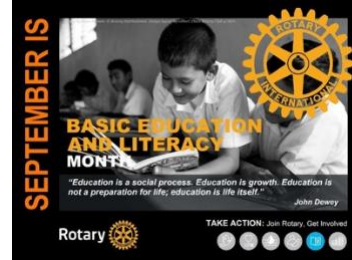




THE ROUNDUP

For

September 9, 2021



BOARD MEMBERS:

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P-Deb: Welcomed everyone
Our Break Room Topic: With School Starting: Who was your favorite teacher (school or life) and why? Reconvene at 6:20ish

It is always fun to meet with other members in our 'Break Room' to not only talk about topic question but to find out what is going on with our other great members.

P-Deb: PP-Roy please ring our Rotary Bell --- 6:25 pm.

P-Deb: Welcomed our guests who were joining our meeting tonight:
 Allen Baedak – Semiahmoo Rotary Club
 Jeff Hager – our guest speaker, he is with the Everett-Port Gardner Rotary Club

Pati: Introduced Jeff who spoke to the Club about the organization Hands for Peace Making in Guatemala. They are an organization that is beyond primary education, building for the future.
 Pati was happy to inform the Club that her and Tim were signing up to join one of their trips in 2022.

Jeff: Thank you for having me come to speak to the Club on a project that I'm very passionate about. I've been with the organization for many years and have

Hands for Peace
Making - Guatemala

Founded in 1985 by
Dr. Leon &
Virginia Aller



made many trips to Guatemala. We have been working on getting better stoves put into homes. The stoves the people are presently using are like putting an outdoor campfire inside your house!



Jeff, explained how the program operated, what they have accomplished over the years and how much there is still left to accomplish.

Tim: asked Jeff - what would he & Pati be expected to do when they joined a team in 2022?

Jeff: They would receive training on how to set a water tank or stove in a home, hang a gutter or on other needed projects.

Rhian: what is the political situation like?

Jeff: Not a real issue for them. They are recognized as an organization that is there to help, not to get involved in local politics.

Pati: Thanked Jeff for the fine presentation.

AG Joan: wanted to congratulate PNW Passport Rotary Club for meeting the criteria for the District's Citation Award for 2019. PP Roy worked hard along with the Club members to get the award.

P-Deb: Keith & Heather Vernon, are working on a Canadian outing to Rocky Point in Port Moody on September 18th. Patricia Sibley offered to help them get the information out to the Canadian members who might be able to attend.

Patricia: There is to be a Rotary World Help load soon.

P-Deb: There is to be a Green Bag meeting on October 9th. They will be reporting their progress soon to District 5050.

P-Deb: Let's make the 'Power of One' our goal for 2021/22. Let's define our Passport Club to others, remembering one of the founding members of the Passport Club's comment 'Rotary Your Way'. Each member needs to do one thing to help improve the Club you determine what and how.

PP Roy: Please let him know what you are doing it may be helpful for the District Citation for 2021/22.

Pati: Has several very interesting people lined up to speak to the Club. Glen Fong our Honorary member, from California is possibly going to speak in the future.

Trudy: Thank you to the members who helped with the White Rock Rotary Club's Book Sale. Thank you, Deb for the great questions in the Chat Rooms.

Patricia: The Club is doing very well in getting close to achieving their goal of RI Foundation donations for this year.

P Deb: Thank you to all members who have donated to RI Foundation and continue to donate.

One of our favourite times Happy Bucks where our members pass along all sorts of reasons for donating to our Club's commitments – Green Bag and ARES.

Rhian: explained she helped with documenting trapped crabs looking for the invasive green crabs.



Tim: said he donated



blood

He and Pati picked hops at Growing Veterans



P Deb: Now it's time for a little fun and the chance to win a Starbucks gift card. The big winner tonight was Krista!

P-Deb: Roy, please ring our Rotary Bell to end the evening's meeting.
7:45 pm