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### Quick Glance

## Kiwanis Program - July 1, 2017



Colorado Mounted Rangers  
Captain Rob DeVega and



Senior Meals Drivers

Meal Delivery Location  
Mennonite Church - Hwy 105  
Delivery Days  
Tues, Wed, Thurs



Thanks to Jim Murphy

**Scribes**

- July 8  
Rick Schoenlein
- July 15  
Steve Stephenson
- July 22  
Jim Johnston
- July 29  
Pete Peterson

# Lt. Joseph Clark

## Future Program Announcements

July 8, 2017

Member Bios

July 15, 2017

August Total Solar Eclipse

Henry Gertzman

## Member Concerns

Ed Tomlinson shared a Congressional Prayer offered by Chaplain, Reverend Edward G. Latch on Wednesday, July 3, 1974:

"Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord." (Psalms 33:12)

"Eternal God, stir Thou our minds and stimulate our hearts with a high sense of patriotism as we approach the Fourth of July. May all that this day symbolizes renew our faith in freedom, our devotion to democracy, and redouble our efforts to keep a government of the people, by the people, and for the people truly alive in our world. Grant that we may highly resolve on this great day to dedicate ourselves anew to the task of ushering in an era when goodwill shall live in the hearts of a free people, justice shall be the light to guide their feet, and peace shall be the goal of humankind. To the glory of Thy holy name and the good of our Nation and of all mankind. Amen."

Jo Carroll led the Pledge of Allegiance.



**Thanks to  
Dennis Beasley**

### Upcoming Programs

July 8, 2017

**Member Bio's**

July 15, 2017

**August Total Solar Eclipse**

Henry Gertzman

July 22, 2017

**Bethesda Gardens Monument**

Shirley Collard, Director of Sales &  
Marketing

July 29, 2017

**Civil Air Patrol**

Paul Krekorian

August 5, 2017

**Transportation Projects in Tri-Lakes**

Tom Vierzba, V.P. Nepco



**President RF Smith**

Called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

RF's thought of the day from Roman Lucius Annaeus Seneca: "Nothing is more honorable than a grateful heart."

**GUESTS**



Thanks Larry Young

Board of Directors  
2015-2016



Board of Directors  
2016-2017

President - RF Smith

President Elect - Barb Broshous

Immediate Past

President - Rich Strom

Secretary - Mike Luginbuhl



Larry Young introduced his son JT, visiting from Seattle. Welcome!

Jim Hatley and Jill, his wife, were introduced by Pete Peterson. Jim has submitted an application for membership. His sponsor is Marianne Black. Great to have you both join us!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Club business:

- Our next social mixer is July 7th celebrating the end of the parade. Marian Taylor passed around a sign-up sheet. Marian also let us know about the successful interclub meeting held on June 12 with Manitou Springs. Lots of great camaraderie! Pictures coming shortly.

Treasurer/ CFO - Jack Fry

Sergeant-at-Arms - Paul Short

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VP - Public Relations - Steve Stephenson

VP - Service Leadership Program - Max Williams

VP - Community Service - Cheryl Wangerman

Dir - Bingo & Raffles - Mark Zeiger

Dir - Granting and External Relations - Jim Taylor

- Pete Peterson updated us on the 4th of July parade.



- Tom Nelson was looking for additional support for Bingo on this past Monday night. Volunteers stepped up to the plate. Tom said we made well over \$500 last Monday. Mark Zeiger said we made \$9,700 for the Foundation this fiscal quarter.
- The Rocky Mountain Kiwanis conference is from August 3-6 in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Play golf on the 3rd, with convention events on the 4th and 5th, and training on the 6th. Register at <http://www.rmdkiwanis.com/>. RF Smith said there are monetary incentives for individuals and clubs with the most new members.



- The Griffith Golf Tournament was held June 29. We supported the tournament with marshals, etc. Barb Richie sent us a thank you note for our volunteer efforts. Rich Rima said the Griffith Foundation probably raised about \$20,000. Great!
- Dennis Beasley updated preparations for the MHKC Golf Tournament. The 3rd annual, long-time traditional Snow Flake Open will be on September 6, 2017 at Kings Deer Golf Course. Participation is open to all MHKC members, their spouses, and MHKC-sponsored Key Club members. Young flat-belly sons and long-hitting daughters need not apply, unless they are



Dir - Member Recognition -  
Ron Mangiarelli

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Taylor

Special Thanks To



Bonnie Nasser for photographs

also MHKC members. The format will be a scramble, with four players in each tee-group. At least one player in each group must be a woman and/or a Key Club member. You don't have to be a good player to participate. Just come along and chip and putt...but you had better be sure you are on a team with at least one semi-good golfer. Prizes and lunch will be included. Cost announced soon. Signups will start July 1, so start recruiting your team now. Lots of fun!

Monument Hill Kiwanis | 2017 Annual Peach Sale!

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**Just \$35 per 18 lb box!**

Fresh Colorado Palisades Freestone Large Peaches! No preservatives!  
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Click on the peach and fill out the form.

