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ROTARY REACTOR

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• Meetings every Tuesday at 12:10 p.m.
Red Lion Hotel (Hanford House)
• Charter 7390 • District 5080 • Club ID#262

Programs for the Polar Season

1/29 – Brett Knapp/Civil Air Patrol
2/5 – Tri-Cities Association of Realtors.
2/12 – To be Announced

Visiting Rotarian: Eric Coughanour, Columbia Center

Announcements

Don Frigaard introduced Connie Hache of Junior Achievement. She asked for volunteer help, 2/25-3/2 at the organization's Bowlathon. The site is Spare Time Lanes and Arcade, Kennewick. There is need for greeters (we are good at that), \$-counting, auctions, and prize awards.



John Darrington called attention to a joint fund raising effort, Pennies to Pound Polio, involving the Blue Mountain Council/BSA and Rotary, February 14 to March 14, which marks both organizations' birthdays. Community awareness in re the endgame for Polio eradication is the goal. Scouts will prepare donation containers, perform community canvass, and visit businesses. In the process they will work toward the Public Health Merit Badge and receive a Rotary-sponsored activity badge. Rotarians are encouraged to work with local BSA packs, troops, teams, crews, posts, and Order of the Arrow, regarding the End Polio Now program.



PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Judy Addis (2S)	Jan Jackson (2S)	Mike McAndrew	Bill R. Siefken (1R)
Steve Arneson (3S)	Rick Jansons	Grant McCallum (2S)	Mike Sinclair
Jeremy Asmus (1S)	Larry D. Jecha	Bill McCue	Mark Smith (3S) (B)
Jim Bauer (1S)	Darrel Johnsen (2S)	Jerry J. McGuire (B)	Lloyd Swain (5S) (B)
Linda Bauer (1S)	Cindy Johnson (1S)	Richard L. McLean (5S)	Bob Tibbatts (1S)
Bob Best (2S) (B)	Roy Keck	Kathy Miller (3S)	Rampur S. Viswanath (2R)
Tom Bock (6S) (B)	Scott Keller	Robert D. Nichols	Sam R. Volpentest (1R) (B)
Gordon Bopp (1S)	Shelley Kennedy	Greg Oberg (2S) (B)	Gregory T. Warner (1S)
Dee Burrie	Tom Kirchner (1R) (B)	Thomas M. O'Brien (2S)	Ken Williams (4S)
Herb Cahn (4S) (B)	Walt Kirkpatrick (2S) (B)	Jon M. Putz (5S)	Hal Williamson (DD) (B)
Blaine Carr (1S)	Art D. Kohler (3R) (B)	Ed Revell (3S) (B)	Keith Woods (2S) (B)
Thomas A. Cowan (2S) (B)	Dave Larkin (2R)	Dick Richter	Jack D. Zinn (3S)
John Darrington	Pamela Larsen (3S) (B)	Robert Rivera	(B) Benefactor
Bob De Lorenzo (D) (B)	Bob D. Larson (4S) (B)	Ray K. Robinson (4S)	(D) Diamond PHF
Jeanne Dillner (2S)	Phil Lemley (2S)	Ann Roseberry (1S)	(DD) Dbl. Diamond PHF
Hal J. Ellner (1R)	Tim Lewis (1S)	George Sanders (2S) (B)	(R) Ruby
Barbara French (D)	Yosen Liu (1S)	Gary Scofield (3S) (B)	(#R) Multiple Ruby
Bill Friend (1S)	Larry Lowry (1S)	Anjan K. Sen (1S)	(S) Sapphire
Jan Griffin (1S)	Bing Manawadu	Chris Senske (1S)	(#S) Multiple Sapphires

Officers

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International Service...Linda Bauer
New Generations.....Kayla Pratt
Membership Activities..Greg Holben

As of the end of 2012, the effort is down to three countries (Nigeria, Pakistan, and Afghanistan) and about 200 cases. India showed a year of no new cases at the beginning of 2012. The areas named are the most difficult and expensive to access, due to remoteness, culture, and social upsets. For information, contact Gary or Kris Troyer at (509) 946-3425 or the Blue Mountain Council office at (509) 735-7306.

Paul Harris Fellow

Tim presented a Paul Harris Fellow Award to Blaine Carr. We offer him congratulations equivalent to the Australian "Good on you, mate!"

