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Quick Glance



Senior Meals Drivers

Kiwanis Program January 20, 2018



Western Emigration using Milking Devon Oxen

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



Thanks to Jim Murphy

Scribes

January 20
Pete Peterson

January 27
RF Smith

February 3
Steve Stephenson



Thanks to
Pat Losey

Rollie Johnson

Future Program Announcements

January 27

Tuskegee Air Men
Col. Mark Dickerson

February 3

Olympic Stories
Frank Shorter

Member Concerns

Larry Young updated member concerns.

Ron Pitt came home on Friday after recovery at the Center of Cordera.

Rich Hicks had a mild stroke on Thursday. He got to the hospital quickly for treatment and is doing very well with no stroke effects. He came home on Sunday. Pete Peterson talked to him and said he is fully cognizant.

Upcoming Programs

January 27, 2018

Tuskegee Air Men

Col. Mark Dickerson

February 3, 2018

Olympic Stories

Frank Shorter

February 10, 2018

The Mid East

Vince Bzdek

February 17, 2018

Member BIOS



Thanks to
Benny Nasser

Board of Directors

2017-2018

Bob Evans had surgery for an aortic aneurism last Tuesday. Bob has been very fatigued, but is gaining strength and is recovering at home.

Sharon Williams is still recuperating from hip replacement surgery. She is showing signs of improvement.

Larry noted from the news that we are beginning a government shutdown. This is a matter of great concern for us. Larry recounted an article he read from The Daily Astorian. The article began with the statement: "We unify as one nation, people helping people, sacrificing when necessary. Our strength as a country is in our unity, not in our divisiveness." Larry said we trust our leadership might come to recognize that unity is more important than divisiveness.

Larry led the morning prayer. Father, we pray for our country and our country's leadership during a time when our differences seem to have risen to the forefront and threaten to further divide us. We pray that you might grant wisdom to our leaders to find a way through this impasse and to find the unity necessary to put our country back on track. We are reminded of the privilege we have to stand together in unity to serve our community. We pray for wisdom for the leadership of this club as we meet as a board today. We pray for your blessing on us and remember those not with today and those that are struggling with illnesses and recuperation from surgeries. We pray for your blessing on them. We give you thanks in your holy name.

Chris Otto led the Pledge of Allegiance.



President - Barb Broshous

President Elect - Larry Young

Immediate Past

President - RF Smith

Secretary - Mike Luginbuhl

Treasurer/ CFO - Jack Fry

Sergeant-at-Arms - Steve Keefer

VP - Programs - Benny Nasser

VP - Memberships - Paul Short

VP- Fundraising - Joe Foreman



President Barb Broshous

Barb called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

When out doing our weekly activities, Barb encourages us to invite one stranger to our Kiwanis meetings - tell them about us and invite them to join us!

GUESTS

VP - Public Relations - Sharon Williams

VP - Service Leadership Program - Max Williams

VP - Community Service - Marian Taylor

Dir - Bingo & Raffles - Mark Zeiger

Dir - Granting and External Relations - Jim Taylor

Dir - Member Recognition - Ron Mangiarelli

Dir - Plans, Analysis, & Resources - Rich Rima

Dir - Special Needs - Rich Strom

Dir - Interclub & Social - Mark Silvanic



Benny Nasser introduced our guest speaker and club member, Rollie Johnson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Special Thanks To



Bonnie Nasser for photographs



Tom "Media Master" VanWormer for
Media Services

Barb Broshous presented the President's Award to Mark Zeiger. Barb noted that at our Christmas party she spoke about the spirit of Kiwanis and that it is more effective and productive when it comes in the form of action. Barb said Mark represents that spirit of Kiwanis in action by being involved in our club giving generously of his time and effort. He takes on multiple positions and there are never any worries about the job being done and done right. Congratulations Mark!





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MHKC Service Recognition

Kiwanian of the Year

2017 Russ Broshous

2016 Larry Young

2015 Mark Zeiger

2014 RF Smith

2013 Tom Nelson

2012 Ron Heard

2011 Bonnie Biggs

2010 Dennis Daugherty

2009 Ed Kinney

2008 Don Johnson

2007 Ted Bauman



Returning from the north country in Minnesoota and home of the Vikings, Big Ole (Dave Humbert) encouraged us to fill in those Superbowl boards. We have until the end of the meeting next week. Dave brought along a big supporter ready to pillage and plunder, Ragnar (Paul Baker). Dave also shared a very timely Ole and Swen joke about the Vikings and hell freezing over.

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



Rich Rima, accompanied by Barb Broshous and Tony Trifiletti, recognized MHKC members that have contributed at least \$100 to our Monument Hill Foundation during the last quarter. They are: Bonnie and Benny Nasser - four years, Ed Krekorian - one year (accepted by Warren Gerig), Larry Young - two years, Glenn Scott - six years, Marian and Jim Taylor - seven years. Not pictured RF Smith - three years, and Watt Hill - four years.

Dennis Beasley said it was time to start thinking about the 4th annual long-time traditional Snowflake MHKC golf tournament - September 5th, Wednesday. Put it on your calendar.

HAPPY BUCKS

*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

Rich Sayer
Don Smart
Jo Carroll
Steve Hall

30 Year Legion of Honor

Ed Devalois
Chuck Dunham
Jerry Losey
Max Williams

35 Year Legion of Honor

Ben Bellis
Bud Sterling

40 Year Legion of Honor
Watt Hill



Dave Wittman was two bucks happy since he and Barrie Town are participating in the fruitcake toss next weekend in Manitou Springs. He was looking for any round fruitcakes left over from the holiday season.



