



Week of February 19, 2017

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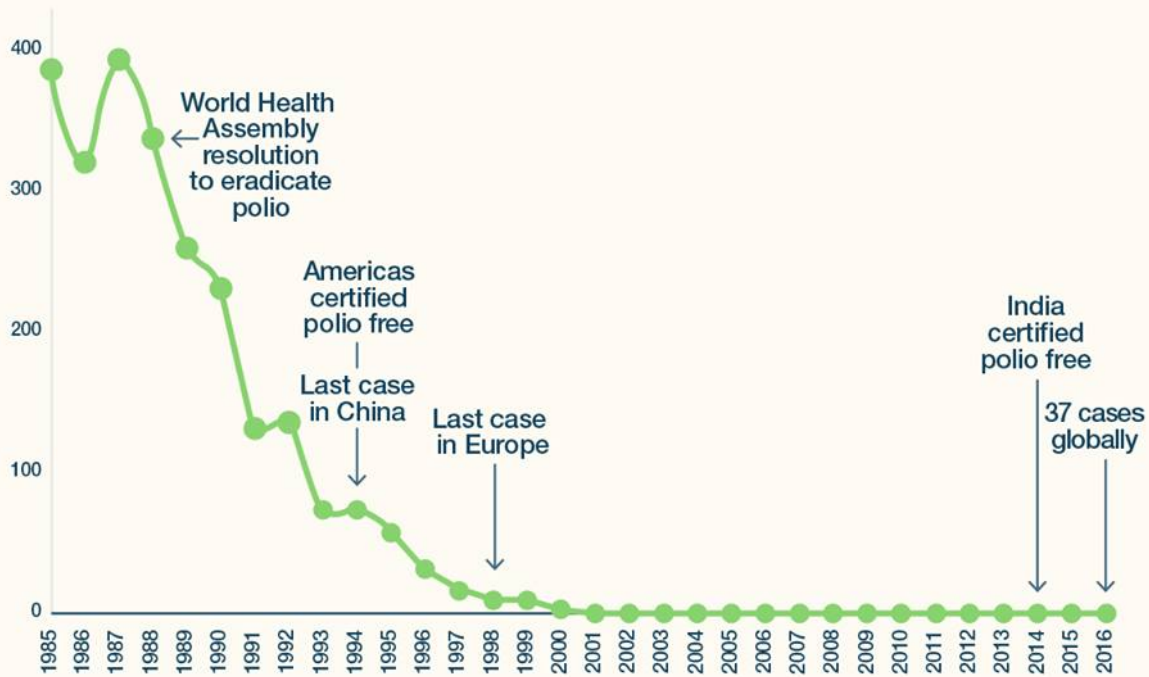
By Cort Vaughan

2017-02-17

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Don't Back Down

New polio cases, 1985-2016, *thousands*



Source: WHO/GPEI

"We're inspired by the infinite persistence of [Rotary International](#). They

were leading this fight long before we joined it, and they've just kept moving forward. They know that going from 350,000 cases to 37 is amazing, but success is zero." - [Melinda Gates](#)

Read more in [Bill Gates and Melinda Gates' Annual Letter](#): <http://b-gat.es/2kZgzMM> .

End Polio Now

By Cort Vaughan

2017-02-04



District 5110 focuses on Polio eradication in February. We are half way through the Rotary year and half way to our goal of \$150,000 for PolioPlus. Plan a fundraiser or make a donation.

<https://www.endpolio.org/donate>

“The global strategy synthesizes decades of eradication knowledge and experience and makes it available to polio eradicators wherever they work and whoever they work for.” - Reza Hossaini, Director of Polio Eradication at UNICEF? <http://endpol.io/2jjDG1U>

What Does It Feel Like to Be In an Iron Lung?

By Charles L. Root

2017-02-17



Dispatched to Ghana with a fellow British Rotarian to scout club service opportunities, Roger Frank hadn't planned their visit to coincide with National Immunization Days. But the pair – Frank and Dr. Carl Hallam – jumped, unhesitating, into the thick of inoculations. Frank has built his own iron lung replica to teach a new generation about polio. [Read more of the story.](#)

From the Resolution Committee

By John G. Cox

2017-02-10

One of the responsibilities of the Resolution Committee is to distribute to all member clubs of our District, at least one month prior to the district conference, all proposed resolutions, other than those of a congratulatory or commendatory nature, and to refer to the succeeding Resolution Committee all resolutions proposed by any member club with are received too late for the achievement of such distribution within the month



preceding the district conference.

