

# Rotary



# Club of Eugene

## Welcome to the 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. [More info.....](#)

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. [More info.....](#)

## June 4 Program - Looking to Listen



This interactive workshop will introduce participants to the concept of mindful listening and how we can use the act of looking at and talking about a work of art as a way to develop our listening skills. By listening mindfully to others, great leaders create a culture of trust and connection, which can in turn drive innovation.

Johanna Seasonwein, PhD, founded The Seasonwein Group after more than a dozen years as a university instructor and museum curator-educator. A dynamic and engaging teacher and coach, she is passionate about the power of art to cultivate critical thinking, improve communication, and increase empathy in our daily interactions with colleagues, clients, friends, and family.

## June 18 Program - Oregon Bach Festival

The upcoming Oregon Bach Festival, which runs June 28 through July 13, continues the long-standing tradition of presenting the finest choral-orchestral works, extraordinary collaborations, and captivating community events. Executive Director Janelle McCoy will walk attendees through this year's festival. The Festival will feature celebrated conductors along with distinguished vocalists and instrumentalists from around the world including world-renowned recorder player Matthias Maute and Grammy-winning organist Paul Jacobs.

We can't wait to see you at the 2019 Festival! More information can be found at [www.OregonBachFestival.org](http://www.OregonBachFestival.org).



## Our Club is Growing!



The board has approved the membership application of Marianne Wood, classification real estate. Please contact President Bart if any questions or concerns. Barring any objections, he will be officially welcomed to the club on June 18. Please introduce yourself to her at our next meeting!

## Club Meeting

Eugene  
Meets at Hotel Eugene  
(formerly Hilton) [\(503\) 212-2000](#)  
6th and Pearl 66 East 6th  
Street  
Eugene, OR 97401  
Time: Tuesday at 12:15 PM

## Events

June 4th  
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - Looking to Listen](#)

June 11th  
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - EUG Airport Success Story](#)

June 18th  
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - Oregon Bach Festival](#)

June 19th  
[Food for Lane County](#)

June 25th  
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - EUGnet Hi-Speed Web in Downtown](#)

June 25th  
[Eugene Rotary Club Board](#)

## Club Leaders



[Albert Poston](#)  
President



[Jennifer Geller](#)  
President-Elect



[Ronald Terry Gietter](#)  
Secretary



[Erik Peter Gribskov](#)  
Club Admin Co-Chair  
Club Executive Secretary  
Treasurer

[Garrett Ledgerwood](#)

## July 9th Meeting - Rick Olson District Governor Change Over

Join fellow Rotarians and honored guests on July 9th for a very special evening event celebrating the change over of our own Rick Olson to District Governor. Rotarians are invited to bring spouses to the dinner and cocktail hour. This meeting will replace the regular noon meeting that day. Stay tuned to the (B)Log for updated information!



## Volunteers Needed - Special Olympics Golf Event



Mark your calendars for July 21st to volunteer at the Special Olympics Golf competition. Join fellow Rotarians as we help our local community at this fantastic event. Contact [Patrick Crawley](#) if you have any questions or would like to help out!

## Welcome Qiong Yao and Anping

Welcome to Meishu's parents, Qiong Yao and Anping, from Chengdu, China. Please introduce yourself at the next meeting!



## Have a Story for the Club Newsletter?



Submit articles for the Eugene Rotary (B)Log to Club Communications Director Jennifer Schumann, [jennifer.o.schumann@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.o.schumann@gmail.com)

## Why are YOU a Rotarian?

Why did you become a Rotarian? What keeps you coming back? How does Rotary support your passions? What is your "two minute elevator speech" when people ask you what Rotary is all about? Send your stories to [Jennifer Schumann](#) for possible inclusion in the newsletter, facebook, and at meetings. Short and



sweet, a paragraph or less

"I became a Rotarian to learn how accomplished and mature people interact with each other and engage in projects bigger than themselves. Now, 10 years later, I continue to learn and, because of my association with other Rotarians, I'm becoming more mature and accomplished in ways I'd never imagined."  
Geoff Koerner



## ROTARY PEACE FELLOWSHIP APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN



Membership Co-Chair



[Ken Vendley](#)  
Membership Co-Chair



[David A. Frosaker](#)  
Rotary Foundation Chair



[Ravitej Singh Khalsa](#)  
Public Image/Relations Chair



[John Sather](#)  
Club RYLA Interact Rotary Adviser Youth Services Chair



[Jay Silverman](#)  
Club Admin Co-Chair



[Gerald Harris](#)  
Club Director



[Jane Eyre McDonald](#)  
Club Director-Vocational Service



[Richard K. Olson](#)  
District Governor Elect 2018-19



[Sherry Schaefer](#)  
Club Director-Club Service



[Jane M. Scheidecker](#)  
Club Director-Community Service



[Jennifer Schumann](#)  
Club Director-Communications



[Andy Vobora](#)  
Club Director-Membership



[Robert C. Laney](#)  
iPast President

[Gregory L. Stewart](#)



The [#RotaryPeace](#) Fellowship application for the 2020-21 academic year is now available. Learn more and start your application today! Application deadline is 31 May

Each year, Rotary awards up to 100 fully funded fellowships for dedicated leaders from around the world to study at one of our peace centers.

[Read More](#)



Eugene Rotary Charitable Trust



[Beth Sheehan](#)  
Assistant Governor



## SUBMISSION TO ENEWS

By Tiffany Bailey



Please submit photos, news, and brags to [district5110enews@gmail.com](mailto:district5110enews@gmail.com). We welcome your news and announcements. eNews is produced in DACdb ezBulletin and sent to active D5110 members via PMail. Please submit your **SHORT** stories and great photos of Club events accomplishments and service projects.

**Submission deadline is Thursday evening the week before publication.**

## Birthdays

- Richard Shugar  
June 2nd
- Susan Sygall  
June 4th
- Monica Wilton  
June 5th
- Gerald S. Moshofsky  
June 6th
- Meishu Zhu  
June 6th
- Todd Anderson  
June 7th
- Jeff Parker  
June 8th
- Richard A Barnhart  
June 12th
- Jean E. Schore  
June 15th
- Eric Lind  
June 18th
- John Doty  
June 19th
- Janelle McCoy  
June 22nd
- J. Ingrid Kessler  
June 24th
- Michael Drennan  
June 24th
- James R. Hanks  
June 26th
- Albert Poston  
June 26th

## Years of Service

- John Wolf  
07-20-1987  
32 Years
- Maurizio Paparo  
07-29-1997  
22 Years
- Gregg A. Fuller  
07-29-1997  
22 Years
- Harry B. Storr  
07-03-2001  
18 Years
- John Raleigh Fox  
07-20-2010  
9 Years
- Michelle A Blackwell  
07-01-2014  
5 Years
- Garrett Ledgerwood  
07-28-2015  
4 Years