

The Gateway - CW Rotary Newsletter

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From the desk of President Ron

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August 1st finds the club and our members taking satisfaction of a great Ducky Derby conclusion. All of you should be rewarded for a great three days at Camas Days and the ducks returning to the river for the race! There were great community comments throughout the event!

We start the month off with my first board meeting and a line of speakers that I feel you will all enjoy. Last week's speaker, Nelson, gave us all an insight that taking time to get involved with your passion can bring even more than the joy of the passion, but future 'hands-on' opportunities with the internal workings of the passion.

I am adding to the weekly meetings a committee section, where one committee speaks to their upcoming events, drives, and/or participation of the membership. Want to keep informing and encouraging the membership of how one can get involved.

I have had the opportunity to attend committee meetings with our Club Service, International, and Public Relations. Always come away with how this great volunteer organization continues our mission to help our two communities. You should drop in to these meetings and see what is going on and being planned. Pick a committee you want to know more about and drop in for one hour!

If all goes well with my family issue, there is a board meeting August 1st (5:30 PM) at the Washougal Community Center followed by the CW Rotary Foundation Board meeting. Everyone is welcome ... or I'll see you on Thursday.

Yours in Rotary Service, Ron Carlson President 2023-2024 Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal Note: The Camas Washougal Rotary Newsletter is published twice a month.Please submit items with pictures in to: <u>CWRotaryPR@gmail.com</u>



DUCKY DERBY 2023 Thank You everyone for making it such a success!











Another successful year for our major fundraiser, Ducky Derby, our 29th year!! It took thousands of hours of prep work, selling, moving and drying ducks! We've met our top 3 winners, who were awarded their prizes at the last 2 Rotary meetings. You can direct your ticket purchasers to the Club website <u>www.cwrotary.com</u> and click on the Ducky Derby tab to view the list.

Special kudos to Head Duck Randy, Diana, and Jett the Duck. "We all know change is constant, and as a club we should be proud of how we've managed the last four years while still holding high our Rotary standards and traditions. We will do better next year as we celebrate 30 years of Ducky Derby". (*Head Duck Randy*) We ended up selling around 3,200 tickets which will be the base for projects during Blaine's term.

The finish had an exciting come from behind lead change, straight from the movies, captured by our ace correspondent Diana Rutherford. <u>https://fb.watch/l_n1UHUU4Y/</u>



PLEASE JOIN US!

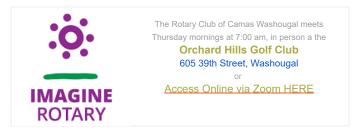
It only takes 1 - 1.5 hour every Tuesday to deliver weekly meals to 4 to 6 MOW clients in both Camas & Washougal communities. <u>There are still open dates for August 8 and</u> <u>September 12</u>



See the Sign-up Genius sheet for dates through 9/26 at: https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/904094aaca82da7ff2-meals11#/

Meals on Wheels (Route 3X)

Washougal Community Center 1681 C Street Washougal, WA 98671 (next to City Hall and the Library) Time: 10:30am Contact: Chelsea Kyle 360.210.5666



August Celebrations Happy Birthday Rotarians!

Blaine Peterson | August 7 Larry Keister | August 10 Ed Fischer | August 10 Leslie Lewellan | August 15 John Anzalone | August 16 Dave Ripp | August 26 Cath Alvey | August 29 Milt Dennison | August 30



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2023-2024 Board of Directors

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8/10 - Lower **Columbia Estuary** Partnership (Chris Hathaway) 8/17 - Ducky Derby Wrap & Paul Harris Awards (Randy & Susan) 8/24 - Preparing for the Future: Understanding the Enrollment Cliff & GenZ trends (Bridget Bimrose/Reed College) 8/31 - SOCIAL (no morning meeting)!

Upcoming Programs

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