

The Gateway - CW Rotary Newsletter

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JC's Message

Greeting fellow Rotarians.

In the last 2 newsletters I have told you that our club was going to hold a vision facilitation session sometime in May. We have a date, time and a location. See below.

We would like to have all of you that can attend mark your calendars!!! A sign-up genius will be generated and distributed soon. There will also be a survey sent out.

Saturday, May 7 from 9am - 1 pm for an IN PERSON Visioning. The team will be Renee Brouse, Rob Sacs, Laurie Doering and Kathy Stromvig.

Port of Camas Conference Room

What is "Club Vision"?

- "A view the future for our Rotary Club"
- -Defines a shared commitment.
- -Provides long-term direction.
- -Creates a framework to establish goals and objectives.
- -Optimizes use of resources.

JC

Weekly Program Schedule

Camas Washougal Rotary meets at 7 AM weekly. Currently meetings ae hybrid: In person at Orchard Hills Golf Club or on Zoom.



Upcoming Programs!

March 3 - Wayne Havrelly, KOIN 6

March 10 - International Woman's Day

March 17 - Classification Talks: Jack Firkins and Scott Berry

March 24 - Julian Dillon, American Lung Association

March 31 - Club Social event 6pm-8pm at Salud

Hybrid meetings Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83357897356?pwd= https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83357897356?pwd=

Camas Washougal Rotary Project Makes the News!

We knew that the Valentine's Day project to deliver "Appreciation Bags," to the nurses, health aids, and administrative support professionals at the Camas &

Washougal School District offices was a great Community Service Project. And in follow up, did you see this? It made the news! Check out the full Camas Washougal Post Record article HERE. Well done, Rotarians, well done!





Save the Date! April 23rd!

Lower Columbia Estuary Partnership has a project to partner with Camas Washougal Rotary to assist their efforts to improve the environment. We are planning for an event **Saturday**, **April 23rd**, **9 AM to 1 PM**.

The project involves removal of invasive plants, that is ivy & holly, with maybe some planting of potted plants along Campen Creek of Mable Kerr Park in Washougal. Campen Creek feeds Gibbons Creek which flows into Steigerwald Lake Wildlife Refuge.

President Elect George will be bringing more details to follow as well as an online sign-up sheet from the Estuary Partnership. According to George, "It should be a good event to extend Earth Day (April 22) through the weekend."



Help Wanted!

By now you may know that Rotarian Susan Lehr has requested a leave of absence. For several years she has been our PR Chair, most faithfully writing and deploying this newsletter. Thank you Susan for all your service! You are amazing!

Now, your PR Committee is actively looking for help to join our team and share in the fun of Camas Washougal Rotary's public relations. We are looking for Rotarians (or spouses!) who like to write, take pictures at service projects, enjoy social media or experience in/desire to learn MailChimp (the newsletter). Any, some or all of the above!

Interested? Please email jmcmorine@comcast.net to learn more! Or let us know at the Club meeting!

Thank you!

Meals On Wheels Sign Up

Camas Washougal Rotary supports Seniors in our community who are in great need of nutrition and reducing isolation through Meals On Wheels.

1st quarter sign-ups are available online and there are plenty of spots to fill. Thank you to Ben for generating this list and to all of you who will be filling these dates for our neighbors. Meals on Wheels provides a vital resource to the community and I can't thank you all for continuing to support our mission.



Please click on the link below to grab you spot:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094aaca82da7ff2-meals5

Have a great week and see you all on Thursday.

March 1 - Tom Crozier

March 8 - Susan Chambers

March 15 - Nancy Deobald

March 22 - George Capacci

March 29 - Gayle Thieman

COVID has brought back Family! Sitting at the dining room table and playing

board games. Remember them? It was a wonderful positive time from our past.

On **March 31st** at Salud our Rotary Family will come back together and join in Adult Family Bingo Time. Our own John Spencer will be calling the shots and handing out prizes to the



game winners. We will have Salud's great pizza and appetizers. The bar will be no host with great beer and wine.

We will need prizes to be donated. I have already secured a beautiful hand-made cribbage board. Gift Certificates from local restaurants and Farms would be great. Maybe in the \$50 range. What do you all think?

Put this on your calendars now and plan for a night out with Our Rotary family. 5:30 - 9:00. Details to follow.

Susan Chambers

C-W Rotary Club Service Committee

DIGS Duties January - March 2022

March Birthdays



Wendi Steinbronn ~ March 2nd Mitch Kneipp ~ March 2nd Steve Hogan ~ March 3rd Judith McMorine ~ March 7th Aaron Hansen ~ March 23rd

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The Gateway is published twice monthly, typically the 1st & 3rd Tuesday. Exceptions will be made for holidays & other scheduling needs.

Got a "Make-Up"?

Please send your attendance information to our Club Secretary to jmcmorine@comcast.net.

Make-ups include attendance at other club meetings, participating in community service projects, attending committee meetings, attending Rotary conferences etc.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Save the Date -

Refuel Friday-March 25th,

2:00pm-6:00pm Members needed to put together meals for those in need in our community.

Bingo Night-March 31, More information to follow

Earth Day
April 22 Something
fun for all to do in
Washougal- details to
come.

CW Rotary Vision
Facilitation May 7
Location - TBD

CW Rotary Leadership

Club President - JC Kootnekoff
President Elect - George Capacci
Secretary - Judith McMorine
Treasurer - Cindy Forslund
Past President - Richard Renton
CW Rotary Foundation Chair - Kathy Bussman

<u>District 5100 Leadership</u>

District Governor - Jim Boyle 21-22
West Linn
District Governor Elect - Steve Williams 22-23
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Three Creeks





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