



GREEN LIVING TIPS

◆ If you brush your teeth twice a day, for something close to the two minutes recommended by dentists and, turn the water off and just dampen your brush from the glass filled to rinse with, you'll save about 6 quarts of water a day. That's about 50% MORE than FEMA's recommended daily allowance for adults in an emergency evacuation.

◆ Choose tap water over bottled, even if you have to put a filter on the incoming tap. It takes about 1.5 gallons of plastic to manufacture a plastic bottle.

◆ If U.S. families switched to washing just one load of their laundry in cold water per week, the savings in CO₂ emissions would equal 200,00 cars not driven or could power 240,000 homes. Source: The Sustainability Consortium

AND HONORING OTHERS

There was a special moment in our Feb. 21 event, when RCTV member **Ange-la Listo** received the Paul Harris Award, which recognizes Rotarians who donate \$1000 or more to the Rotary Foundation. Congratulations, Angie. AND THANK YOU!

BIRTHDAYS

March

- 17 Ellie Patterson
- 17 Kathleen Urquhart



RCTV RODEO ROUND-UP



RCTV members took a double-barreled shot at our goals during the Tucson Rodeo. In cooperation with the Catalina Rotary Club, we corralled the trash and beer cans, making a major difference in properly disposing mountains of trash. Dedicated club members hauled thousands of cans to be sold, raising cash to fund our environmental projects. A huge success!



Welcoming New Members



What a fantastic turnout at the February 21st Membership drive event at Vero Amore! Despite the rain, many prospective members gathered to learn more about our environmentally focused Rotary Club. The RCTV welcomes like-

minded folks to join our Rotary Club of Tucson Verde to help keep Tucson a beautiful Sonoran desert landscape and a unique place to visit, live, learn, work and raise families. With more members we can do more in our community to make a greater impact.

Please visit us at: www.rotarytucsonverde.com and on Facebook.com/RotaryTucsonVerde Or contact *Michael Drake* at Michael@DrakeLawAz.com or at 520-624-2488. You are always welcome to visit a meeting and learn more about who we are.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 7

RCTV Club Meeting; Ward 3 office, 1510 E Grant Rd
Speaker: Jane Conlin, of Citizen's Climate Lobby
 5:30-6:45pm Contact: [John Eisele](mailto:John.Eisele@rotarytucsonverde.com)

March 18

Iskashitaa Refugee Network Harvesting Project
 3900 E. Timrod St, Suite 4 8:45 -11:00 am
 Contact [Michelle Felix](mailto:Michelle.Felix@rotarytucsonverde.com) or [Ellie Patterson](mailto:Ellie.Patterson@rotarytucsonverde.com)

March 21

Spring Equinox Celebration
 Camp Cooper, 5403 Trails End Rd. Tucson
 5:30-7:30 pm Contact: [Linda Fugate](mailto:Linda.Fugate@rotarytucsonverde.com)

March 30

Green Drinks Tucson at Moto Sonora Brewing
 1015 S. Park Ave. Tucson, 5:30-7:30pm
 Contact: [Kevin Dahl](mailto:Kevin.Dahl@rotarytucsonverde.com)

April 4

RCTV Club Meeting; Ward 3 office, 1510 E Grant Rd
 5:30-6:45pm **Board Meeting Follows**
 Contact: [Ellie Patterson](mailto:Ellie.Patterson@rotarytucsonverde.com)

April 22

Environmental Fair Celebrating EARTH DAY
Tucson Children's Museum
 Contact: [Michelle Felix](mailto:Michelle.Felix@rotarytucsonverde.com)

OUR MISSION

We invest our time and human resources on projects that will improve the ecological and sustainable environment of our community and planet. No project is too small.