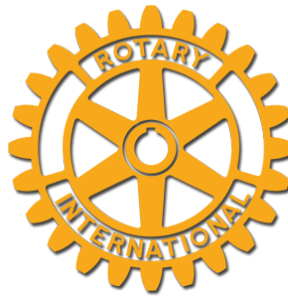


Rotary Club of Aberdeen



Tuesday, November 8, 2022



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Club Meeting Place & Time

Aberdeen
Meets at Rotary Log
Pavilion
1401 Sargent
Boulevard PO Box
836
Aberdeen, WA
98520-0174
Time: Wednesday at 12:00
PM

Speakers

**November 09,
2022**

[Dr. Ed Brewster,
Grays Harbor
College](#)

**November 23,
2022**

[Dessert Auction](#)

**November 30,
2022**

[Travis
Membership
updates and
changes](#)

**December 07,
2022**

[MG Eldon
Bargewell
Foundation
Development of
Delta Park in
Hoquiam](#)

Solveig Kvarsvik Plays for AHS Women's Soccer

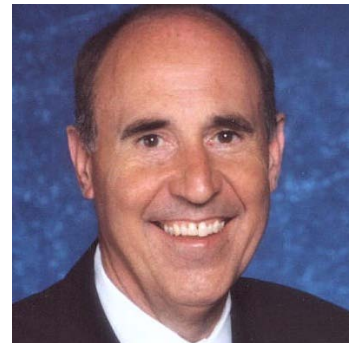


Rotary Exchange Student Solveig Kvarsvik displays her skills with the AHS Women's Soccer Team. Solveig plays competitively and coaches a youth team back home in Oslo, Norway.

November 9, 2022 Meeting - Dr. Ed Brewster

Dr. Ed Brewster, who first set foot on the Grays Harbor College campus 18 years ago, came out of retirement after four years, to serve as interim president of the College in 2020.

Since then, Brewster has been leading the College through the COVID-19 pandemic, a major software conversion, and the construction of the new Student Services and Instructional Building. Brewster will be giving an update on the College, including the Presidential search process so that he can head back into retirement at the end of June 2023.



Events

Membership Meeting Lunch Information

November 9th
Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: Dr. Ed Brewster, Grays Harbor College

November 23rd
Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: Dessert Auction

November 30th
Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: Travis
Subject: Membership updates and changes

December 7th
Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: MG Eldon Bargewell Foundation
Subject: Development of Delta Park in Hoquiam

Birthdays

No Birthdays Found

Club Officers



Kati M Kachman
President



Travis Hoppe
President-Elect
Rotary Foundation Chair



Cathy Williams
Secretary



Alex Klueh
Club Director



Susan Larson
Club Director

Randall S.

Lunches will be catered by Duffy's for the month of November. There will be a dozen sack lunches available for \$15 on a first come first served basis. Beverages are \$1.

If you're not able to attend in person, be sure to check out our hybrid meeting option via Zoom. To join a meeting, click the link below. The meeting will be called to order at 12:20 pm.

[Zoom Meeting Link](#)

If prompted, please refer to the below meeting ID and passcode:

Meeting ID: 8700691208716

Passcode: 085655

Next Week - Aberdeen Rotary brings Thanksgiving to Harbor High

Please remember that we won't be at the Log Pavilion for next week's meeting. Instead we'll be at Harbor High when we'll serve Thanksgiving lunch to 150 students at noon. The entree is turkey with all the trimmings prepared by Duffy's.

A minimum of six volunteers with a food handler card are needed to help serve the buffet style meal. This crew should arrive at the school at 11:15 and plan to be there until 1 p.m.. Five more volunteers (non card-holders) are needed to begin directing students at 11:45 and to assist with clean up until about 1:30. Other Rotarians are welcome to join the students for lunch. Just allow the students to be served first.

There will be a sign up sheet at this week's noon meeting. For more information or to volunteer contact [Sue Larson](#).

Use [this link](#) to apply for a food handler card.

Aberdeen Rotary Gives to Football



President Kati Kachman and Foundation Chair Travis Hoppe presented a check for \$1,000 to the 2022 Football Drive. MaKenna Parris and Devon Cook received the check on behalf of the Aberdeen High School Food Drive Team. MaKenna is also our September Student of the Month.

School Vision Screening dates announced

If you're looking for a volunteer opportunity, here's one that will make you feel good by helping identify kids who need follow up vision care. Several years ago Aberdeen Rotary donated funds to Lions G3 for additional screening equipment. The project fits well with the goals of the Rosenkrantz Fund which supports legally blind students with assistive devices.



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Craig Mehlhoff represents Aberdeen Rotary on the Lions G3 board of directors and encourages members to volunteer. It's pretty easy to wrangle kids and help with the paperwork. No previous training is necessary. Just [email Craig](#) if you're interested.

The following dates are scheduled:

Nov 17th 9 AM Shelton Middle School

Nov 18th 9 AM Shelton Jr High

Nov 30th 9 AM Wishkah School

Dec 2nd 9 AM McCleary Elementary & Preschool

Thanksgiving Dessert Auction on November 23rd

At last! After a two year delay we are once again auctioning off the grandest of desserts (wine and other sides also accepted) at our annual Thanksgiving Dessert Auction. Why do we do it? First, it's fun to make your favorite recipe for fellow members. Second, it's a hoot to see how high the bidding goes. Third, the funds raised go towards the club expenses. That's the checkbook used to pay the city attendant, cover the cost of unpurchased lunches, and other administrative costs including the website, insurance, etc.



Donate to the Time of the Month Project

This is a reminder of the request made earlier this month when Marion Spence, President of Durban Bay RC presented an overview of the current fundraising effort for young girls in South Africa. Although not a global grant, it is administered through the Skookum Club Foundation.

The project is named "That Time of the Month" and the funds raised are spent 100% on reusable washable sanipads which allow girls to attend school full time instead of missing one week every month because they cannot afford pads. The results are devastating on their education, which is desperately needed to uplift their lives.

If you would like to support this program, you can donate directly to our own Aberdeen Rotary Foundation and it will be forwarded it in your name to the Skookum Rotary Foundation. So far, \$500 has been donated by club members and the Board has approved a match of up to \$1000.