



# Wenatchee AppleSeed

Rotary



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Meeting at Noon on Thursdays at the Red Lion Hotel

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## **"Apple Blossom Royalty"** **with Queen Amy Sand, Princess Paige Chvilicek,** **and Princess Alissa Riker**

This week we are honored to have the Apple Blossom Royalty with us. You won't want to miss this opportunity to meet these young ladies who will be representing our valley for the next year. They are all dancers and might even do a little dance for us if we ask. It is always amazing to see the talent of our young people. Be sure to invite your spouse or significant other to this interesting and lively program. Daryl Ferguson will be back to MC this event again this year.



## April is Rotary Maternal & Child Health Month

### ***THINK ABOUT IT! – Points to Ponder***

*May Day is a public holiday usually celebrated on May 1. It is an ancient northern hemisphere spring festival. It is also a traditional spring holiday in many cultures. Dances, singing, and cake are usually part of the celebrations that the day includes.*

*In the late 19th century, May Day was chosen as the date for International Workers' Day by the Socialists and Communists of the Second International to commemorate the Haymarket affair in Chicago. The secular versions of May Day, observed in Europe and America, may be best known for their traditions of dancing around the maypole and crowning the Queen of May. Fading in popularity since the late 20th century is the giving of "May baskets," small baskets of sweets or flowers, usually left anonymously on neighbours' doorsteps.*





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## The Week in Review –

**PRESIDING OFFICER AND REMARKS :** President Jim Russell opened the meeting as usual with guest introductions. Guests included our two exchange students Liv and Putter (who spoke briefly about their experiences and wish lists), and a future one Marcus Palayo, Interact club member. Several guests were from Cashmere Rotary with the speaking team from Kyrgyzstan, and some members brought guests. Guest of honor was Congressman Dave Reichert.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS :

- Steve Wright expressed his appreciation for the tour with Senator Hawkins.
- Doug Button promoted the May 18 Rocky Reach Dam Extravaganza, with a reminder that \$50 tickets are a bargain and may be ordered from our web site. (he will have them at next meeting).
- Randy Smith invited us to join a team attending the 2018 World Nomad Games at Lake Issyk Kul in Kyrgyzstan. [A link will be posted on our web site to the games]

**PRESENTATIONS:** President Jim presented Paul Harris Fellow awards to Linda Evans-Parlette (+2), Leonard Singhose (+1), Mike Kintner, Gary Provo, John Diede based on their donations to TRF. Dave Reichert received a PHF in recognition of his congressional support of polio initiatives.

**PROGRAM :** The speakers were a team of 7 young (mid-twenties) entrepreneurs from Kyrgyzstan. They were introduced by JC Baldwin and Randy Smith of Cashmere Rotary, and were welcomed by Congressman Reichert who mentioned the possibility of



Each one spoke about their particular area of business activity and about the land and the culture. They are listed here, left to right.

- Mamas Kaarov - Delegation's facilitator - with Kyrgyzstan Republic Embassy
- Tilek Toktogaziev – Vegetable grower, exporter, greenhouse owner
- Jharkyn Mamytova – Paid Rotary project manager
- Laura Satkankul – student, works with a program aiding underserved children.
- Murad (?) – The interpreter
- Esen Dzhumanov - co-owner Dodos pizza chain
- Rakhat Dzhamalova - Executive Director tourism IssyKul Kyrgyzstan

*Respectfully submitted, Frank Clifton*

## GROW ROTARY

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Jill and Jim,  
Hello again! Our second Rotary Auction group visited the Capitol yesterday! Steve Wright brought a Cashmere High School civics class to Olympia to meet with elected officials and staff to discuss the functions of state government with a particular focus on wildfire policy. The group had the opportunity to meet with staff at DNR, Representatives Steele and Condotta, a lobbyist with the Nature Conservancy, Senator Hawkins, staff with the Secretary of State, and also spent quite a bit of time with the Governor and his staff!



### ROSTER TIME

Please review your information in the current roster and let us know any changes for the coming year. This is at no cost to you.

Please send any new information to John McDarment at: johnc@ridgelinegraphics.com or give to Frank Clifton our club secretary.

### WENATCHEE ROTARY CALENDAR

April 27th Meeting  
Alcoa Update - Tracy Yount

April 27 -30, 2017  
District Conference, Kelowna, B.C.

May 3rd Meeting  
All Service Club Luncheon Convention Ctr

May 11th Meeting  
Youth Exchange - Andy Petro

June 10 - 14, 2017  
Rotary International Convention, Atlanta, Georgia

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### SAVING LIVES ONE VACCINE AT A TIME

We have set a goal of saving 15,000 lives through our Club 60 donations this year. Remember the Bill Gates Foundation is still matching our donations 2 for 1. All it takes is 60¢ a week, not even a half a cup of coffee, and you will save someone from the debilitating effects of polio and perhaps their life. Bring your loose change each week or if you don't have any change bring dollars and place them in the cups on each table.



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## *Did you know that you can make up a meeting at the following places?*

Wenatchee North	@ Town Toyota Center	Wed. Noon	East Wenatchee	@ Shari's Restaurant	Thurs. 7 am
Wenatchee Sunrise	@ Red Lion	Tues. 7 am	Lake Chelan	@ Tsillian Cellars	Tues. Noon
Cashmere	@ Cashmere Presbyterian Church	Wed. Noon	Quincy	@ Quincy Senior Center	Thur. Noon
Leavenworth	@ Kristall's	Fri. 11:45 am			

### THE WENATCHEE ROTARY FOUNDATION

The mission of the Wenatchee Rotary Foundation is to improve educational opportunities for citizens living in the Greater Wenatchee area. Funding for the foundation is through immediate and deferred giving from current and past Wenatchee Rotary Club members.  
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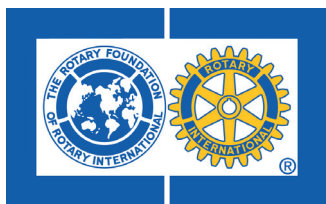
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**Board Members:** Joe St. Jean, Ruth Esparza, Alice Meyer, Tom Ross, Don Myers

## Rotary Ambassadors

*This week's greeters will be*



**GENBIE LUTZ**



**DAN MAHER**

## This week's Cashiers will be



**MAYNARD MAN**



**DANIELLE MARCHANT**

*Greeters & Cashiers, please try to arrive by 11:30 a.m.  
If you cannot be here please find your own replacement!*

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