This year the District Conference is May 18 thru May 21 in Albany.

We Need You!

By Bill Woodard

2017-02-17



ShelterBox a Rotary inspired humanitarian volunteer driven disaster aid organization, the largest club project in Rotary's history and Rotary's first Project Partner is looking for individuals in District 5110 to help spread the word and fundraise.. Ambassadors are the face of ShelterBox in their communities. Our Ambassadors are tasked with making contact with Rotary clubs and service clubs,

religious, professional, and youth groups, then explaining to them the ShelterBox mission – thus building awareness of the organization through their public engagements. The ShelterBox story, what we do, how we do it and the impact we have on families in need is a positive one and a wonderful examples of "Service above Self" in practice.. We are looking for representation in Bend, Coos Bay, Medford/Ashland and other communities in District 5110. Be part of a team that has a terrific orientation and training programs to get you started and keep you in the know. To learn more go to <http://www.shelterboxusa.org/> or better yet contact Bill Woodard, wr_woodard@msn.com .or call [503-799-6482](tel:503-799-6482).

Stove Team Opportunity

By Nancy Sanford Hughes

2017-02-10



**Oct. 28-
Nov. 5
2017**

Learn to make
clean cookstoves
Explore Antigua
Visit families and
donate stoves
\$1500+Airfare

Volunteer in GUATEMALA

Celebrate the Day of the Dead in Antigua, Guatemala while promoting life-saving and fuel-efficient cookstoves to replace dangerous open cooking fires.

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Submissions to eNews

By Mark C. Walker

2016-07-12

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.



Rotary Clubs in Josephine County Win Awards

By Gina Marie Agosta

2017-02-10



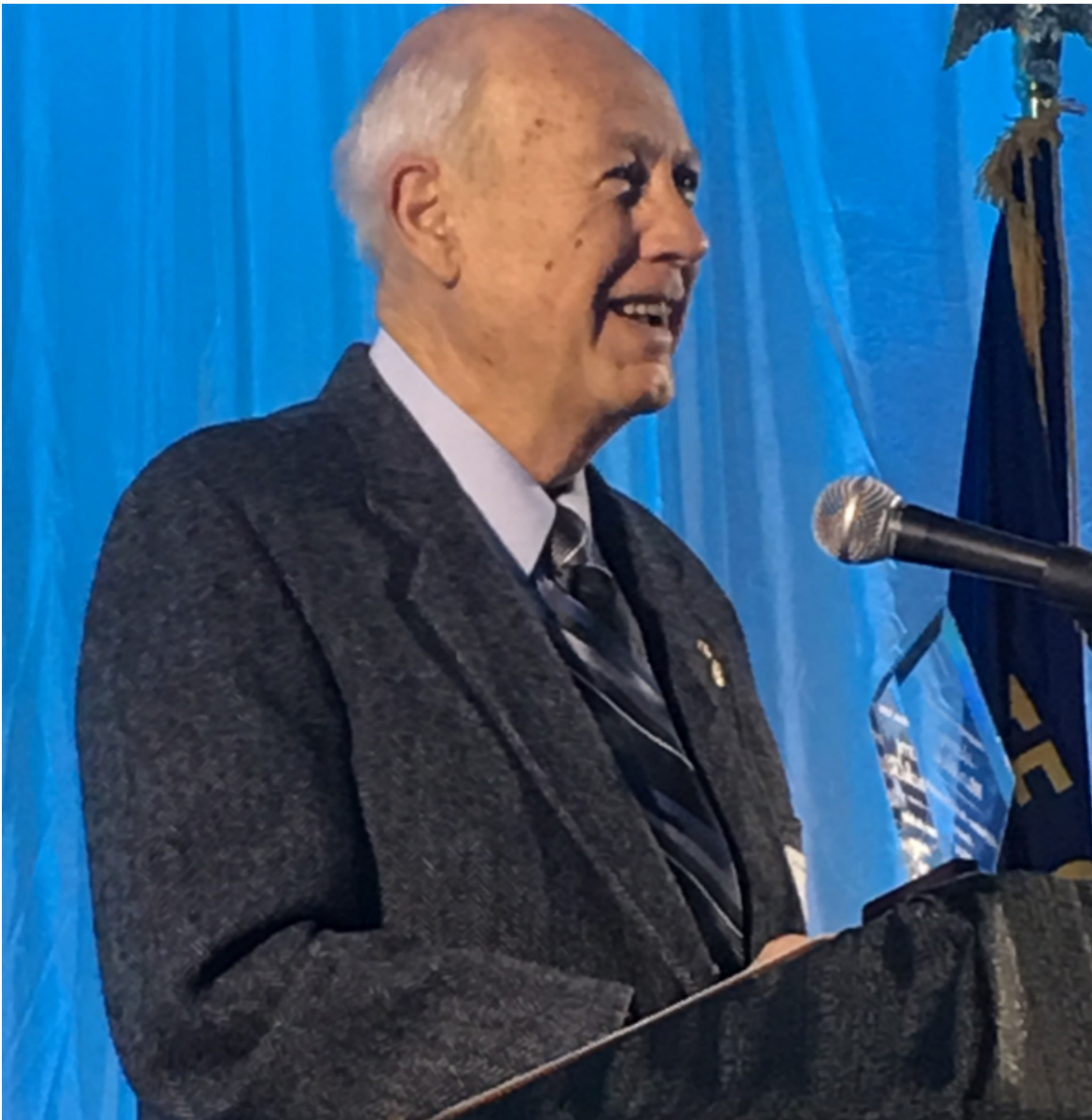
AG Gina Marie Agosta and Dennis Roler, chair of the Rotary Duck Derby, accept the Community Spirit Award on behalf of the 4 Rotary Clubs of

