



## This week's Rotary speaker

### Speakers

**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."

**May 29, 2024**

Aaron Bartleson

Outdoor Hiking and Back-Country Adventure in the Tierra del Fuego region of Chile.

### Birthdays

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

Alexandra R McLaughlin

May 29th



**Last week we heard from Jeff Vincent**, chair of the Washington Student Achievement Council. Jeff talked about the current and future need for more skilled workers in Washington state, including college and professional degrees and trade certifications and more. Jeff's organization is focused on bridging the gap so the state's economy can continue to lead the nation. He said paths include lobbying to reduce licensing regulation and to lower the entry obstacles to programs, but that it takes involvement and encouragement from family members and friends (people like us) to make sure students understand the importance of learning skills to benefit them in the future.

Learn more about what WSAC is doing [at its website](#), including information on grant programs you can share with students.

This week we'll hear from Sally Martin, talking about the nature of the Antarctic.



family in Europe... **Jay Lovato**, for our speaker's attention on the issue of post-secondary education... **David Nelson**, for the Bremerton Foodline's recent fundraising success after sharing their mission with our club... **Donna Evans**, for Jay's dedication to Rotary and for a recent trip to see her mom in New York... and **President David**, for the examples of service above self set by Paul O. and Jay L.



And perhaps karma was listening in, because **Paul Ofsthun** then had his number called and picked out the gold ball!

## **Greeters This Week - May 1**

The Greeters/Finemasters for the May 1 Meeting will be **Jerry LeTexier** and **Tom Brobst**. **Denny Smith** will lead the Flag Salute/4-Way Test and present the Invocation.