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students learn the importance of service and leadership.

We meet weekly and enjoy introducing guests to our friendly meetings and entertaining educational programs.



For more information and stories about our projects and activities, check our Club website: www.clubrunner.ca/salemcreekside. Be our guest and join in the fun



and fellowship, Thursdays at noon, Lakeview Restaurant, Creekside Golf Club, 6250 Clubhouse Dr. SE. Where everybody knows your name!

To visit the club, contact our Membership Chair, Doug Carney @ "Doug Carney" salemcarneys@comcast.net or call him at 503-399-0636. Come visit Salem Creekside!

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you must be invited to join a Rotary club by a member of that club.

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#### Membership Q & A

- Q: What if I don't think I can come to the lunch meeting every week?
  - A: You don't have to come every week, but certainly are encouraged. We know you have a busy schedule, and we respect that you will attend meeting when possible and be an active Club participant.
- Q: What is the difference between Creekside and the other Rotary Clubs?

  A: We don't ring bells, have fines or sing songs.
- Q: How much are the dues?
  - A: Our dues are \$300 a year. We don't fundraise no raffles, no tickets to sell, our dues and personal donations help us fund our projects.
- O: What if I don't live in South Salem?
  - A: You can live anywhere as long as the meeting time (Thursdays at noon) is convenient.
- Q: How long are the lunch meetings and what goes on there?
  - A: Lunch meetings begin at noon with 15 minutes of fellowship. At 12:15, the president will "call the meeting to order" and we say the flag salute, a brief invocation. After introducing guests, members have the opportunity to "brag". This is followed by announcements, correspondence and Rotary information, committee reports, old and new business. After that the speaker comes up for about 30 minutes. We are done at 1:15 pm.

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