



Tuesday, August 27, 2024

Fellowship Outreach and Fun

Club Meeting

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

Events

No Events found

Birthdays

Ross Frank
August 11th
Bradley Brown
August 13th
Pamela Brulotte
August 21st
Mary Brisa Peacock
August 29th

Club Leaders



Melanie Baur
Bulletin
Editor
President



Kiffen Fishburne
President



Gary Schuster
Secretary
Youth
Protection
Officer



Shawna Alexander
Treasurer



Thank you to our Fellowship Chair, **Heidi Kuhn**, who planned such a special event for us all to enjoy!

Thank you to so many Rotarians who participated in the Fellowship on August 20th at Mountain Meadows. It was such a pleasure to sit and talk with the residents there, and for all to sing along with Benjamin Jay Thomas Music and Experiences.

To see more photos and read more about this and the many other activities our club has been involved in, visit our Facebook page by clicking this link: [\(20\) Facebook](#)

Thank you Heidi for planning this fellowship for all of us!

Rotarians Build New Ramp





Bradley Brown
Club
Director
Membership
Chair
Vocational
Service
Chair



Pamela Brulotte
Club
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Youth
Services
Chair



Jane Dingman
Bulletin
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Youth
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Officer
Youth
Services
Chair



John Wood
Fishburne III
Club
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Community
Service
Chair



Karla Noltan
Club
Director
Club Service
Chair
Webmaster



Deb Schnellman
Public
Image Chair
Webmaster



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



Brad Blackburn
Accounting



From Diana Zumini:

Grateful to Rotary for this new ramp. Railings coming today! (Monday)
Steve Helmick, John Fishburne Rotarians. A grateful daughter Lathai-a Marlin, (Jeff
Marlin is recipient.)
They also leveled the deck!

Thank you to these big-hearted Rotarians!



Mahala
Murphy
Martin
Club
Fundraising
Chair
iPast
President



Mary N.
Scheibler
Club
Programs
Chair



Karen Haire
Rotary
Youth
Exchange
Chair

Paul Harris Fellow Award



Congratulations to **Steve Helmick** for receiving a **blue stone Multiple Paul Harris Fellow Pin** with 2 sapphires during our meeting on August 23rd.

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, Steve, for your contributions!

Whooo Needs to Pay Their Rotary Dues?



This is a reminder that the last date for payment of membership dues is **August 30th**.

Thank you to those whooo have already paid!

Public Image Requests

Leavenworth
Rotary



Deb Schnellman, Chair of Public Image, would like us all to use a single email account to send all information and pictures to Public Image. We will use what we receive in this account for our newsletter/bulletin, our website, and on Social Media where appropriate.

Please send your pictures and information to:

leavenworthwarotary@gmail.com

Please visit our **Facebook Page** and **Website** to see the updates that have been made, and please consider making suggestions and contributions to these via the email shown above.

Rotary Club of Leavenworth WA Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/leavenworthwarotary/>

*Please click the link above and **like** the posts!*

Our **Website** is Loaded with Information!

[Rotary Club of Leavenworth \(leavenworthrotarywa.com\)](http://leavenworthrotarywa.com)

Hint: Click on the tabs at the top of the website to see drop-down menus with additional information.

Rotary Learning Institute



Have you heard?!?! The Rotary Learning Institute is coming to Wenatchee in the fall and YOU'RE INVITED!!!

Register today for the opportunity to learn more about Rotary outside of your own club's bubble, meet a bunch of Rotarians from other clubs and have fun doing it!

Space is limited, so don't wait too long to register!

DETAILS

WHEN: Saturday September 28th, 2024

8:30am - 3:30pm

WHERE: Cordell Neher & Company

175 E Penny Road

Wenatchee, WA 98801

COST: \$50USD (check with your club to see if they will cover the cost)

Want more details? No problem! Below is the registration link and some information about what to expect.

<https://dacdb.com/index.html?EventID=77762155>

The Rotary Learning Institute (RLI) is a full-day facilitated event suitable for members of ANY Rotary knowledge level. Participants learn about everything from The Foundation to creating a positive membership experience, to learning about service opportunities outside of your own Rotary Club bubble. Sessions are facilitated by various Learning Leaders and are a wonderful opportunity to interact with members from other clubs, exchange ideas and build potential new collaborations with other members.

Registration fee includes downloadable/printable workbook, suitable meeting space, coffee/refreshments/lunch and the full-day facilitated RLI session.

General Meeting Schedule

Dear Fellow Rotarians:

A request was made to publish the **General Membership Meeting Schedule** to our membership. As you are aware, our meetings are on Fridays at Kristall's, and here is the normal schedule of events:

11:45 - Order Food, and Meet & Greet
12:00 - The Meeting is Called to Order
12:01-12:29 - Club Traditions and Announcements
12:30 - Program Presentations
1:00 - Questions for Presenter(s) and Remaining Announcements
1:15 - The Meeting is Formally Ended

There you have it!



Food Truck Knight



Our very own Leavenworth Rotary Club member, Lupe Brito, Development Director for the Wenatchee Valley College Foundation, has organized an event that we are all welcome to enjoy.

