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“The Power of One”

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The White Mountain Apache Crown Dancers delight the audience with native dances and songs.

Rotary District 5510 family campout at Hawley Lake is huge success

By Linda Wright
District Secretary

The inaugural Rotary Camp Out held August 11-13 at Hawley Lake was attended by about 100 Rotarians and their families. Even the 24 hours of non-stop rain did not dampen the spirits of the event.

A Friday evening dinner was only modestly attended due to the rain but those who would bear the elements enjoyed a fabulous dinner of pocket stew. Saturday proved to be a bright and sunny day, drying out the road and campsite. As the day rolled on, the group grew larger to enjoy the wonderful food and events.

Throughout the day there were many planned activities to entertain and educate. Bill Williams gave a presentation on the Shelter Box Project – a very worthwhile project every club needs to know about.

Pam Cohen got every one involved in a personality



Natalie Caskey is a snake charmer.



AG Bill Williams explains, “The Shelter Box is only THIS big.”

profile entitled “What is your color?” No surprises here with lots of laughs while learning about interaction of personalities.

Many families participated in fishing, biking and boating. Crawfish abound in Hawley Lake and several were caught on string by the kids. Even a snake was captured but failed the training to become a house pet.

Saturday evening was capped off by a surprise visit from Elvis who proved to all that he really is ALIVE! Elvis serenaded the group by campfire and starlight. Kids and adults danced and enjoyed S’Mores while a meteor shower lit up the skies.

It was a great weekend of relaxation, good food and great camaraderie.

More photos on pages 2, 4 & 5

Family camping outings create memories that last a lifetime

Do you remember camping with family members and someone forgot to bring the frying pan? For that matter they forgot to bring cooking utensils and all devises to even boil water?

Perhaps that particular camping trip stands out in your mind as one of the most enjoyable times with your family because they came together and improvised with what they had and made a great family outing in spite of difficulties. In my family those camping trips are always remembered and often talked about fondly.

Just like camping with your immediate family, "The Family Of Rotary" Campout event August 11-13 at Hawley Lake saw Rotarians experiencing some difficulties that will be remembered and talked about for a long time. An example is having vehicles stuck in the mud due to the rain downpour all Friday afternoon and all Friday night. It was so soggy that entertainment events were cancelled Friday evening only.

On Saturday, Rotarians and friends stuck their heads out of tents, campers and rental cabins to see a beautiful day. A day that was amazingly warm and beautiful; the rain had stopped and revealed the beauty of Hawley Lake.

Hawley Lake is arguably the most beautiful body of water in Arizona that is high in altitude and low in pollution. This day was filled with wonderful entertaining events for children and adults alike.

In this issue you will find just a few of the pictures taken by Bill McGrath.

Margret Coalter offered this summary of the weekend: "There is a saying in the White Mountains, 'if you don't like the weather, wait 15 minutes and it will change.' This is generally a true statement, unless you are AG Ryan Reinhold trying to make cowboy pocket stew for 80 people in the pouring rain.



Margret Coalter explains, "I love the way I cook."

"The District 5510 Family of Rotary Campout was off to a damp start Friday evening when it started to rain around 4 p.m. and wasn't going to let up until after everyone went to bed. AG Ryan and his family were troopers trying to get all of the Rotarians and family members fed when they arrived.

"I think we paid our dues. The remainder of the weekend was beautiful. The scattered clouds provided a relief from the sun on Saturday with an occasional sprinkle to shake things up.

"Rotarians were able to take boats out on the lake, go to Sunrise Ski Resort to ride the chair lift, take a walk, walk the dog, or sit and



DG Don



By Don Kelley, District Governor



enjoy fellowship. The highlight of the weekend was the Apache storyteller and Crown Dancers who performed in front of a blazing fire at sunset with the lake providing a picturesque backdrop Saturday night.

"That was followed by a live performance by Elvis (Dave Kelley, left) to shake things up. After the kids overdosed on homemade S'mores, the evening wound down for some much needed rest.

