



Week

of August 27, 2017

## Nominations Open

By Tim Mobley

2017-08-20



Club nominations for District Governor for the 2020-21 Rotary year are now open. The application packet was sent to each club president. If your club president can't find it for you, contact me and I'll send you one. We are looking for a few good women and men to apply. This district has a strong history of leadership and with your help it will continue. Nominations from club will close at midnight on October 13th, provided we have at least one qualified candidate. Contact PDG Tim Mobley at 541-944-4235 or [tkmobley1415@gmail.com](mailto:tkmobley1415@gmail.com) for an application.

There are those that hesitate to apply for two main reasons. The first reason is that it costs a lot of money to be a DG. This is a myth and isn't true. Rotary International provides a stipend that covers most of the DG's expenses during their DGN, DGE, and DG years. There are expenses that are prepaid that one has to wait to recover. The second reason is that it takes a lot of time. This is true. It does take time and is a lot of work. It however, is an amazing incredible experience that most DG's wouldn't trade for the world. Have an amazing and rewarding experience, have your club nominate you to be our 2020-21 District Governor.

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## District Membership Moment

By Michele Kellison

2017-08-27

**What is your Why?**  
Why did you join Rotary and



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why do you stay in Rotary? According to the study by Siegel + Gale ; the majority of people join Rotary because they want to **impact their**

**community.** When asked why they stay in Rotary; the majority **stay** because of **friendships**. The more you engage your club's members the more likely you are to keep those members. What are some ways that you can help members find the connection that will turn them into engaged Rotarians? Below are just a few ideas used by clubs around the District to forge that gap and help get and keep their members engaged.

- Assign one or two club members to engage new members. Have them call and ask them to meetings or social events, sit with them and introduce them to other club members and find a common interest between them. " Joe grew up in Ohio also ..."
- Host smaller club social and community service events involving family members.
- Handwritten cards to acknowledge personal events or to let a member who has not been attending that you have missed them and that their Rotary club is there for them if they need anything.
- Meal trains for club members who need help for a temporary time period or who are homebound.
- Assign club leaders to reach out to EACH club member for a coffee, lunch or drink. Ask the club member why they joined Rotary and listen! The one on one will facilitate communication and you will learn many things about your club members and your club and you will find out how you can engage that particular member.

Do you have a unique way your club helps engage new and existing members? Please share it with the District Membership Committee. [Michele@mkcpa.us](mailto:Michele@mkcpa.us).

Beth and Michele  
Your District Membership Committee Chairs

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## Group Study Exchange (GSE)

By Rae LaMarche

2017-08-20

We're looking for Team





Members & Team Leaders!

**Applications due: September 30, 2017**

**Interviews: Sunday, October 8, 2017**

**Applications available on DacDb: Files: Group Study Exchange: 2017-18GSE**

District 5110 is sending an outbound team – comprised of one (1) team leader and four (4) team members – departing February 12, 2018 to District 4250 in Guatemala, returning to Oregon on March 6, 2018. Each team member, excepting the team leader, will be expected to pay \$700 to help defray training expenses – the team will meet approximately four (4) times prior to departure.

District 4250 is comprised of Rotary Clubs in both Guatemala and Honduras, although this trip will not visit the latter. The team can expect a vocational day in each city visited, with many cultural and historical sites/visits interspersed. A tentative schedule includes travel to Guatemala City, the Rio Dulce, Flores and the Tikal Ruins, Coban, Atitlan, Quetzaltenango, IRTRA, Retalhuleu, Abaj Takalik, Finca Café y Hule, and Coatepeque. The trip will culminate in La Antigua, Guatemala, shortly after the District Conference March 1-3, 2018.

The Group Study Exchange (GSE) program is a unique cultural and vocational exchange opportunity for men and women in their initial years of professional life. GSE participants follow an extensive and rigorous program of international travel and team activities that allow participants to fully immerse in local culture. Launched in 1965, this dynamic program has built a successful track record at the personal, community, and international level. With good planning, a goal-driven itinerary, and active participation of dedicated Rotarians, a Group Study Exchange can be an exceptional educational experience for both the visiting GSE team and Rotarians in the host country.

