the Canned Food Drive benefiting the Salvation Army.
- Kathy Mahon made a generous donation of \$1,500 to Canned Food Drive benefiting the Salvation Army.

Check It Out!

Help a child feel seen, warm, and proud this Christmas. Buy the \$15 Santa Clothes ornament. One small gift. One big, real difference.

WHAT IS ROTARY?

2025 - 2026 Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo

> District 5300 Governor Gilda Moshir

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders who work to address critical issues like promoting peace, fighting disease, providing clean water, supporting education, and growing local economies.

Rotary clubs around the world foster fellowship, encourage high ethical standards, and work to advance goodwill and peace.

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President's Message



A Time of Celebration and Anticipation.

Mid-November in Las Vegas marks a vibrant transition — from autumn festivities to the sparkling onset of the holiday season. The city buzzes with energy as it plays host to world-class events and begins to transform into a festive wonderland.

One of the biggest highlights is the **Formula 1 Grand Prix**, bringing international flair and high-speed excitement to the Strip. Whether you're a racing fan or just soaking in the atmosphere, the event adds an electrifying pulse to the city's already dynamic vibe.

At the same time, Las Vegas begins its holiday preparations in earnest:

- Holiday displays start appearing across resorts and neighborhoods
- The Ethel M Cactus Garden begins its magical transformation with over a million twinkling lights
- The beloved Magical Forest at Opportunity Village gears up to open, offering whimsical fun for all ages

Las Vegas in mid-November is the perfect blend of celebration and anticipation — where fast cars, festive lights, and community spirit all come together.

Janice

Say Hello!



Say hello to one of our new Rotarians, Jack Romano — a transformational speaker, coach, and proud U.S. Marine Corps veteran who has spent over 25 years elevating the art of hospitality. Yes, *the good kind* — the Michelin-rated, beautifully plated kind.

Jack's signature philosophy, *The Art of Persuasion Is Through the Gift of Service*, is exactly as intriguing as it sounds: he teaches leaders, students, and teams that real influence begins with generosity, presence, and heart.

Originally from New York which explains the speed, the candor, and highly efficient explanations of why things should be done like this, Jack

now calls Las Vegas home. He's quick-thinking, refreshingly real, and has a talent for getting to the point while somehow taking the whole room along with him.

When Jack isn't inspiring others, he's road-tripping, meditating, or quietly finding ways to serve. We're lucky he's here, so please say hello to Jack!

Rotary Etiquette Essentials

The Art of Joining

Joining Rotary has always been more than signing a form — it's an invitation to serve, to connect, and to uphold a tradition of integrity and fellowship that stretches back more than a century. From the beginning, membership has been by invitation and approval, not to exclude anyone but to ensure each new Rotarian understands what we stand for, the role we play in our community and their responsibility in all of that.

Rotary etiquette starts with honoring that journey. A sponsor invites someone they believe will strengthen our spirit of service and friendship. The Board reviews and approves. The membership is informed and votes. And then, with purpose and joy, we welcome a new Rotarian into a global family committed to Service Above Self.

Every invitation is an **act of trust** — a recognition of shared values and shared purpose. And once we are here, **our responsibility is simple:** welcome others warmly, mentor generously, and remember that being a Rotarian is both an honor and a promise to serve.

Rosalee Hedrick

Vice President
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Volunteer and Event Highlights

V - Volunteer Opportunity

November

11/13	12:15pm		Guests of the Club: Bracken, Long & Hollingsworth
11/18	7:30am	٧	Beckley - Breakfast/Snack Time with Books
11/18	9:15am	٧	Hollingsworth Breakfast/Snack Time with Books
11/22	9:00am	٧	Backpack stuffing for Santa Clothes at the Boy Scout facility
11/26	12:00pm-1:30pm		Salvation Army Canned Food Drive Presentation at Lawry's

December

12/04	7:30am–10:00am	V	Santa Clothes
12/04	6:00pm-10:00pm		Holiday Party
12/5-12/7	All Week-end	٧	RYLA

12/10 6:00pm-8:00pm 25 Club Graduation, Randall Brody's home

Guests of the Club: Beckley, Dearing & McCall ES 12/11 12:15pm

January

01/10 9:00am Highway Clean-up & Brunch





November Rotarian Birthdays

Shawn Sennett 11/9	Linda Peterson11/17
Nareg Aghjayan 11/11	Christina Bishop 11/18
Robert Salameh11/11	Antoinette Monroe11/18
Russell A. Swain11/12	Anil Melnick11/28
Thomas A. Thomas 11/13	Hank Huang 11/30
Larry Goldstein 11/15	Toni Kern11/30
Michael Johnson 11/15	



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Rotary History



David Thorson has been selected to serve as District Governor (District 5300) - only the fourth member of our Club to do so in 105 years. That is the milestone we will celebrate when David takes office as District Governor for Rotary Year 2028–2029. Selected by the District 5300 Governor Nominating Committee, he will officially begin his term on July 1, 2028.