The Food Truck Knight will be held on Friday, September 20th, from 3-8pm on the Wenatchee Valley College campus. Activities include a 'dunk tank', food, and beer and wine gardens.

Library Book Sale



Mahala Murphy-Martin shared this information with the club regarding the Friends of the Leavenworth Library Used Book Sale to promote literacy in our community:

July 2024

TO: Community Partners

Please share this information with your groups, online event calendars, and websites, to inform our community about the Annual Friends of the Leavenworth Library Used Book Sale.

WHAT: Annual Friends of the Leavenworth Library Used Book Sale

WHO: The Friends of the Leavenworth Library host this annual event to benefit their mission to promote, support and enhance the resources of the Leavenworth Public Library. This event is supported by community volunteers, book donations, and many community partners.

WHEN: September 27 - October 6, 2024

Sundays - Thursdays 10 am - 5 pm, Fridays and Saturdays 10 am - 6 pm

WHERE: The Book Sale is located at the intersection of 8th and Commercial Street, in downtown Leavenworth.

WHY: Please join us to promote literacy in our community

HOW: The Friends of the Leavenworth Library are accepting used book donations on the second and fourth Fridays of the month at Mountain View Cemetery 12874 Cemetery Road between 9 - 11 am. Gently used books are welcome, however we do not accept magazines, encyclopedias, textbooks, or outdated manuals.

Additionally, The Friends of the Leavenworth Library are selling used books at the Leavenworth Lions Club Saturday morning Pancake Breakfasts, 700 US Hwy 2 in Leavenworth on July 13, 27, August 10, 24, and September 14, 28.

For information about the Friends group, visit our Facebook Page at Leavenworth Friends of the Library, or attend a monthly meeting on the first Thursday of the month at 9:00 am in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 700 US Hwy 2, Leavenworth. Contact: Natalie Briody 509-670-9361 or email nbriody17@gmail.com for questions.

Thank You to our Speaker Last Week!



Reese Mathers presented her life in Germany, where she spent her year abroad as our outbound exchange student. We truly got a sense of the transitions she made to live in a foreign country where many didn't speak English, what it was like to embrace her new life there, and the transitions she had to make coming back to life in Leavenworth.

To listen to her presentation, click this [link](#).

Program This Week

Join us Friday as Tracey Edou, Gary Schuster and Pam Brulotte share more about how Rotarians can help to ensure that we are actively creating safe and welcoming environments for young people.

Club Youth Protection
Youth Services
Youth Exchange & Youth Committee



Meet your new District Governor - Tom Tochterman

Thursday, August 1, 2024

Tom has been married to Julie Tochterman since 1981. They have three adult children and two grandchildren, and now enjoy the "empty nester" lifestyle. He is a fourth-generation Puget Sounder with family roots in northern Switzerland. Tom's hobbies include travelling, camping, motorcycling, and generally all outdoor activities. He began his adult career as a military police officer in the United States Air Force and served between 1981 and 1987. Tom's

military career was cut short after six years when he was recruited to join the family business, Tochterman Investment Company. After spending 30 years in the family business, a commercial real estate asset company, he retired and transitioned to a new career in nature conservation in Africa.



[Read More](#)

District Governor's message - August

By Thomas L Tochtermann on Monday, August 5, 2024

I am honored and excited to help lead our district along with our District Leadership Team. In my life I have learned much about developing and sustaining working relationships, partnerships, collaborations, etcâ€¦.. and I hope it will serve all of us well as we do great things over the coming year!

Something I have learned in Rotary that applies commonly to business and philanthropy are the importance of networks & building on the success of others; perhaps even more important is that â€œ\$â€™s follow serviceâ€, and â€œfun precedes (fun)dingâ€; much like the clich  of â€œlead by exampleâ€™.

[Read More](#)



News From Co-President Kiffen



Hello Rotary family,

John and I just got back from a trip to Spokane toâ€¦. NO water. You never know and appreciate this (just turn the handle) privilege that we haveâ€¦until itâ€™s not there. It made me think of how it must be for people that donâ€™t have this automatic, turn the handle, PRESTO, water supply that I just take for granted.

I read in a rotary magazine about mothers and children that must walk long distances in the heat to a water source, then carry their heavy containers back to have water for cooking, or other daily needs. It made me think of the story of the little boy that wanted to see again â€œthe magicâ€ of clean water flowing from a pipe in his village that Rotarians had worked hard to raise money for, then these Rotarians traveled long distances to put in the system that made the magic happenâ€¦..that changed their lives.

So I ask you, do we have the desire, the heart, the drive to join together to make a difference in lives that need our help. Not just clean water but a chance to better lives with education, books, teachers, doctors, medicine and the many other privileges that we take for granted. I read that if a child has a chance to learn to read, the potential for their lives to change is immeasurable.

If we all work together, we WILL make a difference. I for one long for that and I know you do too. Letâ€™s make the magic happen for othersâ€™ lives.

â€œHe profits most who serves bestâ€

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

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