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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

Lemley's Ledger

Next Week: Emily Campen/Sexual Assault

Response Center; Brandon Merkel/

Eagle Scout Project Report

11/24: Dave Lemak/Rotary Foundation

12/1: Steve Hyer, Washington Business Week

Executive Director.

Regrets

Work considerations have forced the resignations of Reed Kaldor and Gilbert Mendoza. We hope to see them again, when and if conditions change.

Blue Badge

Shelley Horton exchanged the ruborific for the cerulean in the presence of her uncle and aunt, up from California for the occasion.

GWCTD

Dan LeBlanc pronounced Guess Who's Coming to Dinner a success. He thanked the host couples and had special words for Ruth in her efforts in behalf of the activity.

The Revells volunteered to host another such event, particularly for those who were unable to participate.

Veterans' Day

Phill conducted his annual salute to all who had done military service. Without musical accompaniment on this occasion, those of all branches were recognized.

Rotarians in our Midst

Kathy Clemens, Roseville, CA; Bob Burden, Jan Hansens, John Herrig, Columbia Center.

Guests

Justin Raffa (Art Kohler), Daniel Skorski, Laura Turo (Darrel Johnsen), Ann Roseberry (The Tri-City Harold)

Honorary Member

The Richland Rotary Club Board of Directors approved Bob DeLorenzo as an honorary member.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Judy L. Addis (2S) Steve Arneson (s) Jeremy Asmus Bill Battershell (5S)(B) Bob Best (2S)(B) Tom Bock (5S)(B) Gordon Bopp (S) Ernie Boston (D)(B) Dee Burrie Herb Cahn (4S)(B) Thomas A. Cowan (2S)(B) Bob De Lorenzo (D)(B) Jeanne Dillner (S) Hal J. Ellner (R) Jo Ferguson Diane Fossum (2S) Phill Fossum (3S) Barbara French (R) Jan Griffin Greg Holben (S)

Jan Jackson (s) Larry D. Jecha Darrel Johnsen Roy Keck Scott Keller Shelley Kennedy Tom Kirchner (4S)(B) Walt Kirkpatrick (2S)(B) Art D. Kohler (2R)(B) Dave Larkin (4S) Bob D. Larson (3S)(B) Pamela Larsen (3S)(B) Dave Lemak (s) 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 (58) Bing Manawadu Robert D. Nichols Greg Oberg (2S) (B) Thomas M. O'Brien (28) Marge O'Connell (DD)(B) Joseph V. Parrish Jon M. Putz (4S) Ed Revell (2S) Ray K. Robinson (48) George Sanders (2S)(B) Gary Scofield (4S) (B) Anian 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) **Bob Tibbatts**

Russell Treat (B))
Rampur S. Viswanath (4s)
Sam R. Volpentest (R)(B)
Gregory T. Warner (S)
Joe Westsik (2S)(B)
Ken Williams (3S)
Hal Williamson (D)(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
(6/30/09)

Officers

President	Grant McCallum
Vice President	Darrel Johnsen
Secretary	Dave Larkin
Treasurer	Diane Fossum
Foundation TreasurerBob Tibbatts	
Past President	Dave Lemak

Directors

Club Service 'A'William Taylor
Club Service 'B'Tom O'Brien
Community ServiceJune Ollero
International ServicePhil Lemley
Membership ActivitiesDarrel Johnsen
Vocational ServiceGreg Holben

Last Week

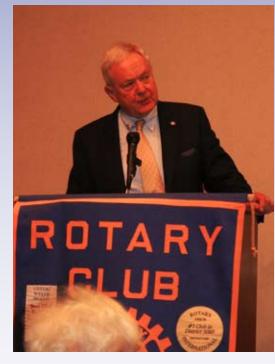
Arlen and Mary Gadeken, having done the District Governor's circuit of all but a few of the 60 clubs, have only the local ones left. As they touched down on our turf, they were well traveled, amply fed, and probably a trifle tired. The speech, having been so repeatedly rendered, is emblazoned in his memory and needed no notes.

Arlen was introduced by ADG Phill, who traced his exemplary career in the Navy, at Hanford, in Rotary, and in the community. In each of these, the standards he set were/are of the highest.

As a conduit from the RI President, Arlen alluded to our good work.

He gave the first of many announcements of the District Conference, to be held at Three Rivers Conference Center, Richland Riverside Rotary hosting, May 20-23. In the spirit of Rotary hospitality, host homes are sought for out-of-

town attendees. Many excellent events are planned, among them a silent auction to benefit Rotary Foundation.



The International Convention will occur in Montreal, June 20-24. It provides a different dimension of Rotary. There one can meet Rotarians from all over the world, make interesting friends, and be exposed to more activities than could be envisioned at home.

He quoted the current presidential theme, "The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands." The significance of this is fourfold: 1) The core of Rotary is the individual club. It is where the work gets done. 2) There is a constant need for a stronger club, to wit, more and stronger members. 3) There is a need to address the critical needs of the community. 4) In an atmosphere of declining membership, the need for young members is always present.

The Core Values of Rotary were restated, all with illustrative details. They are: Fellowship, Service, Ethics, Leadership, and Diversity.

Arlen read a poem, a copy of which was requested by many and provided via e-mail by PrezzGrant. It had to do with what we can give, in contrast to what we have done for ourselves. The former determines how we will be remembered. "Live a life that matters," was the message. He made the point that we can do more for humanity via Rotary than we can on an individual basis. It follows that 33,000 clubs can do more than one

Mary Gadeken has pursued a project, that of fashioning necklaces out of Beads of Friendship from around the world. A \$50 donation per necklace goes to Rotary Foundation in the campaign against Polio. She invites participation.