Today's joke by Frank Wynne was a repeat of one we heard three weeks ago during Joke Day. Frank pleaded with us to let him know if we ever tell a joke so he doesn't repeat it.

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Harry Brandon shared a story about advise to a new store manager for hiring new employees - ask what superpowers they want to have.



Courtesy of his son, Tony Trifiletti told a non-ethnic joke about two Hittites, Swen and Ole. This one dealt with an impending really bad accident and waking up Ole.

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The Wine Seller



Joe Foreman and company had 19 for dinner at Thanksgiving, 9 at Christmas, and another party last weekend. Joe was so happy the holidays are over.



Jim Head was happy for the Air Force basketball team that won two road games this week. He had two free tickets for Saturday's game.

WINNERS FOOTBALL POOL



In the Division Playoffs, Glenn Scott told us Steve Stephenson gathered up the coveted Sacajawea, and as the winner, Ron Mangiarelli correctly picked all four games. Glenn thanked all the players and said this contest generated \$476 for the sponsorship. March Madness is right around the corner!

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. Shop at: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/84-6113536> and Amazon donates to Monument Hill Service Club.

BIRTHDAYS



Jim Taylor told us of member birthdays for next week and Frank Wynne provided humor:

22 Jan - Anita Hall (Steve said thanks, he forgot all about that)

26 Jan - Steve Hall

Jim's comment: As I Get Old, I Realize...When I was a child, I thought naptime was punishment. Now it feels like a mini vacation!

Progressive Drawing

January 20, 2018

Winner this week is:



Marty Taylor

Kiwanis Progressive Drawing Stats:

Date of drawing: 1/20/18

Chips this drawing: 8

Carry over from last week: \$0

Today's 1/2 ticket sales: \$25

Total for today's drawing: \$90

Amount won & donated back: \$5

Amount won and kept by winner: \$0

Available for next week's drawing: \$90

Chips for next week's drawing: 7

Kiwanis Program

January 20, 2018



Western Emigration Using Milking Devon Oxen

Rollie Johnson

Scribe: Pete Peterson

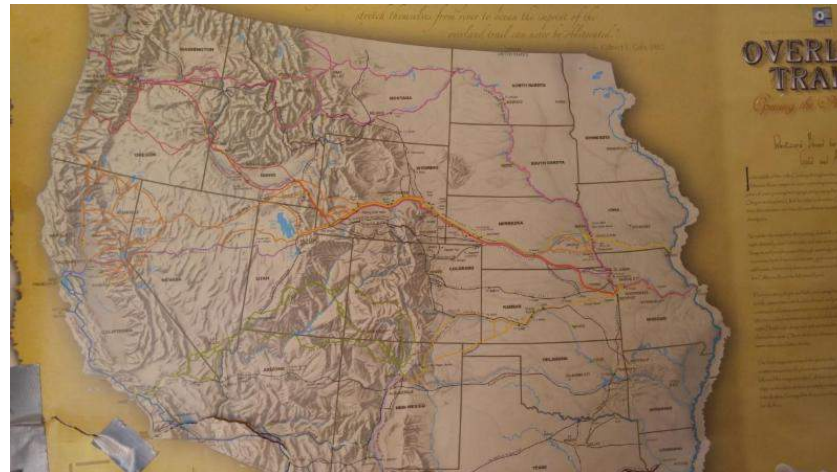
Rollie started his career stacking hay on his parents Nebraska ranch, 12 hours a day all summer. After a degree in Journalism, an MBA and PhD he ended up in the radio business which he sold and bought the Three Eagles Ranch north east of Monument and stocked it with a few American Milking Devons.



The Devons were originally imported from England in 1623. Intelligent and gentle they provided high fat milk, beef and working stock - oxen. In 1620, the original Puritans from the Mayflower established "Plimoth Colony" in Massachusetts. In 1630, the ship Eagle was one of 78 ships which brought emigrants to America. Rollie's ancestors were passengers on the Eagle. Rollie estimates that he has 4,000,000 relatives in the U.S. from that migration.



When Columbus arrived in 1492, Native Americans had been here for 13,500 years - documented by carbon dating a Mastodon imbedded with an Indian spear head. The Ute tribe primarily settled in Colorado and left behind the Culturally Modified (CMT) Spirit Trees. While subject of great interest among our culture, the Utes won't discuss them.



During the western migration from 1846 to 1866, the Devon was the prime beast of burden for the pioneers along the Oregon, California and Mormon Trails. The route originally

began in Independence Missouri but then moved to Omaha, which saved about one month of travel. Not only was the Devon smart and gentle, it could eat while walking which made them far superior to horses or mules (which were also much more expensive). Also, if one died, you could eat it!



Wagon trains, consisting of two oxen pulling a Mitchel Wagon (the monarch of the Plains), followed the Platte River. Each train took a route a few hundred feet north of its predecessor to provide fresh grass to the oxen. Contrary to popular Hollywood legend, there were few Indian problems. Wagons were circled at night to provide a pen for the livestock. About 400 travelers were documented victims of the Indians, while 50,000 died of disease and accidents. It is estimated that 4,000 oxen passed Ft Kearny and Ft Laramie daily.



The migration expanded into the West as the country expanded - kicking out the Spanish in 1848, the Louisiana Purchase and the gold rush of 1849. 500,000 settled the western states using the Homestead Act.



Rollie's Devons have been featured in movies and magazines. His ranch has a great web page www.threeeaglesranch.com. Thanks for the great presentation!

Happy Trails!

See you Saturday at:



Lewis Palmer D-38 Administration building
(a.k.a. Big Red)
146 Jefferson Street, Monument, CO 80921.
Please use the West or North entrances!
