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# Rotary Club of West El Paso

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## Ken's Korner



Our time to shine . . .



The District 5520 District Convention is less than two (2) weeks away (April 24<sup>th</sup> –April 27<sup>th</sup>) and there is still time to sign up. To register is easy, just go to the following link for all the information you will need: <a href="http://rotary5520.org/Convention/index.html">http://rotary5520.org/Convention/index.html</a>

The registration deadline has been extended to April 15<sup>th</sup>—and it will be a lot more fun than paying your taxes! As usual, members of our club are stepping up "Big Time" to make this a great convention. You can sign up for part or all of the activities or even just attend a lunch or dinner function if things are too pressing for you that weekend. Let's show these other clubs how RCWEP shines! We still need to donate Silent Auction items so if you have something you can donate please contact Gerri Wootten who is the committee chair at 877-3683. I will be the "MC" at the Youth Exchange Breakfast Saturday morning so join me, Salome and the other exchange students for jokes that I am sure will be internationally funny. Also, each Club is asked to provide two (2) volunteers to serve as Sergeant at Arms during the Convention. The time investment will be either one morning or one afternoon session on one day of the Convention. Please let me know if you can volunteer and contact Jimmy Melver directly to volunteer or get more information at 549-5031 and at JKMelver@yahoo.com.

The Golf Tournament is really coming together and we need everyone's help to pull this off. Please get involved and get ready to rock n roll. Get those Pro-Am teams committed and paid and sponsors lined up. Also, take some time to thank our Golf Committee members who always work so hard, do so well and make the rest of us look really good!

Speaking of making us look really good, also give a helping hand to Carey, Lu Ann and others on the Parade Committee. The next 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade is shaping up to be one of our best ever. Whew—I am exhausted just writing about all of this! Let's all re-focus our efforts to bring in some new members to share in all this fun and excitement. Thank you for your service to Rotary and your club.

Ken Slavin 2007-2008 President, Rotary Club of West El Paso

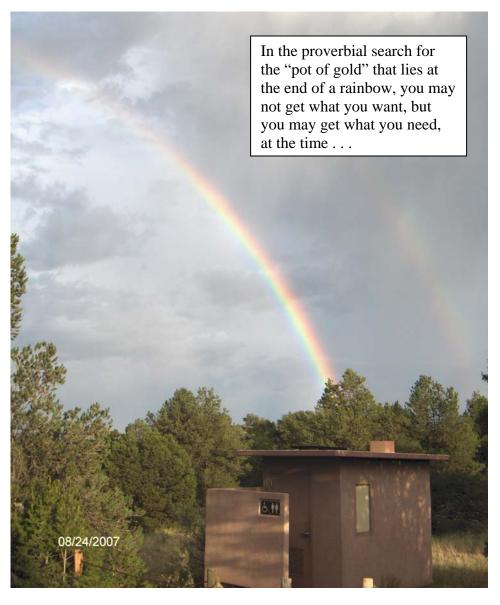
# The El Paso Golf Classic is May 2-4, 2008





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# West El Paso Rotary Upcoming Programs

(Note: Some Programs and dates are tentative!)

- April 14<sup>th</sup> Troy Ainsworth Historic Preservation of Downtown El Paso
- ✓ April 21<sup>st</sup> Club Assembly for Golf Tournament
- ✓ April 28<sup>th</sup> Rotary International Speaker
- √ May 5<sup>th</sup> Ray Adauto Executive Director, Home Builders Association
- ✓ May 12<sup>th</sup> Beto O'Rourke City Representative
- √ May 19<sup>th</sup> Our own Karen Walton on her personal experiences the Alaskan Iditarod
- √ May 26<sup>th</sup> No meeting Memorial Day
- ✓ June 2<sup>nd</sup> Exchange Student Salome Koller Switzerland Presentation
- ✓ June 9<sup>th</sup> LuAnn Wieland Understanding the Generations

## **Rotary Websites**

**Rotary Club of West El Paso** www.rotarywestelpaso.org

> **Rotary District 5520** www.rotary5520.org

> **Rotary International** www.rotary.org

**eClubOne** http://www.rotarveclubone.org

## The 4-Way Test

Members of Rotary use a simple test to guide their actions in life. Here it is:

"The 4-Way Test of the things we think, sav or do:

1<sup>st</sup> Is it the TRUTH? 2<sup>nd</sup> Is it FAIR to all

concerned? 3<sup>rd</sup> Will it build

**GOODWILL** and

**BETTER** 

FRIENDSHIPS?

4<sup>TH</sup> Will it be BENEFICIAL to all

concerned?"

## Rotary District 5520 Annual Convention 2008 REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>!

It's right here in El Paso on April 24-27 at the Wyndham Airport Hotel. For all the details, click on the link below:

http://rotary5520.org/Convention/2 008/ConventionBrochure2008.pdf

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