Information is available at http://columbiabasin.edu/BAS or directly from Dave at <dlemak@columbiabasin.edu>

Seemingly, a need has been found and is being filled.

Judge Larry

Those who felt roto-rooted were: the wearer of a spring shirt in the fall, the new councilman, football fans.

It was confirmed that not many like the Yankees—but a minority of two was able to chortle amid the vitriol. The newest blue badge spoke of relatives in the service. Jeremiah, having seen a reference to Joe Westsik at the Veterans' Day Parade, made a gracious contribution in behalf of our honorary member. Phill still fits into clothing issued during his undergraduate days. Who else can claim such discipline?

Mirthology

Great Question

Uncle Jon was helping one of his cows give birth when he noticed his four-year-old great nephew, James, standing at the fence, wide-eyed and soaking in the whole event. Uncle Jon thought to himself: "Great. Now I'm gonna have to explain the 'birds and bees' to him. Well, no need to jump the gun. I'll just wait and see if he has any questions, and I'll just answer them as best I can."

After Uncle Jon finished helping the cow with her birthing, he walked over to James and asked him, "Do you have any questions about what you seen here tonight?"

"Just one," the little boy whispered, eyes still wide with wonder. "How fast was that calf going when he hit the cow?"

(Sorry about this one)

A man is shipwrecked and is the only survivor. When he wakes up, he's on a beach. The sand is purple. He can't believe it. The sky is purple. He walks around a bit and sees that there is purple grass, purple birds, and purple fruit on the purple trees. He's shocked when he finds that his skin is starting to turn purple, too.

"Oh no!!" he says, "I think I've been marooned!!"

Richland Rotary Members

Judy Addis (7/89) Steve Arneson (3/02) Jeremy Asmus (10/07) Bill Battershell (3/56) James Bauer (1/09) Linda Bauer (1/09) Ken Beller (12/07) Bob Best (4/90) Tom Bock (3/76) George Booth (11/06) Gordon Bopp (5/04) Ernie Boston (2/65) Dee Burrie (7/92) Herb Cahn (6/55) Tom Cowan (4/80) Bob De Lorenzo (3/88) Jeanne Dillner (8/01) Todd Dixon (8/08) Hal Ellner (8/83) Jo Ferguson (10/05) Diane Fossum (8/07) Phill Fossum (11/03) Barbara French (11/98) Bill Friend (3/09) LeRoy Goff (8/08) Jan Griffin (9/00) Linda Gustafson (3/08) Tom Heideager (1/09) Greg Holben (4/06) Shelley Horton (3/09) Diahann Howard (4/08) Jan Jackson (6/00) Rick Jansons (10/09)

Larry Jecha (8/97)

Darrel Johnsen (8/97) Cynthia Johnson (6/09) Stan Jones (10/07) Roy Keck (10/04) Scott Keller (7/02) Shelley Kennedy (9/02) Tom Kirchner (3/81) Walt Kirkpatrick (9/70) Art Kohler (287) Dave Larkin (4/04) Pam Larsen (2/95) Bob Larson (6/90) Dan LeBlanc (2/09) Terri LeBlanc (5/08) Dave Lemak (1/01) Phil Lemley (6/06) Tim Lewis (10/03) Yosen Liu (1/91) John Lowe (6/09) Larry Lowry (10/05) Bing Manawadu (10/86) Mike McAndrew (2/07) Patrick McBurney (6/09) Grant McCallum (9/91) Bill McCue (3/94) Jerry McGuire (3/95) Dick McLean (10/85) lan Napier (11/08) Bob Nichols (8/97) Greg Oberg (1/88) Tom O'Brien (11/98) Marge O'Connell (10/03)

June Ollero (2/03)

Vic Parrish (12/97)

Kim Pietrok (9/08) Jon Putz (5/81) Ed Revell (6/08) Dick Richter (6/08) Robert Rivera (7/09) Ray Robinson (2/87) Pete Rogalsky (7/05) George Sanders (10/06) Gary Scofield (2/75) Don Segna (12/05) Anjan Sen (11/96) Chris Senske (1/80) Bill Siefken (4/87) Mark Smith (3/01) Mike Spellman (4/81) Lloyd Swain (8/89) Ruth Swain (9/88) Bill Taylor (7/07) Bob Tibbatts (6/03) Russ Treat (1/92) Rampur Viswanath (6/95) Sam Volpentest (1/95) Greg Warner (3/00) Joe Westsik (12/96) Ken Williams (12/00) Hal Williamson (4/88) Mike Winegardner (11/09) Keith Woods (1/97) Jack Zinn (7/74) 97-(11/09)

Honorary Members
Herb Cahn
Ernie Boston

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Number of Members as of July 1, 2009

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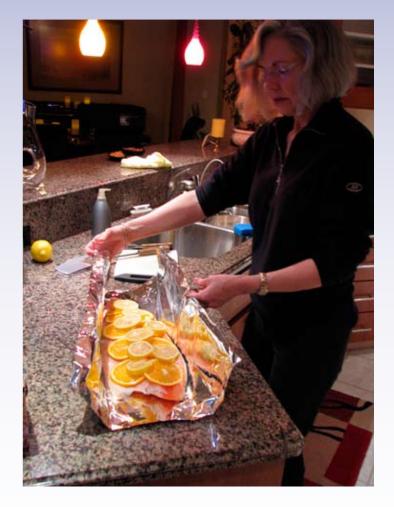
Gained: Robert Rivera, Rick Jansen, Mike Winegardner Lost: Bob Lawyer, Reed Kaldor and Gilbert Mendoza

Current Members

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Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?





Here are a couple of shots of the Guess Who's Coming to Dinner parties. As you can see, everyone's enjoying themselves and the Oncorhynchus tshawytscha looks delicious!

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