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There is a Zoom meeting on Tuesday, January 5th.

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December 2020

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#### The President's Message

Here we are at the end of the year 2020. What a trying year! If anything, this year has taught us to take care of each other. The covid-19 virus has devastated our culture and jobs. Our children are home from school. We all had to learn how to work Zoom and Google Meets to do our work and schooling at home. I am immensely Proud to have worked with the RMLA. What a great organization that was able to come together and make the Zoom meetings work. I just hope that in 2021 the Medical community gets a vaccine to all of us, that we can get past this year and go back to a somewhat normal existence.

We have lowered the membership dues to \$25 and the Associate members to \$50 this year to help lessen the burden we have all felt through less business and higher costs in the year 2020. I also want to propose that any member that comes to a Zoom meeting for the first time will get something in the mail from the RMLA. Maybe a jacket, a hat, or tool, so read our newsletter or Dave Green's email for Zoom meetings invites.

I hope everybody has a great Holiday season, hopefully with family and friends, distanced and safe. There will be no meetings in December but that does not mean we cannot connect with phone calls, emails, and texts. I have made several friends within our RMLA organization and all of you need to reach out to ask questions on jobs you need help with or just to be friends. My goal is to make sure everybody can concentrate on their family and friends this month.

Have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Bill Rosell President

#### Meeting News

#### Top News from the Board

- Our November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020, membership meeting included a guest from Plymouth, Massachusetts, named Bill Ciberay. Bill operates Zileza Consulting LLC. It is a sales consultant company that can help most any business improve how it operates and thus improve the bottom line. Bill shared some of his current strategies on how to pivot during the pandemic and also how to manage relationships with customers, vendors and more. Bill is top notch in his field and can surely help you through this difficult time we are in.
- We hope that our members have managed to stay well during the pandemic. Please let us know if anyone is dealing with Covid 19 and especially if they've been hospitalized. We'd like to let them know we're thinking about them.
- There will be no membership meeting in December 2020. We will gather again via Zoom on January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020. We hope to see you there.
- Keep in mind that we are in need of Board members for 2021. We would love to have some of our newer members get on board and share some of the advancing tech subjects that are becoming the mainstay of the industry.
- Merry Christmas everyone from the entire Board. We look forward to seeing you or hearing from you early in the New Year! Stay well and thank you for your membership. Sincerely, the Board

<u>Business</u> <u>Meetings:</u> January, April, July, and October

Educational
Meetings:
February, May,
June, August,
September, and
November

Induction Meeting: March

<u>Christmas Party:</u> December

Got some "Sunshine" for the Rockey Press?
Please send the editor an email at <a href="mailto:rmlapress@gmail.com">rmlapress@gmail.com</a> by

the 20th of the month.

"Sunshine" news can be about health, a compliment, a community honor, etc.

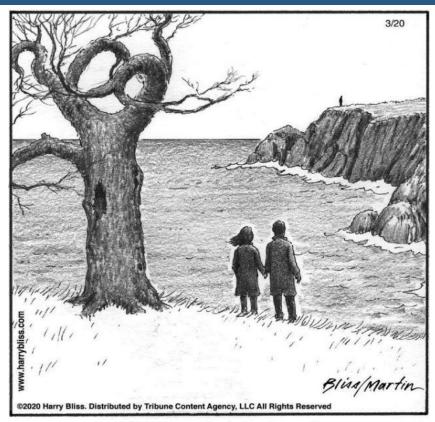
#### Birthdays

James Martin, 12/3 David Ayers, 12/31 David Green, 12/31

A belated birthday to Wes Sugden, 11/1



#### Tricks and Humor of the Trade



"Too crowded. Let's go."



"Has that one guy we've been sending all the spam to responded yet?"

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For Classes Location, Dates, and Times and to RSVP

Contact RMLA Member: John Duran

Phone # 720/663-7674

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- Publication deadline is the 20th of the month prior to print.

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#### **Your Opinion Counts!**

The Executive Board wants to do everything possible to make the RMLA a valuable tool for you. To do this, we need to know what you would like to see at education meetings or in The Rockey Press. Please take time to express your ideas and comments to us in writing, by phone, or in person.

#### Rocky Mountain Locksmiths' Association Code of Ethics

It is the duty of each member to perpetuate and advance the dignity of locksmiths and locksmith trade through the fairest possible dealings with all person, be they fellow locksmiths, clients, or other

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#### **Membership Round-Up**

Whom will you sponsor this year as a member for the RMLA? Do you know a locksmith that is not a member, but should be or would like to be? Ask them to join the Rocky Mountain Locksmiths' Association. After all, we look forward to having other distinguished locksmiths among our ranks. We can all learn from those around us and new faces may mean new ideas.

#### **Committees**

Not all committees are listed. For more information on RMLA committees, see the RMLA Membership Manual.

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