



Richard's Remarks

Dear Rotarians,

I have to start this letter by thanking you all for giving me the privilege of representing our Rotary Chapter this past week. It was to my great honor that we gave several scholarships from our club out to local students:

Camas High School - One in the amount of \$3000 and two in the amount of \$2000.

Washougal High School - One in the amount of \$3000 and two the amount of \$2000.



One \$3000 endowment to a student to support the purchase of welding equipment for trade career training.

Handing out these precious honors was humbling when I think about what they mean to these young adults. We are helping our future communities in so many ways.

Rotary has a great tradition of offering scholarships, donating our time and funds for local food banks, Community Chest, supporting victims of forest fires and our local businesses through this past unusual year. I am so proud of our club and to call myself a member.

Karen once asked me “why do people join rotary?” I told her it’s a family of business leaders who are willing and want to give back to their community. We are that !!!

Have a safe week and I look forward to seeing everyone Thursday morning.

~ Richard

Weekly Program Schedule

Camas Washougal Rotary meets weekly on Zoom at 7 AM



June - RI Fellowship Month

- 17 -Hybrid Meetings. Experience what it will look like.
- 24 - Morning: Virtual/In Person Meetings. DacDb Training
- 24 - Evening: Club Social at Cindy Forslund home 5-9 PM

July - Serve to Change Lives

- 1 - Happy Fourth of July - No meeting
- 8 - 2021-22 CW CR Board Presentation
- 15- Classification Talks Cassi Marshall & David Bussman
- 22 - Tim Gauthier, Exec Dir of NECA. Skilled Labor Report
- 29 - International Committee and Guest speaker - John Jordan



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES



SUMMER SOCIAL

ROTARY

Evening Get Together

at the home of

CINDY & BRIAN FORSLUND

5-9 PM

Celebration cake

Honoring Richard

Rotary theme pins 2021-22

Bring own chair, snack & beverage

Check Club Runner or DacDB for Cindy's address. An email will also be sent out with the information.

Scholarship Winners Announced

Last Thursday was scholarship announcement day at the Camas Washougal Rotary Club. At the Club meeting program master of ceremonies Dr. Ron Carlson introduced our sophomore students of the year. Selected from Washougal High School was **Tucker Kneipp** and **Ruby Cowart** from Hayes Freedom High School. These students were selected from our monthly students of the month, and each received \$500 to spend any way they like to further their education experience. Dr. Ron challenged each student to continue their high-level achievements and to set their sites on receiving a senior Rotary scholarship in two years.



The Zoom camera was then focused on Washougal School District Superintendent Mary Templeton who introduced the Washougal School District senior scholarship recipients. Selected were **Amara Farah** (*pictured left*), **James Bennett** and **Mariah Moran**. Also, **Wyatt**

Grindy (*pictured right*) received a trade scholarship through a Club program that is in its second year of operation. This effort is being spearheaded by David Szyplinski and is the newest jewel in our scholarship program.



Camas School District Superintendent Dr. Jeff Snell introduced **Gabe Guo** (*pictured right*), **Alexis Williams** and **Joseph Stanley**, the Camas School District senior scholarship recipients. It was noted by President Richard Renton that this may be Dr. Snell's final work with the Camas Washougal Rotary as he is moving on to be the Vancouver Public Schools Superintendent. We wish Dr. Snell and his family the best.



Stanley, the recipients. It was this may be Dr. Washougal Vancouver Public Snell and his

Dr. Ron returned to the Zoom camera to acknowledge and congratulate Amara Farah for her volunteer efforts that qualified her to receive a Washougal High School letter in Community service. To be eligible for the WHS letter students must have over 500 hours of community service. This is a unique and valued program that Dr. Ron and other Club members have supported.

In total 7 scholarships totaling \$17,000 were awarded. Each student shared a minute or two about themselves, their high school experience and where they planned to attend college or trade school.

CW Rotary Scholarship committee chair Larry Blaufus thanked Margaret Rice, Ron Carlson, David Szyplinski, Kathy and David Bussman, and Tom Crozier, for serving on the Camas Washougal Rotary Scholarship selection committee. The committee put in the time and effort to review 25 highly qualified student applicants from The Camas and Washougal school districts.

Larry noted that the applicant pool was so deep this year that the committee requested that the Camas Washougal Foundation Board approve an additional scholarship for each school district. The Board said “yes”, and in total the Club offered the \$3,000 Trades scholarship/ grant and each school district was awarded \$3,000 and two \$2,000 scholarships.

On behalf of the scholarship committee Larry acknowledged the great work that Margaret Rice has done throughout the entire scholarship process. It was greatly appreciated. Larry also thanked Club President Richard for attending the Washougal High School senior awards ceremony to present certificates to the WHS students on behalf of the Club.

It was an incredibly good day to be a Camas Washougal Rotarian!

~ Larry Blaufus

DIGS Duties April - June

Zoom Meeting Link



Duck, Duck.... Ducky Derby!

Camas Washougal Rotarians are now selling tickets for the 27th Annual Ducky Derby. Get your tickets now for the chance to win cash and gift prizes! If interested contact any CW Rotarian or email to [Ducky Derby Tickets](#) to set up a

time to meet with a Rotarian to get your lucky duck!

More information to follow in the coming weeks!

Meals On Wheels

Scheduled drivers-

June 22 - Tom Crozier

June 29 - Randal Friedman

June Sign Up link (2 open dates):

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094aaca82da7ff2-meals2>

July - September Sign Up link:

Many dates are open - Please sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094AACA82DA7FF2-meals3>

"Thank you Susan for taking the time out of your day to deliver to all of our clients. So very much appreciated."

Delivery Volunteers: Arrive at 11 AM to deliver to route 3X. Bring a partner from home to assist in limiting exposure.





Once you have an account, click Sign Up Now button to select dates for summer.

Thank you all for your support.

SEEKING NEW VOLUNTEERS for this vital community service program. There is a short qualification process to ensure protection of all concerned starting with create account: [CLICK HERE TO CREATE AN ACCOUNT.](#)

HAPPY JUNE BIRTHDAYS

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| Bob Nicacio | 6/4 |
| Kathy Bussman | 6/13 |
| Dino Ramzi | 6/15 |
| David Scott | 6/30 |

Camas Washougal Rotary
Leadership

Richard Renton

Club President 2020-2021

JC Kootnekoff
President Elect 2020-2021

Susan Chambers
Secretary

Cindy Forslund
Treasurer

Kathy Bussman
CW Rotary Foundation
President

Past President - Nan Henriksen

District 5100 Leadership

Josephine Crenshaw
District Governor
(Member: RC Oregon City)

James (Jim) Boyle
District Governor Elect 2021-
2022
(Member: RC West Linn)

District Governor Designate
Steve Williams
(Member: RC Hermiston)

Assistant Governor, Clark Co.
South
Susanne Holmberg
(Member: RC Three Creeks)



Rotary Opens Opportunities