The program focuses on two main elements:

#### Vocation

- Opportunity for team members to observe vocations as practices in another country
- Ability to ask questions, share ideas, and develop professionally

#### Cultural

- Participants study another country, its people, language, and institutions through experiences in an organized and safe program
- Develop appreciation for diversity worldwide

- Meet and communicate with at least five host families, and live with each other in the spirit of friendship and goodwill

#### Team MEMBER Requirements

- Be currently employed for at least two years in any recognized business or profession on a full time basis
- Be 23 to 40 years of age
- Must work or live in Rotary District 5110
- Must be a citizen of the US
- Language training recommended, but not required
- Can be either Rotarian or non-Rotarian

#### Team LEADER Requirements

- Fluent in Spanish
- Active Rotarian in one of District's 5110's amazing clubs
- Good physical health
- International travel experience
- Well organized and ability to be flexible if changes arise
- No age requirement

#### Costs

District 5110 does an amazing job of providing for our GSE program. This is a priceless experience for the GSE Teams. For each team member, District 5110 provides the most economical round-trip ticket between the home and host country, while generous local Rotarians in the host area provide meals, lodging, entrance fees, and group travel in their district. Team members are responsible for all personal and incidental expenses incurred before (including gas to team meetings, purchase of host family gifts), during (souvenirs), and after the study tour.

For questions regarding GSE, contact GSE Chair Rae LaMarche  
[5110GSE@gmail.com](mailto:5110GSE@gmail.com)

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## Ever Think About Helping To Save The World?

By Charles L. Root

2017-08-27

If so,  
you  
belong  
to the  
right





organization. The Rotary Foundation gives us Rotarian's many ways to be involved. One of the easiest is to partner with other Rotary clubs. And the easiest way to do that is to attend our quarterly grants meetings. The next one will be at our annual Rendezvous on October 20-21st. Many other opportunities can be found at [rotary.org](http://rotary.org)

Some countries even encourage projects like the one mentioned below.

Are you looking for an international project?

Are you looking for a partner?

Find them in our XIII Ecuador Rotary Project Fair!!

It is our pleasure to invite you and your Club to attend our XIII Rotary Project Fair to be held in Guayaquil at the Hotel Oro Verde on **Friday 17th , Saturday 18th , and Sunday 19th of November, 2017.**

A project fair is a program which enables Clubs to find international partners for developing humanitarian projects financed with Global Grants. During this three-day Rotarian encounter, Ecuadorian clubs will exhibit their projects to visiting Rotarians who will learn about them and, if interested, make agreements for joint work and support.

Besides the convenience for choosing an international project, visitors will personally meet their promoters and other local Rotarians establishing important partnerships as well as long lasting friendships

It is also an opportunity for Clubs to fulfill the requirement of participating in an international project in one of the 6 Areas of Focus outlined in the Future Vision Plan in order to obtain the 2017-2018 Presidential Citation.

We have also selected exciting and high-end excursions to the worldwide known Galapagos Islands; to the Amazonian Jungle; to Quito, Otavalo and the Andean Sierra; to Vilcabamba - well known for the longevity of its population - and to other exciting destinations.

Please visit our district webpage [www.rotaryecuador.org](http://www.rotaryecuador.org)

**Gustavo Perez** <http://www.rotaryecuador.org>

**Governor**

**District 4400 – Ecuador**

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## Submissions to eNews

By Mark C. Walker

2016-07-12

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.

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## Wine Social

By Deanna McRae Brandt

2017-08-27



Fern  
Ridge  
Rotary  
Club  
meets  
the  
*last*

***Friday of each month*** for a Wine Social.

The Social is held at Valhalla Winery in Veneta, Oregon, 6-9 pm.

Bring finger foods are ok or buy food from the food truck. There is live music.  
ALL are welcome.

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## Rotary Club of Corvallis Charity Event Supporting Meals on Wheels

By Lee Strandberg, PhD

2017-07-01

The Rotary Club of Corvallis is hosting a major charity event for Meals on Wheels on Aug 31st at Garland Nursery in Corvallis.

