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Greater Corvallis Rotary Assists Senior Centers

By Lee Eckroth on Tuesday, April 7, 2020



Some Greater Corvallis Rotary magic came to the area's senior centers Monday as Eric Ely and his wonderful wife, Regina, made deliveries of much needed snacks, entertainment, games and hand sanitizer to eight local senior homes all while exercising social distancing. COVID Committee Chair Daniel Sidder and Ely did the project coordination as Jenny Bouman made calls to arrange for the deliveries. And the whole club ponied up more than \$1200 to handle the expense through their Zoom meeting Friday and the weekend on social media.

[Click here to read about this effort and more at the website.](#)

Coos Bay Club Garden Box Effort Now Benefits Foster Homes

By Eva Ellen Germaine Shimotakahara on Tuesday, April 7, 2020



From a Coos Bay World article by Amanda Linares

There's something special about growing your own food. It's a feeling Dr. Steven Shimotakahara wanted to share with others some time ago.

Dr. Shimotakahara, the chairman of the board of the North Bend Medical Center, board certified ENT physician and husband to Coos Bay Rotarian Eva Shimotakahara, donated over 20 garden boxes to local foster families throughout Coos County as a way to encourage their children to eat more vegetables. A community-based project, which was started by Dr. Shimotakahara about two years ago, however, the program came to halt after schools statewide were ordered to close their doors by Oregon Gov. Kate Brown last month to combat the spread of the novel coronavirus.

Not wanting the garden boxes to go to waste, Dr. Shimotakahara donated the boxes to the NBMC employee group and to Every Child Coos County. The funding came a number of organizations including the Bay Area Hospital Community Foundation, OHSU, the *Coos Bay/North Bend Rotary Club* and many more.

[Read more by clicking here.](#)

75 Rotarians participate in virtual April 4 Grants Meeting

By LeAnn Mobley on Tuesday, April 7, 2020

The Quarterly Grants Meeting was held via GoToWebinar on April 4th. The District Rotary Foundation Committee thanks the 75 attendees who attended [live](#), there was lots of



information sharing and the committee approved a global grant by the Jacksonville-Applegate club. If you were not able to attend here is a link to the recording of the meeting.

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/170274075232377358>

You will be asked to register and will receive the link immediately. Highlights of the meeting, along with the changes to the District Foundation Policy Manual by the Executive Committee are available on the District's website under the Foundation tab.

Southtowne's Waugh Appreciates B2B

By Daniel J Smith on Monday, April 6, 2020



DISTRICT 5110 BUSINESS OF THE WEEK: Chris Waugh, Leader Support Service, LLC

Each week, D5110 will announce a Business of the Week already featured in the D5110 B2B Directory, starting first with businesses that have upgraded from the FREE B2B listing to either Bronze, Silver or Gold options.

Our first BUSINESS OF THE WEEK RECOGNITION goes to Leader Support Service, LLC, whose principal is Eugene Southowne President-elect, Chris Waugh. Chris is one of B2B's early adopters. She recognizes the benefit of promoting her business in the District directory with a Gold subscription costing only \$45 for a full year. Check out Chris's business at

<https://5110b2b.org/business-listing/leader-support-service-llc/>

You have been selected to have a FREE listing in the new Rotary District 5110 Business Directory. This free listing is a member benefit, available to you at no cost because connecting Rotarians and vocations is at the heart of Rotary's core values. [Click here](#) to go to the B2B website page for more details.

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