

Rotary



Club of Eugene

Presidents' Message

Hello Rotarians!

Hope everyone is having a fabulous week. I am in LA working on my tennis game. Lots of work to be done. Look forward to seeing you on Tuesday on zoom. Liz will host the in person meeting at the Graduate. Dave Frosaker will get us up to speed on The Rotary Foundation.

We are discussing our holiday party and wondering how folks feel about having a larger gathering this winter. Please email me your thoughts if you would like to weigh in on this matter.

That's all I got for the week! Look forward to seeing you in person at the graduate soon!

With warmest regards.

Raquel.



November 9th Meeting - The Rotary Foundation

Club Meeting

Eugene
Meets at Graduate Eugene
(541) 342-2000
6th and Pearl 66 East 6th
Street
Eugene, OR 97401
Time: Tuesday at 12:15 PM

Events

No Events found

Club Leaders



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President



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President-Elect



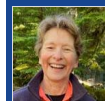
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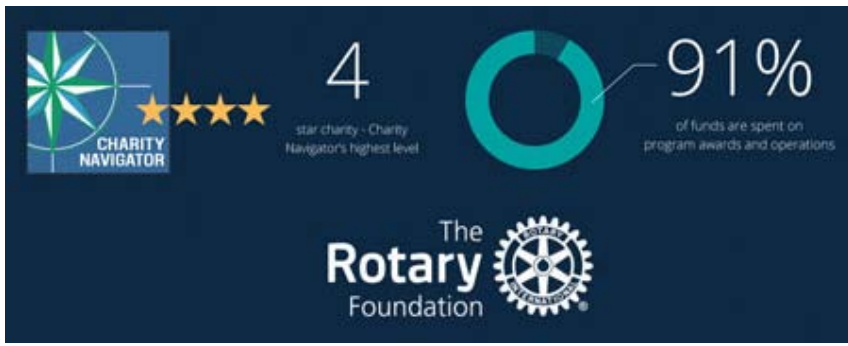


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TRF. The Rotary Foundation. The Heart of Rotary. The largest, highest rated Foundation in the world. With a 91% pay out. And 50% of donations coming back to the individual clubs and districts as grants. TRF is the very foundation of Rotary itself.

Learn about the many projects the Eugene Rotary Club secured with Rotary Grants. Skatepark was seeded with a foundation grant. Cuthbert. Peace Park. Riverplay, Emerald Village House. And so very many in the near 100 year history of Eugene Rotary.

In spite of a Pandemic, last year, Eugene Rotary surpassed the goal of previous years. And this in spite of only 40% of members contributing. What would it be like if it was 100%? With this ability to support one massive foundation that supports many other foundations, efforts and projects all over the world and right here at home in Eugene.

Attend this most important meeting. In person and on zoom. Foundation is the reason members are members.

November 16th Meeting. House Bill 2001 with Alex Biddle

Meeting the Promise of Goal 10 of Oregon Land Use: Housing

Alexis Biddle is a staff attorney at 1000 Friends of Oregon where he focuses on issues related to urban growth boundaries, housing, and transportation throughout the state. He is based in Eugene and earned his law degree and masters in community and regional planning at the University of Oregon. 1000 Friends of Oregon was founded in 1974 by Henry Richmond and Tom McCall as a watchdog organization for Oregon's nascent land use system. Over the past nearly fifty years 1000 Friends has ensured that the land use system effectively keeps sprawl in check while protecting farmland. Since its founding, 1000 Friends has advocated for abundant, diverse, and affordable housing and played a key role in the passage of HB 2001 - a bill passed in 2019 to open up more opportunities for more housing options in communities throughout the state. Alexis leads 1000 Friends' work on the implementation of HB 2001 in communities throughout the state including Springfield and Eugene.



Additional November Programs

November 23rd Meeting: Eugene Emeralds Baseball with Allen Benevides.

November 30th Meeting: Sustainable Development with Mo!



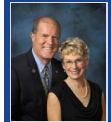
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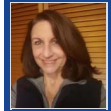
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Birthdays

Richard Scott Forrest
November 8th
Marshall L Wilde
November 16th
Andy Vobora
November 18th
Piotrek Buciarski
November 22nd
Philip Holt Barnhart
November 26th
Shawn Heim
December 2nd
Karianne Westlund
December 5th
Susan Heisey
December 6th

Years of Service

Ray A. Wiley
12-06-1977
44 Years
Robert C. Laney
11-29-1983
38 Years
Richard K Olson
11-10-1986

Hybrid Meetings



And for those wishing to attend via ZOOM

One Click Link

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Rotary Covid Service

Pediatric clinics are here and now!



