



Week of September 24, 2018

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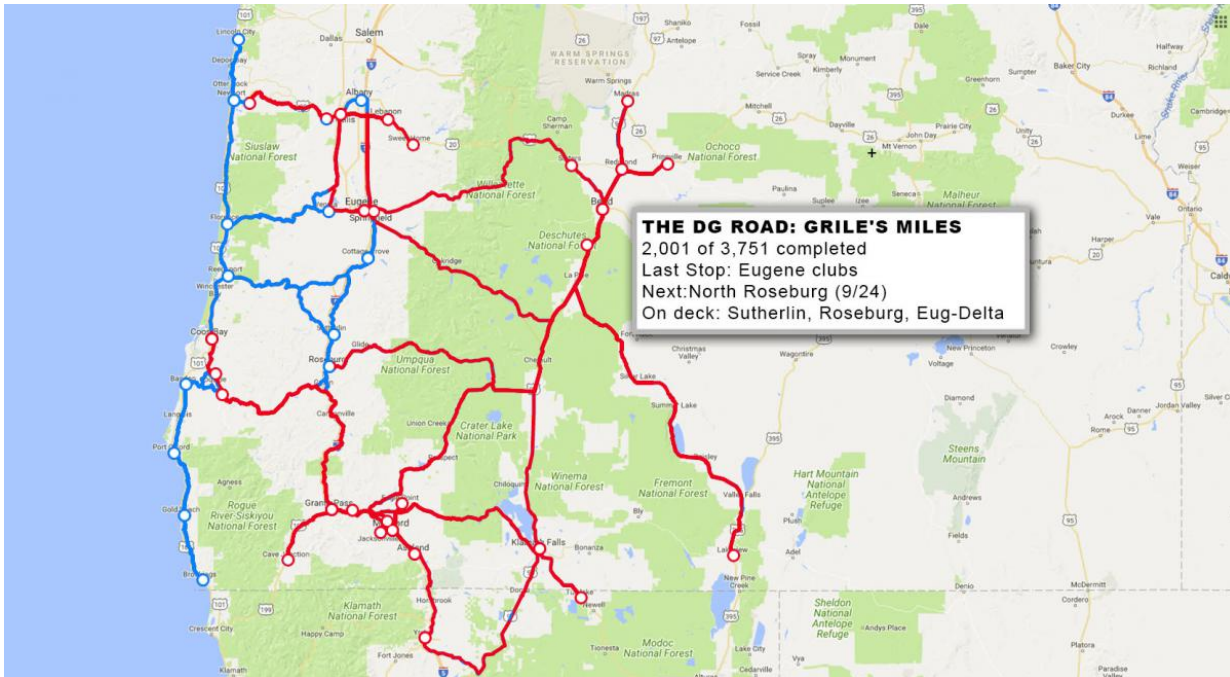
By Bill Grile

DG BILL BLOG #12

SEPTEMBER 20, 2018

GRILE MILES UPDATE: 2001 OF 3713

Follow DG Bill Grile's visits to Rotary clubs as he crisscrosses District 5110.



Last Stop: Eugene Clubs
 Next: North Roseburg, OR
 On Deck: Sutherlin, Roseburg, Eug-Delta

IMPORTANT SEPTEMBER DATES

SEPT 26 DISTRICT GOVERNOR NOMINATIONS DUE
SEPT 28 THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CELEBRATION
SEPT 29 PRIORITY ONE MEMBERSHIP TRAINING
SEPT 30 ISRAEL GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE DEADLINE

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL SEPTEMBER FOCUS: LITERACY AND EDUCATION

More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. That's 17 percent of the world's adult

population.

Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy. We support education for all children and literacy for children and adults.

EMPOWERING MAYAN GIRLS THROUGH LITERACY

By Rick Francona



The [Rotary EClub of the State of Jefferson](#) has aligned with the Rotary International goal of literacy through its signature international project, “Let’s Leave No Girl Behind.” This year’s District Matching Grant project will empower indigenous Mayan girls to become literate in Spanish, the *lingua franca* of Guatemala, which is the girls’ second language.

