



Reno South Rotary

“Joel’s Journal”

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District 5190
Club #568

Meeting: July 1, 2010

**President,
Joel Muller**



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Future Programs

July 15th – Dr. Larry Williams will speak about autism.

Next Program

July 8, 2010 – RYLA Students talk about their camp experiences.

Meeting Highlights

President Joel’s first meeting was full of surprises. Cancelled speaker, no problem, we’ll have a club assembly. Introduce the new board and institute some new programs in the weekly meetings. Notice the white vest, he’s promised, threatened if you prefer, to wear it to every meeting. Something else that’s new, Joel’s Bowls Challenge. Three bowls on the table. One has balls designating table numbers in the room. One has dollar amounts and the last designates who gets the challenge. Week one the dollar amount was \$3. The challenge may be passed to another attending Rotarian and the amount of the fine doubles. The challenge may be passed 3 times. The lucky winner was Mike Fronk. He passed the challenge to Chuck Malley making the fine worth \$6 and he passed it to Bill Young making the fine \$9. As god is my witness, Bill Young willingly paid, **yes willingly**, a \$9 fine and passed the challenge to Don Richter who was stuck with the challenge. Don was issued a Let Freedom Ring T-shirt, shades, Mardi Gras beads and a list of 4th of July quotes to read. Each time the word America was said in the meeting Don was required to read one of the quotes. Some of the included quotes were, “Give me liberty or give me death”, “Don’t fire until you see the whites of their eyes” and “Stick a feather in your cap and call it macaroni.” Great fun and it promises to be interesting to see what President Joel comes up with for challenges.

Capt. America – Past President Don Richter



Another new thing from President Joel is the weekly Shot of Thanks. The weekly recipient get to reach in a Crown Royal grab bag and pick out a prize. This week’s Shot of Thanks went to Joe Ferris.

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**Mic: Bill McCready Greeter: Pete Sanborn Pledge: Joe Ferris
Thought for the Day: Norma Byer Scribe: Terry Elder 4 Way Test: John Howe**

Club Activities

August 5th RSR Picnic

**Sept. 2nd RSR tailgate
UNR vs. Eastern
Washington**

Announcements

Tips from beer sales at the Rodeo amounted to \$2862 with proceeds going to Polio Plus.

RSR Picnic is scheduled for August 4th at Galena Creek Park. Details to follow.

RSR tailgate party will be held August 2nd. UNR vs. Eastern Washington.

Nathan Edwards of the New Generations Rotary Club announce their fund raiser to be held July 22nd. They are having a roast of Joey Gilbert. Tickets are \$75 with proceeds being split with the Shriners. They are asking for RSR to buy a table. Tables are \$675.

Fines and Recognition

President Joel's first fine went to the very deserving Chuck Malley. He was fined \$20 just for being Chuck. The pleasure of the President's first levied fine was readily apparent.

John Howe gave \$25 to reach the bell for the year 2009/2010.

Norma Byer held a dinner for the Reno Symphony which was worth \$100.

Dave Galloway has returned from his trip to Ireland and Italy. He is now qualified for Medicare and gave \$10 for his B-Day.

Bob Hardenbrook celebrated his 71st B-Day. \$10

Leslie Muller was fined \$20 by her husband for their 20th Anniversary. President Joel matched the fine for a total of \$40 from the Muller family.

Guests

Leslie Muller, Nathan Edwards, Cathy Byer, Grant Sims, Elizabeth Fielder, Patti Ireland, Steve Solberg, Callie Solberg, Scott Barnes, Tina Spencer and Harvey Miller were the guests.

New Members

Steve Solberg with the Boy Scouts, Patti Ireland with Chase International and Kathy Byer have been proposed for RSR membership.

The Four Wav Test

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it **BUILD GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?