

RICHLAND

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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

Program Procession

4/26 – Mission Support Alliance/Frank Armijo

5/03 – Tri-City Union Gospel Mission

5/10 – Classification

Guests

Jordan Grier, Diana Patitucci (Pam), Greg Tripp (Dick Richter), Dianne McDaniel (HJE), Michelle Dupler (Phil)

Visiting Rotarian Fatima from Richland Riverside, with her mother from Mali.

The Prezz

- Thirteen of our number attended the District Assembly. The luck of the draw at the D.A. brought a Paul Harris Fellowship to Rich Jansons.
 - The dedication of the Archway and our 4000 tulips at Howard Amon Park was a media-covered event. A plaque at that site bears thanks to Richland Rotary.
 - Evergreen to Granite
- Hail and farewell to Bill Taylor, who leaves us for

New Hampshire. His service to the club was exemplary and his friendliness no less.

The Boodle

Lady Luck again spurned Jon by white-chipping him. The odds have shrunk to 4:1 against the next candidate who makes the cut.

Pam

Two western Washington commodores from the International Yachting Fellowship of Rotary will provide the 6/7 program. Should you be interested in helping host them, contact Pam.

She then introduced the Hanford High School Student of the Month, Jordan Grier. Jordan, a well-spoken chap, spoke of his diverse and constructive activities at school and in the community. He is bound for OSU and a career in mechanical engineering. This is to be abetted by entry into the internship program for the junior and senior years.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Judy L. Addis (2S)
Steve Arneson (2S)
Jeremy Asmus
Bill Battershell (5S)(B)
Jim Bauer
Linda Bauer
Bob Best (2S)(B)
Tom Bock (5S)(B)
Gordon Bopp (S)
Ernie Boston (D)(B)
Dee Burrie
Herb Cahn (4S)(B)
Blaine Carr
Thomas A. Cowan (2S)(B)
Bob De Lorenzo (D)(B)
Jeanne Dillner (S)
Hal J. Ellner (R)
Diane Fossum (2S)
Phill Fossum (3S)
Barbara French (R)

LeRoy Goff
Jan Griffin
Greg Holben (S)
Jan Jackson (S)
Larry D. Jecha
Darrel Johnsen
Cindy Johnson
Roy Keck
Scott Keller
Shelley Kennedy
Tom Kirchner (4S)(B)
Walt Kirkpatrick (2S)(B)
Art D. Kohler (3R)(B)
Dave Larkin (5S)
Bob D. Larson (3S)(B)
Pamela Larsen (3S)(B)
Dave Lemak (4S)
Phil Lemley (S)
Tim Lewis (S)
Yosen Liu (S)

Larry Lowry (S)
Mike McAndrew
Grant McCallum (S)
Bill McCue
Jerry J. McGuire (B)
Richard L. McLean (5S)
Bing Manawadu
Robert D. Nichols
Greg Oberg (2S)(B)
Thomas M. O'Brien (2S)
Marge O'Connell (DD)(B)
Jon M. Putz (4S)
Ed Revell (3S)(B)
Dick Richter
Robert Rivera
Ray K. Robinson (4S)
Ann Roseberry (S)
George Sanders (2S)(B)
Gary Scofield (3S)(B)
Anjan K. Sen (S)
Chris Senske (S)

Bill R. Siefken (R)
Mark Smith (3S)(B)
Mike Spellman (3S)(B)
Lloyd Swain (5S)(B)
Ruth Swain (4S)(B)
William Taylor
Bob Tibbatts
Russell Treat (B)
Rampur S. Viswanath (4S)
Sam R. Volpentest (R)(B)
Gregory T. Warner (S)
Ken Williams (4S)
Hal Williamson (DD)(B)
Keith Woods (S)(B)
Jack D. Zinn (3S)
(B) Benefactor
(D) Diamond PHF
(DD) Dbl. Diamond PHF
(R) Ruby
(#R) Multiple Ruby
(S) Sapphire
(#S) Multiple Sapphires

Officers

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President Elect..... Greg Holben
Secretary.....Diane Fossum
Treasurer.....Teri LeBlanc
Foundation Treasurer.....Kim Pietrok
Past President.....Grant McCallum

Directors

Club Service 'A'.....William Taylor
Club Service 'B'.....Tom O'Brien
Community Service.....Jan Griffin
Vocational Service...Jeremy Asmus
International Service...Phil Lemley

The 2012 District Conference

(There is a feeling afoot that this subject will come up occasionally).

