

Rotary



Club of Olympia

Olympia City Council Candidates ♦ Positions: 2, 4, and 5

By Robert Heck on Monday, October 11, 2021

Today's Program: Olympia City Council Candidates ♦ Positions: 2, 4, and 5

Meeting Called to order: President Cyndi @ 12:15 pm

Invocation by: Colleen Gillespie

Pledge of Allegiance led by: Felix D'Allesandro

Song: America the Beautiful

Four Way Test led by: Jim Young Dick Blinn

Visiting Rotarians:

Van Jepmond ♦ Lacey Rotary Club

Guest of Rotarians:

Sierra Lipson ♦ Dille Law Offices
Cindy Hough

Announcements:

Coats for Kids - We are collecting coats for families in need on Oct 11th, 18th and 25th!

Please bring your gently used and new coats to our club meetings so we can collect them and deliver them to the Family Education & Support Services on Oct 25th. Checks and cash donations are also very much appreciated. Checks can be made out to FE&SS. Pick up service available.

Thanksgiving meals - We are now collecting food items to compliment a turkey and pumpkin pie. Please bring: gravy packets, canned green beans, canned cranberries, Stove-top stuffing and Instant potatoes to our meetings. Cash or check donations are also very much appreciated! Checks can be made out to ♦4 THE LOVE Foundation♦ or the ♦SPSCC Student Food Bank♦. All donations need to be in by Nov 15th. There is a TURKEY trophy for the member who contributes the most. One point for every dollar or food item donated. So far Warren Carlson, Holly Mason and Bob Wubbena are in a close race for first place.

Books for Literacy - It's not too late to still donate books for our book drive! Members have collected over 500 books so far! We still need more to meet the demand for enthusiastic children who love to read in our community. Oct 25th is the last day to bring books. Cash or check donations are also very much appreciated! Checks made to South Sound Reading Foundation.

Toys for Tots - Bring in new, unwrapped toys to our club meeting on Monday, Dec 6th. Cash or check donations are also very much appreciated! Checks: TOYS FOR TOTS. No weapons, please.

Rotary Book Club ♦ Well80 @ 5pm on Tuesday, 10/12

Cool Jazz ♦ buy your tickets: cooljazzcleanwater.org

Happy Bucks ♦ hosted by John Sabo

Warren Carlson ♦ updated the club on the grant that supported the 5 new tiny homes and the success of the program.

Vicki ♦ gave to support her birthday and spent a lovely vacation to ring in her next decade.

Skip Steffen ♦ hopes Rotary International will look at how to support clean water. Also shared that his organization has found a 5-plex in Lacey and in adding this property, they will bring on 15 more beds for transitional housing.

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Candidates were asked questions from the club and also took questions from the audience. Dick Cushing served as the moderator.

For more information on each of the candidates, please follow the link to their website and voter pamphlet statement.

Thurston County Votes Pamphlet:

https://www.thurstoncountywa.gov/auditor/electionarchiveddocuments/Voters%27%20Pamphlet_Nov%202021.pdf

Position 2:

Yen Huynh

<https://www.yenforolympia.com/>

Robbi Kesler

<https://www.kesler4council.com/>

Position 4:

Clark Gilman

<https://www.clark4olympia.com/>

Candace Mercer

<https://www.olympiaftw2021.org/>

Position 5:

Lisa Parshley

<https://www.lisaparshley.com/>

Talauna Reed

<https://www.talauna4thepeople.com/>

Mr. Snappy: Won by Jim Phi9llips.

Meeting Adjourned: 1:32 pm by President Cyndi

Meeting for October 18, 2021

By Dan Lehuta on Monday, October 11, 2021

Our next club meeting (Oct. 18th) will feature more on local elections - City Council ♦ Positions 6 & 7. We will again be meeting at Indian Summer.

Buy lunch tokens or pay dues on-line

By Dan Lehuta on Saturday, August 14, 2021



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