The Rotary Club of Grants Pass, Rogue Gateway Rotary Club, Rotary Club of Greater Grants Pass, and Rotary Club of Illinois Valley were all recognized on January 28th by the Grants Pass & Josephine County Chamber of Commerce with its 2016 Community Spirit Award. The four Rotary Clubs were recognized for their contributions to the local community through their combined efforts of the Rotary Duck Derby. Over a million dollars has been raised in 14 years and has gone to support projects such as: Morrison Centennial Park, all-weather tracks at all 4 area high schools, a warehouse for the Josephine County Food Bank, Boys & Girls Club teen centers, and a covered amphitheater at Wildlife Images. This year, proceeds from the 15th annual Duck Derby will support a spray park at Riverside Park and 4H livestock pens at the Josephine County Fairgrounds.

Also recognized at the Chamber Awards Dinner were Grants Pass Rotarian

Karla McCafferty with the Spears Award for Healthcare, and Rogue Gateway





Harry Mackin, member of Rogue Gateway Rotary, was recognized with the Lifetime Achievement Award.

Rotarian Harry Mackin with the Lifetime Achievement Award.

Rotaract in Action

By Frances Dixon

2017-02-17



Rotaract members of the No Borders Club, sponsored by the State of Jefferson Rotary eClub, spend a community service day teaching indigenous youngsters to read in northwest Guatemala. Raised at home in their native Mayan language, these children must learn a second language, Spanish, the country's national language. With primary school oftentimes closed, many don't begin to learn to read and write until they are 10 and 11 years old. Rotaract members are there to give them a head start!

Cabin Fever

By Louise Vintonne McNeil

2017-02-10



CABIN FEVER

- or -

Dancing with Wolves



A new melodrama
written by: Madeleine Ayres,
Dee Jones & Annie Kramer

With performances on:



Fri. & Sat.

Feb. 17 & 18 @ 7 p.m.

Doors open at 6 p.m.

Fort Jones Community Center

\$15, includes drinks & hors d'oeuvres

Benefits Rotary Club of Scott Valley

Fri., Sat.

Feb. 24 & 25 @ 7 p.m.

Etna Avery Theatre

\$10 advance, \$12 at door

\$5 students 12 and under

Sun.

Feb. 26 @ 2 p.m.

Etna Avery Theatre

\$10 advance, \$12 at door

\$5 students 12 and under



Laugh away your
cabin fever!
Cheer the hero and
boo the villains!

Directed by: Madeleine Ayres
Artistic Director: Dee Jones
Original Music By: Annie Kramer

Proudly Underwritten By
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Advance tickets can be purchased at: Scott Valley Banks
in Yreka, Etna, and Fort Jones; Nature's Kitchen in Yreka; and Martin's
Experienced Items in Etna.



