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## 5110 In Action eNews

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### Rotarian Polio Survivor Featured on Portland TV

By Cynthia O'Neil on Tuesday, July 21, 2020



Our very own Greater Bend Rotary member, Cort Vaughn, polio survivor and former PolioPlus Zone 26/27 Coordinator was interviewed on KATU News. Worth putting this in the eNews I think! Cort is also well known for his fabulous fundraiser called **◆Pints for Polio◆** in Bend which has netted the PolioPlus fund about \$10,000 annually for the last several years.

KATU (ABC) in Portland interviewed Cort last week regarding the parallels between Polio and COVID-19. Here is the link: <https://katu.com/news/coronavirus/polio-survivor-shares-similarities-to-coronavirus>. Way to go Cort! A great speaker potential for any club!!!

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### Rotary Clubs to lead provocative issues conversation

By Judith Corwin on Tuesday, July 21, 2020



A year full of provocative topics will be discussed by Rotary Clubs in District 5110, promises Paul Nicholson, District Trainer from the Rotary Club of Ashland. The topics will be part of a new virtual series titled Rotary Now!/leading Change. Each month, participants will learn from experts and have a conversation regarding an important topic of our times.

Headlining in August is Aimee Walsh (pictured left), District Governor Nominee, from the Rotary Club of Eugene Metro. Ms. Walsh's topic, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, is pertinent for today. Participants will be asked to register, receive some articles to read, the participate in the conversation. Ms. Walsh will facilitate on **Thursday, August 20 (NOT August 24)** at 7 p.m. by Zoom.

In September, Paul K. Chappell (pictured right) of the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation will talk about Peace Literacy. This national speaker will lead the program by Zoom on Thursday, Sept. 17 at 7 p.m. Registration will be required on DACdb.

Find the link on the Rotary Website [Calendar](#).



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### Zoom Fatigue? Innovative Opportunities from the Field!

By Cynthia O'Neil on Tuesday, July 21, 2020



District Governor Cindi O'Neil has heard some very cool ideas recently from Clubs trying new ways to make membership during the COVID-19 pandemic fun, memorable, and all the while serving their communities too! Rotarian Ron Chandler of the Rotary Club of Lincoln City suggests the **Rotary Cache Mob**.

Club members mob their favorite restaurant, all on the same day, and order take out. One local restaurant owner reported that the 16 Rotary members who patronized his business made all the difference in his suffering cash flow that day. Same Club, different day, Lincoln City Rotarians cleaned a beach, maintaining safe social distancing. Members checked off items on their beach clean-up bingo cards. **Beach Bingo Winners** are then announced one evening during the Club's Facebook Live event.

Fun, memorable, and **doing good** in their community. [Bravo Rotary Club of Lincoln City!](#) Click the bravo for the full story!

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## Group Cultural Exchange with Rae LaMarche

By Judith Corwin on Tuesday, July 21, 2020



District 5110 is proud to announce a Group Cultural Exchange (formerly Group Study Exchange) with District 9400 in Africa. A team of 3-4 team members plus a team leader will travel to District 9400 in April 2021, just in time to celebrate their district's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Both teams will return to Oregon together and attend our District Conference. Each team will spend 3-4 weeks abroad and each team member's cost is \$700 to help defray training and materials expenses. The team will meet approximately five (5) times prior to departure. The program focuses on two main elements.

[Please go to the District Website to learn more details and register.](#)

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## 5110 B2B OF THE WEEK: Dr. Karl Jernstedt and Morgan Veterinary Hospital

By Bill Grile on Tuesday, July 21, 2020



This week's **BUSINESS OF THE WEEK RECOGNITION** goes to **Dr. Karl Jernstedt** and **Morgan Veterinary Hospital**, a full-service, professionally accredited veterinary medical facility located in downtown Coos Bay. The professional and courteous team at **Morgan Veterinary Hospital** provides the best possible medical, surgical, dental care, education, and wellness for their loved patients. **just a phone call away.**

Dr. Karl Jernstedt, a long-time member of Coos Bay-North Bend Rotary Club, is a very dedicated and engaged Rotarian and generous supporter of The Rotary Foundation. Check out **Morgan Veterinary Hospital** at <https://5110b2b.org/business-listing/morgan-veterinary-hospital/>. These FREE listings are a member benefit, available at no cost because connecting Rotarians and vocations is at the heart of Rotary's core values. District 5110 hopes you will contact Rotarian Dan Smith ([dan@dewaga.com](mailto:dan@dewaga.com)) if you have questions or need help, or visit the B2B website at [www.5110b2b.org](http://www.5110b2b.org).

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**Spoiler Alert! Watch for DG CINDI'S big announcement in next week's eNews**



District 5110's online Business Directory called B2B, which stands for Business to Business, is a program that has grown and continues to evolve. Next week, DG Cindi will be announcing exciting program enhancements designed to give practical support to businesses in our District. *To celebrate our Business Directory and the new enhancements, next week's D5110 Business of the Week will celebrate a very special Rotary entrepreneur without whose business, Rotary International would never have gotten off the ground,* DG Cindi told eNews last week.

Why does District 5110 care about supporting local businesses? *We want healthy businesses in our District so that these will be financially able to allow their owners and employees to be #PeopleOfAction as engaged Rotarians,* said DG Cindi. Read eNews next week for a major announcement.

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