

Rotary

Club of Leavenworth



Monday, July 15, 2024



Club Meeting

Leavenworth
Meets at Kristalls
280 Highway 2
Leavenworth, WA 98826
Time: Friday at 12:00 PM

Events

No Events found

Birthdays

Keith W. Goehner
July 8th

Karl H. Ruether
July 12th

Club Leaders



[Mahala Murphy Martin](#)
Club Fundraising
Chair
iPast President



[Melanie Baur](#)
Bulletin Editor
President



[Kiffen Fishburne](#)
President



[Gary Schuster](#)
Secretary
Youth Protection
Officer



[Shawna Alexander](#)
Treasurer



[Bradley Brown](#)
Club Director
Membership
Chair
Vocational
Service Chair



[Pamela Brulotte](#)
Club Director
Youth Services
Chair

Paul Harris Fellow Award



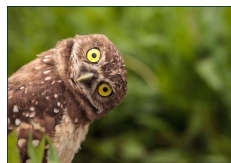
Congratulations to **Pam Brulotte** for receiving a **Red-stone Multiple Paul Harris Fellow Pin** with 3 rubies during our meeting on June 12th.

The Paul Harris Fellow Award, named after Rotary International Founder Paul Harris, is a Rotary award dating back to 1957 that recognizes individuals who contribute, or who have contributions made in their name, of \$1,000 or more to the **Rotary Foundation** of Rotary International.

*The **Rotary Foundation** helps Rotary members to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by improving health, providing quality education, improving the environment, and alleviating poverty.*

Thank you, Pam, for your contributions!

Trail Ambassador Signups



Please contact Karen Haire at karenhaire@nwi.net if you are able to help out with this year's Trail Ambassador Program on July 27th and 28th. There are spots still needing to be filled! Don't forget you can choose to volunteer for half a day if you don't have time to do a full day.

Thank you for your hard work, Karen!

===== Jane Dingman
Bulletin Editor



Tracey Edou
Club Director
Youth Protection
Officer
Youth Services
Chair



John Wood
Fishburne III
Club Director
Community
Service Chair



Karla Nolton
Club Director
Club Service
Chair
Webmaster

===== Deb Schnellman
Public Image
Chair



Mike Worden
Club Director
Rotary
Foundation
Chair
International
Service Chair
Past President



Brad Blackburn
Accounting



Mary N. Scheibler
Club Programs
Chair



Karen Haire
Rotary Youth
Exchange Chair

Yacht Trip in the San Juans



Last call for a once in a lifetime experience for you and 7 of your family or friends!

We're sharing with you an opportunity to bid on a Yacht Cruise in the San Juan Islands. This exceptional experience is still available from our Rotaryfest Fundraiser.

What a pleasure for you and 7 of your friends to enjoy a day cruising in the beautiful San Juan Islands on a 70' Luxury Yacht from Anacortes Yacht Charters with Leavenworth Rotarians Colin

and Lynda Brine!

Cruise Information

This is a one-day cruise for up to 8 people

This cruise includes:

- Continental Breakfast
- Full Lunch
- Snacks and Beverages

Dates are subject to availability from July through September

Minimum bid is \$500/person for 8 people (minimum total bid is \$4,000)

Bid Due Date: **Tuesday, July 16 but we'll accept them through the 19th!**

Place your bid by replying to this email or contacting Rotaryfest Committee Member Mahala Murphy-Martin at mahalamartin@outlook.com

Still not sure about making a bid? Here is a cruise video to help you decide:

<https://youtu.be/CV2GemqMBOA>

If you know someone who might be interested in this cruise, please feel free to forward this information to them.

Youth Exchange



Sully Fischer, one of our outbound students, spoke to us about her upcoming exchange in Taiwan, and her appreciation for being selected as a Rotary Youth Exchange student.

Canuche spoke to us at the meeting regarding our two inbound exchange students and reminded us that we can all pitch in and spend time with them to help fulfill their wish lists. In addition, they are still looking for a couple of more host families for the students to live with during their stay here. The Youth Exchange Committee is excited to share 2 things with our Rotary Club:

1. We are hosting two great students starting in August this year and have first host families for them both. We are still looking for other host families. We intend to have students hosted in 3 different homes each across the school year. So there are ample opportunities for other families to join in for hosting Jesper, a Dutch boy or Janice, a Taiwanese girl, in the winter or spring of 24-25 school year.
2. Even if you don't want to host a student in your home you can still participate in the Youth Exchange. I will pass around a sign up sheet for your "Leavenworth Bucket List" of activities every exchange student should be sure to do while they're with us in Leavenworth. If we all think about our favorite things to do in Leavenworth and make a plan to do that thing with each of our exchange students next year, we will have the foundations of a great experience for these kiddos.

