



University District Rotary Club Bulletin

Wednesday, July 7, 2021



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Meeting Location

Seattle Yacht Club
1807 E. Hamlin St.
Seattle, WA 98112

To join via Zoom:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87528482798?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87528482798?pwd=MINva2dodXZJM2NlZjZsbWhjYzNiZz09)

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When: Fridays

Business: 12:00-12:20 pm

Program: 12:20-12:50 pm

Wrap-up: 12:50-1:00 pm

Future Programs

July 16

Don Scholes: Downtown
Seattle Association

July 23

Josephine Ensign: Health
care and homelessness

July 30

Tom Norwalk: Visit Seattle
-Getting Seattle Tourism
Back on Track

Links

Club Photos

Club Facebook Page

Club Website

DACdb

District 5030 Website

Club Bulletin Deadline

Monday at 2:00 pm

Send ads & photos
in .jpg

Send material to:

paulalaschober@gmail.com

Program for July 9

Bev Fogle: Flying in the Pacific Northwest



Beverly Fogle earned her initial pilot license in 1971. Since then she has flown some 4000 hours in single engine aircraft over six continents, including 1000 hours as an instructor pilot. Many of those hours, particularly her international trips, were spent in association with Rotary companions in the International Fellowship of Flying Rotarians.

As a board member of the Vancouver National Historic Trust as well as the Pearson Air Museum, she developed a keen interest in the aviation history of this historic region. This interest led directly to the excursions described in her talk today.

Beverly is also the founder and primary planner of Cambridge Financial Management Corp., a financial planning firm she operated in Vancouver for over thirty years. She earned a Master's Degree in Sociology and Economics from Kansas State University, and is an honorary lifetime member of the American Association of University Women, which has worked for the advancement of women and girls since 1881. She served as a Trustee of Stephens College (from which she did not learn to fly!) for twelve years. She continues as a financial adviser to the Stephens College Board.

University District Rotary Club Honored by District 5030

2020-2021 Large
Club of the Year
Award presented
to President
[Brenda Dimond](#)
by DG Cathy
Gibson.





Past President Brenda's Thanks

My sincere appreciation for a memorable "Kick-out" Party! Each of you made a difference in a Challenging Covid year. Your strong support of Rotary's mission to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding through good will and peace through our fellowship of business, professional and community leaders serves to strengthen our Rotary Commitment.

And now for the Kick-Out Party: Thanks to Michael "Mike" Good, musician. I must say, our Club really knows how to put on a Party! We shared laughter, smiles, tears, and lots of "hip, hip, hooray"! Lisa Fox Latchford sang a solo "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," followed by Dale Hicklin and Lisa singing an original "Brenda's Farewell." Dave Spicer, chair, and his Committee--Marella Alejandrino, Raymond Connell, Lisa Edwards, Marilee Fuller, Rick Jones, Judy Lovelace, Carma McKay, Son Michael Pham, Ed Sider and Kay Rodriguez Sider--shared special Rotary memories that brighten my heart and reconfirmed why "I am a Rotarian."

My advice: Remain involved and continue to learn and live the Rotary life. Thank you, each one of you, for all your dedication to make this year a Special Year. And "Thank you" for your beautiful treasured gifts of flowers, Presidential Plaque, gift certificate to Salish Lodge's brunch, Zoom poster, personalized "Thank You" poster, personalized Dale Hicklin address plaque, Carma's creation of Thomas Kinkadee's "The Rotary Bird House," Judy Lovelace's gift of a brocaded purse made in Vietnam, and the many personal card messages. And then our Immediate Past President Dave Spicer presented the Past President Rotary pin, adding the final touch to the remarkable Rotary meeting Friday, June 25, 2021.

With a grateful heart to serve,

Brenda



Basant Singh Named Outstanding 2020-2021 Assistant Governor of Rotary District 5030

Basant has been a member of our club since 1999, and was club president 2018-2019. Professionally, he is Executive Vice President and Commercial Banking and SBA Division Manager of Kitsap Bank.

Basant became an Assistant DG in 2019 and is in charge of Area 7, which includes the Ballard, Fremont, University District and University Sunrise clubs.



Scenes from Past President Brenda's Kick-Out Party—June 25, 2021





*Eat, drink, enjoy live jazz on a gorgeous summer evening,
Say 'Hello' in person...all for a great cause*

LAKE UNION
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Happy Hour 4 Good is Back!



Sponsored by HomeStreet Bank
Co-host Rotary District 5030



Thursday, July 15 6-8 PM
Center for Wooden Boats

out on the dock @
1010 Valley St
Seattle 98109
(next to MOHAI)

All are welcome. Register online.
www.happyhour4good.org \$45



Diversity Equity Inclusion Corner *(by Jeff Werthan)*

Invitation to Join DEI Task Force and Peacebuilder Committee

Both the Task Force and the Peacebuilder Committee are always looking for new members with ideas. If you are interested, please contact me at: jmwdog@gmail.com

The first Peacebuilder Committee Meeting of the new Rotary Year will take place virtually on Tuesday, July 13th from 12:00-1:00 (link on last page of this bulletin).