"Sunday was a quiet but beautiful morning as we all started to pack up and head our separate ways. As a local here in the White Mountains I hope all that attended enjoyed a true mountain campout experience. Come back and see us again some-

time, maybe next time it will be snowing!"

We thank Margret for her thoughts. I predict that everyone attending the Family Of Rotary Campout will have fond memories since they bonded with many new friends. I will certainly remember this camping trip and talk about it fondly because I believe that District 5510 is stronger because of this fantastic event.



This is a very happy moment for Bill McGrath and partner.

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Dates to Remember

September 1-30

New Generations Month

September 5

MESA BASELINE

District Governor Visit

September 6

GILBERT HIGH NOON

District Governor Visit

September 7

FOUR PEAKS

District Governor Visit

September 9

Inbound Youth Exchange Orientation

September 12

SUN LAKES

District Governor Visit

September 12

TEMPE

District Governor Visit

September 14

SUN LAKES CROWN

District Governor Visit

September 15

GSA Team Leader application deadline

September 16

Vocational Seminar

Maricopa Skill center

September 20

SHOW LOW

District Governor Visit

September 21

MESA WEST

District Governor Visit

September 23

GSE Team Leader Interviews

Hilton Phoenix East Mesa

September 25 – October 1

Zone Institute

Denver, Colorado

September 26

PHOENIX EL PUENTE

District Governor Visit

September 26

MESA EAST

31st Anniversary

October 1-31

Vocational Service Month

October 12-15

Youth Exchange Lake Havasu Hike

October 15

Group Study Exchange Team Member

Application Deadline

October 28

Group Study Exchange

Team Member Interviews

November 4

District 5510

Rotary Foundation Celebration

UMOM supports needy in community

By AG Gary Law

Tempe South Rotary

District Governor Don Kelley has followed the lead of last year's DG, Lucinda Rose, dedicating all proceeds from his Installation Dinner to one of his favorite charities, the UMOM New Day Centers at 3320 East Van Buren in Phoenix. The Installation Dinner was held at The Days Inn, which has been a strong supporter of UMOM and donated its Convention Center for the event. The dinner was catered at cost by UMOM's New Day Gourmet Catering, which provides catering services to many churches, government agencies, businesses and individuals with proceeds used to provide meals for the families at UMOM.

New Day Shelters offer emergency housing for homeless and low-income families for up to 120 days, transitional housing for families and single women for up to two years providing life's basics along with case management, child care, health services, counseling, job training and adult education.

New Day operates the **Winter Overflow Emergency Shelter** in collaboration with the City of Phoenix each November through March, serving more than 450 individuals each night. In addition, New Day operates the **Justa Center** from April through November, serving approximately 100 women and families each evening.

Next Step Housing provides permanent single-room occupancy for elderly and/or disabled residents, and affordable apartments at Casa Nueva for families leaving the New Day Centers.

Lamplighter Place offers housing for mentally ill homeless persons.

Community Food Pantry supplies thousands of emergency food boxes per year to low-income families.

How Can Your Club Help?

- Have an offsite meeting, hosted by



DG Don Kelley (right) presents check for \$4,700 to Carlene Newsome, CEO of UMOM. The check represents proceeds raised from DG Don's Installation Dinner.

UMOM;

- Have a UMOM representative speak at one of your Rotary meetings;
- Adopt a room or serve a meal;
- Hold a Club Community Service Project at UMOM;
- Create a Mentoring Program; and/or
- Help with client room needs (possibly a District Simplified Grant).

Some of the items needed are: 1) bunk beds (eight are purchased yearly at a cost of \$99 each); 2) dressers (generally rely on donations although 12 are needed at \$150 each); 3) microwaves (30 are needed yearly at \$69 each); and 4) mini-refrigerators (15 are needed yearly at \$145 each).

