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Schedule: Future Meetings, Service Projects, and Special Events

Date: 2018-2019	What's Happening
Tuesday, November 27	12:00 pm: Club Assembly
Tuesday, December 4	12:00 pm: William Knuttinen – Taxes
Tuesday, December 11	12:00 pm: Tom Bates & Peter Herzberg – International Projects
Tuesday, December 18	12:00 pm: Barbara Mora – SPIN
Tuesday, December 25	No Meeting
Tuesday, January 1	No Meeting
Tuesday, January 8	12:00 pm: Tanya Ortiz – CASA

Meeting Notes

President Peter Herzberg rang the bell at 12:13 pm after we had socialized for a few minutes. **Max Higgs** led the Pledge of Allegiance, **Tom Bates** gave the Invocation, and **Francis Reyes** led the Four-Way Test.



Guests

Dale Giese (left), Jim Redford, Bob Howard (right) – **Tom Bates'** guests



Terry Humble (right) and Chris Saxman (left), speakers / authors



Ron Shoup (left), **Helen Shoup's** brother, with Bob Howard (right)



Taffy Arias (right) with **Suzanne Kavanagh** (left)



Jan, our exchange student from Germany (left) and **Sunny Kellerman** (right)



Rotary Announcements

President Peter Herzberg made the following announcements:

- There is a Board meeting after this meeting.
- December 7 is the Christmas party; 28 signed up and we need 30, so....
- We received a letter from Rotary International, saying thanks for our gift to the Lt. Gov when she was here.
- **Rosie Higgs**, as a retired Marine, wants to do Toys for Tots and the Board will entertain it today.
- A couple of members would like for us not to discuss politics in the meeting.
- Taffy Arias brought us a Rotary banner from Indiana District 6640, and we gave her one of ours. She was a member there for 2 years.

Sunny Kellerman made these 2 announcements:

- We will be scheduling (before the end of this year) reading to kids after January 8. **Sunny** will let everyone know when we have a selection of dates available.
- A webinar on new forms of Rotary membership for the future will be held on Dec 5th from 5-6pm. All are invited to join her at her place to participate.



Special Presentation

Jan, our exchange student from Germany, had his picture in the paper for his birthday. He spoke with his family on his birthday. He thanked us again for his cake and gifts. Football is over so he can sleep or watch the "Walking Dead"! He is planning to sign up for track.

Non-Rotary Announcement

Wendy Spurgeon of the SC community theatre told us they are about to open "Deathtrap." It's terrific and funny! It can be seen on Friday, November 30, and on the first 2 weekends in December. Tickets are \$10 each at the door or \$8 if you buy early at Vicki's Eatery or Morningstar. Silver High students get in free.

Braggs and/or Happy Dollars

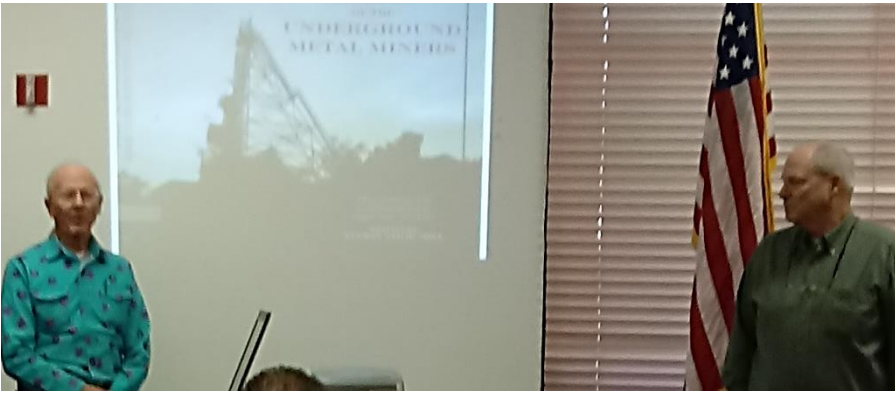
Jim Callender is having a retirement party at Q's on December 7 from 4-6 pm. Come by before the Rotary Christmas party.

Kathy Eaton is a great grandmother as of last week, and she is leaving tomorrow for a super trip and cruise. She will see us next year!

William Knuttinen and **Peter Falley** took first in the first segment of their bowling league's play.

Mark Richard saw 2 whooping cranes by Lordsburg.

Program

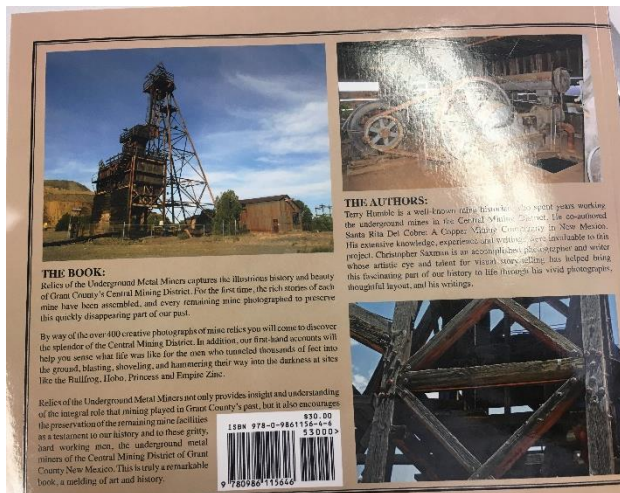


Jim Redford introduced Terry Humble (left) and Chris Saxman (right), authors of *Relics of the Underground Metal Miners* (book front cover on screen).

Chris Saxman has a small gallery in Hanover and has quite the collection of photographs. He wanted to do a book and found out Terry Humble was the person to call.

They have worked on this book the past 2 years.

Terry Humble worked in the underground mines for 6+ years and his dad did all his life.



The book starts out with a short history of Grant county and ends with 5 underground miners' interviews. They all loved their jobs. Terry Humble gives a monthly tour of the mines in the area.

The shaft in Vanadium at Bullfrog Mine is over 2000 feet deep. All the items in the photos in the book are still there but owned by Freeport, so you can't just traipse over to them anymore.

Many of the mines were connected underground. With the mines connected, it had 2 benefits: wind and ventilation and an escape route.

The book (back cover above) has 400+ color photos; the books are \$30 and are for sale.

Raffle

The raffle was postponed.

Attendance

We had 22 of 30 active members in attendance, or 73%.

Gallery



Peter Herzberg

Kathy Eaton



Niel McDonald

Francis Reyes



Mark Richard

Paul Moore



Terry Humble

Tom Bates



Max Higgs

Rosie Higgs



Leslie Bush

Carlos Lucero



Jim Callender

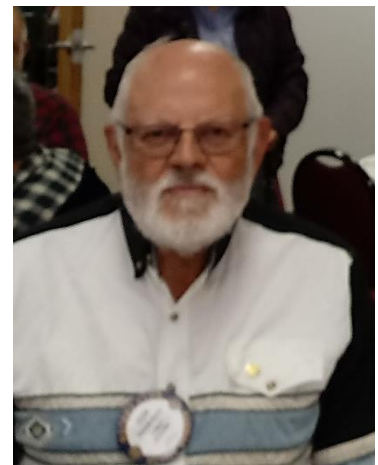
Kate Watson

Mark Richard



Peter Falley

Max Higgs



Tom Bates