



RICHLAND 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

October Speaker Schedule

24th – Classification Talks: David Chavey-Reynaud, Danielle Kleist & Travis Clifton
 31st – Halloween, No Meeting

Preliminaries

President Diahann brought the meeting to order in the usual room and time. The décor was unusual, however! Pink streamers, balloons, pink containers of candy on the tables and a banner proclaiming “It’s a Girl.”

Diahann announced a first in the history of the club, we were having a baby shower for one of our members Danielle Kleist!

Cynthia Vaughn led the song, a short lullaby, “Are You Sleeping” done as a round. Tim Lewis reported there were no visitors or guests.

Announcements

Diahann announced she and the Board decided to discontinue the first of the month morning

meetings. So the November 7 meeting will be at the usual time, but we will have breakfast foods!



Another item, there will be no October 31 meeting or fellowship event. Enjoy Halloween.

At the back of the room, a board with calendar pages for October and November was present. Diahann explained that this is to guess the date of baby Emma Patricia Kleist birth. Dates are \$10 per choice. The winner gets a Paul Harris and the proceeds will be given to a charity selected by Danielle and her husband Chris.

Diahann also announced that on November 18 there will be Rotary Workshops in Spokane Valley on membership and about Rotary Foundation. Most of the Board is going. She would love to

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Judy Addis (2S)(B)	Darrel Johnsen (2S)	Thomas M. O'Brien (2S)	(DD) Dbl. Diamond PHF
Steve Arneson (1R)	Stan Jones	Jon M. Putz (6S)	(R) Ruby
Jeremy Asmus (2S)	Roy Keck	Cindy Reents (1S)	(#R) Multiple Ruby
Jim Bauer (4S)	Scott Keller	Dick Richter (2S)	(S) Sapphire
Bob Best (2S)(B)	Shelley Kennedy	Robert Rivera	(#S) Multiple Sapphires
Tom Bock (1R)(B)	Phillip Koech	Gary Scofield (4S)(B)	
Gordon Bopp (1S)	Art D. Kohler (D)(B)	Anjan K. Sen (1S)	
Blaine Carr (6S)	Dave Larkin (D)	Chris Senske (1S)	
Thomas A. Cowan (4S)(B)	Pamela Larsen (4S)(B)	Rick Schulte	
Bob De Lorenzo (D)(B)	Bob D. Larson (4S)(B)	Bill R. Siefken (1R)	
Jeanne Dillner (2S)	Phil Lemley (2S)	Mike Sinclair	
Barbara French (D)	Tim Lewis (3S)	Mark Smith (5S)(B)	
Julie Funfar	Yosen Liu (1S)	Bob Tibbatts (1S)	
Linda Gilmore (2S)	Larry Lowry (3S)(B)	Sam R. Volpentest (2R)(B)	
Jan Griffin (1S)	Jerry J. McGuire (2S)(B)	Tom Watkins (D)(B)	
Pat Haggerty	Kathy Miller (5S)	Ken Williams (6S)	
Diahann Howard	Robert D. Nichols (1S)	Hal Williamson (DD)(B)	
Jan Jackson (2S)	Debbie Noguerras		
Larry D. Jecha	Greg Oberg (4S) (B)		

(B) Benefactor
(D) Diamond PHF

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see other members attend as well. Let her know if you want to go as they will be organizing car pools for the trip.

Jim Bauer reminded the group we have a work project with Repair Mid-Columbia in Prosser on October 28th. We will also be working with the Prosser club on this to stain a deck, repair a wheelchair ramp and a gate. This benefits a single mother of two, one child being disabled. Bob Tibbets is our lead for the project so contact him to set up a ride to the project.



Jim also wanted to see if there was interest in doing some trail repair on Badger or candy mountain in November (date TBD). A few people were interested and Jim said he will set something up.

Tim Lewis brought up a nonpartisan voters guide for the November 7 election. He had a few in the back and will send out an email this week with a link to the pamphlet on-line.



Pam Larsen is looking for Students of the Month, please send her your nominations!

50/50

Tim Lewis said there was \$64 in the pot. Kathy Miller had the ticket but couldn't find the white chip. Phil Lemley got the \$10.

Judge Jim Bauer

Judge Jim dispensed quickly with the usual late arrivals and missing pins. He asked about any brags or confessions, birthdays and such. Tim Lewis has 14 years with the Rotary Club coming up and Jeremy Asmus has 10! Jim noted he just celebrated 31 years of marriage. Blaine confessed he won a Duck Race prize, a portrait. He wife said "I have been meaning to do that" and off with the ticket. Ian Napier also won a prize, a Spa treatment, and his wife had a very similar reaction and took his prize.



Cynthia put in a brag for the Richland Players production of the Addams Family, in which she plays Grandma Addams. The play has been the most popular ever for the Players and they made their goal in the first two performances. It runs this weekend, Friday and Saturday night and a Sunday Matinee. Jeremy Asmus added that he went and it is a fun show.

Dave Larkin reported he had just returned from a week in England, including seeing the Rosetta Stone. Larry Jecha was in Kansas City.

Jim Bauer said he had attended a symphony performance, but it was at the Trac Center because of Cynthia's play and the acoustics are not as good. He then asked about sports, put in for the the Seahawks, Diahann for Eastern Washington and C. Mark Smith for Alabama. Jim then launched into a quiz about event occurring on October 17.

The first was what happened in Scotland in 1860? The first British Open golf tournament. In 1880 Thomas Edison patented the Optical Phonograph, which was moving pictures! Marconi did his first transatlantic radio broadcast in 1907 between Ireland and Nova Scotia. In 1938 Evel Knievel was born and in 2006 the US reached 300 million in population. C Mark added one more, on October 17, 1805, the Lewis and Clarke Expedition left the Tri-Cities area to continue down the Columbia River. The day before they had rowed up the Columbia from the Snake River, and saw the Yakima River.

