

***** MONDAY'S MEETING*****

May 3, 2010 Meeting @ *NOON*

Front Ballroom (Franciscan) at the Hotel Albuquerque

MONDAY'S PROGRAM



**ROBERT
BRODERICK**

PNM

“Renewable Energy”

Robert J. Broderick is the Manager of Renewable Energy Programs at PNM. Prior to becoming a manager, Robert worked as a senior power engineer in PNM's Distribution Planning Department and Customer Generation Department.

He was responsible for the design and management of PNM's Small and Large PV REC Purchase Program. Robert took a lead role in writing New Mexico's new interconnection standard utilizing industry best practices and IEEE 1547.

Robert was employed in the solar industry at PV companies in Colorado and California from 1994 to 2000 working in system design, project management and product design. He joined the Southwest Technology Development Institute from 2000 to 2003 as a research engineer testing new renewable energy technologies and designed and installed data acquisition systems for utility PV systems.

Robert received the BA in Physics degree from University of Colorado at Boulder and a Masters degree in Electrical Engineering from New Mexico State University. Robert is a Member of the IEEE Power Engineering Society and a member of the Distributed Generation and Energy Storage (DG&ES) Working Group.

AND

PNM will have staff and information available to answer your questions!

AND

2009-2010 **Directories** are here! Pick yours up on Monday!

AND

KONA Truck



The Kona Ice truck is here! Come see the first one in New Mexico, and enjoy a complimentary shaved ice treat, courtesy of Meredith and David Stevenson. **Serving YOU**, right outside the front door after the meeting.

The Best Fundraiser in Albuquerque!

- ☺ No Volunteers Needed
 - ☺ No Cost to Organization
 - ☺ Cold Treats \$1.50 - \$4.00
 - ☺ Organization Receives % of Sales
- THEY DO ALL THE WORK!**

EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR

Our club is still just a bit short of our goal!
If you have not already given, please consider a contribution.
Questions? See Tom Walker or Ann.

Thank You!

PS: MONDAY is the LAST DAY that your donation will enter you into the "Choose Your Cruise" raffle at the District Convention!

COMMITTEE MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Mon, May 3: 1pm Strategic Planning

All RCA Board members should plan to attend and all members are welcomed to attend this Committee meeting – they will be discussing what the club might like to do to celebrate its 100th in 2016!

Wed, May 5: 3:30pm Finance (*Main Bank*)

Upcoming Rotary Club Service Opportunities

****THIS** Saturday May 1**

River Clean Up

Additional Volunteers are Needed!
Contact Bruce Davis or Dick Brackett!

Saturday May 15
Pinon Canyon Center

Get the details from Deborah Gullo or Dick Brackett!

****Don't forget all adults need at least 15 minutes of sunshine daily to get enough Vitamin D. So make up for all those hours during the week inside by helping with one of these projects outside.**

You owe it to your family and yourself to protect your good health!**



“Choose YOUR Cruise”

District 5520's Annual Fundraiser

For

The Rotary Foundation's Annual Program Fund

Dear District 5520 Rotarians,

For the past three years District 5520's contribution to the Rotary Foundation's Annual Program Fund has been greater than ever before. This accomplishment is a result of your generous donations and District-wide support of our annual Cruise Raffle.

This year we have made some changes to make the Cruise Raffle even better. The winner will receive a \$1500 Travel Certificate that allows them to “Choose the Cruise” that they would enjoy most and pick a time that is most convenient for them.

All the money raised from this raffle goes to the Rotary Foundation's Annual Program Fund in the name of the seller. The Annual Program Fund is extremely important to District 5520 because it supports some of our many District Foundation programs, such as Matching Grants, District Simplified Grants, the Group Study Exchange Team, and our Ambassadorial Scholarship program.

The purchase/donation of the raffle tickets is counted toward Rotary's “Every Rotarian, Every Year” challenge and credit is accumulated toward Paul Harris Fellowships.

We need this fundraiser to succeed in order to continue the important work of Rotary throughout the District and the world.

Each of us doing our part, understanding that its success is in our hands, will make it happen.

Dick Jones, District Governor 2009-10

****NEXT WEEKEND** DISTRICT CONFERENCE **NEXT WEEKEND****

2010 District Conference

THE 2010 ROTARY DISTRICT 5520 GOLF TOURNAMENT

Thursday, May 6, 2010 --- 12:00 PM 4-Person Scramble Shotgun

Towa Golf at Buffalo Thunder just north of Santa Fe

Come join your fellow golfing Rotarians and guests for a day of fun and fellowship at the beautiful Towa Golf Resort.



Consider it practice training for Our Club's Golf Tournament in August 28th!

Joe Scaletti's Memorial

In case you missed it, [Joe Scaletti's informative obituary](#) appeared
in the ABQ Journal on
Sunday & Monday March 14 & 15

→→→The memorial service is next Saturday, May 8th at 5pm
at the Pete Domenici Center on the UNM North campus.



UPCOMING ROTARY CLUB PROGRAMS

Breakfast Fellowship, Every Thursday; 7 AM; Weck's (Louisiana & Montgomery)

Plan now to bring a potential new member *or two*
to these future meetings!

Monday, May 10: **& our club's next BLOOD DRIVE**

Dolph Barnhouse, "Arguing Before the US Supreme Court"

Monday, May 17:

Don Duran, NM Assistant Secretary of Education, NM Public Education Dept., "Charter Schools"

Monday, May 24:

Duffy Swan, CEO of French Mortuary, "The American Way of Death"

Monday, May 31: Memorial Day HOLIDAY – No Meeting!