Donations are needed to help support programs and UMOM's expansion plans to add more services and rooms to meet the increasing number of homeless families. Each month UMOM has to turn away more than 100 families due to lack of space. All donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.

UMOM New Day Centers appreciate the support Rotary clubs of the Valley have graciously provided over the years. They hope to continue this relationship and hopefully use UMOM as an example of how Rotary truly **Makes a Difference in our Community.**

5510 Leadership

Donald Kelley, Governor

TEMPE SOUTH

Tom Burns, Governor Elect

CHANDLER

Don LaBarge, Governor Nominee

MESA WEST

Linda Wright, Secretary

FOUR PEAKS

Terry Dorsett, Treasurer

SUN LAKES

Rotary Family Campout at Hawley Lake draws more than 100

The inaugural Rotary Camp Out held August 11-13 at Hawley Lake was attended by about 100 Rotarians and their families. Even heavy rain Friday night couldn't dampen the enthusiasm of the campers who enjoyed a variety of activities and entertainment, plus good food and fellowship. Photos on this page as well as pages 1, 2 and 5 were taken by Bill McGrath. We thank him for his efforts.



Lorinda Reinhold asks: "Do you want to taste the best brownie ever?"



The Blue Shirt Team has a smile for everyone.



Was there another Elvis sighting?



DGE Tom Burns could erect the canopy if he had a stool to stand on.



DG Don and Norma enjoy the moment.



It was reported that Jon and Wesley Musa (left) were real lifesavers by giving directions along with a warm smile to Raz, Louise and Carla Rowe when they arrived late in the evening not knowing where to go in the rain with absolute darkness at Hawley Lake. Have you seen my rental cabin?

Hawley Lake provided beautiful setting for Rotary family campout

Hawley Lake, arguably the most beautiful body of water in Arizona that is high in altitude and low in pollution, provided a gorgeous setting for the District 5510 Rotary Family Campout August 11-13. Approximately 100 Rotarians and their families enjoyed the weekend, despite heavy rain Friday night. Saturday was a beautiful day during which campers could take boats on the lake, go fishing, go to Sunrise Ski Resort and ride the chair lift, take a walk, walk the dog, or sit and enjoy fellowship. There was entertainment, as well as lots of good food. Everyone who attended is looking forward to the next outdoor adventure.



Linda Wright and Tom make a lovely dancing couple.



The Rotary Family Campout at Hawley Lake not only included outdoor activities, entertainment and lots of good food, there also were some educational opportunities. AG Bill Williams gave a presentation on the Shelter Box Project. DG Don Kelley (above, left) thanks Ryan Reinhold (center) for his funny hat and also for planning the entire weekend. He also thanked Pam Cohen (right) for her presentation, a personality profile entitled, "What is Your Color?" It helped everyone learn about interaction of personalities.

**Remember your
Rotary pin...
Wear it daily
with pride.**

Mesa clubs host annual fundraiser; enjoy dinner theater presentation

By Lynn Strang

The five Rotary Clubs in Mesa hosted a fun filled evening to raise funds for community projects they support. On Saturday, July 15th, Rotarians and the Broadway Palm Dinner Theater offered a silent auction, dinner and a special presentation of "Beauty and the Beast" that raised nearly \$30,000.

Proceeds will benefit a hearing aid project in Guaymas, Mexico, proposed school assistance in Honduras, homes for the homeless in Rocky Point, Mexico, and contributions locally to the YMCA, United Food Bank, Boys and Girls Club and Junior Achievement.

There is at least one Rotary Club meeting in Mesa four days a week. Mesa East Rotary meets at Noon on Monday at Victory Lutheran Church. Mesa Baseline Rotary Club meets at 12:10 p.m. on Tuesday at Mesa Country Club. The Mesa Club meets at 12:10 on Wednesdays also at the Mesa Country Club. And, there are two meetings on Thursday. The Mesa Sunrise Club meets at 7:00 a.m. and the Mesa West Club meets at Noon. Both are held at the Hilton Hotel.

