



“Classification Talk” with Tracy Yount

This is your opportunity to learn more about one of our newer members, Tracy Yount. Tracy joined our club in August last summer. He is employed at the Chelan County PUD. Be sure to come this week and find out what he does at the PUD and what he likes to do when not working for you.

Classification talks are always an interesting program, you won't want to miss this one.



UN CHIEF BAN KI-MOON OPENS KOREA CONVENTION

United Nations Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon indicates that we are “This Close” to ending polio because of Rotary's great work, during the opening session of the Rotary Convention in Korea on Sunday, 29 May. He described Allan Albert, the former Rotary president who, 70 years ago this month, participated in discussions that led to the formation of the UN, as “a passionate defender of human understanding who called for people to be real factors in real peace. Together we are working to realize this vision.”

PICTURES BY CARMEN:

Carmen will be here again this week to take your picture! Carmen brings her camera on the first Thursday of each month to help us keep our membership pictures up to date. If you do not have a picture in our roster, are a new member or you just don't like the one we are using you need to have her take your picture. This is the last chance to have an updated picture for the 2016-17 roster. It is **FREE**.

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

- The year was 1968 - 1969 -

Joe Welty, Jr was our president this year. Dr. Ed Cadman was our District Governor this year and we put on the District Conference in Wenatchee, Co-Chaired by Ed Nichols and Dr. John Manhart. Nearly 900 Rotarians attended the conference. It was announced in October that the price of lunches was being raised to \$2.50. This year we sponsored the Wenatchee North Rotary Club as the newest Rotary Club in the District. The club had 171 members at years end.

Upcoming Probable Programs —

June 9 - Planned Parenthood

June 16 - Cave B Business Plan

June 23 - Zika Virus - Scott Lindquist, State Epidemiologist - *Meeting Off Site*

June 30 - Presidential Roast - *Place & Time to be determined.*



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The Week in Review –

Our program this week featured speakers who told us a little about what is being done in the Mental Health Arena in North Central Washington. It turns out that Catholic Family & Child Services is playing a large role in working with the mentally ill in our area. They are if you will a first responder when someone is seeking help. Carolina Venn-Padilla explained their role in the community. They started working with clients in January of 2014 and in April of this year contracted with the North Central Behavioral Health Organization. They currently work with between 625-650 clients. They provide adult and children therapy, Therapy Groups, Case Management, Day Support, and Medication Management. In addition to these services they also provide services related to chemical dependency and crisis intervention.

We learned that people don't really want to die but want the pain and suffering they feel to go away. It is in how you deal with it. They have helped with the Suicide Prevention Lifeline.

Their services are open to anyone in the community regardless of religion, or financial ability to pay. Their walk-in clinic is located at 701 North Miller or you can call 24/7 at 1-800-852-2923. "Their mission is motivated by Christ's love, to bring hope to life, especially to those most in need." They envision communities where people are treated with dignity and respect, their basic needs are met, and they are empowered to enhance the quality of their own lives.

One of their greatest challenges is finding housing for these people so that they don't become part of the homeless population.

Linda Parlette was also there and reiterated that the state is trying to provide funding non only for the homeless and also for mental health medical help. They recognize a shortage of providers will take time and funding. It takes the cooperation of the legislature, law enforcement, the courts, the medical community, charities and mental health providers to make it work. Lots of questions. A very informative program.

WENATCHEE ROTARY CALENDAR

May 28 - June 1

RI Convention - Seoul, Korea

August 4

District Governor, Vern Nielsen Visit



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Save the date! Take advantage of an extra-special early registration rate of \$265 for the 2017 Rotary Convention, where we will celebrate the centennial of The Rotary Foundation. At the 1917 Rotary Convention in Atlanta, President Arch Klumph announced his dream of creating a Rotary endowment fund. In 2017, we will celebrate the good work Rotarians have done over the past 100 years -- because one man dared to dream.

We're offering the special rate in honor of Foundation visionary Arch Klumph and his birthday of 6 June, as well as the \$26.50 first contribution to the endowment fund that grew into The Rotary Foundation.

Join us in Atlanta! Mark your calendar to take advantage of the special registration rate of \$265, available only from 28 May to 6 June 2016 at riconvention.org

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CARMEN TURNS 88 THIS SUNDAY

According to the Wenatchee World this Sunday is Carmen Bossenbrock's 88th birthday. Carmen came into this world back on May 29th, 1928 and has been making her mark ever since. She was one of the very first physical therapists in the State of Washington and considered a hero for her work on the polio epidemic in Wenatchee back in the early 50's. She joined our Rotary Club back in December of 1987 and has been an active member now for almost 30 years. After retiring from the hospital almost 20 years ago she has managed Bossenbrock Orchards outside of Dryden and grows some of the regions finest pears. She also managed to draw the red marble in this weeks drawing to win half the pot. ***Congratulations Carmen. You inspire us all!***

WHS INTERACT CLUB RECEIVES AWARD

Our Wenatchee High School Interact Club received an Award of Excellence from the WHS Foundation this past week as part of their Awards Program. The Foundation recognizes various student groups from the high school for the service and hard work that they perform each year. Our Interact Club was recognized for all the work they have done not only in our community but around the world. The award included a grant of \$500 for their Habitat for Humanity Build which they have been raising money for. They plan to complete the build this summer.



JIM RUSSELL ARRIVES IN SEOUL

May 24 "We arrived Seoul for the Rotary Convention on time. Comfortable flight. Karen's leg hurt some, and new meds helped. Security smooth thru it all. Hour from airport. Room feels like cruise ship. Comfortable. Near palace and major shopping center downtown. We have upscale toilet with heated seat, cleansing features. Excited to be here."

Below are the Mayor of Seoul and the President of Rotary, Ravi who just presented at water summit for Rotary here in Seoul. Seoul's success is outstanding.



May 29, 2016. Opening ceremony of House of Friendship with hundreds of booths of service resources. Youth sang "I'd Like to Teach the World to Sing in Perfect Harmony" in Korean and many other languages as they waved flags of nations around the world. I got hugged in the hotel elevator by a Nigerian arrival wearing a Rotary hat. He saw my Rotary shirt after I said "Hello, Rotarian." He hugged me and said "Hello, brother."

- See more at: <http://www.wenatcheerotary.org/Stories/news-this-week#sthash.NLYIC0yJ.dpuf>

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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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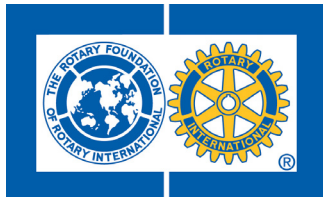
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