**ORDERS ARE TO BE PREPAID AND RECEIVED NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, JULY 21st.**  
Orders must be picked up Saturday, July 23, between 10am-2pm, Lewis/Palmer HS, Monument, Colorado.  
No refunds on orders not picked up by 2pm, July 23.

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- Peach sales have started. Peaches will be delivered on Saturday July 29, 2016 at Lewis Palmer High School (North parking lot opposite the YMCA) on July 29 from 10AM - 2PM. You can order your peaches at: <http://monumenthillkiwanis.org/mhk/peaches/index.php>. Peaches must be ordered before July 21.
- The Peak Challenge 14er hike to support the Griffith Center will be in mid August, likely at Uncompahgre Peak. Our best athlete, Jim Murphy, has details.

THE FROG AND HAPPY BUCKS



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## MHKC Service Recognition

### Kiwanian of the Year

**2016 Larry Young**

2015 Mark Zeiger  
2014 RF Smith  
2013 Tom Nelson  
2012 Ron Heard



After laying low for many months, the Frog has awoken. As we should have expected, it did not take too long for the Frog to find Paul Short. Paul's faux pas occurred while helping his neighbor clear snow this winter. Paul got too close to his neighbor's Christmas lights and wrapped them into his snow blower. When the snow cleared, the lights were wound up, and still lit! Be cautious if you ask for help from Paul.



RF Smith was happy for his 42nd anniversary with Ann Smith this coming Monday! Congratulations!

2011 Bonnie Biggs  
 2010 Dennis Daugherty  
 2009 Ed Kinney  
 2008 Don Johnson  
 2007 Ted Bauman  
 2006 Glenn Scott  
 2005 Dick Durham  
 2004 Benny Nasser  
 2003 Sharon Williams  
 2002 Bill Cook  
 2001 Jim Taylor  
 2000 Rich Rima  
 1999 Rich Lybolt  
 1998 Jack Johnson  
 1997 Larry Cheatham  
 1996 Ed DeValois  
 1995 Paul Bacalis  
 1994 Jerry Losey  
 1993 Denny Myers  
 1992 Bill Tope  
 1991 Max Williams  
 1990 Dick London  
 1989 Len Dodson  
 1988 Dave Turner  
 1987 Charlie Emmons  
 1986 Bill Dudman  
 1985 George Goddu  
 1984 Jim Carroll  
 1983 Rev John Snyder

\*Additional Sertoman of the Year or  
 Kiwanian of the Year designates  
 include: Dexter Peak, JoAnn Peak,  
 Steve Hall - Sunset Sertoma Club,  
 Darlene Loudermilk & Joe Ashby

25 Year Legion of Honor



Harry Brandon had happy bucks: 1) That he is finally going to treat Jim Murphy to lunch after the Navy loss to Air Force last year; 2) For the great work Sharon Williams and therapy dog Quincy have done over the years. Sharon then said that Quincy is going to retire now that he is nine years old. He has put in hundreds of hours and over 600 visits for more than eight years. We will miss Quincy at our meetings.

Bonnie Nasser was happy for the parade - she will be the photographer!



Pat Losey had happy bucks and thanks for angels Barb Broshous and RF Smith for helping to move her and Jerry to their new home. Jerry added that they also had lots of help from a great young man, RF's son, Andrew.



Jo Carroll, Ed DeValois, Chuck Dunham, Steve Hall, Joe Howard, Jerry Losey, Max Williams

30 Year Legion of Honor  
Ben Bellis , Mark O'Regan, Fred Roeming, John Snyder, Cliff Sparrow, Bud Sterling

35 Year Legion of Honor  
Joe Ashby, Watt Hill, John Swofford

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Gordon Sill was happy because next Saturday he and Martha are leaving for a one week Alaska cruise to celebrate their 20th anniversary. Happy Anniversary!

Jo Carroll said he was happy because he and his wife Cindi just celebrated their 52nd anniversary. Congratulations!



Fred Fletemeyer was happy that he was able to walk a city block thanks to physical therapy. Fred also said he was again able to fly the flag at his home after a three year homeowner dispute.



Tony Trifiletti was happy for the successful conclusion of the 25th Rocky Mountain Leadership Conference at CSU Pueblo. Tony said this was a tough event due to venue problems, but the 93 students got a lot out of the conference. Great instructors and volunteers from the club!

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Jay Kelley's happy buck was for the 2016 new members of the U.S. Air Force Academy, Class 2021.



Back in town after two months' absence, Jim Head had five bucks for time in Florida and 10 days in France. Jim said the French still like it if you do them the courtesy of trying to speak to them in their own language - before they correct you and talk to you in English!



Larry Young's happy bucks were for his and Nancy's 48th anniversary; their attendance at their oldest granddaughter's wedding in Seattle; to Benny Nasser for his help while Larry was gone; and another 'cuz he was glad to be back with us!