We will host contingents from the 61 clubs in the district. Rampur has had a running start in coordinating the team. To date we have the information that Bob Best's Abadan will do all the printing, gratis. Meredith has had her firm underwrite one of the breakfasts. Dee's company is donating \$1000. The quest for both full and partial sponsors is ongoing. Those able to participate should contact the Prez or the Guv.

Jan G.

Anjan Sen's wife, Adele, has sustained a severe spinal injury. They are committed to an indefinite stay in D.C. until the rehabilitation shall have progressed to a point at which they can return.

Cindy

The Fellowship Committee envisions a wineries music event as a departure from some of the events to which we have become accustomed.

Marlene

Chico's will be the site on Friday for a fund raiser to benefit the campaign against childhood cancer. Those who attend may depart with a Chico's tote bag.

The Bauers

Back from Mississippi and New Zealand, they returned with a deluge of Rotary banners. Two months in NZ were spent in the interest of Habitat for Humanity. Much travel and new friends, in the framework of Rotary's International Travel and Hosting Fellowship, highlighted their peregrinations. In Mississippi, hosts for the coming RI Convention in New Orleans have begun to queue up.

Scholarship

With our annual scholarship luncheon on the horizon, Blaine, speaking for Greg W., alluded to the three e-mail messages sent to committee members. If they have not been received, one should tell this to Greg. The items marked for return should be back with Greg by 5/1. Committee meeting on 5/3 and the scholarship luncheon on 5/17, wherein seven scholarships are to be conferred, will complete the agenda.

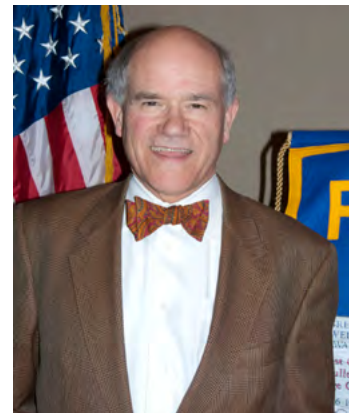
Judge Tom

He led off with a photo appearance and proceeded with an article in the newspaper, a lateness, matters pertaining to the month's student, and a debatable one: Bill Taylor's exit assessment. He went on with offenses such as those sitting habitually at the same table, the wild cougar ensconced in John D.'s nascent house, and our favorite Port officer airborne.

Justice Charles Wiggins

Our recently elected State Supreme Court justice reviewed the events of his campaign for election and followed with a description of his activities on the bench. Both activities have afforded him a great deal of delectation. This was totally communicated.

The matter of candidacy involves considerable travel throughout the state, with concentration on the areas containing large volumes of voters. He and his associates logged many miles in appearances at a wide variety of events. The budget for both the incumbent and challenger, in the vicinity of \$300K, allowed for only a limited spectrum of advertising.



He communicated delight at the many friends and supporters and the opportunity to go to varied places and transmit his message to many people. The vigil on election night at the Westin Hotel took place in the face of a very close contest. It took a while for him to overcome an early deficit and come away with a 2/3 of 1% victory.

He mentioned a website which can be of considerable help in deciding among judicial candidates at all levels.

Three Supreme Court judges are up for election on alternate, even-numbered years. There are nine judges in all, each serving a six-year term.

Many of their cases come from the Appeals Court. The justices confer and decide which cases they will hear. It amounts to a small percentage.

Judge Wiggins, having been on the appeals bench, is now in a position in which he hears, not argues, the cases. He enjoys the challenges and reacts well and fraternally with the other justices. Their year is divided into three segments, with then next beginning in the fall.

He is unhappy about the budget cuts which bode ill for the library and the ancillary personnel attached to the Court.

Richland Rotary Members

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

Honorary Members

***Ernie Boston
Herb Cahn
Bob DeLorenzo
Mike Spellman***

Number of Members

as of July 1, 2010

102

***Gained: Marlene Oliver, Pat
Hollick, Chris Smith,
Kayla Pratt, Jim Busey, Mike
Sinclair & John Darrington***

***Lost: Todd Dixon, Vic
Parrish, Scott Barlow, Ruth
Swain, Dan LeBlanc & Leroy
Goff***

Current Members:

102



The Humors

At an auction, the auctioneer announced, "A gentleman reports that he has lost a wallet containing \$10,000. He offers a reward of \$2000 for its return."

From the back came a call, "Two thousand five hundred!"

The artist tried to concentrate on his work, but the attraction he felt for his model finally became irresistible. He threw down his palette, took her in his arms, and kissed her.

She pushed him away. "Maybe your other models let you kiss them," she said, "but that won't work on me."

"I've never tried to kiss a model before," he insisted.

"Really" she said, softening. "How many models have there been?"

"Four," he replied, "A jug, two apples and a vase..."

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