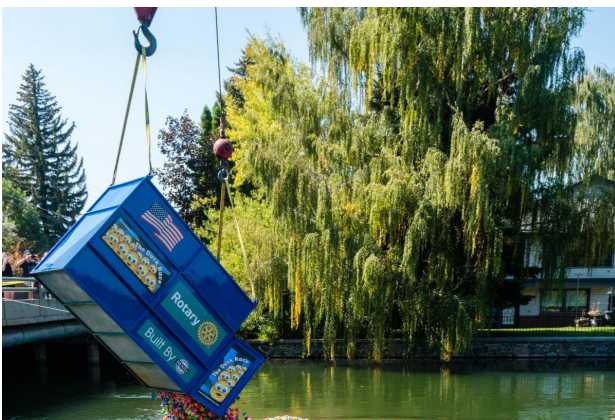
Quality education is offered via scholarships at Maya Jaguar, the Adopt-a-Village in Guatemala educational center, a groundbreaking learning community located in a remote rain forest. The center was founded by club member Frances Dixon

of Grants Pass, Oregon, and is managed by two other club members in Guatemala.

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GREAT DRAKE DUCK RACE ACHIEVES 3-YEAR MILESTONE

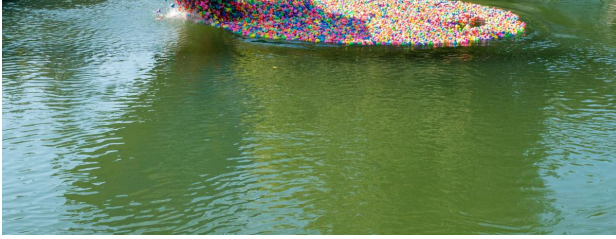
By Julie Brown



Rotary Club of Bend's 29th Annual Great Drake Park Duck Race achieved its goal: to raise over \$100,000 in duck ticket sales to support community non-profits which enrich the lives of local children.

“For the third year we’ve met and exceeded our goal,” said Cindi O’Neil, Rotary Club of Bend member and this year’s Duck Race chairperson.

“The Credit Unions Working Together Campaign” provided critical sponsorship funds that increase the



pass through dollars that will support several community non-profit organizations including the Bethlehem Inn Kitchen, J Bar J Vocational Project, Court Appointed Special Advocates, The Kids Center, The Giving Plate, Morning Star Family Relief Nursery and the Shepherd's House.

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HARVEST TIME IN ASHLAND

By Kathleen H. Cooper



It is harvest time at the Rotary club of Ashland's garden project! Club members and other volunteers work in partnership with The Ashland Emergency Food Bank and The Ashland Food Project to deliver thousands of pounds of fresh food to the community members who need it the most. In 2010, long-time Rotarian Ned Schaff and his wife Stella gave us the opportunity to create a Rotary Garden on a 1/2 acre of their amazingly fertile soil. This enabled us to support local families with fresh produce during the

growing season. We grow peas, beans, onions, potatoes, beets, kale, spinach, radishes, tomatoes, carrots, zucchini, squash and of course, pumpkins! It is an easy and fun way to come together as Rotarians and serve our community. Just a few hours of volunteering reap tremendous rewards!

HELPING HUMANITY YARD SALE

By Laura Macagno-Shang

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First Annual Metro Rotary
Helping Humanity Yard Sale

SATURDAY

September 29, 2018

8am – 3pm

**735 Almaden St.,
Eugene, OR**

THIS EVENT WILL RAISE FUNDS FOR LOCAL
AND INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

SUPPORTED BY THE EUGENE METROPOLITAN ROTARY CLUB

For information about Metro Rotary, follow us on Facebook or Rotary
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SUBMISSION TO ENEWS

By Tiffany Bailey

Please submit photos, news, and brags to district5110news@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.



Events

September 2018

09/28 - Rotary Foundation Rendezvous Celebration Dinner

09/29 - Priority One - Membership Rally

09/30 - GSE Applications Due

October 2018

10/02 - TRF4U (Rotary Foundation For You)

10/05 - Youth Exchange - 2nd Inbound Orientation

10/06 - Membership 120

10/13 - AG Training

10/14 - RYLA 2019 Committee Meeting

10/19 - Big West Rotaract Conference

10/24 - World Polio Day

10/26 - PETS Board of Directors & OPCOM (DG, DGE, DGN)

10/26 - INTERACT DISTRICT TRAINING ASSEMBLY

10/26 - Interact District Board of Directors Quarterly Meeting

10/27 - Interact District Training Assembly 2018

10/27 - Quarterly Grants Meeting