In an attempt to avoid a future Frog hat, Frank Bittering confessed that during the Griffith Golf Benefit Tournament, he fell asleep while guarding the 7th hole. Good luck Frank...



Paul Short's happy buck was accompanied by a Snickers bar award for Tom Van Wormer because the Media Meister is very insistent his equipment is set up just so for our meetings. Paul constructed a wooden "Tom's Terrific Table Leg Tracker" with red, yellow and green colors. This ensures that Tom's table is positioned in exactly the correct position for access to electronic ports. Paul said this will be an important aid for Steve Keefer when Steve takes over the Sargent-at-Arms duties.

There are two free, easy ways to donate money to the MHKC - **without paying a nickel out of your own pocket**. One is by getting a gift card (available from Mike Wangeman that comes with \$5 credit) for Safeway or Kings Soopers. You can then indefinitely add money to the card. Also, at Amazon.com Smile, you can designate Monument Hill Service Club as your charity organization and purchase items through Smile. Then Amazon donates .5% of all your purchases to our club.

## BIRTHDAYS



There were no member birthdays for the next week, but Frank Wynne still provided a good joke. Ask him about it.

## Progressive Drawing

July 1, 2017

Winner this week is:



## Jay Kelley

Kiwanis Progressive Drawing Stats:

Date of drawing: 7/1/17

Chips this drawing: 7

Carry over from last week: \$73

Today's 1/2 ticket sales: \$28

Total for today's drawing: \$101

Amount won & donated back: \$101

Amount won and kept by winner: \$0

Available for next week's drawing: \$0

Chips for next week's drawing: 10

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## Kiwanis Program - July 1, 2017



### Colorado Mounted Rangers

**Captain Rob DeVega and**

**Lt. Joseph Clark**

Scribe: Rich Hicks

Harry Brandon introduced our speakers Captain Rob DeVega and Lt. Joseph Clark from the Colorado Mounted Rangers (CMR). Lt. Clark provided initial comments and some background on Capt. DeVega. Capt DeVega joined the CMR in 2005 and is currently Chief of the Field Operations Branch and is responsible for field operations and functions statewide. He served in the Marine Corps from 1980 - 2003 and retired as a Master Sargent.

The Colorado Mounted Rangers are a statutorily authorized all-volunteer, unpaid

auxiliary unit for the purpose of lending assistance to law enforcement agencies, emergency management, fire-fighting, emergency medical service, and search-and-rescue agencies in the state.

A small volunteer organization, there are about 200 Rangers spread across Colorado. The Rangers were Colorado's first law enforcement agency, established in 1861 by Colorado's first Territorial Governor, William Gilpin, who was appointed by then President Abraham Lincoln.

The Ranger's initial roles were:

- 1) Defense of the territory and to maintain law & order
- 2) Personal protection of the governor
- 3) Security of gold mines against Confederate invasion
- 4) Defend settlers against attack by foreign as well as domestic threats

The Colorado Rangers served in Mexican and Civil Wars, as well as Indian Campaigns. The Rangers participated in the Battle of Glorieta Pass, a decisive victory against Confederate forces during the Civil War. During the 1920s, Prohibition was a major issue, and the Mounted Rangers were used by the governor to enforce Prohibition statewide to destroy stills and arrest bootleggers.



As seen in this picture, the extended wheels of the sidecar provided stability while driving in wagon ruts. Mounted in the sidecar is a drum-mounted machine gun.

This Prohibition enforcement did not make the Rangers popular. The backlash was that the Rangers were defunded in 1923 by Governor William Sweet and then disbanded in

1927. Abolition of the Rangers left Colorado without any statewide police protection from 1923 to 1935.

Colorado's General Assembly passed the Patrol Act in 1935 that authorized formation of the Colorado State Highway Courtesy Patrol (CSHCP). This Act provided law enforcement protection and assistance to motorists statewide. CSHCP changed to Colorado State Patrol (CSP) in 1945. Governor Teller Ammons (1937-1939) reorganized the Mounted Rangers as an all-volunteer organization in 1939. The Colorado Office of Civil Defense assumed oversight of CMR in 1955.

The Governor of the State of Colorado is titular Commander in Chief of the CMR with a seven member Board of Directors. CMR members swear an oath to support the Constitution of the State of Colorado and the United States of America. All Rangers are expected to maintain the highest standards of ethics and integrity.



Today they primarily provide law enforcement support to local authorities that includes traffic control and crowd control, patrol augmentation, and surge officers for contingency operations and disasters (such as our 4th of July parade). CMR candidates may attend the Rangers academy or any other Peace Officers Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) approved academy to satisfy the initial training and qualification requirements.

They also have recurring training requirements.

Our thanks to Captain Rob DeVega and Lt. Joseph Clark for their interesting presentation!

**Happy Trails!**

**See you Saturday at:**



**Lewis Palmer D-38 Administration building**

**(a.k.a. Big Red)**

**146 Jefferson Street, Monument, CO 80921.**

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