



This week's Rotary speaker

Speakers

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.

June 05, 2024

Steve Strachan

Update on State of Washington Legislation Regarding Law Enforcement and Public Safety.

June 19, 2024

Dr Bob Abel

Exploring the Universe with the Vera C. Rubin Observatory

Birthdays

Douglas A. O'Donnell
May 31st

Wedding Anniversaries

Mike Columbus
May 22nd
Russ Shiplet
May 22nd
Alexandra R McLaughlin
May 29th
Sue Ann Shipley
June 8th
Lance P Walters
June 14th
Howard B Julien
June 20th

Years of Service



Editor's note: Please enjoy this special 'Double Edition' of the EBR weekly newsletter. Not because you paid extra for it, or because the Bulletin Committee wants to give you more... we just get busy some weeks and need to catch up.

Last week we heard from state Rep. Greg Nance of the 23rd Legislative District, sharing about what he's done since being appointed to the position before last session, including an emphasis on finding solutions to the issues plaguing Washington State Ferries.



Thomas M. Brobst
06-01-1989
35 Years
Douglas D. Fairbanks
06-02-2000
24 Years
Gena M. Wales
06-01-2001
23 Years
Andrew R. Graham
05-31-2006
18 Years
Stacy B. Doré
06-18-2008
16 Years
Steve Treanor
05-23-2018
6 Years
Alijah J. Hawley
06-05-2019
5 Years
Christopher Martin
Piercy
06-10-2020
4 Years



The week before that we heard from **Erin Hatch, a board member on the Wayzgoose Kitsap** team that puts on an annual printmaking and arts festival that includes a steamroller! The festivities this year are all day on Saturday, June 1 at the Marvin Williams Center in downtown Bremerton. Learn more about Wayzgoose at this link: www.wayzgoosekitsap.com

And this week, we'll hear about the organization **One Heart Wild**, an animal sanctuary for horses based in Silverdale. Read more about One Heart Wild [at its website here](#).

Rotary announcements

Our end-of-year party and awards

Summer's just about to arrive but the Rotary year is winding down. Save the date of Tuesday, June 25 for the annual Installation/Outstallation Dinner, which will be at the Cloverleaf, where we'll welcome President-elect Andy Graham and send President David Emmons on his way. Also at that meeting we annually recognize our citizen of the year, and nominations will be taken at this week's club meeting.

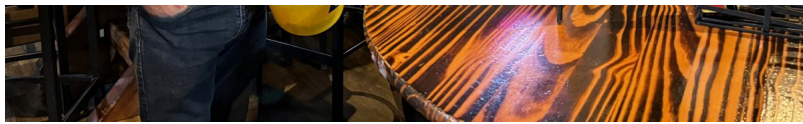
Remembering Doug Dixon

EBR member Doug Dixon, known for his weekly Norwegian jokes when he attended club meetings, abruptly passed away on May 2 after a brief battle with pancreatic cancer. Doug had a fascinating career in the maritime industry, including the historic Mosquito Fleet vessel Virginia V, and had moved to Bremerton after retirement, where his son and family lived. Read his obituary in the Kitsap Sun [at this link](#).

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

Who's happy?





From the May 15 meeting...

Howard Julien, one of our IT gurus each week, was happy that finemaster **Chris James** understood how to turn on the microphone... **Doug O.**, for being back up and walking after a couple epidural shots...**Vic Ulsh**, with a list of bucks, including for **Jeff Rowe** completing hip surgery, **Gena Wales** throwing a party, **President David's** 'alumni of the year' honor by Leadership Kitsap, and speaker Greg Nance coming to help at Illahee preserve and for visiting our club... **Justin Nash**, for baby brother graduating and headed to Central Washington University on scholarship...**President David** happy for Paige Jarquin, thank goodness she has grandchildren... Lance Walters, for traveling down to Austin with his wife Dana to welcome a new granddaughter into the world...**Andy Graham**, for vendors providing 1,100 hot dogs and buns for the Armed Forces Day Parade...**Sonny Loidhammer**, to be back from California to find beautiful sunshine here... **Bill Wright**, to have Jill home for the summer and for Vic bringing great programs...**Craig Volwiler**, after his son and daughter-in-law and 4 month grandchild came to visit...
... **Dave White**, for wife Robbie buying some nice t-shirts for finemasters...and **Jon Busech**, for a new plaid shirt...



Chris Piercy was the big winner by pulling the golden golf ball!





Bonus notes, from the May 8 meeting...



Joe Stevick, happy to keep seeing the 'Service Above Self' motto in the world and being surrounded by Rotary friends who live it... **Paul Ofsthun**, for a trip to Mexico to volunteer at a medical and dental clinic... **Chris James**, whose son is coming back for a visit from South Carolina... **Doug O.**, a sad buck for Michelle losing a family member... **Alan Beam**, another remembrance buck, for **Doug Dixon**... **Vic Ulsh**, for visitors **Tommy and Joel** (above) from the new Floor & Decor store on Wheaton Way... **Don Demers**, who brought his wife to the district conference and she was inspired by the speeches... **Scott Wilson**, for wrapping up the school year at Olympic High... and **Alijah Hawley**, who's learning about online marketing in his MBA course and on the same week he sat by Tommy and Joel, started seeing ads on his phone for new flooring...



Fines were done by... heh heh heh... heh heh heh... Beavis and Butt-head... heh heh heh... he said 'butt'...

Greeters This Week - May 22

The Greeters/Finemasters for the May 22 Meeting will be **Craig Volwiler** and **Denny Smith. Ken Hegtvedt** will lead the Flag Salute/4-Way Test and present the Invocation.