Team leader, members needed for Group Study Exchange

By Lucinda Rose

District GSE Chairman

How does this sound? A month traveling in Belize, Honduras and Guatemala in February/March 2007, Rotary pays, you learn all about the culture of Central America and meet scores of interesting people? District 5510 needs applicants for both the Group Study Exchange Team Leader position and for Team Members.

You held office last year, this year you are watching your successor running crazy in your club. Why not apply yourself for the Team Leader position? We need a dedicated Rotarian to lead the group. It is a fabulous opportunity. (I wish I was eligible, but as immediate PDG, I am exempt.)

Also, please think of anyone you know aged 25-40 who is not a lineal descendant of a Rotarian to apply as a Team Member. We need four people for our Team.

All of the information and applications are on www.rotary5510.org (select committees, then Group Study Exchange) or call me at 602-418-9598!

Please help spread the word, make an announcement in your club, or e-mail this to anyone you can think of who might be interested! Thank You,

Governor Janet Napolitano supports Week Without Violence

Issues proclamation for week of October 1-8

By Ruth Tan Lim, M.D.

President, Mesa Sunrise Rotary Club

Rotary embraces International Goodwill, Peace and Understanding. With the Middle East turmoil, it is important that all Rotarians be advocates for peace and nonviolence.

Since 2001, the Mesa Sunrise Rotary Club has partnered with Children's Benefit Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization which has taken leadership and coordinated organizations in the community to form the "Week Without Violence" Task Force.

Members are: Apache Junction USD, Arizona Project Challenge, Arizona Department of Peace, Asian American Times, Boys and Girls Club of East Valley, Campfire USA, Centro de Amistad, Chicano Por La Causa, Chandler Regional Hospital, Chandler I.C.A.N., Chandler UFS 80, Chandler United Methodist Church, Chandler Baha'i Community, Dobson Pediatrics, Mesa Arts Academy, Mesa Police Department, Mesa Public Schools, Mesa Migrant Education, Mesa Sunrise Rotary, Peer Solutions, Phoenix Children's Hospital, Queen Creek Migrant Education, St. Matthew United Methodist Church and Sun Lakes Lions Club.

The mission is to promote a culture of nonviolence: Together we C.A.N.[®].

The Vision: to unite and empower all to Champion a Violence Free Community.

The Strategies are: Through awareness, education, participation and involvement, we can make non-violence a way of life.

At the United Nations' 53rd session - there was a unanimous vote declaring 2001-2010 as "The decade for a Culture of Peace and Nonviolence for the Children of the World."



Arizona Governor Janet Napolitano has issued an official proclamation declaring October 1-8, 2006, as the "Week Without Violence."

Children are our future leaders and peace makers. They can be the advocates for peace and non-violence. This year, this community advocacy event sponsors the Peace Poetry and Poster contest from now till September 15th. Winners will be announced on

September 21, 2006, International Day of Peace.

Mesa Sunrise Rotarians have supported this event with funds and time, and as Poster and Poetry judges. For more information, please contact: Ruth Tan Lim, M.D., Volunteer Chair of WWV Task Force at 480-820-4507.

When was the last time you told a friend about Rotary?



One of the 2005 posters

Youngsters invited to enter peace poetry, poster contest

Promote a violence-free community by participating in a poetry and poster contest to support Champions Advocating Nonviolence C.A.N.[®].

Week Without Violence October 1-8, 2006

Submit entries by Friday September 15, 2006, to :

Children's Benefit Foundation Inc.
2058 South Dobson Road, Suite 6
Mesa, AZ 85202

For information call 480-820-4507 or fax 480-491-2439.

Please put name, age and phone number on all poster and poetry entries.

There will be two winners in each of three age groups: 6-11, 12-15 and 16-18.

Poster size not to exceed 14"x 22" poster board.

Poetry on 8x11 paper can be mailed or faxed.

