



RICHLAND

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ROTARY REACTOR

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- PO Box 37 • Richland, WA 99352
- Meetings every Tuesday at 12:10 p.m.
Red Lion Hotel (Hanford House)
- Charter 7390 • District 5080 • Club ID#262

The Season Vernal

03/27 – Jan Jackson: South America Trip

04/03 – Jack Baker: Energy Northwest/Windmills

Preliminaries. . .

Dave Larkin brought his wife Carol, his son, John, and his wife, Angela. Greg Holben brought Vicki Monteagudo. Linda Bauer brought Linda Gilmore again. John Darrington's guest was Jim Watson and Chris Smith brought Cynthia Haley. Al and Pat Haggerty's names are now on the member list, but haven't been initiated yet (guest status undetermined). Rich Slocum visited from Richland Riverside.

Songleader Justin Raffa was not able to join us due to a death in his family. **Patrick McBurney** filled in with a tortuous rendition of Elvis Presley's "Heartbreak Hotel" – all ten versions or so. . .

Tom Kirchner provided an update on the walking competition. We have overtaken Pasco-Kennewick, but we need more members to report their walking.



Mike Sinclair reported on the sign-up for the upcoming club golf tournament (we need more participation).

Ken Williams provided an update on the progress of the landscaping and new signs on Newton Street, making it a more attractive entry to the Rotary Centennial Plaza and Howard Amon Park.

John Darrington noted that half the club is signed up for the upcoming District Conference and we need the other half to sign up. Rotary International's president, Kalyan Bannerjee, will be with us. Ours will be one of only two district conferences he will attend this year – and the other one is in India! Speakers will include in addition to Bannerjee, General James Mattis, commander of U.S. Central Command with responsibility for all U.S. forces from India to Afghanistan; boat peddler lady; and many others.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

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

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Vocational Service...Jeanne Dillner
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New Generations,,,,,Jeremy Asmus

Former Richland Rotarian, **Bill Stahl**, made a passionate plea for volunteers to work at a Kadlec Foundation function. Sign-up sheets were circulated and filled in.



Judge Larry Lowrey presided over his normal well-researched court and managed to get money (or provide publicity to) Rick Jansons, Greg Holben, Patrick McBurney, Tom Kirchner, and numerous others.



Program. . .

The speaker was Donna Glass who informed the club about India Partners. The non-profit group works alongside a broad group of indigenous Christian grass roots agencies in India focused on alleviating poverty and injustice. We seek support from others who share our passion to empower change. It was begun in 1984 as a Eugene, Oregon-based, non-denominational Christian charity that is supported by private contributions, foundations and churches. It is engaged in numerous types of activities, mostly using third-party partners like Rotary International.

India Partners supports projects ranging from working with Rotary on polio eradication, building orphanages, schools, and rural medical clinics. They sponsor job programs for the disabled, self-sufficiency programs like aquaculture, skill training, and adult literacy.

They have also responded to natural disasters, provided rural water wells. In India, the child mortality rate is tremendous before age 5 and 24 percent of children don't attend school. You can learn more at <www.indiapartners.org>.



New Members

The following people have been proposed as new members in Richland Rotary. The Seven Day Rule starts now:

Proposed Member	Sponsor	Classification
Cynthia Haley	Roy Keck	Business Services, Client Care & Administration
Vicky Monteagudo	Greg Holben	Real Estate, Residential
Alan Haggerty		Science & Research, Energy Efficiency
Patricia Haggerty		Engineering Geological
James Watson		Association/Scouting