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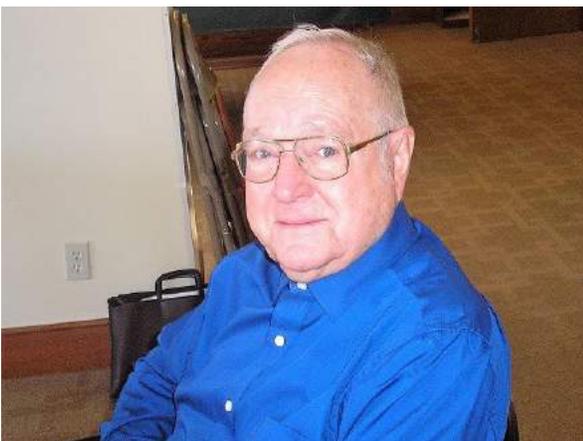
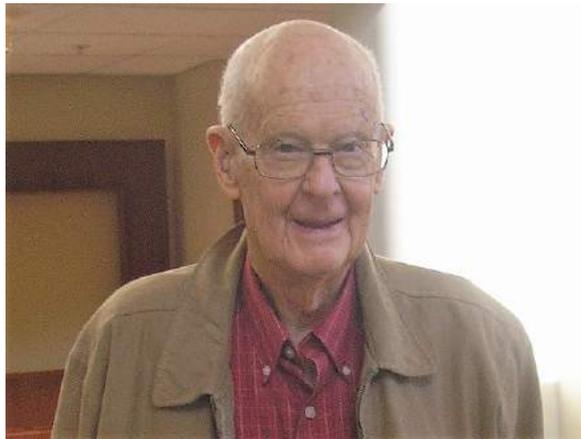
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Welcome Greg Lefferdink



At left, Greg Lefferdink. The club welcomed Greg as its newest member. Greg transferred from the Foothills Kiwanis Club of Boulder. Greg has been a member of Kiwanis since 1996.

At right, Charles Hadley. Charles said he had a very Happy Easter.



At Left, Jess Kadel. Jess also had a very pleasant Easter day.

Special points of interest:

- The next club meeting is Tuesday, April 12, 2018 at 9:00 AM at Frasier Meadows Retirement Center in the Community Room. There will be a presentation.

Eliminate Project Update. As of February 28, 2018, The Eliminate Project has collected \$78,187,695 in cash gifts.



Happy April Birthdays!

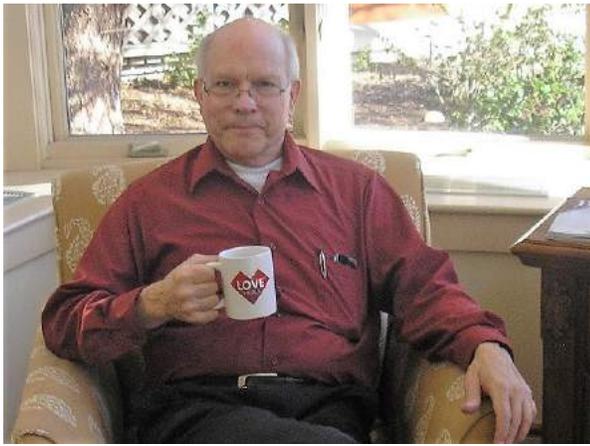
Rogers Coke—
April 11

Dave Finlay—
April 17

Helen Hall—
April 20

Rogers just returned from a trip to Tucson, AZ where he and Carol stayed at Rincon Country West RV Resort in their van. The resort has many activities including dancing, aerobics, a sewing and craft room, a woodworking shop and many others. Rogers and Carol attended the annual Tucson Festival of Books where authors discuss the books they have written.

At right, Dotti Imel. Dotti was glad to be at the meeting and happy she did not have to chase Rogers “all around the country”.



Above, Dave Finlay. Dave’s team won at the trivia contest they attended. They were in 4th place before the final question and answered the final question correctly to win. The question had to do with famous musicians who were in musical groups where the group never had a number 1 ranked album.



At left, Mike Fink. Mike, Barbara’s son, visited from his home in Las Vegas. Mike said there was a lot of construction of new buildings in Las Vegas. Mike also said there was manufacturing in the nearby town of Henderson. He said cities are building structures to help the case of homeless people. Mike also discussed the Las Vegas sports scene. There is a minor league baseball team named the Las Vegas Area 51. Las Vegas has an NHL hockey franchise which might advance to the Stanley Cup playoff this year. Also, the Oakland Raiders have moved to Las Vegas and a \$2 billion stadium is being built for them. The University of Nevada at Las Vegas will be allowed to play there. There is also a professional soccer team in Las Vegas. There are also many parades including a Martin Luther King holiday parade.

Trivia Question courtesy: <http://trivia.fyi> . Marie Antoinette was born an Archduchess of what country?

Greg said his daughter bought a new house and his son is working on a big construction project near the old stockyards in Denver. The project involves removing approximately 150 dilapidated homes in Globeville and constructing three terraces. There will be two levels where traffic will flow on I-70. The project covers 11 miles. The other terrace will be a long park. His son's area of responsibility for his company covers Boulder, Denver, and Loveland. One project is cleaning the old power plant in Boulder and another involves the Big Thompson Canyon.



At left, Barbara. Barbara spent Easter with Joan Knaub, a friend who invites many people to her house and does all the cooking for them. Joan will turn 90 this year. Joan also volunteers at the YES school which helps people from other countries learn English and become acclimated to this country.

At right, Helen Hall. Helen continues to recover from a stroke she recently suffered. We miss you and your wonderful inspiring thoughts and stories. We are keeping you in our thoughts for a speedy recovery.

To see updates on Helen, please visit :

<https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/helenhall?>



Trivia Answer: Austria

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

Club Officers:

President: Charles Hadley

Vice President: Jess Kadel

Treasurer: David Finlay, Secretary: Rogers Coke

Our club meets every Tuesday at 9:00 AM at Frasier Meadows Retirement Center, 350 Ponca Drive, in Boulder. For information, contact Rogers Coke, (303) 444-1924.