



Tuesday, September 17, 2024

Incoming Orientation Camp

Club Meeting

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

Events

No Events found

Birthdays

Norma Gallegos
September 20th

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Chair



From **Karen Haire**, our Youth Exchange Officer and Chair:

Janice and Jesper and I had a wonderful extended weekend at the Inbound Orientation at the Salvation Army's Camp Gifford.

They got to try hamburgers at a diner in Davenport, meet 30 other exchange students from 21 countries, learn lots about Rotary and Youth Exchange regulations and try games like ping pong, pool, Uno and volleyball.



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On the way back, we stopped at the Dry Falls overlook to marvel at Washington's geology.

Karen

Welcome Party for Janice and Jesper



Welcome Party Details for our exchange students, Janice and Jesper

When: Tuesday, October 1, 4:00-6:00

Where: Icicle Village Resort, Snow Lakes Room

This is a Pot-Luck featuring your all-time favorite American classic dishes!

Rattlesnake Hill Work Party

Jim Schnellman, or Local Hands-On Projects Chair, is asking fellow members to join him in this worthwhile event on September 21 from 8:00am to 2:00pm. This work party will help add gravel and make the trail more usable for students and the whole community year-round.

Meet at the Icicle Middle School at the Pile of Gravel.

Please bring gloves and water, and wear work boots (recommended).





Mary N. Scheibler
Club
Programs
Chair



Karen Haire
Rotary
Youth
Exchange
Chair

Highway Clean-Up September 25



Our next **Highway Cleanup Day** is
Wednesday, September 25, 9:00am

Please bring gloves. All other supplies are provided, including hard hats and visibility vests.

Meet at the West End of the Smallwoods parking lot.
If you can help, please contact **Jim Schnellman**, our Local Hands-On Projects Chair,
at JSchnellman@comcast.net.

Autumn Leaf Parking Attendants

John Fishburne has asked for help with
guiding Autumn Leaf buses to their parking
spots at CHS on **Saturday, September 28th**
at **7:00 am**.

Please contact John at fishburnej3@gmail.com
if you can help.



Pollinator Plant Donations

Deb Schnellman is heading up the effort to maintain and add new plants to our Leavenworth Rotary Pollinator Gardens. She is asking for donations of pollinator plants from club members. If you would like to make a donation, or help plant the garden, please contact Deb at DebSchnellman@comcast.net.



Membership Posts on Facebook

Our Public Image Chair, **Deb Schnellman**, would like us all to participate in a District program where we feature each club member in a post on our Facebook page. Deb will be presenting more information about this project to the club, but please start thinking about what you would like to have on your Facebook post.

She is asking that each member submit the following to:

leavenworthwarotary@gmail.com

- A picture of yourself
- Answers to the following questions:
 1. Favorite Thing About Rotary
 2. Favorite Feel Good Movie
 3. Book You are Currently Reading
 4. Hobbies
 5. Best Vacation

Thank you in advance for your help with this project!

Polio Awareness Day is October 24



Save the Date for World Polio Day

World Polio Day is a time for Rotary members, public health advocates, and all who want a world free from polio to come together, recognize our progress in the fight to end polio, and talk about the actions we need to take in order to end polio for good.

Public Image Requests

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.

Meeting Support Help

Are you someone who uses Zoom for meetings in your professional and/or volunteer work? We are looking for one or more individuals to assist at the weekly meetings to at least help run the Zoom portion: to ensure that it is up and running, Zoom attendees and presenters can join, and that the presentations are recorded to the cloud. Additional responsibilities may include showing presentations (PowerPoint and others) to the members who are attending both in person and on Zoom.

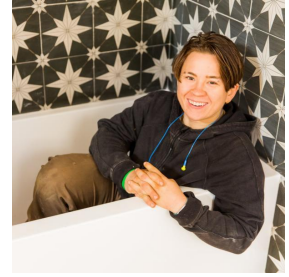


This help is needed starting January 3, 2025. You would not be alone, so it would not be a weekly commitment, but one where you and a few other members could coordinate your schedules to help. We are seriously looking at the possibility that there might not be this support at some meetings next year if additional support is not provided.

Thanks for your time and consideration of this request!

Program this Week

Beryl Bills of **Eastside Rebuild** will be presenting to our club this week. Here is some information regarding Eastside Rebuild:



At Eastside Rebuild we envision a future where tools and building materials in the Wenatchee Valley from Leavenworth to Chelan have a renewed purpose, contributing to an environmentally sustainable, economically vibrant, and socially responsible community.

