

Tuesday, May 14, 2024

Speaker May 16th Jackie Montgomery - Family First Community Center



Jackie Montgomery is the Executive Director of the Family First Community Center Foundation, the philanthropic arm for Super Bowl Champion Seattle Seahawks, Doug Baldwin Jr. Opened June 2023 in the Cascade/Benson Hill neighborhood of Renton, the Family First Community Center offers resources and programming for all ages including a STEM maker space and a HealthPoint Medical Clinic to provide a holistic approach to serving the community and its people.

Jackie is also a founding member of SeaTac BMX, a local nonprofit that built a \$1Million BMX facility in the heart of South King County. SeaTac BMX provides an inclusive community and safe space that empowers youth and teaches life long skills through outdoor recreation, coaching, mentoring and racing bicycles!

Prior to transitioning into the nonprofit sector, Jackie worked for nearly two decades in broadcast media for some of the biggest television networks and sports franchises in America. Most recently, Jackie worked for the Seattle Seahawks as a reporter and content creator for seven years where she hosted a regular digital series, the Seahawks Daily, and produced an Emmy Award winning sports docuseries, Seahawks Stories

Weekly Agenda

LUNCH SERVED ~ 12:15
Herb roasted salmon with a cous-cous salad and strawberry cake for dessert

MEETING STARTS ~ 12:30

WELCOME

FLAG SALUTE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

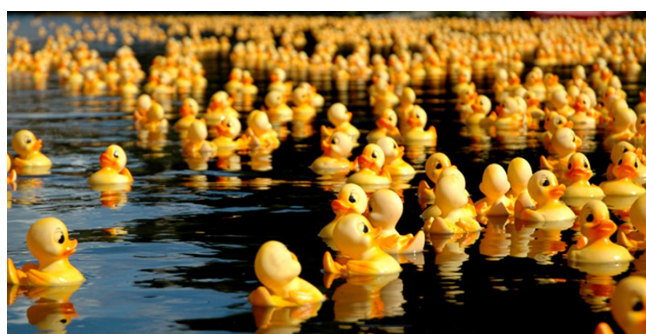
SPEAKER

FINES & HAPPY BUCKS

FOUR WAY TEST

ADJOURNMENT AT 1:30

Rubber Ducky Time!



Club Meeting Place & Time

Renton
Meets at Fairwood Golf & Country Club
17070 140th Ave SE
Renton, WA 98058
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

Events

May 16th
May 16th Club Meeting

Speaker: Jackie Montgomery - Family First Community Center Foundation

May 23rd
May 23rd Club Meeting

Speaker: Renton High School Scholarship Awardees

June 6th
Social Event - All Invited
Speaker: Come socialize and learn about Renton Rotary

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Past President



Planning for the duck race is in full swing. **The race is set for Sunday, July 28th at 3:30 pm.** Tickets will be in your hands soon! Selling is easy! Tickets are \$5 each and go towards funding Renton Rotary's work in the community including:

- Scholarships for Renton School District Seniors
- Warm Coats for Kids
- Grants for Renton School District educators
- International support for projects such as polio eradication, water projects in Tanzania and Health Centers in Uganda
- Grants to local Renton non-profits
- Support senior citizens staying in their home living independently
- Providing scholarships for the WSU Rotary Fellowship to help medical students follow their passion for rural health care

Each member is being asked to sell \$150 worth of tickets. You can buy them yourself, you can donate \$150, or you can invite family and friends to take a chance on winning some great prizes!

Watch for opportunities to sign up to sell at Renton Farmer's Market on Tuesdays and during Renton River Days. We will have 5000 tickets to sell!

Social Event - Come Check Us Out!



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Please RSVP at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/renton-rotary-june-happy-hour-meet-greet-tickets-886500215007>

Youth of the Month May 2024

Renton Rotary selects Youth of the Month

May 2024 – Rotary Club of Renton has selected their Youth of the Month.

Rotary members recognize several Renton School District high school students each month as Youth of the Month. The award is given to students who possess leadership abilities, community service, commitment to their fellow students, and maintain good grades and attendance.

