

Rotary Club of Aberdeen



Tuesday, April 16, 2024

April 17, 2024 Meeting | Lucy Machowek, CCAP



CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

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

April 17, 2024
[Lucy Machowek
from CCAP](#)

April 24, 2024
[Aberdeen Rotary
Board members](#)
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coastal Community Action program

Lucy Machowek is the CFO for Coastal Community Action Program (CCAP) which is part of the Community Action Network of Agencies across the country. CCAP creates opportunities for people to prosper personally through a variety of programs and services such as weatherization, job training and placement, housing, energy assistance and transportation.

Knowing that people in our communities are experiencing growing financial challenges amid an uncertain economic climate, CCAP helps to remove the barriers to stability. Machowek will talk about their programs, operations and current focus on priorities.

Join us via Zoom

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.

If prompted, please refer to the below meeting ID and passcode:
Meeting ID: 870-6912-8716
Passcode: 085655

[Zoom Meeting Link](#)

Annual Pavilion Clean-Up Rain or Shine

For our annual Earth Day celebration, Aberdeen Rotary will again be hosting a Log Pavilion clean-up event to weed, refresh, and replant around the Aberdeen Rotary Log Pavilion.

WHEN? Saturday April 20
TIME? 10 AM to Noon
WHERE? Aberdeen Rotary Log Pavilion
WHAT SHOULD YOU BRING? Work gloves, gardening tools (hoes, clippers, weeders), outdoor clothes, friends, and smiles!
We will provide coffee, donuts & juice for the kids.

Sign up sheets will be available at the meetings, txt Travis to RSVP, RSVP via DACdb or via the Ignite App.

Events

April 17th

[Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting: 4/17 Coastal Community Action](#)

Speaker: Lucy Machowek from CCAP

April 24th

[Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting 4/24: Ignite](#)

Speaker: Aberdeen Rotary Board members
Subject: Club introduction to Ignite, the app solution to better connectivity between club members.

May 1st

[Aberdeen Weekly Club Meeting 5/1: Open](#)

May 8th

[*ROTARY ON THE GO, AT AHS* 5/8 AHS Student of the Month](#)

Speaker: ROTARY ON THE GO, AHS Student of the Month

Subject: Join us at AHS to meet our Rotary Students of the Month and enjoy a meal by the Culinary Class.

Latest About the Auction

The Auction Committee will meet NEXT Tuesday April 24th, 6 pm at location TBD to tie up any loose ends.

What can all members do to help?

IMPORTANT! Reserve your place at the table on our website under the [Auction tab](#). Our deadline for giving the head count to the caterer is this Friday.

Complete and return your member donation form. If you do not have the donation link, email a description of your item and value to [Randy Ross](#).

Think about who you may invite to the auction. Send contact info to Alex Klueh.

Consider sponsoring a table.

Volunteer to be part of the set up or clean up crew.

And always, if you want info or to volunteer, contact Alex Klueh, Randy Ross, or Travis Hoppe.

Buy Your Auction Tickets by Friday



[Purchase Auction Tickets](#)

Aberdeen Rotary Legacy Scholarship

Aberdeen Rotarians are invited to apply for the \$1000 Legacy Scholarship on behalf of a graduating high school senior with a familial connection to a current Aberdeen Rotary Club member (child, grandchild, niece or nephew). The graduating senior must have plans to attend an accredited college.

The application is available in the scholarships section at www.aberdeenrotary.com, or go straight to [application](#) and send it to loggavilion@gmail.com.

May 15th

**Club Meeting:
5/15 Grays
Harbor
Conservation
District**

Speaker:

Alexander Birk

Subject: Grays
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Birthdays

[John Csernotta](#)

April 17th

[Gary Nelson](#)

April 19th

[Richard D. Hole](#)

April 30th

[Jeffery M. Reiner](#)

May 1st

[Kenneth I. Hunt](#)

May 7th

[Alicia Henderson](#)

May 11th

Club Officers



Travis
Hoppe
RYLA Club
Chair
President



Randy Ross
President-
Elect
Youth
Protection
Officer



Cathy
Williams
Secretary



Kati M
Kachman
iPast
President
Treasurer

 Derek
Bumrungsiri
Club
Director

District Conference at Semiahmoo

Experience the pinnacle of learning and enjoyment at the 2024 District 5020 Training and Conference! This event isn't just a conference. It's a celebration of community, commitment, and family. But that's not all - this is your chance to immerse in a whirlwind of fun and interactive activities spread over two exhilarating days.

This conference is more than just an event; it's an opportunity to grow, learn, network, and contribute to a global cause, all while having an unforgettable time. Don't miss out on this extraordinary chance to participate in something exciting - register now and be part of the 2024 District 5020 Training and Conference!

To promote leadership development within the membership the Board of Directors has approved a total grant of \$4500 for the conference, \$1500 per person on a first come/first served. Contact President Travis if you wish to take advantage.

2023 AHS Senior Boards

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

I'm inviting you to our 2024 Senior Boards that are coming up in April and May. For the past 17 years, we have required our seniors in the Aberdeen School District to do a Senior Board presentation to a panel of school and community volunteers to share responses to the following prompts:

- Why am I prepared to graduate?
- Plans I have beyond high school
- How I will achieve those plans
- Most important skills I have acquired during high school
- Greatest accomplishments so far
- Advice for incoming freshmen
- Favorite quote

The Senior Boards are one of those activities that are made possible and are strengthened by the participation and feedback of our volunteer panelists. They provide an opportunity for our students to shine and prepare for those final steps before leaving high school. This year's Senior Boards are scheduled for the following dates/times:

Thursday May 9th

8:00-11:30

12:00-3:00

Friday May 10th

8:00-11:30

12:00-3:00

In addition, we have an early round happening on **April 11th** where we only need about 8 panelists in the morning (8:00-11:30) and 8 or so in the afternoon (12:00-2:00). If you are interested in helping us late next week, let me know. Please reply if you are interested in serving as a Senior Board panelist and confirm the session(s) you are interested in attending. Also, feel free to pass this invitation on to others. We are always happy to include new people in this process.

Thank you for supporting our Class of 2024 students in their Senior Boards!

Lynn Green
CTE Director, Aberdeen School District
Director, Twin Harbors Branch Skills Center



Alex Kluch
Club
Director
Club
Foundation
Chair



Monika
Kuhnau
President-
Nominee



Susan
Larson
Club
Director



Ken Mehin
Club
Director



Jennifer L.
Sturm
Bulletin
Editor
Club
Director



Keith L.
Twibell
Club
Director



Lisa J.
Smith
Club
Director
Membership
Chair

Host a Rotary Youth Exchange Student



Hello Rotarians! Weâ€™re beginning to recruit for host families for the 2024-25 school year and WE NEED YOUR HELP. Each year, we have three host families for our inbound student for 3-4 months each. Having three host families allows students to experience different family dynamics and promotes global awareness in our own community. As a host family, youâ€™ll have the opportunity to learn about another culture firsthand and create lasting connections!

Please take a moment to consider being a host family or reach out to friends and neighbors who may be interested in this rewarding experience. Just about every type of household is an "ideal host family" you can have children, be an empty nester, or a single-adult household. If you have a willingness to share your home & culture with a student, you are ideal!

Hosting with Rotary comes with the full support of Aberdeen Rotary. We have local coordinators and club members ready to lend a helping hand. Students receive a monthly allowance and a cell phone plan. Rotary helps with transportation, hosts trips for the student and can provide backup hosting in the event you are away on a trip.

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a host family, please contact Josh Steele at joshg.steele@yahoo.com or 360-581-6019.