PrezzTim: A fellowship event in the form of a dinner hosted by the Columbia Center Club will mark the birthday of Rotary Foundation. It will be on February 23, catered by Country Gentleman, at the club's bingo digs, starting at 6PM. It is limited to 200. Tariff is \$50, but is halved by our club's underwriting. It is a fine opportunity for red badge members. Registration is at the 5080 district website, to wit, <http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/home.aspx?did=5080>. Find the event on the right hand side under Events/Rotary Birthday/Tri-City Club. Otherwise, contact Tim or Jeremy Asmus, who will register you.

PrezzTim: That literary gem, the 2012 Annual Report, is still available. Get yours before they are grabbed up by other avid readers.

Other Best Seller

The book on Washington Public Ports can be had at a 100% markdown price. Scott would autograph your copy on small persuasion, we understand.



Larry Lowry: Two Hats

Larry first came on in past-presidential mode for the inspirational moment. It proved somber. He told of the death of former member Dan Simpson, and also that of Betty LaHue. Betty was Clif's wife. The notice awakened memories of Clif. Aside from the jocular Clif Lahue Late Arrival award, Clif was a venerated member and a complete gentleman. Those of us who remember may at times catch ourselves looking at the door hoping to see that familiar figure arriving late.

Larry went from the executive to the judicial branch and dispensed justice: Scott got under the radar (an accomplishment for one so altitudinous) without fine for bringing the books...A previous fine was honestly paid by Dick Richter...Among the latecomers, Jeanne, if we are not mistaken, successfully parried the stern remarks from the bench...Family pride found expression in mention of Marlene's 5-year-old grandson and the 44th anniversary of the Darringtons...Walt had a birthday and must come to terms with the fact that they tend to accumulate.

That There Pot of Gold

There was a sum of \$253 dangling before the masses. Phil Lemley was the latest to absorb the multiple groans signifying collective sympathy and disappointment for a drawer of the white chip. Ian, on the other hand, quietly trousered the secondary tenner. The packet is expanding to the point where the winner may have to declare it on form 1040. (They always do, don't they?)

Crow Butte Park

Kitty Thomas, the prime mover in the maturation of this recreational area, told of its present stage of development. It is located some 16 miles downstream of Paterson. A map showed routes of access thereto.

She described the flora, the fauna, the marina, picnic areas, hiking trails, the family reunions in July, the beneficial presence of HHH Wine Association. There exist shady areas, 17 acres of grass, trailer areas and their electrical hookup, the good fishing, swimming, showers, and the popular ice cream machine. (Jan provided authentic sound effects to drive the point home). There is a boat launch (and no such thing as a free launch). Other amenities abound.

Tariff is \$25 per night for campground occupancy.

Scott weighed in with accolades for Kitty's arduous work in bringing this about. He went over the finances of the project, with some impressive figures.

Summing up: The amalgam of Scott's vision and Kitty's labors has evolved an impressive resource.