Meals on Wheels (MOW) in Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties is in danger of being cancelled or dramatically cut back because of a \$250,000 budget shortfall. (see attached documents for event details and MOW details). Please publish the event handout in the next District 5110 Newsletter and encourage Rotarians to volunteer and financially support Meals on Wheels in their local communities and purchase tickets to the August 31st Charity Event.

Cancelling or cutting back on Meals on Wheels places our most vulnerable population in great danger of increased illness as well not having access to food. We are in danger of having local at risk residents using the local ambulance as a cab ride to the hospital to get food.

The Council of Governments, the local federal agency funding MOW, can no longer support the deficit without drastic program reductions or outright cancellation.

We have emailed all Rotary Clubs in Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties as well as over 1000 City Managers, Mayors, County Commissioners in addition to MOW volunteers and others associated with the Council of Governments to raise awareness of this serious issue and to solicit their support for MOW in all of their communities. Fellow Rotarian, Fred Abousleman, is CEO of the Council of Governments and can



Join us for

## Tapas and Treasures!

Garland Nursery  
5470 Northeast Highway 20; Corvallis  
August 31st; 5:00 - 8:00 pm

**Tapas and Treasures** is a Rotary Club of Corvallis signature fundraising and social event, which brings together people from all over the Region to enjoy a night of comradery, great food, and entertainment. The event will support the *Meals on Wheels* program of Linn, Benton, and Lincoln Counties.

*Musical Entertainment* by the Ancient Ways of the Marimba Ensemble.  
*Catering* by Wild Pear from Salem, OR.

Thank you to our generous donors for our Treasures: artwork; gift certificates for local businesses and restaurants; jewelry; food and wine; football tickets; and much more!

For more than 30 years, *Meals on Wheels* has provided nutritious, hot meals, and connection to local seniors and those with disabilities. The program reduces senior food insecurity and supports independent living by providing congregate and home-delivered meals, safety checks, and wraparound service referrals. *Meals on Wheels* provides more than a meal for our seniors and those living with a disability in our tri-County Region.

Founded in 1923, the *Rotary Club of Corvallis* is an active service club, which brings together community leaders to provide humanitarian service, through high ethical standards, to build goodwill and peace around the world.

Event tickets are \$50. For more information about *Tapas and Treasures* or for tickets, visit:

# TapasAndTreasures.org



**MEALS on WHEELS**  
LINN. BENTON. LINCOLN



respond to your questions in great detail. <http://www.ocwcog.org/>

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## Lane County Rotaract

By Kristen Bartels

2017-08-20

Link:

Please join us for  
Lane County Rotaract's  
**ONLINE  
AUCTION**

**MAKE A  
BID FOR  
A CAUSE!**

Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup> 8am  
To  
Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup>  
10pm

All proceeds go towards  
sponsoring a new oven and  
cribs for the women &  
children's center at the  
Eugene Mission!

Auction items & bidding will take place on the Lane County  
Rotaract's facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/lanecountyrotaract/?fref=ts>

There will be 10 baskets to bid on, including;

1. Chef's Night In: LCR's private chef will host a dinner for up to 4 guests.
  2. 6 hours of Private Spanish Lessons.
  3. Website Design for your club or company.
  4. Vintage Kitchen Basket donated by Retro Rejuvenation.
  5. Leave the kids at home: We will watch up to six kids while you and your friends have a night on the town!
- ...Plus Many More!



