

# North Notes

## Spokane-North Rotary Club

March 17, 2025

- **Mar. 24<sup>th</sup> – First meeting at Ruby River Hotel!** Rob Worstell, Will Simons, Museum of Arts and Culture (MAC)
- **Mar. 31<sup>st</sup>** - Adam Swinyard, Spokane Schools Superintendent; Garrett Jones, Director, Spokane Parks and Recreation

### Announcements

- Next Monday (3/24) will be the club's first meeting at the Ruby River Inn. Ruby River Inn is located at 700 N Division St, Spokane, WA 99202. Parking is plentiful and free.

### Happy Bucks

- **Steve Boharski** was happy to have been skiing at 49° North
- **Teresa** enjoyed spending classroom time with her grandchild
- **Deena** held her new grandson on Sunday
- **Janine** announced that her (and **Scott's**) son got engaged
- **Bill** said that wife **Reneé** was visiting a club meeting for the first time
- **Dave** had a great time on his Mexico vacation
- **Jerry** enjoyed his night at the theater
- **Eric** showed off his striking new profile after taking a couple too many shots to the head in his boxing match

## Building a New Generation of Leaders



Debi Dockins and Kevin Sharrai gave us an overview of the RYLA program. RYLA stands for Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and is an intensive leadership experience organized by Rotary clubs and districts where young adults develop skills as a leader while having fun and making connections.

RYLA is open to young adults ages 18-25. Each RYLA session is eight days long, with each day running from 7 am to 9 pm. Usual attendance is fifty to sixty participants. Each day is full of special sessions on everything about leadership and stewardship.

Clubs can sponsor one or more attendees, chosen by the club. The cost is \$800 plus transportation to/from camp. This summer's session will be held on the University of Idaho campus from June 28th to July 5<sup>th</sup>.

A new feature this year is that the district will enroll participants into Rotaract at the camp. They can then easily join their local Rotaract program or even start a new one in their area.

Applications can be found at the District 5080 RYLA website: [www.ryla5080.org](http://www.ryla5080.org)



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