"Light Up Rotary"

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Thursday Noon - 2375 South 900 East

OPENING - 12:00 PM

Greeter Ken Simpson

Song America the Beautiful

Pledge / 4-Way Inspirational

Elizabeth Caldwell

Thought / Prayer Mike Hickey

Guest Introduction Garth Briggs

Sergeant at Arms Barry Bank

OPENING SONG

Music: Craig Kaelin, Piano

Earl Jones, Conducting

Song: America the Beautiful

Oh beautiful for spacious skies For amber waves of grain For purple mountain majesties Above the fruited plain

America, America God shed His grace on thee And crown thy good with brotherhood From sea to shining sea



WELCOME SONG

Song by Wally Williams (Former Club Member)

Welcome to Sugar House Rotary, We're mighty glad you are here We'd like to sing you a long song But a wrong song might appear So sit you down and make some friends today...Right Here!

RCSH

Lane Beattie, President
Salt Lake
Chamber of Commerce



Lane Beattie is the president and chief executive officer of the Salt Lake Chamber, a position he has held since 2003. He can rightly be called "Utah's business leader." Under his direction the Chamber has embraced a new era of business leadership that blends the best of a traditional chamber with top-notch and powerful business advocacy.

CALENDAR

March 26th - Rotary @
Sons of Utah Pioneers
3301 Louise Avenue, SLC
April 2nd - Rotary Club Assembly
April 9th - Beth Garstka
April 11th - Northern Assembly
Miller Conference Center
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
April 16th - Wally Brown, Shelter Box

SUGAR HOUSE ROTARY CLUB 2014-2015

President - Dan Sundahl
President Elect - Don Bean
Immediate Past Pres. - Harold Weight
Vice President - Ken Simpson
Director - Todd Suekawa
Director - Kevin Jones
Director - Larry Wright, M.D.

Sergeant at Arms

& Chili Open Chair - Barry Bank
Secretary - David Baranowski
Treas./ Exec. Sec.- Michael Tilton

SPRING INVOCATION

Snows are melting; spring is come
This Rotary year is almost done.
As we reflect on projects from the year
upon our activities both far and near,
We're thankful for successes enjoyed
We're thankful for resources employed
in the service of others, in service of peace,
for in serving others our joys increase.
Let's be thankful at this meeting for food and
friends, for hearts to serve and helpful hands.

Shawn Bird (2013)





REGISTER NOW! District Fiesta 2015

In June of 2015 we will have the incredible opportunity to experience international service as an entire District, for what will be a defining "Rotary moment" in the lives of our District's members and their families as we provide sustainable service to the citizens of Puerto Penasco, Mexico. Our week of service with many Rotary and non-Rotary families participants will culminate with the DISTRICT FIESTA! We will literally LIGHT UP ROTARY and the Puerto Penasco night.

REGISTER NOW, why the discount rates apply! Go to the District Fiesta website to get all of the details and to register. Go to: www.districtfiesta2015.com

The benefits of Rotary: friends wherever you go

By Evan Burrell, Rotary Club of Turramurra, New South Wales, Australia, and a former member of Rotaract

It's nice to have connections in a foreign country. That's what makes Rotary International so, um, international! Whether you're travelling for work, or for leisure, you can visit a Rotary club almost anywhere you go. And one of the benefits of being a Rotary member is that you are certain to make new friends, and find valuable local information to enhance your stay, while you are at it.

Need to know the best things to see during your stay? Where to eat? You might even find someone who has a room to rent for cheap. It's also great to see how different clubs conduct their meetings. You can discover new ideas for your own club.

Before I joined Rotary, I spent twelve years in Rotaract, Rotary's program for adults 18-30. I remember back in 2008 when I was on an exchange to New Jersey, and I visited plenty of clubs as part of the experience. But one club struck a chord with me — the Rotary Club of Red Bank. A few members of the club made sure we were taken care of. One member in particular, Steven Sanfilippo, took me to the local attraction "Jay & Silent Bob's Secret Stash" a comic book store owned by director Kevin Smith. He knew I was such a big fan of Superman and pop culture. It's these little things that make Rotary what it is, a place for friendship.

But you don't have to go far to experience this benefit of being a member. Visiting other clubs in your own region can build strong connections and develop relationships that make it easier to do joint projects. With Rotary the journey never ends. Rotary gives you opportunity to travel, meet people from all different backgrounds, and see the world in a whole different way.

Reading and writing, like everything else, improve with practice. And, of course, if there are no young readers and writers, there will be shortly be no older ones. Literacy will be dead, and democracy - which many believe goes hand in hand with it - will be dead as well.

Margaret Atwood

Word of the Month: *Literacy*

"Obviously, every child should be given the best possible opportunity to acquire **literacy** skills."

Hugh Mackay

"To succeed, you will soon learn, as I did, the importance of a solid foundation in the basics of education - literacy, both verbal and numerical, and communication skills."

Alan Greenspan