Party Time

Jordyn Creighton was the host for the baby shower portion of the meeting. She explained that there were cards on the table for anyone to use to give advice to the parents to be. She also passed out a couple of rolls of toilet paper, and asked Danielle to stand up front for a moment. The idea is to tear off as much paper as you think would be needed to go around Danielle and her baby belly. After sufficient time to make estimates around the room, Jordyn measured Danielle getting eleven sheets. Those that correctly estimated the number came forward for a picture with guest of honor. They were Hal Williamson, Jeremy Asmus, Greg Oberg, Debbie Noguerras and Patrick McBurney.



Richland Rotary Members

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| Judy Addis (7/89) | Dave Larkin (4/04) | Hal Williamson (4/88) |
| Steve Arneson (3/02) | Pam Larsen (2/95) | Mike Winegardner (11/09) |
| Jeremy Asmus (10/07) | Bob Larson (6/90) | Jacqui Wright (12/13) |
| James Bauer (1/09)) | Phil Lemley (6/06) | |
| Bob Best (4/90) | Tim Lewis (10/03) | |
| David Billetdeaux (7/17) | Yosen Liu (1/91) | |
| Tom Bock (3/76) | Larry Lowry (10/05) | |
| Gordon Bopp (5/04) | Patrick McBurney (6/09) | |
| Blaine Carr (12/09) | Jerry McGuire (3/95) | |
| David Chevey-Reynaud (4/17) | Chris Meiers (12/15) | |
| Travis Clifton (10/16) | Kathy Miller (6/12) | |
| Jordyn Creighton (6/17) | Ian Napier (11/08) | |
| Jeanne Dillner (8/01) | Bob Nichols (8/97) | |
| Barbara French (11/98) | Debbie Noguerras (8/15) | |
| Julie Funfar (7/13) | Greg Oberg (1/88) | |
| Linda Gilmore (4/12) | Tom O'Brien (11/98) | |
| Jan Griffin (9/00) | Jon Putz (5/81) | |
| Linda Gustafson (3/08) | Cynthia Reents (6/09) | |
| Al Haggerty (4/12) | Dick Richter (6/08) | |
| Patricia Haggerty (4/12) | Robert Rivera (7/09) | |
| Dewayne Halstad (8/16) | Gary Scofield (2/75) | |
| Pat Hollick (8/10) | Rick Schulte (6/14) | |
| Diahann Howard (4/08) | Anjan Sen (11/96) | |
| Tom Huntington (5/16) | Chris Senske (1/80) | |
| Jan Jackson (6/00) | Bill Siefken (4/87) | |
| Larry Jecha (8/97) | Mike Sinclair (1/11) | |
| Darrel Johnsen (8/97) | Chris Smith (8/10) | |
| Stan Jones (10/07) | Mark Smith (3/01) | |
| Roy Keck (10/04) | Bob Tibbatts (6/03) | |
| Scott Keller (7/02) | Greg Tripp (6/11) | |
| Shelley Kennedy (9/02) | Cynthia Vaughn (12/14) | |
| Danielle Kleist (3/17) | Sam Volpentest (1/95) | |
| Phillip Koech (8/13) | Tom Watkins (9/11) | |
| Art Kohler (2/87) | Ken Williams (12/00) | |

Honorary Members
Bob DeLorenzo, General
James Mattis & Tom Cowan

Number of Members
as of July 1, 2017

75

Current Members:

71

Gained:

David Billetdeaux

Lost:

Bruce Carlisle, Mike McAndrew & James Watson



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MAKING A
DIFFERENCE

Another game was to pass out small paper plates. There were markers on the table. We were to place the plate against our forehead and then draw a picture of the expected baby! You cannot see what you are doing of course, leading to some Picassoesque drawings. Jordyn also passed out a word search and word scramble puzzle to solve. They used words for items associated with babies. There was also a cake with slices being handed out around the room amid laughter and conversations at the tables while doing the games.



Danielle thanked everyone for the party and fun time. We also learned only one of the men present had ever been to a baby shower.

Diahann closed the meeting with a reminder that next week we have classification talks with David, Danielle and Travis.

Hals Humor

A mother and baby camel are talking one day when the baby camel asks, “Mom why have I got these huge three-toed feet?” The mother replies, “Well son, when we trek across the desert your toes will help you to stay on top of the soft sand.”

“Okay,” said the son. A few minutes later the son asks, “Mom, why have I got these great long eyelashes?”

“They are there to keep the sand out of your eyes on the trips through the desert,”

“Thanks Mom,” replies the son. After a short while, the son returns and asks, “Mom, why have I got these great big humps on my back?”

The mother, now a little impatient with the boy replies, “They are there to help us store fat for our long treks across the desert, so we can go without water for long periods.”

“That’s great mom, so we have huge feet to stop us sinking, and long eyelashes to keep the sand from our eyes and these humps to store water, but Mom ...”

“Yes son?”

“What good does all that do us here in the San Diego Zoo?”



ATTENDANCE, A ROTARY COMMITMENT
Meeting Dates of Local Clubs

Richland Riverside.....	Monday, Noon Anthony’s Columbia Pt Richland
Richland.....	Tuesday, Noon: Richland Red Lion
Pasco/Kennewick.....	Wednesday, Noon: Clover Island Inn Kennewick
Columbia Valley Daybreak..	Thursday, 7 am: CG Public House Kennewick
Columbia Center.....	Thursday, Noon: Bingo Boulevard Kennewick
Tri-Cities Sunrise.....	Friday, 7 am: Red Lion Pasco