It has been nearly thirty years since one of our members last served in this role, making David's selection both historically significant and deeply meaningful for

While rare, our history of District leadership is distinguished. These three Rotarians from our club served and each helped guide District 5300 through eras of growth and change: Joseph J. "Joe" Buckley (1985–86), Donald L. "Don" Aikin (1992–93), and Kenneth E. "Ken" Miller (1995– 96). David now joins this legacy.

David brings to the role a thoughtful, steady, and collaborative leadership style—grounded in deep Rotary knowledge, financial stewardship, practical experience, and an unwavering commitment to Service Above Self. His year as District Governor will not only honor our history but strengthen the future of Rotary across our region. We look forward to supporting David as he prepares to lead District 5300 into its next chapter.

Scribe Notes

Scribe Notes - November 6, 2025 - President Janice opened the meeting at 12:15pm. PP Toni Kern gave the invocation; Michael Williams led us in singing God Bless America; and Nancy Anderson as Sergeant-at-Arms led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. President Janice thanked all who helped in today's meeting and introduced the guests at the President's Table.

We welcomed Visiting Rotarians: Gino Reyes, who in turn introduced a visitor, Selene Montenegro, the President of Rotaract Mexico; and Howard Cohen, former Governor of District 5030 in Seattle. PDG Rampur Viswanath introduced his guests, Rao Puvvada, and his wife; and PP Russ Swain introduced his guest, Richard Sherwood.

In the announcements: **Dan Adamson** noted that Santa Clothes is fast approaching and some volunteers are still needed. Mijung Lombardi reminded of the New Member Orientation at tonight's 25 Club meeting; and of the 25 Club graduation at the December 10 meeting at **Randall Brody's** home. **David** Jones announced that RYLA would take place in a month, encouraging Rotarians to put forward students to fill the still empty slots. **Susan Ziobro** announced a volunteer opportunity through the Salvation Army to help parents shop for Christmas Toys on December 16 from 2:30-4:30 pm. PP Brock Fraser reminded us of the opportunity to help with the Magical Forest at the Opportunity Village a week after Santa Clothes. Liz Rothwell updated on the Holiday Party on December 4 and asked Rotarians to submit holiday pictures from their youth. She also reported on the Friendship Exchange trip to India, for which there are still 3 slots available. Rosalee Hedrick, noting the forthcoming opening of the National Finals Rodeo, announced that items had been received for a live auction to benefit Santa Clothes. President Janice also noted that the off-road excursion tickets had been sold, and that Tom Thomas had donated two tickets to the Rodeo Finals for auction.

President Janice then announced that Robert Salameh was honored as Rotarian of the month for October; and David Jones was the Member in the Spotlight in this week's Wheel. The Club then honored the "Last Supper" Birthday Table for November with a lusty rendition of the Happy Birthday song.

PP Karen Whisenhunt and Larry Cohn then conducted the formal induction of two new members, Rao Puvvada and Christian Andersen, who were introduced, respectively, by Rampur Viswanath and Dr. **Michael Williams.**

Kirk Alexander won the raffle, but missed the Jackpot, while **Jack Romano** took home the Lawry Bucks. President-Elect Greg Maguire introduced this week's speaker, Frederick "Hutch" Hutchison, currently the Director of Operations for the NV Greenlight Group LLC, following a long career in law enforcement in the Henderson Police Department. He gave a sobering presentation of the background and current activities of Outlaw Motorcycle Groups (OMG). President Janice presented him with a copy of the Club's Centennial Book and announced a donation in his name to the Just One Project. She adjourned the meeting at 1:30 pm.





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President Janice offers Rodeo tickets donated by Tom Thomas



Jack Romano won the Lawry Bucks`



New Member Induction for Rao Puvvada and Christian Andersen



PDG Rampur, Rao Puvvada & wife



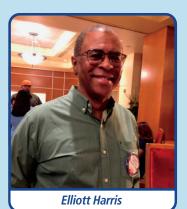
Don Holland & Guest



Speaker Hutch Hutchison and President Janice



Rotarian of the Month Robert Salameh and President Janice









Guests Gino and Selene





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Weekly Showcase

Pit Stop! We're Dark Next Week

F1 is zooming through town, and half the streets are doing their best impression of a maze. So, we'll be dark on **Thursday, November 20** – Unfortunately even Rotary can't out-maneuver a Ferrari.