Got Questions: [lanecountyrotaract@gmail.com](mailto:lanecountyrotaract@gmail.com)

More information: <https://www.facebook.com/lanecountyrotaract/?fref=ts>

## 8th Annual Salmon Bake

By Peggy Carlaw

2017-08-20

The

8th Annual  
**Salmon Bake**

Jacksonville - Applegate Rotary Club

**Sunday September 10, 2017**

**5:00pm • \$25**

**Hanley Farm, 1053 Hanley Road  
Central Point, OR 97502**

- Evening includes live performance by T.C. and The Reactions, auction, wine raffle and grilled salmon dinner catered by Jacksonville Inn and Bella Union.
- Proceeds will support Rotary's Global Clean Water Initiatives
- \$25 per ticket, or \$250 for a premium reserved table for 8 people
- No host bar, serving local beer and wine from Valley View Winery and EdenVale Winery.
- Kids welcome

**Rotary**

**Jacksonville Applegate**



To purchase tickets,  
email [campanella2003@gmail.com](mailto:campanella2003@gmail.com)  
[www.jacksonvilleapplegaterotary.org](http://www.jacksonvilleapplegaterotary.org)



Jacksonville-Applegate Rotary Club cordially invites you to join us for the 8th Annual Salmon Bake taking place on Sunday, September 10, 2017 from 5pm to 8:30pm at historic Hanley Farm in Central Point, OR. Proceeds from this family-friendly event will support Rotary's Global Clean Water Initiative. Thanks to fund raised last year, we were able to complete a well in Tanzania. Next year, we'll be providing in-home water filters in Mexico.

Tickets are \$25 or \$250 for a reserved table of 8. The evening includes a live band,

auction, wine raffle, a salmon dinner catered by the Jacksonville Inn and Bella Union Restaurant, and plenty of fun and Rotary fellowship. There will also be a no-host bar serving local beer and wine from Valley View Winery and EdenVale Winery. For information on purchasing tickets, visit [www.jacksonvilleapplegaterotary.org](http://www.jacksonvilleapplegaterotary.org).

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## Support Our Veterans

By Mary Carol Roberson

2017-08-27

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**PLAY GOLF & BENEFIT  
COOS COUNTY VETERANS**

