



MAY 20, 2025

## Events

May 22nd

### Weekly Club Meeting

**Speaker:** Jim Lanzarotta - PE for Sisters Rotary with Cooper Merrill - Sister HS Student

**Subject:** Consortium of Central Oregon Rotary Clubs - Ten Friends program in Nepal

## Birthdays

Mathew Free  
May 20th

John Meyer  
May 23rd

Janice Burges  
May 23rd

Charan Cline  
June 6th

Rick Nissen  
June 6th



## This Week's Luncheon Meeting



Our guest speaker this week will be Rotary Club of Sisters PE **Jim Lanzarotta**, along with Sister's High School student **Cooper Merrill**. They will be discussing the Ten Friends program in Nepal.

**Please reply to: [rotaryredmond@gmail.com](mailto:rotaryredmond@gmail.com) if you are attending. If you plan to invite a guest, please provide their name.**

## Unified Sports Tournament



**Unified Sports BBQ and Kickball Tournament** takes place this **Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**. This is a day filled with camaraderie, community spirit and fun activities! The kickball tournament aims to promote inclusivity and support children with disabilities through sports and recreation. It takes place at the **Redmond Rotary Fields** within the David M. Jaqua Sports Complex on Friday May 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10am – 1pm. We're looking for 2 additional volunteers to basically MIX IT UP!! **We need a couple of volunteers:** One at the kickball fields to keep the games on time and music playing and a volunteer at the check-in table to hand out packets and to answer any questions, then help everyone with the Scavenger Hunt! **Contact Sharon Calhoun** at 458-264-1991 for any questions or to volunteer!!

## Paul Harris Achievements



Congratulations to Linda Davis and Janice Burges. Linda received her gold plaque for placement on the PH banner and Janice received her PHF+3 pin. The Paul Harris Fellow recognition acknowledges **individuals who contribute, or who have contributions made in their name, of \$1,000** to the Rotary Foundation.

## District Conference in Grants Pass

Redmond was represented at the  
2025 District 5110 Annual



Conference by AG Keever, President Paul, Joe K, and Sarka. Great to fellowship with members of other clubs. The conference had great speakers, a very interesting 4-way speech contest, with entertainment by the Youth Exchange students. Grants Pass

was a nice visit with amusing bear sculptures scattered all over the city. Here's a video summary of the event, (starring Sarka) ----> [CONFERENCE](#)

## Weekly Member Profile

### Keever Henry - Assistant District Governor

Keever Henry was inducted into the Rotary Club of Redmond in September 2017. Having married Kristin Henry (Rhode) in greater Seattle in 2016 and planning to take over the family business someday, Keever moved down to Eagle Crest with his folks including fellow Rotarian Father (Butch Henry). Hitting the ground running when moving to Central Oregon was at the top of Keever's priority list




and he found various ways to do just that. You would therefore find Keever singing cover songs with the local bands down at Brassie's Bar, the Silver Leaf, or other locations, since Keever has always felt in his element the most with a microphone in his hand. Keever plunged into local high school coaching including stints with Mt. View HS Track, Trinity Lutheran Cross Country, Obsidian MS Wrestling, and (most recently) Ridgeview HS Golf. Keever graduated from Leadership Redmond with the Chamber of

Commerce, taught Spin cycling classes at the Redmond Athletic Club, and even put in 200+ shifts at Juniper Golf Course in the Pro Shop and with Golf Maintenance. Once this integration in the community was achieved, Keever was ready to take it to the next step.

Starting in 2023, Keever took over as Assistant District Governor for the four clubs of Redmond, Crook Co, Jefferson Co, and Sisters. Learning and growing in the relationships between and among clubs in the area has been a delight and Keever is already dreading moving on from the AG position because it's been such a joy. In 2026, however, Keever will join the staff of the annual President Elect Learning Seminar (PELS) as a Learning Leader teaching the very courses he took as President Elect for Redmond in 2020. A 2020-21 "Covid Presidency" (if you will) gave Keever the chance to serve Redmond during a turbulent time in which Rotary met over Zoom and Hybrid meetings. While Keever takes pride in never missing one Zoom meeting during his presidency, there's a distinct feeling of missing out a bit which certainly drives the desire to keep aspiring to new heights and avenues of service. Not the least of which included interviewing to be the overall 5110 District Governor for 2027-2028 in Eugene this past Fall.

Keever attended Kelso HS in Kelso, WA; then completed a BS in Manufacturing / Supply Chain MGMT from Western Washington University; then completed an MA in Coaching / Athletic Administration from Concordia, Irvine. Keever is a licensed real estate agent in Oregon with Keller Williams Realty. The family business is property management including owning and operating RV/Boat storage facilities in Washington and Idaho along with local rentals. An avid golfer and overall athlete, you'll see Keever trying to keep the pounds off on his road bike while



also stubbornly insisting on walking / carrying his golf clubs around Central Oregon. Keever is happily married to Kristin, the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Language Arts teacher for Sisters Middle School. Keever and Kristin are dog parents to Oscar, their 16lb Maltese / Yorkie / Pom. Keever is a dedicated, accomplished Rotarian.

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