At this first meeting, we will delve into planning ideas for the new year. For those of you on the Committee, this is an important meeting and I hope to see you there. For those of you reading this who aren't on the Committee, why don't you give us a try? Send me an email at jmwdog@gmail.com and I will add you to the email roster.

Committee member Tony Ives will be joining me this year as a co-leader of our group.

I know that you have ideas and you want to take action - you're Rotarians after all. Help us give back to our community! Thank you.





Invitation to Join Rotarian Ad Hoc Social Justice Group *(by Jeff Werthan)*



Every Saturday morning, a group of Rotarians from several different clubs meets virtually to listen to a speaker and ask questions pertaining to various social justice issues. Our group has created a safe space, that allows everyone to speak his/her mind in a non-threatening environment. "Non-threatening" does not always mean comfortable and does often mean challenging. It's an opportunity to listen, learn, comment and play the devils advocate.

Our group is based upon a similar group in Portland, OR, that Sala Sweet has been attending every Saturday. Sala brought Portland to my attention, and I started attending as well. Their large group (usually 35-50 attendees) has been meeting for awhile and they have branched out to work with many Portland area based organizations. They have also broken down their Saturday group into several smaller groups that are able to concentrate on different aspects of social justice.

With Sala in the lead, we started a similar group here in Seattle. Since our first meeting last November 7, 2020, our speakers have included a combination of educators, state representatives and other elected officials, community spokespersons/organizations, corporate spokespersons, and police and police reform advocates.

Next meeting is Saturday, July 10th at 9:00. Our speaker will be Felicia Cross. Felicia, a lifetime resident of South Seattle and a former employee of the Seattle Police Department, was recently appointed Director of Community Engagement for the Seattle Community Police Commission. The Commission is an oversight group and its existence is mandated by the US Department of Justice as part of the consent degree issued by the DOJ in 2013. Felicia will give us information on the role of the Commission in monitoring police policies and actions. Please join us for what should be a very informative session.

For a lively way to start your Saturday, visit us from 9:00-10:00. If you would like the link, please let me know (jmwdog@gmail.com or 425-802-1028). I can also include you on the Portland link if you would like.

Rotarians with Birthdays in July *(provided by Judy Lovelace)*

July 3 Son Michael Pham

July 5 Louise Leader

July 6 Jeff Nemitz

July 14 Alex Shimizu

July 16 Sabah Al-Haddad

July 21 David Black

July 29 Joel Napp

July 30 Lisa Edwards



Virtual Boiling Pot Available for Club Members *(by Kirk Laughlin, Club Treasurer)*

U. District Rotary members - A reminder that a way to support our club during this difficult time — especially if you are enjoying the camaraderie of the weekly online meetings — is with a small token of your financial appreciation. The virtual "Boiling Pot" link is: <http://bit.ly/UDRCboil>.

You can choose an amount of \$5.00 to \$25.00 (there is a \$5.00 minimum since this is a credit card transaction). And you can do so during the meeting or anytime! Thank you for your support.





Upcoming Club Activities

- Sat.** 9:00-10:00 am. Rotarian Ad Hoc Social Justice Group. For link, contact Jeff Werthen: jmwdog@gmail.com.
- Jul 7** 6:00-7:30 pm. Join International District Rotary Club for dinner at Tai Tung restaurant, 655 S. King St., Seattle. Good way to chat with Rotarians you've never met or haven't seen in a long time. If you are interested, please let Jeff Werthan know by Monday, June 28, at jmwdog@gmail.com.
- Jul 13** Aug 12, Sept 13, Oct 14 12:00-1:00. Peacebuilder Committee meeting. Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82611326233?pwd=Rkd4M292dnA2R2pCMmt0TkhdXhldz09>
Meeting ID: 826 1132 6233 Passcode: 9sd3fn
- Jul 17** U District Community Paint Day. More info below, or contact Jeff Werthen at jmwdog@gmail.com.
- July 20** Aug 17, Sept 21, Oct 19 12:00-1:00. DEI Task Force meeting. Contact: Jeff Werthan, jmwdog@gmail.com.
- Oct 1-3** Rotary District 5030 in-person conference, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Info/registration: [District 5030 Conference](#)
- Oct 2** 2021 Walk to End Alzheimers. Register here: [2021 Walk to End Alzheimer's - Seattle](#) | [Walk to End Alzheimer's](#)

VOLUNTEER FOR THE U DISTRICT COMMUNITY PAINT DAY: JULY 17



On July 17, artists will be installing new murals across the U District, and they are looking for community members to volunteer and help paint! This is a great opportunity to get some Seattle sunshine and help beautify the neighborhood.

No painting experience is necessary, and all ages are welcome. Children under the age of 12 should be accompanied by an adult at all times. Individuals or groups are welcome. Painting slots are two hours, and the location is included in the signup form. Slots are limited, so please sign up if you are available and committed to volunteer on that date and time. Sign up here: [U District Partnership: U District Mural Project Community Paint Day \(signupgenius.com\)](#).

Jeff Werthan says: "I am planning on being there and hope that other Rotarians join me."