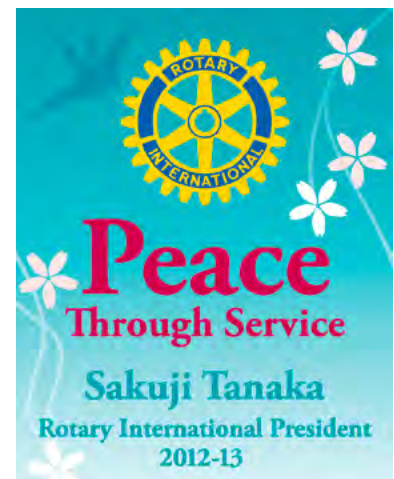
Richland Rotary Members

Judy Addis (7/89)	Roy Keck (10/04)	Ed Revell (6/08)
Steve Arneson (3/02)	Scott Keller (7/02)	Dick Richter (6/08)
Jeremy Asmus (10/07)	Shelley Kennedy (9/02)	Robert Rivera (7/09)
James Bauer (1/09)	Tom Kirchner (3/81)	Ray Robinson (2/87)
Linda Bauer (1/09)	Walt Kirkpatrick (9/70)	Pete Rogalsky (7/05)
Bob Best (4/90)	Art Kohler (287)	Ann Roseberry (1/10)
Tom Bock (3/76)	Dave Larkin (4/04)	George Sanders (10/06)
George Booth (11/06)	Pam Larsen (2/95)	Gary Scofield (2/75)
Gordon Bopp (5/04)	Bob Larson (6/90)	Anjan Sen (11/96)
Dee Burrie (7/92)	Terri LeBlanc (5/08)	Chris Senske (1/80)
Jim Busey (12/10)	Phil Lemley (6/06)	Bill Siefken (4/87)
Blaine Carr (12/09)	Tim Lewis (10/03)	Mike Sinclair (1/11)
Tom Cowan (4/80)	Yosen Liu (1/91)	Dan Skorski (1/10)
John Darrington (1/11)	Larry Lowry (10/05)	Chris Smith (8/10)
Jeanne Dillner (8/01)	Bing Manawadu (10/86)	Mark Smith (3/01)
Hal Ellner (8/83)	Mike McAndrew (2/07)	Lloyd Swain (8/89)
Barbara French (11/98)	Patrick McBurney (6/09)	Katie Swan (10/11)
Bill Friend (3/09)	Grant McCallum (9/91)	Matt Sweezee (6/11)
Don Frigaard (10/12}	Greg McCann (1/10)	Bob Tibbatts (6/03)
Linda Gilmore (4/12)	Bill McCue (3/94)	Greg Tripp (6/11)
Jan Griffin (9/00)	Jerry McGuire (3/95)	Laura Turo (1/10)
Linda Gustafson (3/08)	Dick McLean (10/85)	Harry Van Dyken (11/11)
Al Haggerty (4/12)	Kathy McMullen (1/13)	Rampur Viswanath (6/95)
Patricia Haggerty (412)	Kathy Miller (6/12)	Sam Volpentest (1/95)
Cynthia Haley (4/12)	Vicki Monteagudo (4/12)	Greg Warner (3/00)
Tom Heidegger (1/09)	Ian Napier (11/08)	Tom Watkins (9/11)
Pat Hollick (8/10)	Bob Nichols (8/97)	James Watson (4/12}
Diahann Howard (4/08)	Greg Oberg (1/88)	Ken Williams (12/00)
Jan Jackson (6/00)	Tom O'Brien (11/98)	Hal Williamson (4/88)
Rick Jansons (10/09)	Marlene Oliver (7/10)	Mike Winegardner (11/09)
Larry Jecha (8/97)	Kim Pietrok (9/08)	Keith Woods (1/97)
Darrel Johnsen (8/97)	Kayla Pratt (11/10)	Jack Zinn (7/74)
Cynthia Johnson (6/09)	Jon Putz (5/81)	
Stan Jones (10/07)	Justin Raffa (12/09)	

Honorary Members
Herb Cahn
Bob DeLorenzo

Number of Members
as of July 1, 2012
105

Current Members:
100



Jocular for the Ocular

A friend's statement: I have this friend who seemed to lean slightly to the left all the time. It used to bother me, so I suggested he see a doctor and have his legs checked out. For years he refused, telling me I was crazy. But last week he finally went, and sure enough, the doctor discovered his left leg was ¼" shorter than his right. A quick bit of orthopedic surgery later and both legs are exactly the same length now. He no longer leans.

"So," I said, "you didn't believe me when I told you a doctor could fix your leg."

He just looked at me and said, "I stand corrected."

Over dinner, a lady said to her husband, "I met this horrible and rude man downtown this morning, and right away I knew he was a troublemaker. He started to insult me; he used bad language; he even threatened me!"

"How did you meet this fellow?" asked her husband, very concerned.

She said, "Well, we met by accident. I hit him with the car."

ATTENDANCE, A ROTARY COMMITMENT

Meeting Dates of Local Clubs

Richland Riverside.....Monday, Noon
Anthony's Home Port Restaurant
Columbia Point Drive, Richland

Richland.....Tuesday, 12:10 P.M.
Red Lion Hotel/Hanford House
802 George Washington Way, Richland

Pasco-Kennewick.....Wednesday, Noon
Leo's Catering
20 N. Auburn, Kennewick

Columbia Valley Daybreak...Thursday, 7:00 A.M.
Tri-Tech Skills Center
5929 W. Metaline, Kennewick

Columbia Center.....Thursday, Noon
Bingo Boulevard
6222 W. John Day Ave., Kennewick

Tri-Cities Sunrise.....Friday, 7:00 A.M.
Red Lion Hotel Pasco, 2525 N. 20th, Pasco