



The Rotoreador

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Lutheran Church, at 3rd and Terry Street.*



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ROTARY FELLOWSHIP MONTH

Meeting Notes

President **Bob Parsons** greeted us and we rose to say the 4-way Test. **John Poynton** told an enchanting story that compared the newly-born robins in his yard to the students in St. Vrain Valley School District. Both species have just finished a milestone (the birds worked hard in learning to fly), 22,000 students have a new year to embark upon in a few months, and new graduates have to "hit the pavement" with the many, new challenges they face. We wish our students well and keep them in our hearts and prayers.

Mark Laitos led us in an upbeat, lively Rotary-version of "Doo-wah, diddy diddy, dumddiddy doo." Very creative is our **Dr. Mark Laitos!**

Club anniversaries: Congratulations to **Don Dryer** for 36 years in Rotary, and **Marty Plaster** for 30 years. Happy Birthday to **Jerry Bucholz**.

Visiting Rotarians: **Sue Bridgeman** of the St. Vrain Rotary. *Club Members Hosting Guests:* **Amy Stoehr** was hosted by **Diane Stow** in absentia. **Dale Sherrod** was the guest of **Christ Kent**. *Guests of Longmont Rotary Club:* **Candy O'Hanlon**, wife of **Brian O'Hanlon**, and **Priscilla Brandes**, guest of **Brian O'Hanlan**, Rotary exchange student. **Phil Crews** made up at St. Vrain Rotary; **Pam Aultman** at the District Assembly, and **Jeani Schloesslin** via E-Club.

Brian O'Hanlon Introduced his Rotary Exchange Student, **Priscilla Brandes**. Priscilla Brandes is from Brazil's Southern State of Parana. She is an in-bound Rotary Exchange Student sponsored by Twin Peaks and St. Vrain.

Like all these in-bound kids, Pri is an exceptional person. More so now than when she arrived.

If you would like to know more about hosting Rotary Youth Exchange contact **Brian O'Hanlon** or **Jim Marty** at the Twin Peaks Club.Rotary's. Brian says to call her "Pri" for short. She has been here since August of 2007. Her first three months she was hosted by Anton & Jeanne Dworak; next hosts were the Dixon Family and then Pri moved in with the O'Hanlons six weeks ago. She will be here until the end of July.

FAMILY OF ROTARY

Van Stow gave the report on behalf of Diane who was unable to attend. Van said that one of **Dave Schreiber's** daughter's had been injured in a recent accident. **Karen Kramer** will be having surgery on Monday, June 9. **Diane Stow** is healing well from her foot surgery. Our best wishes for our members and their families.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

June 10 Meeting Change

We will meet at Silver Creek High School on June 10 because the church will be using the hall for its vacation bible school. **Dan Hawkins**, the University of Colorado football coach, will speak to us that day.

Bob Parsons said that June 25 is Bike to Work Day. It was decided that our club would have a "Bike to Rotary Day" on Tuesday June 24. So please join in the biking if you can!

On Tuesday, July 1, a party will be held at the home of **Steve and Margaret Strong** to honor outgoing President Bob Parsons, and incoming President Tom Dueber. Please RSVP to Cindy at above email address.

PROGRAMS

June 10 - Univ of Colorado football Coach, **Dan Hawkins**.

June 17 - Ecuador and Galapagos Islands, **Christina Smedley**

June 24 - Colorado Water Issues, **Robert Longenbaugh**

President Elect **Tom Dueber** announced that **Marcelo Berquist** is going to be leaving our Rotary Club soon to take an operations management position for a company in China. He will, therefore, not be able to serve as the next President Elect for the Longmont Rotary (2009-2010). Tom has asked that members consider nominating themselves, or allowing others to nominate them for this important position.

ROTARY SOCIAL

Cindy Noble announced that the next Rotary social will be held on Tuesday, June 10.

The plan is to meet at Abbondanz'a Pizza, 461 Main St., beginning at 5 p.m.! Cocktails and appetizers will be available. Then Rotarians will walk over to Roosevelt Park for the 6:30 concert - - Sh"Bang! Pop, funk, Motown and oldies music.

Please bring a chair or blanket to sit on! RSVP to cindybnoble@hotmail.com or 303.808.5825.

Phyllis Dwyer said The OUR Center said they received lots of coats and are very appreciative of everything we do. They have put them in storage so they will be available for that first Fall cold weather. They also will continue to make pickups at the Humane Society Thrift Shop which should bring in a lot more coats. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with this Spring Coat Drive!

MEETING IN PICTURES

A warm & friendly greeting from our huggable duo-Jack and Cindy!

John suggests protecting the young - robins and kids!

Exchange Student from Brazil staying with the O'Hanlons

Family of Rotary report by Van

Tom advises that we need someone to replace Marcelo

"Jepp" made the airways safer for everybody

A great program by authors Flint Whitlock and Terry Barnhart about the life of Elrey "Jepp" Jeppesen

He was a "wing walker" and later flew the U.S. Mail

His 1st pilot's license was signed by Orville Wright!

Jepp as a young pilot started taking notes about runways, routes and hazards to avoid

PROGRAM

Roger Jurgens introduced our speakers, **Flint Whitlock** and **Terry L. Barnhart**, collaborators of "Capt. Jepp and the Little Black Book." The book is about the life of **Elrey B. Jeppesen**, a barnstormer and aviation pioneer and was published on the anniversary of his 100th birthday.

Whitlock and Barnhart gave a presentation of photos and narrative on the life of Elrey Jeppesen. From inside jacket of the book, we read (that) "Capt. Jepp and the Little Black Book" is a fascinating look at the beginnings of aviation in American; the colorful daredevils who risked (and sometimes lost) everything to entertain crowds, deliver the mail, and carry passengers commercially. It is the compelling story of the amazing life of Elrey B. Jeppesen - Capt. Jepp...(and) creator of an aerial navigation system in use today worldwide, and founder of a business that has grown into an international, multi-billion-dollar enterprise without equal." And from the "Summary" (page 264), Capt. Jepp created "the foundation of a whole series of aeronautical charts that continue to be the basis of charts used by the vast majority of pilots around the world today."

MENU

June 10: Baked Chicken

June 17: Gyros/ meatloaf