

## **“Wenatchee Rotary Foundation Annual Meeting & Raise the Paddle for our Foundations” with Marcia Henkle & Tom Ross**



**Your Wenatchee Rotary Foundation Board**

Christina Davitt, Jim Russell, Bill Monnette, Ruth Esparza, Paul Pankey, Joe St. Jean, Melissa Hernandez, Alice Meyer, Marcia Henkle & Heidi Myers

Our Wenatchee Rotary Foundation will be having their annual meeting on April 28th at our regular club meeting time. We will be electing 3 new members to the Foundation Board at this meeting. We will also be conducting a raise the paddle event to raise funds for our Wenatchee Rotary Foundation as well as for the Rotary International Foundation. All money raised will be split between the two foundations with the exception of any gifts specifically designated for a particular foundation. Please consider giving to complete your Paul Scea or Paul Harris Fellowships.

The nominees for the 3 positions on the Board are:

Heidi Myers, George Buckner, Tom Ross, John McDarment and Jay Smith.

### **ALL SERVICE CLUB LUNCHEON**

Coming up on Wednesday, May 4th we will be attending the All Service Club Luncheon which replaces our regular Thursday noon meeting. The All Service Club Lunch is being coordinated by the Wenatchee Central Lions Club this year and tickets are \$25 each. Tickets are available at the Apple Blossom office or online at [www.appleblossom.org](http://www.appleblossom.org). Tickets are also available from Bill Murray or John McDarment of our club.

This year's speaker is Navy Seal, Mark Donald. Mark is the most decorated Physician Assistant in the history of the United States Navy.

A former Navy SEAL and frontline medical provider Mark understands how to overcome adversity, and critical decision-making in the high stress environment. His book BATTLE READY – Memoir of a SEAL Warrior Medic, which is currently being developed by Joe Carnahan, writer and director of The Black List and State of Affairs, into a television series describing his life in special operations and the difficulties he faced with Post-Traumatic Stress.



## **April is Rotary Magazine Month**

**- The year was 1963 - 1964 -**

*Richard Jones was our president this year. Our own Leo Lowe was District Governor this year. This year our produced the Apple Blossom Festival Coronation Program in its entirety, building the sets and creating the program, chaired by Ed Cadman. For the first time the Wenatchee Rotary Foundation in many years came to the club for individual donations.*

*The club had 163 members at years end.*

### **Upcoming Probable Programs —**

May 4 - All Service Club Luncheon - **WEDNESDAY @ Wenatchee Center Grand Ballroom**

May 12 - Mental Health - **Off Site @ ??????**

May 19 - Engage Now

May 26 - Pacific Coast Trail - **Off Site @ ?????**



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### The Week in Review –

Our program this week featured Jean Speidel head of the special committee formed by our City Council to study the electoral process for electing council members to our Wenatchee City Council. they basically looked at three options:

1. Seven at large positions (current format)
2. Seven District Positions
3. Five District Positions and two at-large-positions

Jean outlined the pros and cons of each method and asked for input as to any preferences we might have. You can contact her or any of the members of that committee to give your input. Committee members are Susan Albert, Mario Cantu, Oralia Bañuelos, Carolyn Case, Alma Chacón, Gustavo Montoya, Joe Morrison, Karen Rutherford, Mark Urdahl, Rufus Woods and of course Jean Speidel.

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### YOUTH EXCHANGE NEED OUR HELP

Richard DeRock told us that 120 students will be going to Lake Chelan this weekend for some lake side fellowship. On Monday, May 16 he is looking some home hosts to pick up students at 5 pm at the Red Lion. Your job would be to take 2 or 3 of these students home with you, keep them over night, feed them dinner and get them back to the Red Lion by 8 am on Tuesday morning where they will be leaving to go to the District Conference.

He would also like to borrow 27 bicycles for Tuesday for a bike ride on the Riverfront Trail. Contact him if you have one he could borrow.

### WENATCHEE ROTARY CALENDAR

May 4

All Service Club Luncheon  
at the Wenatchee Center Grand Ballroom

May 12 -16

District Conference - Yakima, WA

May 28 - June 1

RI Convention - Seoul, Korea

August 4

District Governor, Vern Nielsen Visit

### YOUR ROTARY PARK COMMITTEE IN ACTION

This past Saturday, April 23rd your committee organized a work day at Rotary Park. Approximately 16 people showed up from Wenatchee North, Sunrise and our club to do a little spring sprucing up. Worked officially started at 9 am and it was pretty much completed by 10:30 am. One enthusiastic worker from Wenatchee North showed up about 6 am since couldn't make it at 9 am. (Daryn Klingensmith) He removed all the staples from the shelter. Not only did we get that project done but we managed to get most of the weeds throughout the park and paint the tees markers for the frisbee golf course.

3 new Doggie Stations were installed and 2 diaper stations in the restrooms. We reviewed plans for the second picnic shelter and laid it out on the ground so we could see how it would fit in. Marc Hult has drawn up a proposed plans for a hexagonal shelter. It would be approximately 45 feet in diameter. Your committee will be meeting this Monday night to review those plans and hopefully approve a design. It appears that we will be able to also expand the existing parking lot at the same time as this might be built. This is the last piece for completion of the park as envisioned back in 2003-04.

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## ROTARY FELLOWSHIP

Thirty of your Rotarians and their friends recently spent a wonderful evening at the historical Wells House, located on the campus of Wenatchee Valley College.

They had purchased the opportunity to partake in a hosted wine and appetizer function at the Wenatchee Rotary Foundation Auction held January 30<sup>th</sup>.

Imagine this: Warm weather, the sun setting over Castle Rock, and the anticipation of an evening with great company. A variety of both hot and cold hors d'oeuvres prepared by Two Chefs Catering was awaiting the guests' arrival. Delicacies such as artichoke parmesan bites and ham & havarti on sweet rolls with tarragon sauce were among the many appetizers offered. Our wine selections of Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc were brought to us by the Dark Horse Winery. The atmosphere was enhanced by soft jazz wafting from the turret room. A perfect setting for a perfect evening.



Joe and Teri St. Jean, and Susan Albert, want to thank all the participants. It is your support that has allowed our Foundation to fund important projects throughout our valley.



## WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Amanda Keller was welcomed into our club this week by Marc Heminger. Jim Russell proposed amanda but was unable to be here to welcome her. I am sure he will do that when he gets back. Amanda's classification is Accounting and she works at Blue Bird Inc. in Peshastin. Amanda grew up in our valley graduated from Eastmont High School and graduated from Central Washington University in Edmonds. She has 3 daughters Alana, Alexa and Ella. Welcome to Wenatchee Rotary Amanda!

## YOUNG LIFE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Chris Baker announced that the Young Life organization is holding its All Day Golf Classic on Monday, May 16th at the Highlander Golf Course.



They are looking for sponsors and players. The idea is to get as many sponsors as possible with the hope that each golfer will be able to raise \$500 through donations and sponsorships. It is a whole day of golf including breakfast, lunch and dinner, all the golf you can play and loads of fun while helping to support the programs of Young Life. All donations are tax deductible and checks should be made payable to Young Life. For additional information contact Chris Baker or Don Myers.



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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			

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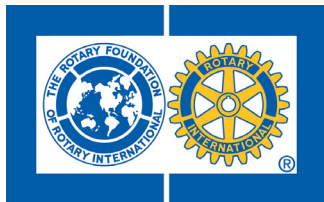
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*This week's Cashiers will be*



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