



THURSDAY, JULY 23, 2026 YAKIMA CONVENTION & EVENT CENTER

JAMES ROWLAND PIPPINS BASEBALL

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The Yakima Valley Pippins are a wood bat, collegiate summer ball team based in Yakima. Since their inaugural season in 2014, the Pippins have become a summer tradition providing fans with high quality baseball featuring talented college players across the country. With a new local ownership team in place this year, they are committed to being a true hometown team and building a culture of baseball that expands across our community.

Jordan Rowland serves as the Pippins General Manager and a Co-Owner. He has built a career in sports media and storytelling, producing content for the West Coast League, Pippins, and Major League Baseball; as well as producing a documentary on the Portland Pickles that aired on MLB Network.

Jordan and his wife Anca have called Yakima home for 15 years with two middle school kids and serving on the Upper Valley Little League board in Naches. He is passionate about uniting people from across the Yakima Valley-lifelong baseball fans and newcomers alike – for memorable experiences and meaningful connections through the love of the game.



FOR THURSDAY'S MEETING

Greeters – Steven Gustafson, Zeb Ruff
 Music – Charlie Robin
 Inspiration – Sheri Bissell
 Sergeant-at-Arms – Mike Hummel
 Program – Sharon Miracle
 Attendance – Felix Rifa

FUTURE PROGRAMS

July 30th – Tim Teusink, Rotary's Impact Around the World: A 40-Year Perspective
 August 6th – Rotary Backpack Project
 August 13th – District Governor Jill Leonard

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

Unless written objection is received by the Board of Directors by Monday, July 27, 2026, the following candidate will be elected to membership:

Emily Jameson

Director of Business & Community Development
 Self-Help Federal Credit Union

Classification: Banking Services, Community Development

Proposed by: Connie Falon

Endorsed by: Quinn Dalan

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICES

This is notice that there are two committee meetings this Thursday, July 23rd. The Rotary Information Committee is meeting before Rotary at 11:30am. The Operation Harvest Committee is meeting immediately following Rotary in Conference Rm 2. If you are on the committee, you will have already received an email notification from your committee chair(s). Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.



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