Engaging business and community members to support youth and those in need



The Issaquah Squaker November 2021

November Meetings

Nov 2nd 5:30 p.m. at Big Block Brewery Howard Cohen, District Governor

> Nov 8th 5:30 p.m. on ZOOM Board Meetings

Nov 9th Noon at Depot MuseumErica Maniez, Issaquah Historical Society

Nov 16th 5:30 p.m. at Big Block Brewery New Members' Classification Talks, Chris Laux and Dave Halling

Nov 23rd Noon at School District 5150 Bldg.
STEM Student of the Month Awards

Nov 30th 5:00 p.m., Location TBD 5th Tuesday Club Social

December Meetings

Dec 7th 5:30 p.m. at Big Block Brewery Kathy Johnson, Classification Talk 2.0 Lisa Haynes, Issaguah Food Bank

> Dec 13th 5:30 p.m. on ZOOM Board Meetings

Dec 14th Noon at School District 5150 Bldg. English/Soc Studies Student of the Month Awards

> Dec 21st and Dec 28th Holiday Break—no meetings

Sept & Oct Board Meetings Highlights

- Reviewed lunch pricing with now higher meal costs. No change for now; continue monitoring.
- Reviewed Community Service spending plan that aims to build the Club's brand/public recognition by prioritizing unmet community needs & Youth.
- Approved District Grant proposal for renovation costs at The Teen Garage (case mgr. work space).
- Approved PR funds to update Club brochures.

New Member

A former member of the Rotary Club of Tillamook (Oregon), Beau is the third Rotarian recently joining the Club after relocating to our area. **Welcome!**



Beau Pulliam Classification: Food Scientist



Birthdays (week) Ann Hegstrom (3rd week)

Club Membership Anniversaries

Megan Adams Dorothy Mann Fernando Martos



Debbie returns from a bad fall and wins the Raffle for the first time!

Meet the Interact Club's Leaders



Gibson Ek Students Caitlin & Cara



Club Member Cassie

- This year's focus on Youth includes Co-Presidents Janine& Gordon's goal to form an Interact Club.
- Cassie stepped forward as the Club's lead, having been a member of an Interact Club. She has been joined by two students whom are using the work of forming the club as part of their project-based curriculum at Gibson Ek.
- ➤ The team meets twice-weekly at the Teen Garage. Their workplan is to have a club formed in early 2022.
- Our Community Service committee has reserved funds to support the club's formation and early activities.
- Thanks, Cassie, for increasing our Club's focus on Youth!

October Activities

Pub Nights



Carl tells of his time in the rock concert business, dealing with some 4-Way Test type situations. And his Elvis souvenir jacket still fits!





Bhavna presents the Club's first Tree-of-Life member appreciation award to Scott, noting his leadership of our Food Bank support.

Social Meeting with KIWANIS CLUB OF ISSAQUAH







With over 20 Rotarians and 10 Kiwanians, it became SRO with food overflowing the tables. Humbled by losing Janine's Issaquah Trivial Contest, we regained our pride after John needed to inform Kiwanians the origins of the word "Kiwanis."

Salmon Days







Without a parade route on which to hold our annual 5K Run, Craig designed a Salmon Days event that was an experience all groups enjoyed, while increasing our community presence. It proved very popular with a nearconstant waiting line, even during Sunday's rain. A big thanks to Craig and all helpers! Thanks also to Dorothy for Banner Bank's sponsorship!

Student of the Month



Members and parents filled the School District's Board Room to kick off this year's Student of the Month program, recognizing World Language students.



Post Office Fall Clean Up

Heat wave damage repaired and Post Office grounds are lookin' good again.