Thank you!

Hands On Help Needed

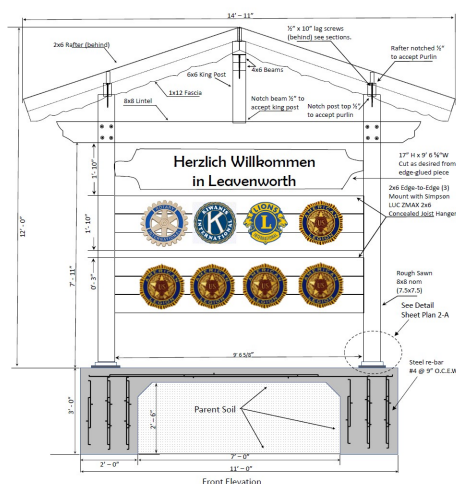
There are two projects that



Leavenworth Rotary is working on, and we need your help!

John Fishburne is heading up a project to build a deck and stairs for a gentleman in Hospice care. If you wish to help with this project, please contact John at fishburnej3@gmail.com

Mike Worden is heading up the project to get the Ken Kohnhorst Memorial Service Sign built and placed. If you wish to help with this project, please contact Mike at wordenrmike@outlook.com. Below is a diagram of this sign project:



Program This Week

We will have a two-part program this week:

1. Heidi Kuhn will give us her Classification talk.
 2. Club Directors will each give a small presentation regarding their Area of Service and will let us know what volunteers are required to complete their teams.
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Thank You to our Speaker Last Week!



Mike Worden gave the program last week. His topic was the lavender farm that he and his family are creating, which will be the largest in Washington State. His presentation was fascinating, not only the design of the lavender field, but all the machines they have invented to work with this large crop. Their business plan and vision for the future of the farm was truly inspirational. View the video of their multitask planting machine [here](#). To see the video they have created about the farm, click [here](#).

Thank you, Mike, for sharing your story with us!

News From Co-President Kiffen

Hi Rotary family,

I am so excited to start this Rotary new year with you all.

As I was thinking back to our last year, I was reminded of all the great things we accomplished by combining our different talents, capabilities, and interests. We really served well. We are a diverse group, and I am so proud to be a part of you all. I am also excited about our new members and anxious to get to know them and how their talents, experiences and new ideas will enhance our club. Working together, we will make a difference in our community and the World.



Which reminds me—I forgot to share with you the motto that Melanie and I chose for our club this year. It was adapted from a speech that Rotarian Arthur Fredric Sheldon delivered to the first Rotary convention, held in Chicago in 1910.

“He profits most who Serves Best.” It is a powerful reminder to us, to keep us directed at Rotary’s goal of Service above self. As we strive to work together as a club—a family, getting to know each other and encouraging each other, we will not only enhance what we do, but will accomplish much this year.

I especially want to thank Mike for his riveting talk about what he and his family have and are accomplishing, by putting their vision and hard work together. A dream is just the beginning, hard work together is the reward.

I want to remind you to get your dues in, so we can get started in making our goals.

Remember to sign up with Karen Haire for trail ambassadors.

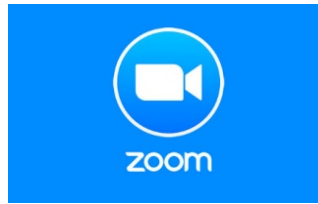
With Appreciation,
Co-Pres. Kiffen

July Birthdays



Keith Goehner - July 8
Karl Ruether - July 12

Weekly Meeting Zoom Link



If you cannot join us in person, the ZOOM link is listed below:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82511774021?
pwd=eWlVS2VRUDh2MCs4OURzdWE3d2laQT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82511774021?pwd=eWlVS2VRUDh2MCs4OURzdWE3d2laQT09)

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If you wish to contact the Rotary Club of Leavenworth by mail, our address is:

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