May Rotary Youth of the Month are:



Naomi Yoon is a Senior at Hazen High School. She enjoys math and has developed a fascination with Biology. She has participated in Hazen Soccer, Track and Cross Country and has been involved with the Hazen Marching and Symphonic Band, Asian Student Coalition, and Multicultural Club/AAPI Executive Committee. Outside of school she's involved in her church youth group and SPIN Girls. She volunteers at Highlands Community Church Children's Ministries and through Hazen Key Club. After graduation, she plans to pursue Pre-Med courses to earn a degree in biomedical engineering at the University of Washington with a goal to gain an interdisciplinary foundation and a career in public health. Her interests so far is in becoming a researcher in the field of immunology, biomedical engineering or a practicing physician.



Valencia Jonson is a Senior at Lindbergh High School. Her favorite subjects in school have been Language Arts and Choir and she also participates in Running Start through Bellevue College. She's been involved in several Lindbergh music groups, serves as a tutor through the National Honor Society and has volunteered with several community performances and festivals. After graduation, she plans to attend the University of Washington Bothell to pursue a degree in Business and Marketing. Her goal is to hold a career in the business industry and to provide a positive impact on the community.



Anijah Macon is a Senior at Renton High School. She enjoys Culinary Arts at Renton High School and is involved in the Culinary Club and is a member of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA). She keeps busy after school with work, where she is a team member at Chick-fil-a in Renton. After high school Anijah plans to attend the University of Mississippi to major in nursing. Her career goal is to become a traveling nurse and explore new places and meet new people around the world.



De'Aujanæ Mitchell is a student at Talley High School. She enjoys Child Development, and Ceramics classes at Talley. She is involved in Yearbook and enjoys international foods and plays basketball in her spare time. She loves to volunteer her time through attending



events and taking pictures for Yearbook. De'Aujanae plans to attend Renton Technical College after graduation with a goal to obtain a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) certification with the goal of one day becoming a labor and delivery nurse.

May Teachers of the Month

Renton Rotary selects Teachers of the Month

May 2024 – As part of their commitment to education, and to celebrate teachers in the Renton School District, each month members of Rotary Club of Renton selects a few teachers as Teacher of the Month.

May Teachers of the Month are:

Kia Fluth

Production Art Teacher at Talley High School

Kia attended the Art Institute of Seattle where she earned a degree in Graphic Design. From there she began a career as a graphic designer and manager where she worked in the industry for 20 years and then an opportunity presented for her to become a teacher in Renton. In her first year of teaching, she attended Central Washington University to obtain her Career and Technical Education Certificate. In her spare time, Kia enjoys spending time outdoors through competitive target archery and fishing. Kia has been teaching in Renton for ten years.



Greg Golliver

Kindergarten Teacher at Maplewood Heights Elementary School

Greg attended the University of Washington to earn a Bachelor of Arts in Business and in Psychology. He continued to receive a Master's in Teaching from City University and has obtained National Board Certification. Before becoming a teacher, Greg served as the Director of Fundraising for an organization that serves homeless families called Wellspring Family Services and also worked for the Seattle Humane Society. Outside of the classroom, he enjoys reading and riding his Harley Davidson motorcycle. This is Greg's 14th year teaching with the Renton School District.



Jessica Steinle

Instructional Facilitator at Renton Park Elementary School

Jessica attended Minnesota State University where she earned a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education and Mathematics and she continued with Western Governors University to earn a Master of Arts in Mathematics Education. In addition, she worked to earn her National Board Certification in Early Adolescence Mathematics. She began her teaching experience as a middle school math teacher and instructional coach where she worked at the middle school level for 18 years. Outside of the school day, Jessica enjoys kayaking, hiking and paddleboarding but also spends time baking, reading and puzzles. This is her second-year teaching in the Renton School District.



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Operation Warm - Coats for Kids

Monday, July 10, 2023



Renton Rotary is a proud participant of Operation Warm - Coats for Kids. Since 1988 Operation Warm has served over 5 million children. You can help us put warm coats on children in need right here in the Renton community.

All donations will stay here in Renton. Thank you for helping us support children and families in our midst. We couldn't do it without YOU!

[Click here for the donation page and thank you!](#)

District & Club Database

Members have a wealth of information available to them via our website. You can look up member contact info, find details about upcoming events, learn about District activities, training opportunities and more. If you aren't familiar with DACdb (District and Club database) contact Secretary Mary Fitzgerald or Treasurer Lora Ueland to get the details or if you need a refresher.

The DACdb login is on our website at the top right.

