

Members Present: Alfredo Alvarado, Margie Davidson, Josh Fields, Yasuko Fields, Jennifer Harbick, Don Jones, Byron Kellar, Frances Moore. Lisa Pickert

Guests: Erica Popick Kevrekian, Andy Roberts, Cyra Sadowl

President Lisa opened the meeting at 5:00 p.m. with an inspirational poem by our new RI President, Shekhar Mehta, ending with this year's RI motto: *Serve to Change Lives*.

OLD BUSINESS

- We have 30 people signed up for the 8:30 a.m. trash pick-up this Saturday! Frances and Margie will come at 8:00 a.m. to set up equipment and check people in. Everyone else get half an hour more sleep.
- Lisa has reserved the Village Ballroom on 8 October from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. for our Bingo Night fundraiser. She needs volunteers to help organize the event—and to round up additional tempting prizes. Don has applied to several Oregon casinos for guest packages, but isn't sure if they will respond by 8 October.
- Let Lisa and Don know if you want to pack food boxes on 12 November at the Wood Village Fred Meyer. We will have \$6,500, including \$2,500 from our District grant, unless COVID-19 regulations at the time prohibit our use of the store site.
- We will vote on our committee's updated club Bylaws at our next meeting (1 Sept.)
- Remember to send Lisa a photo of yourself to add to our school bus website picture.

NEW BUSINESS

- Lisa has attended two meetings of the Toastmasters Rotary Club to see what they do. She is thinking of doing something similar at our meetings, as an educational perk to add to our meetings—and to our personal skills.
- Let Lisa know if you think of other activities/projects you'd like our club to have.
- Rotary has a "How You Got Started in Rotary Slam" contest. The winners get a free visit to the next RI Convention in Texas. We could participate by sending our 2-3 minute personal story to www.Rotarystoryslam.com. Sharing them at meetings could also be a good way to learn more about each other.
- We need to organize a club Foundation meeting very soon, to organize our giving year. Members of the Foundation board: Bob Rosenkranz (Pres.), Mark Cooksey (Treasurer), Byron Kellar, Don Jones and Frances Moore.

MEMBER REPORTS

- Frances reminded us that we can get meeting attendance credit through a variety of other Rotary-related activities, such as committee meetings, visiting a different Rotary club meeting, participating/preparing in club projects, attending Rotary conferences or training sessions, etc. But only if you let the club Secretary know about them!
- Margie has received \$9,990 in Neil Kelly Scholarship donations thus far.

The meeting closed at 6:01 p.m. with the 4-Way Test.

Our next Microsoft Teams meeting will be at 5:00 p.m. on 1 September.

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Moore, Secretary