UPCOMING COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Mon, May 10: 1pm Charity Selection

And Great Books

Mon, May 17: 1pm Membership Dev AND PR

And Literacy

Mon, May 24: 1pm GOLF

Our GSE TEAM UPDATE

Hi All,

Here's the link to the Blog that team members will
update during our trip. Lisa Witt

<http://rotary5520gse2010.blogspot.com/>



Please turn in New Member Applications!
SHARE ROTARY with your friends & colleagues



This week,
Happy Birthday to you...

JIM Walther!
TOM Taylor!
TODD Clarke!
TODD White!

Have you done a Make Up? Committee chairs & individuals please send into the office your committee meeting attendance *asap* so it will help our club's monthly attendance figures reported to District!



Good News from or about our Members
Did you know...



This member once sang on the Ed Sullivan Show!
And at another gig, he sang with Kate Smith!!



The recipient of the **Estelle H. Rosenblum Dissertation Award** for 2010 is Keri Black, an Albuquerque PNP in private practice. Her Dissertation Title is "Exploring Adolescent Loneliness and Companion Animal Attachment and her Dissertation Chair is Dr. Marie Lobo.



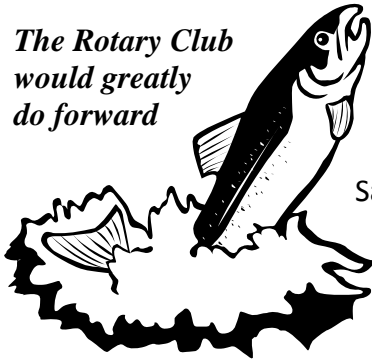
Dianna Shomaker won an award at the Masterworks Show for the best Non-Objective art. That show hangs until April 30th at the EXPO Hispanic Arts Gallery on the Fair Grounds.
The acrylic painting is called, "Emerging Secret."



The other good news is I have been juried into the Texas and Neighbors Regional Art Exhibition with the painting "Hold Onto Your Hat" mixed media. It has won an award but they haven't been inclined to tell me what award! That show is May 22-June 26th at the Irving Arts Center and Irving Art Association



*The Rotary Club
would greatly
do forward*



of Salmon, ID is hosting several trips this summer as a fund raiser. We appreciate your forwarding this message to your club members. If you this to your members, please reply. Thank you.

YOU'RE INVITED to visit Idaho's Continental Divide country. The Salmon Rotary Club has partnered with local Idaho river and horse trip outfitters to offer vacation packages for Rotarians and their families. The fully outfitted and guided trips include a 4 day river trip on the Salmon River; a 4 day horse pack trip to a high mountain lake in the Lemhi Mountains; and a 5 day river float trip through the Frank Church River of

No Return Wilderness.

The trips are scheduled in mid-July. A western-style BBQ hosted by the local club will complete these fun and exciting vacations. We look forward to your participation and to have the chance to meet Rotarians from near and far.

For more information, contact Salmon Rotary Club at salmonrotary@yahoo.com or visit our website at <http://www.clubrunner.ca/salmon> . Reserve your vacation soon!

Way Out West Texas Book Festival

July 29-31

Rotary Club of Alpine, TX

www.wowtxbookfestival.com

Mother's Day is approaching --- May 9

Instead of Hallmark card or a floral bouquet, why not honor the women in your lives with a special tribute and at the same time help raise money for the future women in our lives?

In honor of our 100th Birthday we are inviting 100 women to donate \$100 in honor and/or memory of that incredible woman whose power, integrity and determination touched you. For every \$100 donation, we will publish the honorees names and select stories in our summer newsletter!

To participate, make your secure on-line credit card donation, by visiting our website at ywca-nm.org, Click *Get Involved*, then *Donate*, and under *instructions* please note 100th birthday. E-mail your paragraph about the honoree to mmadrid@ywca-nm.org. You may also mail a check to: YWCA Middle Rio Grande, 210 Truman St. NE, Suite A, Albuquerque, NM 87108

Camp TNT (Teens for New Technology) is off to a great start with camp registrations coming in and girls signing up for both sessions! See our website: www.ywca-nm.org for more information on this wonderful program for girls ages 11-13!

As we begin to move into the next century of empowerment and change, we thank you for your support of donations and volunteer time. It's what makes this valuable work possible.

Melanie Madrid

YWCA Middle Rio Grande, (505) 254-9922 Ext. 117, mmadrid@ywca-nm.org

You CAN Talk about Your Business at a Rotary Meeting!

For many years, our Club exacted a fine from any member that mentioned his or her business during a meeting. Part of the logic was that no one should address our meeting, for a non-Rotary purpose, for free. Your Board of Directors has decided to move a little further along that logical path—and at the same time avoid raising the dues or other costs to members—by offering a “Business Minute,” actually 3 minutes during a meeting, at an appropriate rate, for any member that would like to speak to the Club. Here are the guidelines:

- A member may speak, or present a video, for 3 minutes, and may speak from the podium or from the floor. You may be seated at the headtable if you wish.
- A table will be provided near the door for a display, and brochures may be placed on the tables in the dining room.
- Time will be available when other parts of the program permit. Arrangements should be made with Ann at least two weeks in advance.
- The cost will be \$250 per meeting. This amount is payable to the Club as a contribution to operating expenses, and is not a charitable deduction.

President John Shomaker