Join the Rotary Club of Newport Oregon at the 2017 Newport Seafood & Wine Festival

By Robert (Rob) W Wienert

2017-02-10

It wouldn't be winter on the coast without the Newport Seafood & Wine Festival. Showcasing over 150 premier Northwest wines, culinary professionals and regional artisans, the Newport Seafood & Wine Festival draws nearly 25,000 visitors each year" seafoodandwine.com. Be sure to stop by The Rotary Club of Newport's booth to see our local volunteer Rotarians hard at work. The Rotary Club of Newport will be pouring tastes and glasses of wines from Rober Mondavi Winery in Oakville California brought to us with the help of Columbia Distributors. The festival takes



place February 23rd-26th in South Beach. See you there!

Pints for Polio - Bend Pub Walk

By Cort Vaughan

2017-02-04



Get a group friends together and join us for the Pints for Polio - Bend Pub Walk to support Polio eradication worldwide! Sample specialty craft beers at over a dozen pubs.

Saturday, March 4th

\$25 in advance/\$30 day of event.

Get your tickets in advance online at www.pintsforpolio.org
Questions: pintsforpoliobend@gmail.com

All of the proceeds will be donated to The Rotary Foundation PolioPlus in support of global Polio eradication.

What is included?

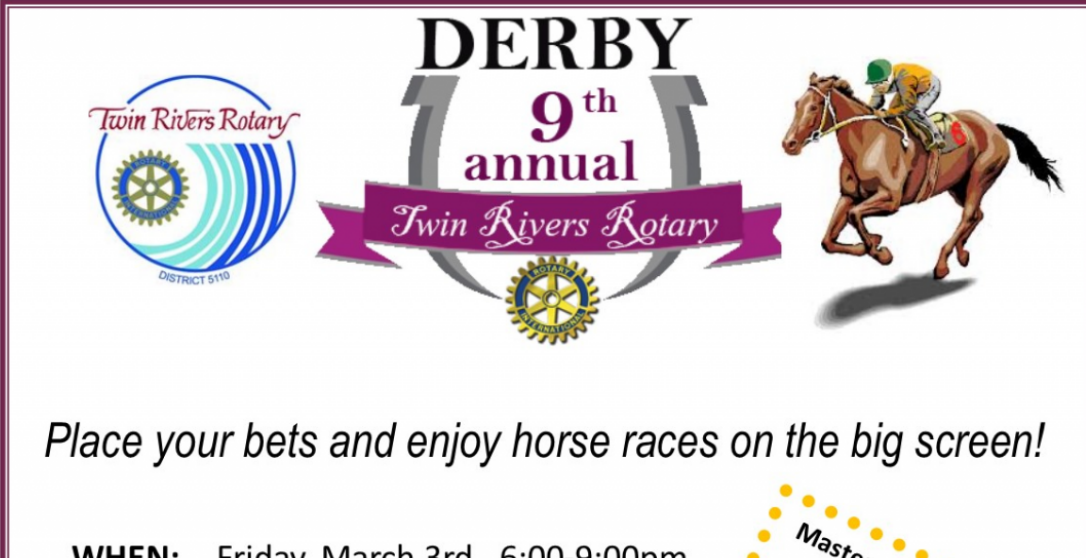
- Commemorative End Polio Now mug
- Map to the participating pubs
- 6 ounce specialty craft beer at over a dozen pubs

CHECKIN: Upstairs at Summit Saloon, 125 NW Oregon Ave, Bend.

Twin Rivers Rotary 9th Annual Derby

By Nikki Rizzardini

2017-01-20



The poster features a central horseshoe graphic containing the text "DERBY 9th annual" and a banner with "Twin Rivers Rotary". To the left is the Twin Rivers Rotary logo (District 5110) and to the right is an illustration of a horse and jockey. Below the horseshoe is the text "Place your bets and enjoy horse races on the big screen!". At the bottom left, it says "WHFN Friday, March 3rd 6:00-9:00pm" and at the bottom right, there is a logo for "MasterCard" with yellow dots.

DERBY
9th
annual
Twin Rivers Rotary

Place your bets and enjoy horse races on the big screen!

WHFN • Friday, March 3rd 6:00-9:00pm

MasterCard

WHERE: Friday, March 31st 6:00-9:00pm

WHERE: Springfield's Holiday Inn
919 Kruse Way

WHAT: Tickets \$50 : heavy appetizers, drink ticket, and starter script

Buy video horses, bet on horses, and have the chance to win!

Excellent Silent Auction Bar Raffle Cupcake Wall



Saddle up and see you there!

