



What's Goin' On October 2022

Meetings and Programs

For those worried about COVID, please know that a strictly followed process of sanitizing and cleaning the meeting premises is being closely adhered to by ECC personnel; and during the meeting, our club will follow the mask-wearing and social distancing guidelines, as per CDC and state government directives.

October 5 Dinner - Edina Country Club

Thanks to Roger Johnson our speaker is Hennepin County Commissioner Chris LaTondresse. The title of his talk is "Hennepin County Update."

Chris represents Hennepin District 6 which includes Edina, Hopkins, Wayzata, and several other West Metro communities. He chairs the Hennepin County Housing and Redevelopment Authority (HRA) and Hennepin Health. He is vice chair of Public Safety and the Hennepin County Regional Railroad Authority (HCRRA).

October 19 Lunch - Edina Country Club

At the invitation of Chuck Gehrman, our speaker will be Frank Cardarelle, licensed land surveyor, (his father was also a surveyor) who is a lifelong resident of Edina. He will speak to us about the history of surveying from the time of the Louisiana Purchase, and how our local area came to be townships, villages and cities.

November 2 Dinner - Edina Country Club

We will have a meeting. Stay tuned for details.

Program Help Available

If you need help lining up a program, contact Andy Bond for leads and suggestions. Members are encouraged to arrange programs early, and provide information to the newsletter editor, Rich Makela, so we can publicize the program in the newsletter, helping assure good attendance at meetings. If you contact Andy, or any other member, for help, make sure it is clear who is to contact the speaker, and that there is only one primary contact person.

Social Events

As of September 26, we have 50 members and guests attending the GYRO INSTALLATION CELEBRATION on Sunday, October 16.

In addition to a great dinner and getting together with good friends, we'll be entertained by RIVER, THE MUSIC OF CAROL KING, JONI MITCHELL AND CARLY SIMON!

If you haven't already put in your reservation, email Chuck Gehrman at ajgehrman@me.com with your menu choice of steak or salmon.

Gyro District 7 Convention

The 2023 District-VII and Gyro International Convention will be held in Winnipeg August 23-27. We will celebrate the Winnipeg Gyro Club's 100th anniversary.

On the Humorous Side

Quotes from George Burns

George Burns (1896 – 1996) was an American comedian, actor, writer, and singer, and one of the few entertainers whose career successfully spanned vaudeville, radio, film and television. Burns lived to be one hundred years old and continued to work until just a few weeks before his death. Here are some of his quotes:

The secret of a good sermon is to have a good beginning and a good ending, then having the two as close together as possible.

When I was a boy, the Dead Sea was only sick.

If you live to be one hundred, you've got it made. Very few people die past that age.

In those days the best painkiller was ice; it wasn't addictive, and it was particularly effective if you poured some whiskey over it.

If I had taken my doctor's advice and quit smoking when he advised me to, I wouldn't have lived to go to his funeral.