

Rotary Club of Sedona Village Youth Service Team Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2025 at 8:00AM

In person at Jennette's house or via zoom

20 Coburn Court, Sedona 86351

Committee Members: Jennette Bill, Holly Johnson, Carol Hess, Del Rae Cruzen, Brad Parker, Gayle Burns, Karen Heinze, Paul Butler, David Potter, Jennifer Bowles, Ayla Jackson

Others: Stacy Reynolds

Other Rotary Club Reps: Lena Gamble, Jean Barton, Jamiss Sebert (Rotary Club of Sedona), Jennifer Garrett (Rotary Club of the Verde Valley), Jill Bradshaw (Rotary Club of Sedona Red Rocks), MaKenna Drake (new Rotarian; previous exchange student)

- I. Welcome! General Discussion**
- II. Approval minutes: 7/15/2025**
- III. ACTIVITY POINT PERSON UPDATE/DISCUSSION**

A. Review of Youth Services club meeting programs for 2025/2026 Rotary year:

- a. Fall 2025: **DATE: August 21** (invited Mark Cowell)
 - i. STE Logan presentation (10 min)
 - ii. Sister Cities Leadership Camp scholarship recipient Khrystian Cordova (10 min)
 - iii. report from 2 (?) summer camp scholarship recipients - Sophia Wolf (ballet); Elizabeth Kraus, Lotus Flores (NAU music camp)
 - iv. Junior RYLA – slide and report by us
 - v. Meet the LTE exchange student: Samuel Knigge from Norway
 - vi. Youth Services plans for new school year
- b. Feb. 2026: **DATE: Feb. 5, 11:30 – 1:30 at SPAC with all 3 Sedona Rotary Clubs**
 - i. RYLA presentations
- c. Spring 2026: **DATE: May 7, club meeting**
 - i. LTE exchange student presentation and Youth Services update

B. Senior RYLA 2026

- a. Interview date: Wed, Nov 12, 10-12 (Brad and Karen interviewer reps; Jennette greeter)
- b. Camp date: January 16-19, 2026

C. Life Skills Day – Feb. 27, 2026 (David Potter/Del Rae) Met with Heather Isom; decided to have a Life Skills Day just for the junior high; Heather will canvas some students for interests; next meeting 8/21 @10AM

- D. Career Day** – Hold for this year; bring back next Rotary year
- E. Lunch Out of Landfills Program (Brad)** - Depends on whether there is a faculty advisor for an Environmental Club
- F. SRRHS Interact Club:** Del Rae and Jennette
 - a. Pizza Party: Tues, Aug 19 at noon; who gets pizza?
 - i. Announce LTE applications open
 - b. Sedona Winds: Sunday, Aug 31
- G. VVS Interact** - faculty advisor: ??? possibly Amy Warren; Rotarian Advisor: Jennette and another
 - a. Help at Taste of Sedona Village
 - b. Shyla and Rue continue but transition; they have goal of service 1X/month
- H. Missoula Children's Theatre** – (Jennette, Rob, Karen)
Waiting for our grant money so MCT can be paid; Then will put down deposit for next year
- I. Youth Exchange:**
 - a. LTE inbound 2025/2026 school year – Samuel Knigge from Norway
 - i. First host family: Dominique & Trinity Montague, Cornville
 - ii. need 2 more host families; Host Promo being done; asked SRRHS principal to help
 - iii. Promote that Rotarians involve Samuel in activities
 - iv. Sam orientation weekend of Aug 22 near LA
 - b. Registration open for outbounds 2026/2027: publicity
 - c. Canmore exchange fall 2026
- J. Sedona Weekend for 6 district exchange students: Sept 5-7**
 - a. Slide Rock service project Saturday, Sept. 6; +16 Rotarians
 - b. Potluck Saturday, Sept. 6 for all VV Rotarians and friends; who can we invite?
 - i. Kaori, MaKenne Drake (previous exchange student; works for Chamber), Logan, ?
- K. Summer Camp Scholarships** – Holly, Karen, Jennette
 - a. KEEP sports camp cancelled, scholarship refund?
- L. Youth Protection Plan Report:** Brad
 - a. Plan per Brad
- M. 4 Way Test for second graders** – Carol
- N. Imagination Library Casino Night Fundraiser:** 4/18/2026, 5-9PM, The Barn at UVX, Cottonwood; tickets \$100pp – promote Rotarian attendance
- O. Other Activity Reports**
- P. Web site plus social media and print PR needs/requests**

a. Press release re applications open for LTE 2026/2027

b. Announce inbound exchange student

3. Next Meeting- Tuesday, 9/9/25 at ? house and via zoom

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89882015419?pwd=RmdMTDVKWWxDclRoL2ZrS01oaE5XZz09>

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