



Rotary Club of Centennial Colorado



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Ellen Vatterott was the first of the members to give their classification talk. She was raised in St. Louis and attended Catholic schools. The nuns had a significant affect on her life. Ellen attended college in Indiana. After graduation, she moved to San Antonio and worked in a shelter run by nuns. After that she moved to the Dominican Republic and worked with students at a public school run by Catholic nuns. She then moved back to St. Louis. Ellen had an opportunity to work for Boys Hope/Girls Hope in Denver, where she has been for the last 2 1/2 years. She is considering graduate school.



Andrea Tagtow went second with the classification talks. She graduated from Regis HS in 2008.

After high school, Andrea went on to college. After college she volunteered for CASA and was hired by them in 2013. Before becoming a fulltime CASA employee, she was Chief of Staff for Senator Newell from Aurora. She is now Director of Community Relations for CASA. Andrea has taken up running and this last May she ran her first marathon. Congratulations.



Mike Tagtow, Andrea's father, was the third member giving a classification talk. Mike was raised in Minnesota and was the oldest of three boys. Interestingly, he and Cheryl Sartain. Mike's first job out of college was in Texas selling computer programing. In 1997, Mike and his family came to Colorado on vacation and the rest is history for living in Colorado. He works for EKJ&H, and accounting firm, where he is the director of sales. He has interests in the Rockies, the Avalanche, gardening, and Liverpool soccer. They have a 10 year old gold-en retriever named Anna. According to Mike, in response to a question, he has some dirt on Andrea, but he will not state what it is. Andrea claims she has some dirt on Mike that could remove him from Rotary, but she will not reveal the information. Perhaps, is the dirt has on the other the same dirt.

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UPCOMING

EVENTS

SEPT 17/18—CELTIC FESTIVAL

SEPT 20—NICOLE GARNEAU, DENVER MUSEUM OF NATURE AND SCIENCE

SEPT 24/25—CENTENNIAL CHALK WALK

SEPT 27—JEFF HOLWELL, LONE TREE ECONOMIC DEV

OCT 4—VICTOR MOSS, AUTHOR: WWII AND ITS AFTERMATH

OCT 5—BOARD MTG 7 AM COTTRELL PRINTING

OCT 11—CLASSIFICATION TALKS: NATE ZIPPLE, CHRIS BANTOCK, LINDSEY ROBINSON

OCT 18—RANDY FERGUSON, LOVE, COURAGE AND ACHIEVEMENT PROJECTS

OCT 25—RANDY EARNST, QUARTERLY CLUB ASSEMBLY



Congratulations to Sophia. She completed all of her assignments and received her blue badge.



AlloSource, our new corporate satellite club, had a collection items for No One Left Behind refugees. Above is what they collected.



Marc Garfinkel got a group together to hike Castlewood Canyon. Here is a picture of the hikers. Looked like a great day for a hike.

Club Business:

Kent Ostedgaard reminded the club that we still have the King Soopers discount cards. They are either for \$50 or \$100. The club gets back 5% for whatever is purchased. The cards can be used at any Kroeger store.

The food collection this past Saturday netted 11 baskets of food.

The AlloSource corporate club inducted 12 original members this past Friday. Kudos to Katherine Henschen.

Celtic Harvest. Most of the volunteer slots are filled, but help is still needed on Saturday night. Contact Tim if you are interested.

Meals-On-Wheels needs volunteers in October and November.

On Sept 20 at the Aspen Grove Bistro, the Littleton evening club is having a talk on fracking.

Erik Nielsen gave us an update on the project the Millennial satellite club is doing. Here is a list of some of their activities:

- Canvas & mocktails
- Fill a backpack
- Kindness Day at Denver Rescue
- Candi's House painting and fence building
- Megan's Place