

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.....](#)

May 21 Program - Lane County Health Care for All Oregon



Health Care for All Oregon is a statewide coalition of over 120 member and endorsing organizations working to achieve a comprehensive, equitable, publicly funded, and high-quality health care system to serve all Oregon residents. Through grassroots activism, legislative efforts, and community education programs, HCAO aims to pass universal health care in Oregon. Henry Elder, MD

will be presenting and update on what HCAO is doing and why.

May 28 Program - Cascadia Prepared

How prepared are you to survive and recover from the next Cascadia Subduction Zone earthquake? Steve Robinson, of Cascadia Prepared, tells us why, when and how we should be prepared.

Cascadia Prepared was founded in January 2017 and partners with Cascadia Region Earthquake Workgroup (CREW), Red Cross, and others. Cascadia Prepared is sponsored by OCCU, Banner Bank and SAIF among others. ♦ We are a nonprofit organization aiming to recruit thousands of members throughout the Cascadia Region, from Northern California, through Oregon and Washington, up to British Columbia, to help us survive and thrive before, during, and after the coming earthquake. ♦

The Cascadia Subduction Zone is 700 miles long off the coastline of Northern California, Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia. It has an active past with over 28 severe earthquakes in the last 6000 years. There is a great risk that another severe earthquake will happen soon.



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.

Club Meeting

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

Events

May 21st
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - Healthcare for All](#)

May 28th
[Eugene Weekly Meeting - Earthquake Probability and Preparedness](#)

May 28th
[Eugene Rotary Club Board](#)

June 1st
[SYM FEST Social Event](#)

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

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

Club Leaders



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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!



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 joined to make a difference in my community. I love stayed because I am."
Heather R. Klein
Rotary Club of Alleghany County, North Carolina, USA

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



COME ALONG WITH DG BILL

By Bill Grile

DisCon 2019 is now a great memory for the nearly 400 attendees, and it's one for the history books. Four great speakers and a peace theme. A traditional Native American salmon bake. Deckside viewing for a simulated Coast Guard helicopter bay rescue. Tall ship cruises for Sunday morning attendees. A visit by 150 year-old Paul P. Harris (Jim Lussier). Outstanding Four Way Test speeches. Informative breakout sessions. It was a great weekend. Here's a shout out to Best Small Club Jacksonville-Applegate, Best Medium Size Club Rogue Gateway, and



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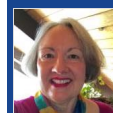
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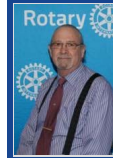


Best Large Club Medford Rogue. And another shout out to Best Small, Medium and Large Club Presidents Dave Price (Lincoln City RC), Diane Buche (Bandon RC) and Tom Wirth (Greater Corvallis RC).

Dream big, have fun and get things done!
[Check out this news article in The World](#)



Club Director-Membership



Robert C. Laney
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Beth Sheehan
Assistant Governor

NEWS FROM OUR OUTBOUND GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE



By Ellen Johnson

We arrived in Israel the night of May 7th, the beginning of Yom HaZikaron. This is a day where Israel stands united with the memory of their thousands of soldiers and victims of terrorism to bless their memories. It's a day to honor that their heroism and selfless devotion has bequeathed the Israelis faith, strength, and courage.

[Read More](#)

Birthdays

- Jay Silverman
May 18th
- Arthur A. Mehas
May 20th
- Sherry Schaefers
May 22nd
- Victoria Whitman Harris
May 25th
- Gregg A. Fuller
May 31st
- 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

BUILDING PEACE BY DEGREES

By Charles Root



Now is the time to consider suggesting someone as a candidate for our Peace Fellowship program. Do you know someone with a bachelors degree and 5+ years of professional experience related to peacebuilding or international development - anywhere in the world, even in your own back yard!

Applications for the 2020-21 Rotary Peace Fellowship program are now being accepted. The due date for candidates to submit applications to their district is May 31. [Review](#) district endorsement instructions.

All of the information needed can be found online at rotary.org/Peace_Fellowships. Or by contacting Chuck at chuckroot1112@gmail.com

Years of Service

- John Wolf
07-20-1987
32 Years
- Maurizio Paparo
07-29-1997
22 Years
- Gregg A. Fuller
07-29-1997

HOW TO PREPARE TO BE A ROTARY PEACE FELLOW



[Click to read more about Peace Fellows](#)

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



SUBMISSION TO ENEWS

By Tiffany Bailey



Please submit photos, news, and brags to 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.
