



# **Kiwaniis<sup>®</sup>**

## **Club of Las Vegas**

Week of:

October 31, 2016



**RSVP AND PRE-PAY NOW \$25**  
**62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Kiwanis/Rotary**  
**Thanksgiving Food Drive lunch**  
**meeting November 23<sup>rd</sup>**

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**Special note:** Special Starting time for your  
*November 9th, 16th, and 30th meetings will be 12:30*

**SPEAKER for November 2, 2016 MEETING:**

**Roland Rogers:**

Roland will be speaking on self defense for seniors.

Networking: 11:45am. Meeting: 12:15 to 1:15pm.  
Wednesday's, Marie Callender's, 8175 West Sahara,  
Lunch (\$20) and includes a slice of pie.

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***Congratulations'***

**»»» BILL MCELROY «««**

See details below

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## **Operation Christmas Child Holiday Project**



Since 1993 Operation Christmas Child, a project of Samaritans Purse has sent 103 million shoeboxes filled with gifts to children in need around the world. Each box is filled with school supplies, toys, hygiene items (no liquids please) that will bring smiles to the faces of children who live in poverty, orphanages, and or storm ravaged countries.

**Please Help!**

**Our Goal this year is to fill 40 shoeboxes.**

**Plan to attend our November 16<sup>th</sup> lunch meeting  
We will be filling the shoe boxes at that meeting.**

**Be sure to coordinate the items you are supplying with  
Diane at 702-550-3197 so we can get all the items needed.**

## **Suggested Items**

<b>TOYS</b>	<b>SCHOOL SUPPLIES</b>	<b>HYGIENE ITEMS</b>	<b>ACCESSORIES</b>
Small Dolls	Pens	Toothbrushes	T-shirts
Toy Cars	Pencils & Sharpeners	Tooth Paste	Socks
Stuffed animals	Erasers	Bar soap Combs	Underrlear
Kazoos	Crayons,	Hairbrushes	Flip-flops
Harmonicas	Markers,	Washcloths	Hats
Yo-Yos	Notebooks Paper	Smalltowels	Sunglasses
Jump ropes,	Solar calculators		Hair clips & Jewelry
Balls,	Coloring books		Watches
Toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries), etc.	Picture books, etc.		Flashlights (with extra batteries)

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## **BREAKING NEWS**

# **Operation Christmas Child Inexpensive Item Source**

The 99c Store is one idea for items and thanks to Jim Small here is a link to a web site that is an inexpensive source for items for our Christmas Shoebox project.

**Be sure to coordinate with Diane. 702-550-3197**

[www.dollardays.com](http://www.dollardays.com)

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# 62nd Kiwanis/Rotary Thanksgiving Food Drive

Help Support the 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
Kiwanis/Rotary Thanksgiving Canned Food Drive  
to Benefit the Salvation Army  
Wednesday, November 23, 2016 @ 11:30 AM  
Lawry's Prime Rib:  
4043 Howard Hughes Parkway @ E. Flamingo

Lunch \$25 RSVP and Pre-Pay by noon Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>

Make Lunch Checks payable to "Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas"

## FOOD DONATION TERMS:

Bring canned food, cash or checks only on November 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Make Checks Payable to: The Salvation Army

Information: Howard Naylor, Kiwanis Club of LV, (702) 363-0192

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## Amazon donates to Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation

### *Support us when you shop at Amazon.*

Please Use [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) and Amazon will donate to Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation. Sign up with Amazon Smile and designate the Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation as your charity. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible Amazon Smile purchases to Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation whenever you shop on Amazon Smile. Amazon Smile is the same Amazon you know. **Same products, Same prices, Same service.** Use the link below and you will be directed to great gift ideas and help support your Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation.

AmazonSmile Link:

<http://smile.amazon.com/gp/charity/homepage.html?orig=%2Fgp%2Fbrowse.html%3Fnode%3D502659011&ein=86-0850741>

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## You Can Make a Tax Free Donation to the Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation

The IRA Charitable Rollover is now permanent, allowing individuals aged 70 ½ or older to make a tax-free distribution from individual retirement accounts to the **Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation**, reducing their tax liability!

The Protecting Americans from Tax Hikes Act of 2015 has been signed into law. Among the many tax benefits made permanent was the IRA charitable transfer provision.

This provision allows individuals age 70½ or older to give up to \$100,000 from their IRAs directly to qualified charities - such as the **Kiwanis Club of Las Vegas Foundation** - without having to pay income taxes on the distributions and the donations count as part of the IRA owner's RMD required annual withdrawal.

There's no tax deduction for the donated assets; however, they are not included as income, either. To qualify for this break, the donation must be transferred directly from the IRA custodian to the Foundation and gifts for 2016 must be made by the year-end.

Contact your financial advisor to find out how you may benefit from this new law.

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## FREE LUNCH!

Each week we will hold a random drawing and one of our members wins a free lunch, including a slice of pie, redeemable at one of our next three meetings.

## *Congratulations'*

»»» **BILL MCELROY** «««

## YOU WON a FREE LUNCH

You can redeem your free lunch at one of our next three meetings  
Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, or 16<sup>th</sup> meeting!  
See you there!

**Check each week's newsletter to see if you won the free lunch!**

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## UPCOMING November 2016 EVENTS:

**November 2:** Roland Rogers - Teaching self defense to seniors

**Special note:** **Starting time for the November 9th, 16th, and 30th meetings will be 12:30 not 12:15**

**November 9:** Bruce McLelland - What happened to Electrolux?  
**This meeting starts at 12:30**

**November 16:** Christmas Child Shoebox Packing Day  
**Christmas Shoe Box (Samaritans Purse) project**  
**This meeting starts at 12:30**

**November 23:** Kiwanis/Rotary Thanksgiving Salvation Army food drive. This meeting will be at Lawry's. **Sign in at 11:30. This meeting starts at 12 noon**

**November 30:** Dave Martin - Indoor Farming (Huh?)  
**This meeting starts at 12:30**

**Helping Hands of Nevada / Walker Furniture "Home for the Holidays" project**

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**For club information Log onto our Web Site!**

**<http://www.kiwaniscluboflasvegas.org/>**

**contact Jerry McElroy or Howard Naylor  
with additions or corrections**

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