This week Lane County will hold daily late afternoon week days and both weekend days, and will be indoors. Our expectation is the first few weeks the demand will be high, and since these pediatric clinics will be separated from adult clinics the need for volunteers will increase.

If you're interested in volunteering we are still vetting individuals. Remember you need to provide Lane County with a copy of your vaccination card before you can work a shift.

We are also working to schedule another "Rotary Day at the Clinic" and hope everyone can participate. Thanks so much to all our volunteers for the gift of your time!

Liz Ness, President-elect beans1259@aol.com

Pete Gribkov, Assistant Governor petelauriegribkov@comcast.net

35 Years

Raquel E. Hecht
11-27-2000

21 Years

Philip W. Speers
12-03-2002

19 Years

Mark D. Forrest
12-02-2003

18 Years

Ginevra Ralph
11-30-2004

17 Years

Robert McOmie
11-12-2007

14 Years

Geoffrey B. Koerner
11-18-2008

13 Years

Erik Jorgensen
11-10-2009

12 Years

Constance Fehlman
11-29-2016

5 Years

Jim Howard
11-21-2017

4 Years

Marshall L. Wilde
11-21-2017

4 Years

Community Service

FOOD FOR LANE COUNTY

Due to COVID the service for FFLC is limited to just a lucky few. And those few did a great job and had a good time in a low key cozy atmosphere. Members should take advantage of these unique opportunities.

Next one is Wed, Nov. 17. And still limited to just 6 lucky volunteers.

Members can email Jennifer or signup on link:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1S_o5IKluHBXGCeomEEaywonUDooqIL94Luyh1KyggVI/edit?usp=shari



Rotarian Passing

Liz Thwing

Liz was a member of Delta Rotary and a frequent visitor to our club. Her husband Randy was a Past President, active and highly respected member of Eugene Rotary for many years. Prayers for the family and Delta Rotary.

Club Board Nominations

Nominating Committees:

Rob Laney, Chair with Karen Scheeland and Ed Barclay
Dan Montgomery, Chair with Jay Silverman and Scott Palmer
Tom Gilmour, Chair with Jennifer Geller and Bart Poston

Club Board is a 2 year commitment. It is an honor and privilege to serve the Rotary Club in this way.

Committees will announce nominations on November 16
Elections on December 7



Vocational Visitations

In pre pandemic times our club had organized small groups to meet at a member's workplace. It provided the opportunity to become better acquainted and learn about the business or organization of fellow Rotarians. The groups met once a month at a date and time to be agreed upon at the initial formation. If you are interested in participating, please contact Craig Smith at craig2611@yahoo.com by the end November. If there is enough interest, meetings could start in January. To maximize the benefits of the activities the meetings need to be in person, and not by Zoom.



Holiday Party

Dear Rotarians, It was so great to see a lot of you last meeting in person! Looks like we can do the holiday party on December 21! Need to get an approximate head count of who is coming for the live event, including kids and grandkids. Soon! So we can plan. Thanks! Gregg Fuller and Monica Wilton of the Social Committee.



Eugene Rotary through the years



For many years the Great Rotary Duck Race was a big event for the entire area and the organizations it funded.

TRF Video

Rotary International Video on TRF. You DO belong to an international network of humanitarians!

Once Upon a Time - The Rotary Foundation



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4L9xgreBkTs>

Henge Day!

Holiday celebrated many parts of the world.



Rotary Club of Eugene

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

Rotary club membership represents a cross-section of the community's business and professional men and women. The world's Rotary clubs meet weekly and are nonpolitical, nonreligious, and open to all cultures, races, and creeds.

Rotary membership provides the opportunity to: Become connected to your community. Work with others in addressing community needs. Interact with other professionals in your community; assist with RI's international humanitarian service efforts. Establish contacts with an international network of professionals. Develop leadership skills. Involve family in promoting service efforts.

Eugene Rotary Celebrating 100 Years March 2023!



Zoom -Full Link

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