

October 3, 2016

## ★ A Look at the Last Meeting

★ Reza Karamooz brought Guillermo Guevara, who is interning at Reza's company, GRA. Guillermo will attend UNLV in the 2017 Spring semester, majoring in Mechanical Engineering.

★ Members Past DG Randy Pote, and Beth Pote brought DG Elect Cozette Vergari from District 5280.

★ Ebby Cox brought friend Azelle.

★ Darcey Hall from the LV Red Rock Club attended and talked about her club's upcoming events.

★ Randy and Beth presented a custom made lamp to Richard Reed for his service as Randy's assistant during his reign as Governor.

★ Please support Fogo de Chao.

★ Reserve now for Rotary International's Convention.

★ Our Christmas Party will be on Wednesday, December 21, at 7 pm. Tickets are \$45, and includes everything but libations. See Jennifer Huber or Sarah Gordon, as a head count needs to be determined.

★ Tee shirts are in the process of being created.

★ Voting has confirmed that we will pursue a bi-annual Chili Cook Off as our raising events. Richard and Jennifer are heading the effort to get this going. They are thinking of events in April and September, when the temperature is generally mild. There are many jobs to go around, and this will take a complete club effort to make it work. Our Club the single recipient of all funds raised. For a \$350, we can secure dates to produce our event and become part of the International Chili Society who will provide the guidelines of running a successful event.

★ President Nathan has stepped up to fill one of the two temporary Assembly seats needed to conduct hearings about the proposed football stadium. Note: Since then, it was determined Nathan did not win a seat. This was a great opening for our speaker, Michael Wixom.

★ Kathy Mahon, along with Donna DeLuca, Ebby Cox and Sean Rigo attended. Thanks folks for your service.

★ Speaker and member Michael Wixom, NSHE Board of Regents Vice Chair since 2006 led a spirited and informative discussion on the proposed football stadium. He presented all sides of the issue, and was extremely informative.



## ★ Club Events

★ **October 5** - Join our **Fireside Chat and Social at Gordon Biersch**, 3987 Paradise Road. Learn about our Club in a casual environment. The Fireside Chat starts at 5pm; the Social at 6.

★ **October 28** - 5:00 - 9:00pm, Trunk or Treat, a free family open to the public at the CenturyLink parking lot located at 3436 Aldebaran Ave. (Spring Mountain Road and the I-15). We will have a table there and need volunteers.

## ★ Speakers

★ **October 7** - District Governor Luciano de Sylva address the club regarding Rotary International and the district's goals, objectives, and issues that are important to the club and its members.

★ **October 14** - Shelley Berkley, Former Congresswoman of US House of Representatives, and Chief Executive Officer and Senior Provost for Touro University's Western Division

★ **November 11** - Quarterly Chairperson's Progress Report

## ★ District & International Events

★ **Superbuild**, is October 15. In partnership with the nonprofit organization Corazon, which works to assist and strengthen communities in Mexico for over 20 years, District 5300 has built homes and contributed funds to the education of the families we build for. District 5300 has participated in this ongoing project since 2007. The District pays \$8400 for each house built, and this year enough was raised to build four homes!

★ **District Training**, October 29, Sahara West Library. Registration begins at 9:45 am, and runs to 2 pm. This is a free event to all District 5300 members. Breakout sessions will focus on Vocational Service, Rotary Foundation, Public Image, and Membership. Register at <https://www.directory-online.com/Rotary/Register4/index.cfm?EventID=77309868>.

★ **District Assembly**, April 22, 2017 at Sitting Bull Academy, Apple Valley, CA. The Assembly prepares incoming club leaders for their year in office and builds their leadership team. It provides members the opportunity to learn more about the different programs of Rotary and to become involved at club and/or district level. Experience fellowship with different Rotary clubs throughout the District. Incoming club officers, committee members, and new and interested members are encouraged to attend.

★ **2017 RI Convention**, is in Atlanta, from June 10 to 14. Meet the most inspiring people in the world. Strengthen your club and your passion for Rotary. Register or learn more online at <http://www.riconvention.org/en/atlanta/register>.

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**Fogo de Chao, 360 E. Flamingo Road**  
Meetings at 5 pm the 1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Friday  
Luncheon at noon on the 2nd Friday