Remember...entries are due September 15.

Winners to be announced on September 21, 2006, International Day of Peace.

All are invited to attend "Champions of Champions Recognition Event" at St. Matthew United Methodist Church,



2540 West Baseline Road, Mesa, AZ 85202, from 1:30-4 p.m. on Saturday, October 7.

There will be refreshments, programs and displays.

Parents must provide transportation and supervision.





District 5510 Attendance, Membership, Foundation Report

July, 2006

	Membership				Attendance		Foundation Annual Goal	Annual Giving (as of 7/31)	% of Goal
	7/1/06	Goal	Current	Change	Monthly %	YTD %			
Chandler Region: Bill Williams, AG									
Ahwatukee Foothills	14	15	13	- 1	77.78	77.78	\$ 1,000	\$ 0.00	0.00
Chandler	36	39	38	+ 2	85.00	85.00	3,800	0.00	0.00
Chandler Horizon	26	29	27	+ 1	99.07	99.07	3,000	0.00	0.00
Chandler North	22	23	19	- 3	74.00	74.00	2,200	0.00	0.00
Total	98	106	97	- 1	83.96	83.96	\$ 10,000	\$ 0.00	0.00
Eastern Region: Ryan Reinhold, AG									
Show Low	10	11	10	0	NR	NR	\$ 0	\$ 0.00	0.00
Silver Creek	19	20	19	0	68.58	68.58	2,000	0.00	0.00
Southwest eClub	31	32	32	+ 1	100.00	100.00	0	0.00	0.00
Springerville	19	20	18	- 1	69.00	69.00	1,600	0.00	0.00
White Mountain	14	15	14	0	100.00	100.00	1,600	0.00	0.00
Total	93	98	93	0	84.40	84.40	\$ 5,200	\$ 0.00	0.00
Flagstaff Region: Tom Mackin, AG									
Flagstaff	69	70	67	- 2	55.22	55.22	\$ 0	\$ 0.00	0.00
Flagstaff Route 66	14	15	14	0	78.30	78.30	2,000	0.00	0.00
Flagstaff Sunrise	8	9	8	0	70.00	70.00	0	0.00	0.00
Page	13	14	13	0	55.77	55.77	0	0.00	0.00
Total	104	108	102	- 2	64.82	64.82	\$ 2,000	\$ 0.00	0.00
Northeastern Region: Glenn Smith, AG									
Payson	38	39	38	0	NR	NR	\$ 4,000	\$ 0.00	0.00
Payson Rim Country	23	24	21	- 2	82.14	82.14	2,500	0.00	0.00
Winslow	24	25	22	- 2	57.25	57.25	2,700	0.00	0.00
Total	85	88	81	- 4	69.70	69.70	\$ 9,200	\$ 0.00	0.00
Mesa Region: Dede Coombs, AG									
Mesa	88	89	87	- 1	67.95	67.95	\$ 8,300	\$ 0.00	0.00
Mesa Baseline	78	79	78	0	53.63	53.63	8,300	0.00	0.00
Mesa Boeing	12	13	12	0	52.00	52.00	0	0.00	0.00
Mesa East	18	19	21	+ 3	90.00	90.00	1,800	50.00	2.78