OUR MISSION

Eastside Rebuild provides economically and environmentally sustainable building materials, along with the tools and knowledge needed to empower all communities of the Wenatchee Valley to rebuild and repair the world around them.

Speaker Last Week



Thank you to our speaker last week, **Tracey Edou**, who blessed us with her patience when presenting to us amid our many technical issues.

Tracey shared with us how the Cascade School District is recovering from the pandemic. While enrollment isn't yet what it was pre-pandemic, it has grown substantially from the pandemic lows. Currently, there are about 1,160 students in the district, whereas 1,250 is Tracey's enrollment goal. Where many school districts around the state are experiencing school closures and even state takeover of schools, the Cascade School District ended last year in the black, and has not had to make such drastic changes. Difficult decisions had to be made with a 'belt-tightening budget', but the community has stepped up to fill in funding needs for most programs that incurred cutbacks, such as the Choir Program.

Tracey shared with us the many programs and successes of the Cascade School District, and provided the following link which outlines most of the programs she shared with us via her Year in Review:

You can find the Year in Review under <https://www.cascadesd.org/> > For Parents > 2023-2024 Year in Review. The direct link is: <https://5il.co/2u7ji>.

Thank you Tracey for such a transparent and interesting program!

News From Co-President Melanie

Dear Fellow Rotarians -

Next year is a very special one for our Leavenworth Rotary Club. It will be our **50th Anniversary** and whoever is President next year will have an opportunity to celebrate this achievement throughout their 2025-2026 Rotary year.

Currently, we do not have a President-Elect (PE), but there are so many opportunities provided by Rotary International, our District, and our Club that I want to share with you, if you are considering the PE position:



- You will attend the Rotary International Conference in Calgary, the District Conference in Yakima, and the President-Elect Training Seminar (PETS) in Seattle. All offer wonderful opportunities for networking and gaining knowledge and training.
- Free online President-Elect and Leadership classes in the Learning Center, which you can complete at your own pace.
- You will meet and collaborate with other PE's in our District and Area, and have opportunities to network with the membership and leadership throughout our District.
- You will have previous Leavenworth Rotary Club Presidents as resources (which is the majority of the club) to help and guide you through your year as President.

If you have held the position of President in our own club or others, please consider serving again. Many of those we met at this year's PETS had previously served as Presidents, and they found it so valuable that they were serving again. Point in fact: one Rotarian was getting ready to serve as President of his club for the **5th** time! Just like our club, he could not serve two years in a row, but had chosen to be President every 5 years while he was a member of his club.

For those that feel they can't commit to a full year as President, there is always the option of finding a partner Co-President, allowing you each to have a 6-month term. This may be more manageable for those who are committed to other committees in our Rotary, or other organizations in our community.

Please contact Mahala at mahalamartin@outlook.com, Kiffen at kiffen.f@gmail.com, and Melanie at MelanieABaur@gmail.com if you wish to be considered as President for this very special upcoming rotary year - our 50th anniversary.
Thank you!

Curious? Like to Network and Have Fun?



We have the event for you!

The Rotary Learning Institute (RLI) South offers a comprehensive one-day event designed for Rotary members of all knowledge levels. Participants have the opportunity to delve into various topics such as the Rotary Foundation, enhancing membership experiences, and exploring service opportunities beyond their Rotary Club. The sessions are led by diverse Learning Leaders, providing a platform to engage with members from different clubs, share ideas, and foster potential collaborations. The registration fee covers a downloadable/printable workbook, suitable meeting space, refreshments, lunch, and the full-day RLI session. Limited space is available, so early registration is encouraged. Refunds are possible with a 72-hour cancellation notice prior to the program start.

Location: Cordell, Neher, & Company, 175 E Penny Avenue, Wenatchee WA



Cost: \$50

Questions: Sadie Thayer, coordinator

Register [here](#) (Must log in to DACdb)



September Birthdays



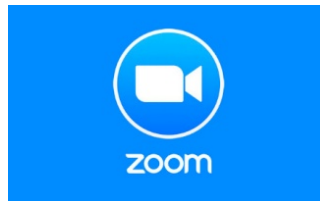
Norma Gallegos - September 20

Rotary Club of Leavenworth Contact Info

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

Rotary Club of Leavenworth
P.O. Box 532
Leavenworth, WA 98826

Weekly Meeting Zoom Link



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

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84344654802>

Password: Rotary