**WHEN: Monday 9-11-2017**

**WHERE: Bandon Crossing Golf Course**

**TEE TIME: 10:00 AM Shot Gun Start**

**COST: \$70.00 includes green fees,  
cart and lunch at 3:30 PM and cash bar**

**REGISTRATION: Bandon Crossing Pro Shop  
541-347-3232**

**CASH AWARD: Hole in One \$10,000**

**No handicap required.**

**Just a fun day to support our Vets.**

**SPONSORS: Coos Bay Toyota**

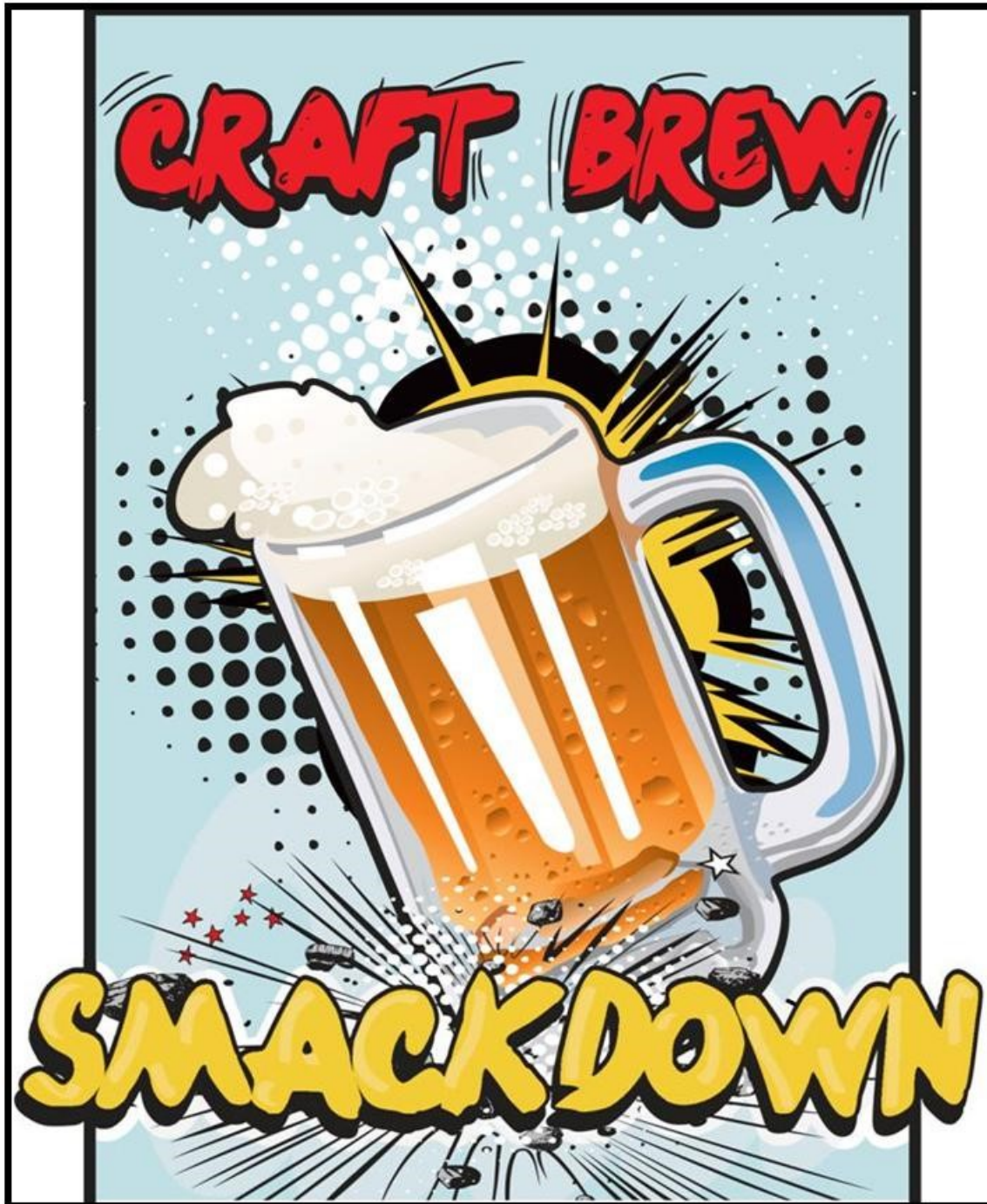
**Bandon by the Sea Rotary Club**



**NET PROCEEDS GO TO SOVO  
SOUTHWESTERN OREGON VETERANS OUTREACH**

**If you need additional information, please call Art 541-551-1696**

The  
Greater  
Albany  
Rotary  
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Historic Carousel & Museum and the Albany Downtown Association cordially invite you to join us for the 6th Annual Craft Brew Smackdown taking place on Saturday, September 23rd, 2017 from 2pm to 7pm. The Craft Brew Smackdown brings breweries, cider houses and distilleries into downtown Albany small business storefronts so that the public can “taste” beer and cid er and visit with local business owners.

Tickets are \$20 for an event-specific tasting glass and ten tasting tickets; you will be able to buy additional tickets along the beer route. Purchase your tickets online, and you will receive two extra tasting tickets!

Breweries, cider houses and distilleries so far joining us this year include: 2 Towns Ciderhouse, 3 Sheets Brewery, 4 Spirits Distillery, Basecamp Brewing, Calapooia Brewing Co., Deluxe Brewing, Ecliptic Brewing, Elysian Brewing Co., Hop Valley Brewing, Lagunitas Brewing, Mazama Brewing, McKenzie Brewing Co., New Belgium Brewing, Oakshire Brewing Co., Pelican Brewing, Sinister Distilling, Spiritopia Liquors, Vivacity Spirits, Wolf Tree Brewery, Worthy Brewing, and more!

And, for the first time ~ we will be adding wineries to the Craft Brew Smackdown, those participating will be included in future updates!

Join us afterwards at one or both of the Smackdown After-Parties being held at Calapooia Brewing Co. and Deluxe Brewing. Live music and food will be at both locations!

There are still sponsorships available starting at \$250, complete with sponsor swag! If you're interested, please email [cbs@craftbrewsmackdown.com](mailto:cbs@craftbrewsmackdown.com).