Mesa Sunrise	18	19	17	- 1	88.67	88.67	1,800	0.00	0.00
Mesa West	28	29	29	+ 1	81.70	81.70	3,100	0.00	0.00
Total	242	248	244	+ 2	72.33	72.33	\$ 23,300	\$ 50.00	0.21
North Valley Region: Laura Tilrico, AG									
Carefree-Cave Creek	29	30	29	0	86.00	86.00	\$ 2,500	\$ 0.00	0.00
Fountain Hills	56	57	57	+ 1	56.00	56.00	5,600	100.00	1.79
Four Peaks	52	53	53	+ 1	48.00	48.00	5,300	0.00	0.00
Pinnacle Peak	37	38	36	- 1	70.00	70.00	3,600	0.00	0.00
Total	174	178	175	+ 1	65.00	65.00	\$ 17,000	\$ 100.00	0.59
Phoenix Region: Terri Leveton, AG									
Paradise Valley	38	39	38	0	57.50	57.50	\$ 0	\$ 0.00	0.00
Phoenix Arcadia	26	27	26	0	89.00	89.00	0	0.00	0.00
Phoenix Camelback	27	28	27	0	88.70	88.70	0	0.00	0.00
Phoenix East	23	27	23	0	74.00	74.00	2,200	0.00	0.00
Phoenix Squaw Peak	26	27	28	+ 2	71.99	71.99	0	475.00	0.00
Total	140	148	142	+ 2	76.24	76.24	\$ 2,200	\$ 475.00	21.59
Scottsdale Region: David Ortega, AG									
Phoenix El Puente	22	23	22	0	88.00	88.00	\$ 0	0.00	0.00
Scottsdale	154	155	154	0	84.00	84.00	0	0.00	0.00
Scottsdale Airpark	13	14	13	0	66.67	66.67	0	100.00	0.00
Scottsdale Papago	27	28	25	- 2	73.00	73.00	2,500	0.00	0.00
Scottsdale Sunrise	32	33	30	- 2	86.00	86.00	3,000	0.00	0.00
Total	248	253	244	- 4	79.53	79.53	\$ 5,500	\$ 100.00	1.82
Southeastern Valley Region: Ken Oakes, AG									
Gilbert	21	22	20	- 1	79.04	79.04	\$ 0	\$ 640.00	0.00
Gilbert High Noon	13	14	13	0	61.00	61.00	1,100	0.00	0.00
Sun Lakes	98	99	98	0	53.00	53.00	\$ 10,000	1,017.00	10.17
Sun Lakes Crown	42	44	43	+ 1	59.64	59.64	5,100	0.00	0.00
Superstition Mountain	37	38	37	0	65.80	65.80	3,800	25.00	0.66
Total	211	217	211	0	63.70	63.70	\$ 20,000	\$ 1,682.00	8.41
Tempe Region: Gary Law, AG									
Kyrene Corridor	21	22	21	0	64.30	64.30	\$ 2,200	\$ 660.00	30.00
Tempe	39	40	39	0	54.05	54.05	500	0.00	0.00
Tempe East	13	14	14	+ 1	87.50	87.50	1,000	0.00	0.00
Tempe Rio Salado	20	21	20	0	63.00	63.00	3,000	0.00	0.00
Tempe South	48	49	48	0	78.00	78.00	4,500	0.00	0.00
Total	141	146	142	+ 1	69.37	69.37	\$ 11,200	\$ 660.00	5.89
Total/Average/Goal	1,536	1,590	1,531	- 5	71.34	71.34	\$105,600	\$ 3,067.00	2.90

