



THE SPOKES SPEAK - GEARED TO SERVICE

Rotary Club of the North Fork Valley

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Meeting Thursdays at Noon in the Paonia Town Hall

District 5470

Club 1180 - Chartered 12/20/1922

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LAST MEETING: July 22, 2021

President Bliss presided.

Visiting Rotarians: Dave Frank – Assistant Governor
Lee Register (Montrose Club)

Other Guests: John Seipel (Carol's Husband – 3rd visit)
Susan Capps (2nd visit)

Key Guest: No key guest
(Annette now has the key).

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- We had 73% attendance at the meeting today!
- The Rotary Foundation received \$175 for the proof sets that were for sale.
- There will be a KPP dinner in support of North Fork Senior Connections on Monday, July 26th. Information is available at kidspastaproject.org.
- Fifth Thursday this month will be at the Grant residence at 6:00 PM. Details forthcoming via email.
- Club members are encouraged to reach out to members who may not have resumed attending in-person meetings and invite them to attend.

Induction of New Member Josh Langille-Hoppe

Josh Langille-Hoppe was welcomed into the club by President Bliss as our newest member. Mr. Langille-Hoppe is pastor of the Paonia and Hotchkiss United Methodist Churches.

PROGRAM: Field Rep. for Colorado Rural Water Assoc.- Scott Morgan

President Bliss introduced Scott Morgan. He is one of three Water Circuit Riders for the Colorado Rural Water Association with funding provided by the USDA. He serves communities of less than 10,000 people throughout Colorado and helps coordinate between state regulators and small local water operators.

Mr. Morgan said that the bottom line is that we live in a semi-arid state, with millions of new residents arriving to share a limited amount of water. 40 million people consume water from the Colorado River. Every river in Colorado has more demands than it can supply. This has driven the State to watch every water source very closely, with attendant regulation.

UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS:

Date	Speaker	Program	Member
7/29/21		Don and Marsha's	5th Thursday
8/5/21			Betsy Marston
8/12/21	Ariel Steele	Tax Credit Connection	Bob McHugh
8/19/21	Jim Brett	Slow Food	Jackie Parks
8/26/21	Mary Hughes and Alyssa Clarida	Colorado West Land Trust	Kevin Parks
9/2/21	Matt Heyn and Jackie Davis	DCMH	Marsha Grant
9/9/21			Peggy Szvetcz
9/16/21			Greg Thompson
9/23/21			Bain Weinberger
9/30/21			5th Thursday
10/7/21			Sarah Bishop
10/14/21			Pam Bliss
10/21/21			Ed Bliss
10/28/21			Randy Campbell
11/4/21			Annette Choszczyk
11/11/21			John Coombe
11/18/21			Susie Coombe
11/25/21			Thanksgiving
12/2/21			Glen Dahlgren
11/9/21			Marsha Grant
11/16/21			Ulli Lange
11/23/21			Christmas