This event is presented by the Greater Albany Rotary Club as a fundraiser for The Greater Albany Rotary Club, The Albany Historic Carousel & Museum and the Albany Downtown Association.

Website: [www.craftbrewsmackdown.com](http://www.craftbrewsmackdown.com)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/CraftBrewSmackdown/>

Twitter: @CB\_Smackdown

Instagram: craftbrewsmackdown

Email: [cbs@craftbrewsmackdown.com](mailto:cbs@craftbrewsmackdown.com)

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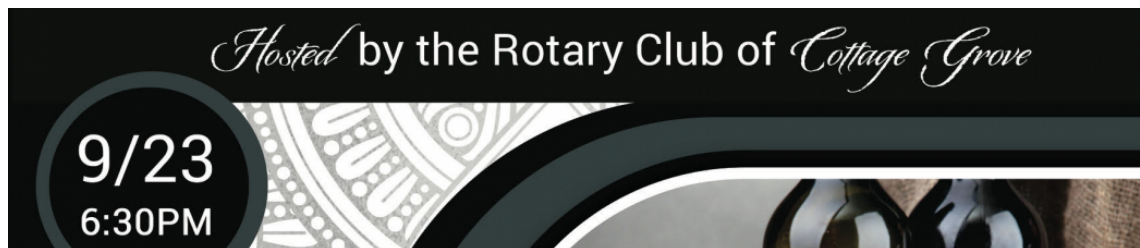
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## Village Uncorked

By Robert J. Ball

2017-08-27

The  
Rotary  
Club of  
Cottage  
Grove  
is  
excited  
to



# THE VILLAGE Uncorked



*An Elegant Evening Under the Stars*

\$40 includes wine tastings, appetizers & dessert



Swing Music by Parsons Band

Auction replete with regional wines and music at the Village Green Resort

*All proceeds benefit children & families in need*

Tickets Available at [www.facebook.com/thevillageuncorked](http://www.facebook.com/thevillageuncorked)

A Special Thanks To Our Sponsors



Rotary



announce our upcoming event, the Village Uncorked.

On September 23, 2017, we will host an evening of wine, music, and friendship at the Village Green Resort to celebrate our efforts to improve the lives and health of children and families throughout the world.

This fundraising event will be a unique experience for Cottage Grove. The event will include wine from celebrated regional wineries paired with unique appetizers from the Village Green's Chef, dessert, swing music from Parsons Creek Band, silent auction, and dancing under the stars in the Village Green's garden. Tickets for the event will be \$40/person and can be purchased on the event Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/thevillageuncorked](http://www.facebook.com/thevillageuncorked). Proceeds from this event will support the Rotary Club of Cottage Grove's efforts to help children and families in need locally and around the world. To be successful, we need your support of this Event! Please plan to attend and bring your friends.

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## Montague Hot Air Balloon Fair

By David J. Herfindahl

2017-08-20

### **Shasta Valley Rotary invites you to our Montague Hot Air Balloon Fair on September 22-24, 2017. Come fly with Smokey Bear!**



We don't remember when Rotary was first asked to assume the responsibilities for organizing, planning, and "putting on" the annual Balloon Fair in Northern Siskiyou County, but we think it was around 1999. The County had been the lead agency for several years as the balloons alternated their base between Etna and the large airport in Montague. A decision to privatize was made by the Board of Supervisors, and after a lot of arm twisting, we said "yes". We knew nothing about the complexities of sponsoring a successful balloon fair, but we were fast learners and had great mentors.

A lot has happened in the past 18 years. Now the festival is a yearly event in Montague and draws crowds from the Western US. It is a family oriented, visually dramatic event that is free to the public, spotlights the beauty of Siskiyou County, and raises awareness and money to support community projects. This annual September event can be a "hands on" experience for those willing to get up early in the morning and help crew for these hot air balloons. We love volunteers!

