

### **March 9 Communicator**

Medford Rogue Rotary: Chartered April 20, 1977 President Larry Hildebrandt Past President Host: Jeanne Stallman Bulletin Editor: Debbie Graunke: dmchargue@hotmail.com

Location: Rogue Valley Country Club at 2660 Hillcrest Rd. - ballroom on upstairs level Time: 12:10 pm -OR-Zoom for those Rotarians who are unable to attend the in-person meeting. The zoom link will open at 12:00

Medford Rogue Rotary is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Weekly Meeting Time: Mar 9, 2022 12:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81966218345?pwd=eXY5VUUrT1h5bzQwLzJCelVudkhBQT09

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#### **Involved Rotarians**

Inspirational Moment: Kingsley Kelley Sergeant at Arms: Nancy Walden Greeters: Paul Christy Attendance:Beth Zerkel Technology: John Van Sickle & Scott Morris

## **Upcoming Meeting Schedule**

March 9th Speaker: Kellie Hill & Students Topic: 4-Way Test Speech Contest

March 16th Fellowship Gathering 12:00-1:00 p.m.This is an off-site location: Tour and play at Kid Time, 413 W Main Street

Speaker: Sunny Spicer Topic:Enjoy a special tour before construction is completed and literally play like the kids will in the new Children's Museum. Then walk downtown to one of our many great eateries.

March 23rd Speaker: Ron Kramer Topic: The new Southern Oregon Historical Society event center

March 30th Speaker: Cathy Kemper-Pelle Meeting schedules can be found on our new website. Click Here

# Fellowship:

#### Now - March 27

Make your best guess on the Academy Awards (up until March 27th). Complete your ballot in person or online. The Rotarian with the most correct predictions will receive a bag of popcorn and two movie tickets. The top 4 runner ups will receive a bag of popcorn. **Questions? Contact Barbara Laskin** <u>laskinbarb@gmail.com</u>Click here to download a printable PDF copy

Click here to download a printable PDF copy Academy Awards Ballot

#### March 12

Come play Pickleball or learn how to play. 1-3 p.m. Santos Center, 701 N Columbus. Family and friends welcome. After play, meet at HBL Pubbery & Brewery 1100 N Central for celebratory drinks and snacks. **Contact Kellie Hill <u>kellie@therightnutritionplan.com</u> 541-951-5564** 

# **Volunteer Opportunities**

**Rogue PowerPack Backpack Program:** You will have an opportunity to volunteer with not only our club members but members from other area clubs.

ACCESS & Rogue Powerpack Program provides backpacks full of nutritious, child-friendly food to elementary school children who are receiving free breakfast or lunch at school during the week but are lacking adequate food at home over the weekend. Backpacks are filled every Friday from 9-11 to ensure they do not go hungry while away from school. There are also options to drive and deliver prepared sacks of food to different school routes. To SignUP on dates that work best for you, click this link: https://signup.com/go/UhgfKmB.

For any questions, please contact Danette Moss at <u>dmoss@laclinicahealth.org</u>.

#### Signature fundraising event June 24-26 2022 Pickleball Tournament

Our first tournament was a great success! The steering committee is already planning our next tournament. If you would like to join in the fun, we are looking for you! Please contact Cheryl Dyer @ <u>cherylddyer@yahoo.com</u> or Debbie Graunke @ <u>dmchargue@hotmail.com</u>.

**Board of Directors News:** Board of Directors meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 4:30 via zoom. If you have an agenda item, please contact President Larry. The meetings are open to all club members. Contact Debbie for the meeting link or <u>Click here</u>

**New Member Applicants and Sponsor Responsibilities:** The Membership Committee has revised the mentor program for new members. Instead of the committee assigning a mentor, the new member's sponsor will now be responsible for that role. Sponsor/mentor responsibilities will include assisting the new member with finding the right fit for two committee assignments, accompanying the new member to a fellowship event, and also sitting with the new member at two or more of our regular meetings in order to introduce them to fellow Rotarians. We hope that these changes will help to quickly integrate the new members into our club.