

# Rotary

## Club of Renton



Tuesday, November 12, 2024

### 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

November 14th  
**Renton Weekly Club  
Meeting**

November 20th  
**Monthly Board  
meeting**

November 21st  
**Renton Weekly Club  
Meeting**

November 28th  
**No November 28th,  
2024 Club Meeting -  
Happy Thanksgiving**

December 5th  
**Renton Weekly Club  
Meeting**

### Club Officers



**Al Ralston**  
President



**Rosie Rourke**  
President-  
Elect



**Jesse Tam**  
President-  
Elect



**Mary Fitzgerald**  
Secretary



**Lora Ueland**  
Treasurer

## November 14th, 2024 Club Program



**Teresa Indelak Davis** was appointed Honorary Consul of the Republic of Poland in Seattle in 2014. A longtime resident of Seattle, Consul Davis has been an active member of the Polish-American community and served as President of Polish American Chamber of Commerce Pacific Northwest, Board member of the Polish Home Foundation, and as co-founder and Managing Director of Polish Festival Seattle, among others.

She spent over 15 years working at Microsoft in corporate communications positions in Redmond and internationally. In Europe, she managed Microsoft's Central and Eastern European communications strategy and community affairs programs, including the subsidiary in Poland. In Redmond, she managed global PR programs, disaster response communications, executive relations, and worked as a business communications consultant. Prior to Microsoft, she worked at WRQ (Attachmate), a connectivity software company and KIRO-TV, the CBS affiliate station in Seattle.

She holds an M.P.A. from U.W. Evans School of Public Policy and Governance and a B.A. in Communications from the University of Washington in Seattle and has also attended Jagiellonian University in Krakow, before leaving Poland.

Source: <https://polishconsulseattle.com/about-2/>

## Weekly Agenda

LUNCH SERVED ~ 12:15  
Pot roast with lemon bars for dessert

MEETING STARTS ~ 12:30

WELCOME

FLAG SALUTE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROGRAM

FINES & HAPPY BUCKS

FOUR WAY TEST

ADJOURNMENT AT 1:30

## November Teachers of the Month

## Renton Rotary selects Teachers of the Month

November 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.

November Teachers of the Month are:

### Derrick Holt

Math and Teacher Academy Teacher at Lindbergh High School

Derrick attended Montana Tech University, to earn a Bachelor's in General Science with a Minor in Mathematics, Statistics and Chemistry and he continued his education with the University of Puget Sound to earn a Master of Arts in Teaching. His teaching experience includes student teaching in Tacoma Public Schools and time in a high school and middle school in Butte, MT. Derrick also has experience coaching the Lindbergh High School Football team and in his spare time he enjoys gardening, Washington Husky Football and playing video games. Derrick has been teaching in Renton Schools for six years.



### William Hurd

Special Education Teacher at Hilltop Heritage Elementary School

William obtained his Bachelor's in Social Work from Seattle University. He then continued his education with Seattle Pacific University to earn a Master's in Teaching with endorsements in Special Education and Elementary Education. His other experience in education includes starting as a para educator while he completed his certifications and spent a few years between the Seattle Public Schools and Puyallup School District. Before teaching, William worked with Downtown Emergency Service Center (DESC) providing assistance to the homeless. Outside of school he enjoys photography, hiking, cooking, and baking. William has been teaching in Renton for two years.



### Jonathan Perry

Fourth Grade Teacher at Bryn Mawr Elementary School

Jonathan attended Tennessee State University where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education. He then attended Lipscomb University to earn a Masters in Teaching English Language Learners. He taught for four years with the Metro Nashville Public Schools and three years in Costa Rica teaching at The Country Day School. This is Jonathan's tenth-year teaching in the Renton School District.



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## Share the Magic of Rotary

With your friends, neighbors and professional network!

You can tell them how we.....

Join with millions of other Rotarians to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, profession and community leaders.



Engage with and support the community. In the last 12 months, we have raised funds through the Rubber Ducky Race at Renton River Days and our annual CAPER auction and:

Awarded **\$24,000 in college scholarships** to Renton School District seniors

Put **\$12,000 worth of warm coats** on children

Contributed over **\$3,000 to eradicate polio**

Invested over **\$13,000 in 3rd graders education** and ongoing learning

Contributed over **\$15,000 to international humanitarian projects**

Provided a **\$250 cash gift to over 24 educators** in the Renton School District to support their classroom

Awarded nearly **\$53,000 in non-profit grants**

**Supplied appliances for senior citizens** to help them be able to stay in their homes

and much more!

Our dues are only \$50 a month! Come check us out at a weekly meeting and have lunch with us on Thursdays at 12:00 pm at the beautiful Fairwood Golf & Country Club. All are welcome, you don't have to be a business owner, just someone who cares about Renton and cares about serving.

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