
The Gateway - CW Rotary Newsletter

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From the desk of President George

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Ducky Derby 2023 is HERE! With the printing of the traditional yellow tickets, we acknowledge the planning stage for the 29th Annual Ducky Derby. You should get your tickets soon and we ask that every Rotarian do your part by selling at least 25 tickets.

The notebook with all the opportunities for ticket sales is held by our Head Duck Randal and will be passed around at meetings for sign-ups. Please look for opportunities to assist in our public image and sell tickets to make our annual fundraiser a success.

We are back in familiar haunts at the Orchard Hills location. We look forward to seeing everyone Thursday mornings as we share Rotary happenings. Thank you for your involvement in the Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal.

Yours in Rotary Service,
George Capacci
President 2022-23
Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal

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MARCH MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

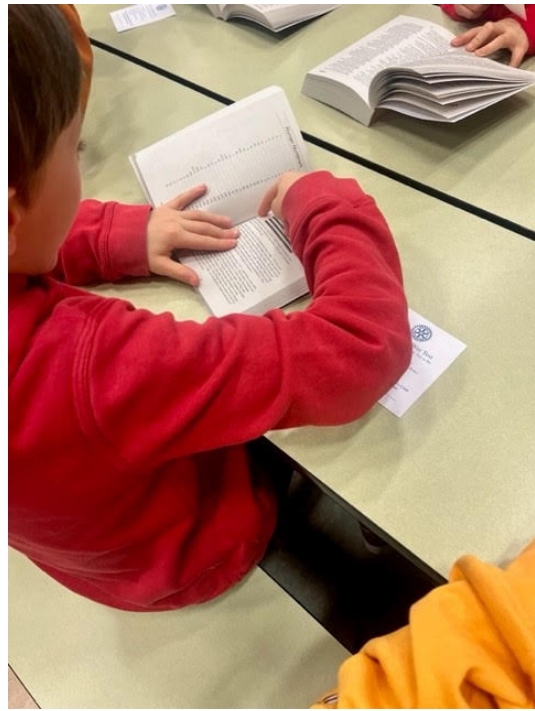
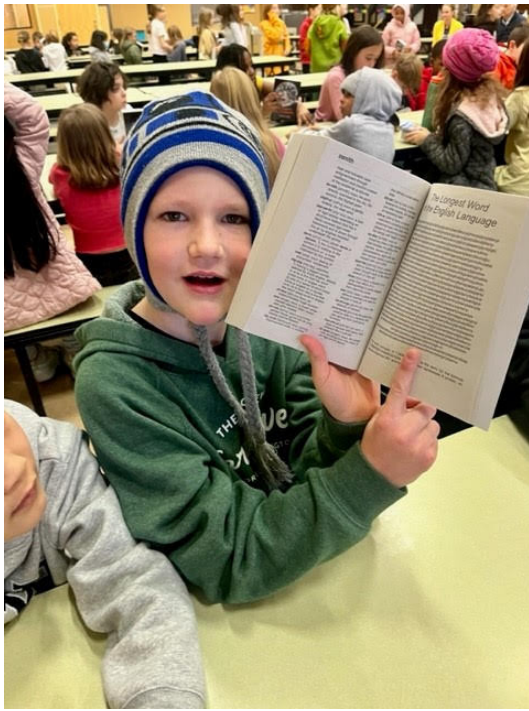


Welcome to our newest Rotarian Melanie Grasseh, inducted on March 2nd. The following week Diana Rutherford orchestrated the program with a panel discussion of Rotarians in the Class of 2021/2022 and 2022/2023. In the group photo (left to right) Melanie Grasseh, Richie Croce, Conner King, Leslie Lewallen and Scott Berry, proof positive that some of our best programs come from our own members!

And a Paul Harris Fellow congrats to Aaron Reiter being awarded his 7th (!!)
Paul Harris Fellow Award presented by TRF Chair Susan Chambers.



DICTIONARY PROJECT 2023



If a picture is worth 1,000 words....well, these say it all. Just some of the snips from the March delivery of dictionaries to Woodburn Elementary school. Thank you Cath Alvey for orchestrating the delivery to local elementary schools all over Camas and Washougal, and for all who showed up to support this project.

CLARK COUNTY FOOD BANK PROJECT



What a mighty Rotary "team" of 10 people showed up on February 21st for a "food packing party" at Clark County Food Bank. In just a few hours the Rotarians and family members packed an impressive 170 boxes totaling near 5,000 lbs of food!

COMIN' RIGHT UP



Let's Pull Together!

Invasive Ivy Removal Volunteer Event



SAT., MARCH 18, 9 AM - NOON

LACAMAS CREEK TRAILHEAD

NE 3RD AVE, CAMAS

**(JUST EAST OF LOUIS BLOCH PARK --
-- ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ROAD)**

Everyone Welcome!

- **Bring Tools/Gloves if you have them -- and if not, we'll have some for you**
- **Dress for the weather and woody conditions**
- **Hot coffee/cocoa, water & snacks for volunteers**



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We Need You!

The Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal has supported this invaluable community program for many years, namely delivering meals to a small portion of our neighbors in the Camas and Washougal area. Rotarians spend about 1 to 1.5 hour every Tuesday delivering weekly meals to approximately 4 to 6 MOW clients.

We have many open Tuesdays, so please sign up!

See the Sign-up Genius sheet at:
[https://www.signupgenius.com/
go/904094aaca82da7ff2-meals9#/](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094aaca82da7ff2-meals9#/)

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

FOR NEW MEMBERS INTERESTED IN DELIVERING MEALS

Please click on the following link:

<https://mowp.volunteerhub.com/userregistrationwizard/usernamepassword>

You will need to set up a profile in Volunteer Hub (MOWP internal volunteer database)

Submit a scan of your driver's license and car insurance. Go through an orientation. Last step MOWP will do a background check. After this is approved, you can now start to volunteer. We recommend that a new member deliver the route with an experienced member.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Mar 30 – Fifth Thursday Social Nite @ Doomsday Brewing Co.

Apr 22 – Earth Day Project – Rotary Day of Service

Apr 22 – “Shred It” event

Apr 22 – District 5100 Training conference Sherwood OR

May 18-21 District 5100 conference (w/D5080) Kennewick WA

June 29 – Charter Night – Passing the Gavel

July 21/22- Camas Days

July 22 – Camas Days Parade with CW Rotary Float

July 23 – Ducky Derby (the 29th annual event)

Aug 4 - Refuel Washougal Community Dinner

Dec 8 - Refuel Washougal Community Dinner



The Rotary Club of Camas Washougal meets
Thursday mornings at 7:00 am, in person at the

Orchard Hills Golf Club

605 39th Street, Washougal

or

[Access Online via Zoom HERE](#)

March Celebrations Happy Birthday Rotarians!

Mitch Kneipp | March 2

Wendy Steinbronn | March 2

Maxwell Hall | March 3

Steve Hogan | March 3

Judith McMorine | March 7

Richie Croce | March 10

Melanie Grassetth | March 11

Aaron Hansen | March 23



ROTARY CLUB OF CAMAS WASHOUGAL

2022-2023 Club Officers

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Thieman

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Community Service Co Chair: Diana Rutherford

International Service Chair: Maxwell Hall & Scott
Berry

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CW Rotary Foundation President: Richard Renton

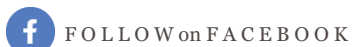
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