

RICHLAND

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ROTARY REACTOR

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Red Lion Hotel (Hanford House)
• Charter 7390 • District 5080 • Club ID#262

Speaker Schedule for November

26th – Marcee Woffinden, Meals on Wheels

Preliminary

Today was self-proclaimed “Bauer Day” with Linda leading the meeting in the absence of president Jeremy and husband Jim leading us in “God Bless America.”

Guests and visiting Rotarians

Lloyd Swain brought his wife, Ruth and Greg Oberg brought his wife, Marta. Leslie Hawkins was a visiting Rotarian for the last time today. John Clement joined us again from PK Rotary. Jackie Wright visited again as the guest of Diahann Howard. It was wonderful to have Jack Zinn back with us and also past president and district governor Bob DeLorenzo.

Announcements

Linda thanked all who showed up for the chili social at Judy Addis’ home. She said that she and Jim will host another Rotary Christmas

party this year. The date will be December 19, a Thursday night. The club is also

sponsoring a fundraiser called Cookies and Cocoa with Santa Claus. There will be a photographer who will take you or your family’s picture with you and Santa. There will be a \$10 donation. Kathy Miller is looking for a few volunteers to help with the event. If you’re willing to help, let Kathy know. John Clement again pitched his beautiful Rotary calendar. They sell for \$15 and the club gets to keep \$12 of that amount. The local Rotary club that sells the most will win a \$1,000 Paul Harris if all the calendars are sold. There are only 1200 to sell. Tim Lewis announced the slate of upcoming club officers for the second time. Again, there



PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

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

Officers

PresidentJeremy Asmus
President Elect.....Linda Bauer
Secretary.....Bob Tibbatts
Treasurer.....Dick Richter
Foundation Treasurer..Mike Winegardner
Past President.....Tim Lewis

Directors

Club Service ‘A’Stan Jones
Club Service ‘B’Justin Raffa
Community Service..Diahann Howard
Vocational Service...Jeanne Dillner
International Service.....Jim Bauer
New Generations.....Open
Membership Activities....Blaine Carr

were no nominations from the floor. Mark Smith announced that the Sam Volpentest books are on a truck on their way to the Tri-Cities. He will bring the books to the first meeting in December. Marlene Oliver reminded us of the annual book drive to come up with books for Coyote Ridge. See her or Jerry McGuire if you have books to donate. She also reminded us of the "Coats for Kids" campaign to collect winter coats at Kadlec. She held up a couple of member books that belong to new Red Badgers. If you don't have your book, see Marlene.



New Member

Leslie Hawkins was inducted as a new member. She is a longtime member of several clubs in the Northeast, most recently in Farmington, Maine. She joined Kadlec in July of this year and has worked in hospital administration for 25 years. Welcome, Leslie. Linda tried to pin one of our new magnetic pins on her without success. Roy Keck was heard to comment, "May the force be with you. . ."



50/50

There was \$226 in the pot, seven blue chips and one white. After Chris Smith (again) drew for all the money, there were only six blue chips in the pot. Mike Sinclair had the winning number for the \$10 consolation prize.

Judge Jim

Jim Bauer tried his hand at being judge for the first time. He said he had been coached by Jon Putz, but he did a credible job anyway. Ken Williams was late. Jim encouraged members to wear their Paul Harris pins. Ruth Swain and Jerry McGuire celebrated a birthday. Mike Winegardner is celebrating his fourth Rotary anniversary. Connie Corcoran noted that they raised \$75,000 at the Beggar's Banquet for Safe Harbor. Jim went through the normal football victories and defeats. It was noted the George Sanders hasn't been showing up much at Rotary this season given Florida's record.

Jim provided some statistics about the annual giving by Rotarians worldwide. He said that 90% percent of the money raised by the Rotary Foundation went to the projects themselves; only 2% on fundraising and 8% goes for administration. American clubs give by far the largest amount of money, but rank only 11th in the world when it comes to per capita giving at \$111 per Rotarian.

Program

Pat Haggerty introduced Larry Christianson, director of fundraising for the Kadlec Foundation. Larry noted that a number of Richland Rotarians are involved with Kadlec in various capacities and thanked them for their service.

He started by providing a general description of the Kadlec Health System. Kadlec employs more than 2300 people and brings hundreds of millions of dollars into the local economy. The hospital is expected to provide \$30 million in charity care in 2013.

Larry talked about the current fundraising drive to fund the new neo-natal intensive care unit (NICU) at Kadlec. Forty percent of all the babies born at Kadlec come from families who live outside the Tri-

Cities. The old NICU has been outgrown. Several years ago, Kadlec had a successful fundraising campaign to build a new \$7.5 million pediatric care center. The NICU campaign is an outgrowth of that. Once completed, the NICU will include a renovated and expanded Intermediate Care Nursery and Level III Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. The number of rooms will grow from 17 to 27 and the new rooms will be larger and more capable. The unit will grow in size from 3,000 square feet to 15,000 square feet.

So far, the campaign has raised \$6,077,344 of a \$9 million construction goal, but that number doesn't include soft costs like furniture. The campaign has received national attention and recognition in the medical fundraising press. Because of the importance of the project and immediate need, Kadlec has elected to begin construction of the NICU. He encouraged each of us to contribute to the campaign if they can.



Richland Rotary Members

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

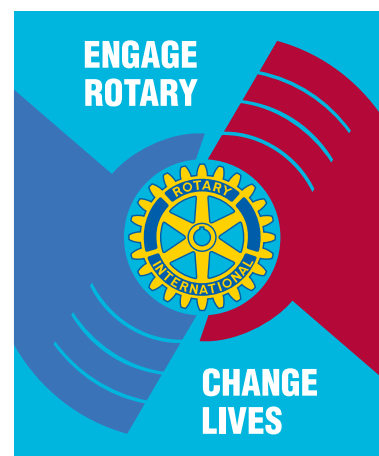
Honorary Members
Herb Cahn
Bob DeLorenzo
Hal Ellner

**Number of Members
as of July 1, 2013**
93

**Gained: Julie Funfar,
Connie Corcoran,
Phillip Koech, Leslie
Hawkins**

**Lost: Rampur Viswanath,
Anne Roseberry,
Vicki Monteagudo**

Current Members:
94



Hal's Humor

The little boy wanted to go to the zoo and pestered his parents to take him. Finally, his mother talked his reluctant father into taking him.

"So how was it?" the mother asked when they returned.

"Great," the boy said.

"Did you and your father have a good time?" She asked.

"Yes!" was the response.

"And did you see any animals?"

"Yes," the boy explained. "Especially when one of them came in at 30 to 1."

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
Clover Island Inn
435 Clover Island Drive, 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