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Rotary Gift of Life Arizona installs new board member

By Gary Whiting

Centennial PDG 5510 and GOL Board Director

At its August board meeting, **Dr. Ron Goodsite, District 5500 Centennial PDG** and member of the **Rotary Club of Catalina (Tucson)** was installed as a Gift of Life-AZ Board Director. PDG Dr. Goodsite is a practicing pediatrician and has an intense personal and medical interest in the health and well-being for all children of the world.

He will begin immediately to help achieve the Gift of Life-AZ Foundation GOALS and helping to provide medical care and support for needy children worldwide who are suffering from congenital heart defects that need surgical attention.

Gift of Life-AZ has played a significant role here in Arizona. Since its 1985 formation through July, 2006, the lives of 203 children have been spared through the generous financial support from Arizona Rotarians. Of these 203 children, **21 are from Arizona.**

Through **Gift of Life-AZ** it takes only \$5,000 to give a dying child the opportunity to live a normal life free of a heart defect that might otherwise have taken their life. How can so little money do so much? It is made possible by the hospitals and medical professionals who are part of the **Gift of Life-AZ** team offering their talents and unique skills in every area of cardiac care without fee or charge.

Gift of Life – Arizona, Inc. is an Arizona Rotary Project supported by the three Arizona Rotary Districts and Arizona Rotary clubs. It is a non-profit tax-exempt 501(c)(3) foundation administered by participating Rotarians and friends for the sole purpose of providing open-heart surgery to needy children. The by-laws provide for up to 25 board members of whom **three-fourths shall be members** in good standing of Rotary Clubs from **Arizona Rotary Districts 5490, 5500 and 5510.**

Presently, the following Arizona Rotarians are now serving:

- **District 5490:** David Hadley, Phoenix West; Alfonso Rodriguez, Phoenix West; Robert Raskin, Phoenix 100; Dr. Paul Mittman, Phoenix 100; and John Rivers, Phoenix100;

- **District 5500:** Ken Kermode, Ajo; and PDG Dr. Ron Goodsite, Tucson Catalina; and

- **District 5510:** John Abbs, Phoenix Camelback; Bruce Dayton, Phoenix Arcadia; Pam Cohen, Mesa West; Chuck Flint, Mesa West; Maribel Guglielmo, Phoenix Camelback; Dr. Dudley Halpe, Phoenix Arcadia; Scott Miller, Scottsdale; Mark Walker, Scottsdale; and PDG Gary Whiting, Sun Lakes.

To learn more about this Arizona Rotary project, please visit website www.giftoflife-az.com. Additionally, if your Rotary Club would like to have Gift of Life-AZ provide a 20 minute Rotary Club program, please e-mail to gift@giftoflife-az.com with your request and a date will be arranged. We want to provide this Power Point/DVD presentation to every Arizona Rotary club.



PDG RON GOODSITE



Shown above (left to right) are outgoing Phoenix 100 Club President Dick Ray, current Phoenix 100 Club President Dick Eisenach, Gift of Life – Arizona board member Barry Peretz and GOL-AZ Board President John Abbs.

Phoenix 100 supports Gift of Life, becomes Gold Life Saver

By Gary Whiting, Centennial PDG and GOL-AZ Board Director

On June 30th, the Rotary Club of Phoenix 100 was recognized by the Gift of Life-Arizona as a Gold Life Saver for their **\$10,000** donation. This outstanding Rotary Club support will allow two needy children to have life-saving heart surgery.

The recognition was provided prior to the induction of R. C. “Dick” Eisenach as the Phoenix 100 Club President for 2006-2007 and bidding farewell to outgoing Club President, Dick Ray. Gift of Life-Arizona is honored to have played a part on this special Rotary club meeting agenda.

As additional recognition, the club is being presented a Gift of Life-Arizona patch for their Club Banner and a Gold Bar representing the accomplishment as a Gold Life Saver Rotary Club. All Arizona Rotary clubs and Rotarians from Districts 5490, 5500 and 5510 are encouraged to support this outstanding Arizona Rotary project.

Since the formation of the Gift of Life-Arizona, 203 heart surgeries on needy children have been performed from 20 different countries, which includes 21 Arizona children.

All Arizona Rotary clubs can be recognized as an **ANNUAL CLUB SPONSOR** based on their membership size:

- Up to 30 members = \$150;
- 31 – 50 members = \$400;
- 51 – 75 members = \$800;
- 76 – 100 members = \$1,000; and
- 100+ members = \$1,500.

Additionally, a club that donates \$5,000 is recognized as a **SILVER LIFE SAVER CLUB**, and a club that donates \$10,000 is recognized as a **GOLD LIFE SAVER CLUB.**

Please visit the website www.giftoflife-az.com for more information and send an e-mail to gift@giftoflife-az.com to schedule a Gift of Life-Arizona presentation at your Rotary club meeting.



PDG GARY WHITING

REMEMBER:
Every Rotarian Every Year