For more information, contact your favorite Springfield Twin Rivers Rotary member or
Nikki Rizzardini at nrizzard@gmail.com



Greater Grants Pass First Crush Event

By Nancy Venuti

2017-01-29

The Rotary Club of Greater Grants Pass Presents:

First Crush

2017



Tickets:
\$40

Supporting Wineries & Breweries

Cliff Creek Cellars
Cricket Hill Winery
Devitt Winery
John Michael Champagne
Longsword Vineyard
Plaisance Ranch
Rosella's Vineyard
Schmidt Family Vineyard
Schultz Wines
Shasta View Vineyard
Slagle Creek Vineyard
Troon Vineyards
Valley View Winery
Wild River Brewing

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Casa Amiga
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Taprock Northwest Grill
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Gourmet Foods (Cont.)

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Saturday
March 4th
4pm-7pm

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or at:

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Proceeds to benefit The Women's Crisis Center, JOCO Foodbank
The ROC Food Pantry, River City BMX, The Boys & Girls Club,
CASA, Local College Scholarships and other organizations
that support children and families.

Southtowne Wine and Salmon Festival

By Deanna L. Rivera

2017-01-14



Save the Date!

March 4, 2017

Doors open at 5:00pm

Lane Community College

*Wine Tasting, Salmon Dinner,
Silent & Oral Auction.*

Tickets \$65 | SouthtowneRotary.org





Corvallis Half Marathon

By Samm Newton

2017-01-07



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HALF MARATHON

SUNDAY, APRIL 9TH

9:30AM START

FINISHES AT RESER STADIUM PLAZA

FOOD, MUSIC, & VENDORS

BEER GARDEN WITH:



5K

SATURDAY, APRIL 8TH

10:30AM START

1K/1 MILE FAMILY FUN RUN

SATURDAY, APRIL 8TH

11:30AM START

SPONSORED BY:



Scott Valley Golf Tournament

By Louise Vintonne McNeil

2017-02-10



Sign Up Sheet For
**Rotary Club of Scott Valley
Twenty Fifth Annual Golf
Tournament**



To be held at Weed Golf Club
Format - 4 person Team Scramble

PRIZES GALORE!!!!

Saturday - April 22, 2017

8 AM registration--9 AM shotgun start

Free donuts, coffee, soft drinks, hamburgers, and polish sausage.

For more information, call:

Bob McNeil ----- (530) 468-2608

Email: mcneilcpa@sisqtel.net

Or any Rotary Club of Scott Valley member.



Please return bottom portion of sign up sheets and entry fee of **\$65** per person which **includes** green fees and **CART**. **Carts will be assigned in the order of paid entry fees received, so sign up and pay early in case the club runs out of carts.** (\$40 for Weed Golf Club members arrange own cart) by April 15. Make checks payable to the **Rotary Club of Scott Valley**.

Mail to: Rotary Club of Scott Valley
c/o Bob McNeil
P.O. Box 899
Fort Jones, CA 96032

ALL PARTICIPANTS: PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR MAILING ADDRESS & GHIN#

	<u>Name</u>	<u>email Address</u>	<u>USGA ghin# *</u>	<u>Phone #</u>
1.
2.
3.
4.

Team Captain's Phone Number:* If no ghin# please put none.



Eugene Rotary ArtSpark

By Ravitej Singh Khalsa

2017-01-20



ArtSpark has been officially announced at the January 10th meeting of the Rotary Club of Eugene. The goal of the project is to fund artists in residence at area schools. Budget cuts at schools has resulted in a cut in arts programs. Rotary is coming to the rescue in Eugene by funding and volunteering time with artists who come in to classes and conduct art lessons with projects. Rotary Club of Eugene has been doing this as an experiment for a year and it has been highly successful. Long time reports indicate kids are more engaged in learning when involved with art. And Important esteem build occurs. Self expression and exploring creativity make for more balance in school. The ultimate goal is to reach all kids within four years. The event in April will be fun and festive and promote both arts in the schools and Rotary in the community. You can see a video of the January 10th presentation on the eugenerotary.org website or view directly at the club vimeo site: <https://vimeo.com/199481735>

Events

February 2017

02/03 - Rotary Friendship Exchange: Outgoing South Africa D9320 and 9350

March 2017

03/04 - 11th Annual First Crush

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03/09 - Youth Exchange - NAYEN Conference, Calgary, Alberta
03/11 - DRFC - District Rotary Foundation Committee
03/11 - Auction - Dancing for the Stars of Tomorrow
03/11 - Million Dollar Dinner
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03/22 - Rotary Friendship Exchange: Outgoing Team visits New Mexico
03/25 - 4th Quarterly Grants Meeting