But buckle up, because we're back on **Wednesday, November 26** for our Joint Meeting with the Las Vegas Kiwanis Club — otherwise known as the grand finale of our Canned Food Drive Showdown. Trophy presentation. Friendly bragging rights. Big check to the **Salvation Army**. This is our finish line. Be there for the victory lap.

Santa Clothes – Where the magic happens



Wrap your December in genuine holiday spirit and purpose—join us for **Santa Clothes on Dec. 4 at 7:00 AM** at 3 JC Penney locations! We'll shop with young people who might otherwise go without warm coats, shoes, and clothing this season. Each child is thoughtfully selected by our partner organizations, and your presence makes the experience joyful and dignified.

This is also our chance to show Rotary values in action. Many of these children grow up, remember this kindness, and return to pay it forward. We are planting seeds for future Rotarians. We need both shoppers and

cashiers, so there's a role for everyone. Bring a friend or colleague and help us fill bags, hearts, and futures.

Sign up in the Green Book and be part of the most heart-warming holiday experience of the year!

Member Spotlight

Melanie Jo Muldowney Krob



Meet **Melanie Jo Muldowney Krob** — accomplished attorney, quick wit, and joyful instigator of spontaneous dancing. Melanie currently serves as Deputy General Counsel for The Siegel Group, where she brings clarity, practicality, and steady leadership to a wide range of business and property matters.

A proud Lewis & Clark grad with a law degree from Loyola Law School, Melanie also spent a semester at Glasgow University, where she became a one-woman cultural exchange program: hosting a full Thanksgiving dinner for her Scottish friends and providing essential "community service" by tending bar at the local pub.

Melanie is also a legacy Rotarian — her father, **Past President Tom Krob**, showed her early that service is a family tradition worth carrying forward. She joined the Las Vegas Rotary Club in 2010 and has since taken on multiple leadership roles: Co-Membership Chair, Co-Chair for Open World — Rule of Law, Director of International Service and International Foundation, and currently Club Secretary. When we have to travel to a California Rotary event she's the first to offer to drive and embraces the task complete with a playlist and perfectly timed pit stops.

Fun Fact: In high school, she was a pole vaulter and even attended pole vault camp in San Luis Obispo. She also loves kayaking and country dancing — basically, if it involves rhythm, motion, or fun, Melanie is in.



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Rotarians in Action



Site hunting: DG Gilda Moshir, Pres. Janice & PP Toni Kern



Pickleball: Don Holland



Pickleball: Larry Cohn



New Member Orientation: President Janice, Victoria Mistretta, Melanie Muldowney, PP Tom Krob & Suzette Wheeler



New Member Orientation Birthday Girl- Antoinette Monroe



New Member Orientation: PP Toni Kern & PP Karen Whisenhunt



New Member Orientation: Larry Cohn & our host Elliott Harris



New Member Orientation: PP Tom Krob, Major Smith, PP Jim Kohl & Susan Ziobro



New Member Orientation: Rotarian of the Month Robert Salameh and Debi Howard



New Member Orientation: Linda Peterson & Linda Perkins



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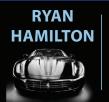
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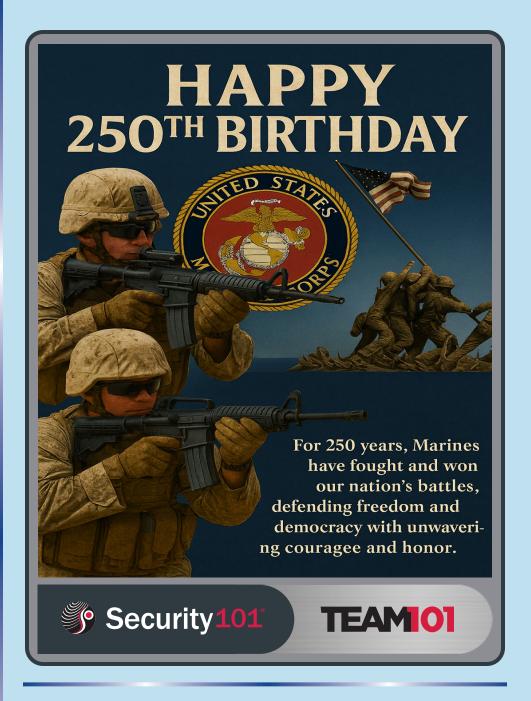
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