The event is successful due to the multiple volunteers and service organizations that participate in the event – YMCA, Elks, AAUW, City of Montague, the Rotary Clubs of Montague, Scott Valley, and Yreka, Yreka High School, Montague Elementary School, and others. These non-profit organizations raise money for their own community projects. In addition, their service allows the Rotary Club of Shasta Valley to support

two infrastructure and expansion projects in 2017 – the Siskiyou Family YMCA and the Hibbard Baseball Field. Shasta Valley Rotary gives back to community the profits from this Balloon Fair, and these youth centered activities are the focus for 2017.

This year we are pleased to partner with Klamath National Forest Fire Prevention to bring the Smokey Bear Balloon to fly with us. This 97-foot-tall balloon spreads the word about fire prevention and will be flying for all 3 days of the Fair.

There is a lot going on in Montague during this balloon fair. In addition to the dawn ascensions of the balloons each morning with breakfast at the launch site, Saturday there is a car show, a parade, vendors, and live music in downtown Montague. Saturday evening at 5:00 P.M. Shasta Valley Rotary offers a Sirloin BBQ dinner at the Community Hall (Bowman Catering) with music by Rusty Miller and Friends. Tickets are limited; contact [arherfindahl@gmail.com](mailto:arherfindahl@gmail.com).

Additional information is available on Facebook (Google Montague Balloon Fair Facebook), and on our Club Web Balloon Fair page (Google Shasta Valley Rotary DACdb).



## Port Orford Apple Pie Contest

By Theresia Hewitt

2017-08-12





**2nd Annual**  
**APPLE PIE CONTEST**

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2017—5:00 PM**  
**American Legion Hall**

**Join the Fun! Bake a Pie! Watch the Judges!**  
**Are you going to win?**

**\$75 First Place / \$50 Second Place / \$25 Third Place**

**Contest is sponsored by Curry Transfer & Recycling**



**FOR CONTEST RULES VISIT**  
**[www.PortOrfordRotary.org](http://www.PortOrfordRotary.org)**

## Events

### August 2017

- 08/25 - Youth Exchange - Inbound Orientation
- 08/29 - DG Visits Jefferson County (Madras)
- 08/30 - DG Visits Lakeview

### September 2017

- 09/05 - DG Visits Illinois Valley (Cave Junction)
- 09/06 - DG Visits Grants Pass
- 09/06 - DG Visits Rogue Valley After 5
- 09/07 - DG Visits Rogue Gateway
- 09/08 - DG Visits Greater Grants Pass
- 09/10 - Interact District Mid-Summer Board Meeting
- 09/10 - Salmon Bake
- 09/12 - DG Visits Eugene Metropolitan
- 09/14 - DG Visits Eugene Southtowne
- 09/15 - Rotary Friendship Exchange: Incoming Romania Moldova D2241
- 09/16 - Rotary Leadership Institute
- 09/17 - Tribal Style Salmon Bake
- 09/19 - DG Visits Florence
- 09/20 - DG Visits Lincoln City
- 09/21 - DG Visits Toledo and Newport - Joint Meeting
- 09/22 - DG Visits Springfield Twin-Rivers
- 09/23 - Craft Brew Smackdown
- 09/23 - Village Uncorked
- 09/26 - DG Visits Eugene
- 09/27 - DG Visits Springfield
- 09/28 - DG Visits Cottage Grove

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**October 2017**

- 10/03 - DG Visits Ashland Lithia Springs
- 10/04 - DG Visits Medford Rogue
- 10/06 - Interact District Training Assembly
- 10/10 - DG Visits Albany
- 10/12 - DG Visits E-Club State of Jefferson
- 10/14 - Youth Exchange - 2nd Inbound Orientation
- 10/17 - DG Visits Crook County
- 10/18 - DG Visits Bend
- 10/19 - DG Vi sits Redmond
- 10/20 - AG Training
- 10/20 - Executive Committee
- 10/20 - Rendezvous - Foundation Dinner and Seminar
- 10/24 - World Polio and Purple Pinkie Day
- 10/24 - DG Visits Greater Albany
- 10/26 - DG Visits Brookings, Port Orford and Gold Beach - Joint Meeting
- 10/27 - DG Visits Bandon
- 10/28 - G2M - PETS Board of Directors and OPCOM