



Speakers

April 24, 2024

Jeff Vincent

Postsecondary Education
in Washington State and
Beyond

May 01, 2024

Sally Martin

A Look at the Nature of
the Antarctic from the
Food Chain to Natural
Features

May 15, 2024

Greg Nance

Update From our State
Legislature

May 22, 2024

Brie Youngker

The work being done in
our Community by "One
Heart Wild."

Birthdays

Howard B Julien
April 29th

Gena M. Wales
May 1st

Craig Volwiler
May 11th

Donna M Evans
May 13th

Justin T. Paquette
May 16th

Wedding Anniversaries

Stacy B. Doré
May 17th

Jay A. Lovato
May 20th

Mike Columbus
May 22nd

Russ Shiplet
May 22nd

This week's Rotary speaker

Last week we heard Carli Meurs, executive director of Leadership Kitsap, on how her organization impacts emerging leaders in the community. Learn more about this year's class at <https://leadershipkitsap.org>, where you'll also find information on the community service done by past cohorts and how your organization can get involved.

This week we'll hear about how Washington students are faring at the college level, when we hear from Jeff Vincent, a Bainbridge Island resident who serves as chair of the Washington Student Achievement Council.

Rotary announcements

The Great Give was great to EBR

Last Tuesday's Kitsap Great Give raised more than \$1.3 million in a one-day rush of community philanthropy, boosting nonprofit organizations around Kitsap County through the Kitsap Community Foundation. East Bremerton Rotary uses the Great Give as its major annual fundraiser, and we raised more than \$18,000 that will go to our Foundation budget for charitable giving during the upcoming Rotary year. This is how we support many small organizations doing great work, and a big thanks to every member who joined in the effort last week.

District Conference coming in May

The annual Rotary District 5020 conference is coming up in May, the weekend of the 2nd-4th. A few EBR members have already committed, so join them for a great time at a beautiful place. The club board has set aside funds to pay for registrations, so contact Dave White or President David if you're interested or want more info.

If you have an item to include with the Rotary announcements, please email David Nelson at heynels@gmail.com.

Years of Service

Jonathan P. Buesch
04-30-1997
27 Years
Jerry LeTexier
04-27-2005
19 Years
Steve Treanor
05-23-2018
6 Years

Who's happy?

From the April 17 meeting...

President David was happy for what our speaker, Carli Meurs, is doing with Leadership Kitsap, as well as the Kitsap Great Give, a road trip with good friends and Dave White's party reputation... **John Armstrong**, thankful for celestial navigation that got him out of Illahee Preserve after he got lost ... **Bill Wright**, for Leadership Kitsap and great program... **Vic Ulsh**, for the Kitsap Great Give, Carli's visit, Olympic High students and for Illahee Preserve projects... **Jon Buesh**, for Carli's presentation, and Rotary club members who have contributed to an Illahee Preserve marker project... **Doug O'Donnell**, for work party coming up... **Craig Volwiler**, for the Kitsap Community Foundation and the Great Give.... **Ali McLaughlin**, for 2023 Leadership Kitsap class, known as the best one ever... **Jim Aho**, for Illahee preserve, working with Enetai group to acquire more property for Jon and Vic to manage...**Andy Graham**, for Vic bringing friends to pack down the trail... and **Bill Benson**, happy for everyone who returned their Kitsap Great Give signs back and everybody who made a donation.

Steve had his number called, but only a white ball made an appearance...

Greeters This Week - April 24

The Greeters/Finemasters for the April 24 Meeting will be **Dick Sims** and **Daniel Morse**. **Doug O' Donnell** will lead the Flag Salute/4-Way Test and present the Invocation.