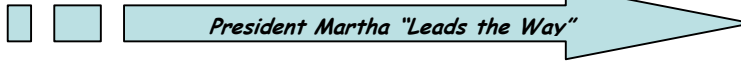


# Greenes' Better Half



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## Prez sez

This week I would like to share with you an article from the July, 2006 issue of Rotary World. This is an example of how World Community Service goes both ways.

### President Martha

## German Rotarian drums up support for New Orleans musicians

Fellow Rotarians in Germany call Elmar Hoff “crazy for New Orleans.” His deep affection for the southern U.S. city and its music has triggered a nationwide aid campaign on behalf of musicians who suffered losses during Hurricane Katrina.

Hoff, 2005-006 president of the Rotary Club of Gronau-Euregio is one of the founders and permanent organizers of the internationally renowned jazz festival in his hometown of Gronau. His longtime involvement with the festival has acquainted him with some of the most renowned performers in jazz.

Hoff has been named an honorary citizen of New Orleans and even celebrated Fats Domino 's birthday in the musician 's house, before it was ravaged by floodwaters last August.

Shocked at the destruction in the city he calls his second home, Hoff convinced his club to help New Orleans musicians by donating a third of the money raised at a club fundraiser in April 2005. Along with private donations, they sent € 10,000 (US\$12,000) to the Musicians ' Clinic, a New Orleans-based foundation that assists musicians and family members who don't have health insurance.

Hoff didn't stop there. With his help, Gronau established the Help New Orleans aid campaign,

which has become a central collection center for money raised across Germany. By March 2006, the town 's culture bureau had wired more than € 60,000 (UUS\$773,000) to New Orleans musicians.

“I am so touched by the generosity of all those who are helping our friends in Rotary International's homeland,” Hoff says. “It shows our main priority is not to be entertained but to be there for them in hard times.”

## This Week's Program

### Sally Basl

#### RYE Student just returned from Australia

Welcome Sally Basl back into the United States from Down Unda. She has had an amazing trip and is going to bare all the great ozzie details and enlighten you a bit on Steve Irwin. Watch out there are some surprises! That's how awesome it is to be an aussie (ozzie)! From watching Roos, seeing news and singin the blues, she won't miss a beat. So share laughs and even cry as she tells her journey of saying goodbye.



*The Pot*  
*\$175*  
*Buy a Ticket*  
*Take a Chance*

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**August Birthdays**

August 13                      Lon DeWeese  
August 30                      Roger Lindeken

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**August Anniversaries**

August 3                      Mike & Pam Black  
August 9                      Allan & Laura Sisia  
August 10                     Chris & Ann Cook  
August 13                     Dan & Linda Webb  
August 15                     Roger & Marsha Lindeken  
August 25                     Jim & Ellen Van Winkle  
August 30                     Lon & Sierra DeWeese

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**Upcoming Programs**

**August 18, 2006**

Jim Lopey, Assistant Sheriff,  
Citizen's Homeland Security Council (CHSC)

**August 25, 2006**

Jackie Deal & Chad Schurr  
RYLA Students

**September 1, 2006**

Bob Dorr  
Rotary District Governor

**September 8, 2006**

Mike Houghton  
Reno Air Races

**September 15, 2006**

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**September 22, 2006**

Jerry Snyder  
Angel Investin/ Venture Capital

**Upcoming Events**

**August 11, 2006**

Not Even for a Minute Press Conference  
10:30 a.m. at the parking lot of Baby  
Depot/Burlington Coat Factory

**August 17, 2006**

The Rotary Club of Loyalton's Annual Lamb BBQ  
5:30 PM at 'The Rotary Park' on Smithneck Rd. in  
Loyalton. Contact Tracy Smith @ (530) 993-4753 if  
you would like more information.

**September 28 – October 1, 2006**

RSR \$1,000,000 Hole In One Shoot Out

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**Recognition Fines**

Mike Black was recognized for his Anniversary

Lon DeWeese was recognized for his Birthday

Doug Hill rang the bell for a great vacation  
and new job at Channel 4 KRNV

Allan Sisia rang the bell for a great vacation  
and Anniversary

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**Friendship Fund Fundraiser**

There are many good cooks in this group and  
Virginia has an idea to create a "Sunrise Rotary  
Cook Book".

If you can copy your favorite recipes to Virginia, she  
will compile them and have them bound into books.  
They can then be sold to raise money for Ed's  
Friendship Fund. The cookbook is something that  
was successful with the San Jose Rotary Club and  
also District 5170. Virginia has both cookbooks,  
and her family has enjoyed many favorites that  
were contributed by those Rotarians and Rotary  
Anns (women were not allowed in Rotary at the  
time). Recipes are welcome from all members,  
spouses and family members so start sending them  
to Virginia.

## Not Even for a Minute

The Rotary Club of Reno Sunrise has partnered with Safe Kids Washoe County to bring the Not Even for a Minute campaign to Northern Nevada. The purpose of the campaign is to alert parents, grandparents, and others who care for young children, not to leave a child unattended in or around a motor vehicle. The Not Even for a Minute campaign originated in New Jersey as a program of the New Jersey Department of Human Services. A number of organizations across the United States have adopted the Not Even for A Minute program.

Based on the Safe Kids Worldwide model, the focus of Safe Kids Washoe County is the prevention of accidental injury and death of children aged 0-14. Accidental injuries are the number one cause of death for children in these age groups. Safe Kids Washoe County is a coalition of local agencies and private citizens that focus on programs, advocacy and increasing public awareness of four targeted risk areas including automobile, pedestrian and bicycle safety, and falls.

Since 2000, more than 1,000 children have died nationally in cars in these types of non-traffic accidents, and in northern Nevada there have been three backover deaths between November 2005 and July 2006.

There will be a press conference to launch the campaign on Friday, August 11 at 10:30 a.m. at the parking lot of Baby Depot/Burlington Coat Factory, at 4015 South Virginia Street in Reno.

Visit [www.renosunrise.org/nefm.htm](http://www.renosunrise.org/nefm.htm) for more information.



Coach Chris Alt giving us his annual Wolfpack update

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Vocational Service – Ron Simpkins (2007)

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Director at Large – Harvey Miller (2009)

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## CLUBS FOR MAKE-UP

### Monday

Reno – Harrah's - 12:00 PM

Incline Village – Sierra NV College - 12:15 PM

### Tuesday

Carson City – CC Nugget – 12:00 PM

Reno Central – Peppermill – 12:00 PM

Reno Centennial Sunset – Tamarak – 6:00 PM

### Wednesday

Sparks – John Ascuaga's Nugget – 12:10 PM

So. Lake Tahoe – Harrah's – 7:00 PM

### Thursday

Sparks Centennial Sunrise – Wingfield Springs 7:00 AM

Reno South – Atlantis – 12:00 PM

Carson City Sunset – Devincenzi's Grill – 6:30 PM

### Friday

Reno Sunrise – Siena Hotel Spa Casino – 7:00 AM

Tahoe Douglas – Caesar's – 12:00 PM

### Online

e-club one - [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)

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e-club of Tampa Bay - [www.rotarycluboftampabay.org](http://www.rotarycluboftampabay.org)

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