



This week's Rotary speaker

Speakers

October 09, 2024

Chad Melton

Update on St Michael Medical Center

October 23, 2024

Penny Sapp

A Look Inside Our Kitsap County Jail

October 29, 2024

OktoberFest

East Bremerton Rotary's Annual OktoberFest at McClouds

October 30, 2024

Weekly Rotary Meeting

Cancelled - OktoberFest is the Prior Eve

Join us Tuesday, October 29th 5:30PM at McClouds for OktoberFest - \$40.



Last week we heard Bailey (left) and Monk Tupoi, from God's Broken Home University, a nonprofit organization their family started from their West Bremerton restaurant, The Island Hut on Sixth Street, to serve meals to people on the streets, and their efforts now include many different programs, including youth mentoring.

This Wednesday we welcome Chad Melton from St. Michael Medical Center to offer an update on our hospital system.

Birthdays

Richard Sims

October 27th

Ashley Armstrong

October 30th

Alan R Beam

November 1st

Wedding Anniversaries

John Loidhamer

October 19th

Justin T. Paquette

October 21st

Steve Treanor

November 2nd

Years of Service

John Loidhamer

11-01-1976

48 Years

David A. Nelson

10-24-2012

12 Years

Rotary announcements



EBR part of a special Treasure Hunters

Tina Robinson
10-12-2016
8 Years
Joseph C Stevick
10-28-2020
4 Years
Donald O. Demers
11-01-2023
1 Year

The Boys and Girls Club's annual fundraiser in Bremerton was dedicated to Bob Murphy, the late husband of our friend and fellow member Patty Murphy. Bob unexpectedly died late in September, and he and Patty have been huge supporters of B&G Club. EBR members helped make up six tables at the event, held at the Admiral Theater, and around \$110,000 was raised to help support youth in Kitsap County.



Walk in the Park with EBR this weekend

Our club is holding an informal fellowship opportunity this Saturday, Oct. 12, with a guided walk through Illahee Preserve led by our preservation committee. We'll start that Saturday morning at 8:30 from the parking lot on Almira Drive, and coffee and pastries are included. There will be a short overview talk at the gazebo and then a moderate walk, with stops at points of interest. The plan is for approximately 90 minutes. Come get a look at the work that gets done through hours of volunteer work by EBR members.

Oktoberfest in three weeks

The annual East Bremerton Rotary Oktoberfest event will get started at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 29 at McCloud's, and there will be no regular EBR breakfast on the following morning, Oct. 30. Be sure to sign up soon so Andy knows what kind of crowd to plan for. Tickets will be \$40 each, with \$20 from each ticket going as a donation to the Shop with a Cop holiday program.

Make your Polio Plus gift this month

Patty Murphy announced that October is Polio Plus month for Rotary International. For our club, that means any gifts to Polio Plus will be matched by EBR, up to \$4,000 total. World Polio Day is October 24.

Annual Bellringing set for Dec. 6

We will once again be out at the East Bremerton Fred Meyer ringing bells to help fill the Salvation Army's red kettles this Christmas season. Our date has been announced as Friday, Dec. 6, and Ron Muhleman will circulate sign-up sheets soon.

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

Who's happy?





From the Oct. 2 meeting...

Jill Wallen was happy that the observant young **Murphy Rose** noticed that we say 'And will it be fun?!' as part of our unofficial 'five-way test', but that's not what it says on the official Rotary banner. So she arranged for a neighbor to create an addition to our Rotary four-way test banner that is up front each week. The updated version, above with two guys who are always fun, was proudly unveiled last week...

Stacey Dore is happy that President Andy does so much for the club.... **President Andy** is happy for **Denny Smith**'s help finding a phone, and for his staff for decorating for Halloween.... **Sonny Loidhammer**, for the job Andy is doing as he just gets started as our President... **Vic Uish**, for the work that the Tupoi family is doing with God's Broken Home University, and for a recent Illahee work party... **Bill Wright**, for spiders and their webs.... **Craig Volwiler**, for **Alan Beam** doing so much to coordinate with the various Navy ships to bring workers to do the heavy lifting at the Illahee Preserve...





Vic Ulsh had his number called and won the monthly Foundation drawing, with the proceeds going to a Paul Harris Award. We'll get the golf balls back out again tomorrow.