

Rotary Club of Coeur d'Alene



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NEXT MEETING January 05, 2024

Rotary Friendship Exchange- Hank Martin

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Presided.....PRESIDENT DOUG RUPIPER

Invocation.....SAM HUNTER

Greeter.....KIM EDMONDSON

Sergeant at Arms.....JIM PRUSSACK

VISITING ROTARIANS

David Keyes, Sandpoint

Mel Dick, Sandpoint

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Rotary Board voted to make the \$25 Every Rotarian Every Year donation an opt out opportunity going into effect in 2024. You will see the charge reflected on your billing statement, but can opt out of paying, if desired.

Jim Addis resigned his membership and Faith Valente is on leave in Florence, Italy until the Spring.

Bob Smee was in the hospital this week with a broken femur. He is home recovering now, but would enjoy phone calls, texts or well wishes. You can reach him at 509-828-3659.

BIRTHDAYS

12/31 Carla Cicero

PROGRAM

The meeting opened with a champagne and sparkling cider toast to a great 2023 and first half of the Rotary year. Tables were set up with equal age distribution in order to foster conversation and an opportunity for members to get to know each other better. Newer members were not the only ones sharing ,as many members learned things about friends and other long-time club members that they had never known. Many laughs were heard and the consensus was time moved too quickly. Members were hoping for more time to share and learn from each other. A break in the regular program schedule was a nice change and the fellowship time was a great exercise to build goodwill and better friendships.

Three cheers for a great time shared with wonderful people today! Hip, Hip HOORAY! Hip, hip HOORAY! HAPPY NEW YEAR!

PROGRAMS for JANUARY


More to come

In Service,


BRITT TOWERLY

Speakers


Club Leaders




[Doug Rupiper](#)
President



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President-Elect




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Treasurer




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Rotary Foundation
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Special Projects Chair



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Chair



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II
Veterans Committee
Chair



Ian Hicks
International Service
Chair



Alex Stanton
International Service
Chair



Candace Louise
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