



Rotary Ridge Runner

The Rotary Club of Wheat Ridge, Colorado Meetings: Mondays 12:10 p.m., Wheat Ridge Recreation Center, 4005 Kipling, Wheat Ridge, Colorado. Board Meetings: 2nd Thursdays 6:30 P.M. 6827 West. 38TH Avenue.

October 29, 2007

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PRESIDENT ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: Wilfred "Wilf" Wilkerson
DISTRICT 5450 GOVERNOR: David G. Beall., District Governor
DISTRICT 5450 ASSISTANT GOVERNOR: Jim Halderman

Our mission is to build a better world emphasizing service activities by individuals and groups that enhance the quality of life and human dignity, encouraging ethical high standards and creating greater understanding among all people.

Officers: President: Greg Garner. Past President: Dick Pierce, President Elect: Barry Hudson, Secretary: Bob Brown. Treasurer: Dick Matthews.

Service Chairs: Club Administration/Fund Raising: Walt Pettit. Membership: Mike Herman & Steve Parks. Community Service: Jerry Watson. Vocational Service: Bob Timm. International Service: Dean Bryan. Sergeant-at Arms: Jim Kerns. Programs: Chet Myers. Fellowship: Bill Trefz, Newsletter and Public Relations: Barry Hudson.
Board of Directors: Dick Pierce, Bob Brown, Jerry Watson, Mike Herman, Walt Pettit, Bob Timm, Steve Parks and Dean Bryan.

Wheat Ridge Rotary Foundation Board: Dan Brennan, Jerry Watson, Bob Brown, Dick Pierce, Sax Wilson, Jim Kerns, Greg Garner, Dick Matthews and Barry Hudson.

PROGRAM AND SPEAKERS' CALENDAR

October 29	Sharon Barnes	Life Balance
November 5	Head Start Wheat Ridge	Rotation Luncheon
December 6	Denver Marriot Tech Center	Governor Ritter State of the State to Rotary 5450
December 17	Christmas Baskets	Fill and deliver
December 24 & 31	Dark for Christmas and New Year	

SETUP/CLEANUP: Arrive at 11:15 AM please

Captains: Captains are responsible for reminder calls to crew and for supplies of disposables such as cups, coffee, sugar and substitutes, creamer and tea. Please inform Rudy, our caterer, if there is a change in catering schedule.

October Captain: Bill Trefz. Oct. 29: Steve Parks and Jamie Yrastorza.

November Captain: Jerry Watson. November 5: Kim Buck and Liz Willis. Nov. 12: Joe Cassa and Bob Timm. November 19: Mike Herman and Walt Pettit. Nov. 26: Dick Pierce and Barry Hudson.

December Captain: Dick Pierce: Dec. 3: Chet Myers and bob Timm. Dec. 10: Steve Parks and Kim Buck. Dec. 17. Christmas Baskets. Dec. 24 & 31. No meeting

Fine Master, October 29: Barry Hudson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS AND REPORTS

Ethan Raath has agreed to be our representative to the Arvada Wheat Ridge Service Ambassadors for Youth (AWRSAY). We currently contribute \$500.00 per year to this scholarship program for kids who have overcome great difficulties in their lives. Thanks Ethan for your participation and leadership in this area.

Please welcome our new members! Stacy Spaulding is a Doctor of Optometry and spouse of Dean. Sherry Feinbaum is Director of Business Development at Jeffco Credit Union. Dr. Susan Borzych is principal of Stover Elementary School.

Jerry Watson needs assistance and contribution sources for our elementary school dictionary program.

Our Mystery Trip (Denver History and Ghost Bus Tour) was a big success. Lots of good food with snacks at Dixon's and dinner at DiCicco's. The Christmas party at Mount Vernon will be on November 30th. Look for the Christmas Basket program in December. Each member will be assigned a donation item.

There will be a reception on November 3, for the Castle Rock and Castle Rock High Noon clubs.

The big push for next year both locally and District wide is for membership. Steve Parks and Mike Herman will head the membership committee and they welcome anyone's help in expanding our membership. Bring a friend to lunch.

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