

The Rotary Way - Rotary Club of Vancouver

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Speakers

April 29, 2024

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May 06, 2024

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Afghanistan to America

May 13, 2024

[Natalie Neshyba](#)
Oregon Zoo

May 20, 2024
[Scholarship Luncheon](#)
Recognition of 2024
Recipients

Birthdays

James (Ron) R. Powers
April 1st
Wayne E. Clemetson
April 2nd
Patricia W. Eby
April 13th
Gordon E. Rodewald
April 14th
James E David
April 16th
Megan Anderson
April 19th
Justin Ryan Stokes
April 21st
Terrance Goldman
April 21st
George Roger Francisco
April 22nd
Amy Lynn Harris
April 22nd
Katlin Smith
April 24th
Bruce Ziegman
April 25th
Lindia H. Stanton
April 26th
David A. Horowitz
April 27th

This Week's Meeting April 29, 2024

By Wendy M. Kelley on Saturday, April 27, 2024

AGENDA

MONDAY

April 22, 2024
Noon

AC Marriott Hotel
@ the Waterfront
333 W. Columbia Way
Vancouver



CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

The following individual has been proposed for membership. If there are any concerns, please provide to the President or a Board Member in writing. **First Reading:** Abigail Daniel, Occupation: Client Services for Fresh Content Society, Sponsor: Spencer Savage.

Presiding

President Lisa Gibert

Song

Anne McEnergy-Ogle

Pledge

Mike Bomar

Moment of Inspiration

Larry Smith

Program

Past President Mike Bomar
The Port of Vancouver

??????FOR REMOTE ACCESS

Remote access via Zoom is now available for our Monday meetings. The link is below. We are making it available on a trial basis at no charge. If we continue to offer the service, there will be a fee for using it in the future.

Please note that remote access is not intended as a regular alternative to attending Rotary in-person. If you cannot attend in-person, you are welcome to use Zoom. If we find that remote access adversely affects meeting attendance, we may have to reconsider its use (the club is required by contract to pay for a minimum number of lunches, regardless of attendance).

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87416668862?
pwd=OExFYU1xSVBFaGZNYkhxZWVuL3Fydz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87416668862?pwd=OExFYU1xSVBFaGZNYkhxZWVuL3Fydz09)

Meeting ID: 874 1666 8862 Passcode: 611325

Stephen's Place Volunteer Opportunity

Stephen's Place

A reminder about our service opportunity at Stephen's Place on **Tuesday, April 30th starting at 11 am**. Stephen's Place spoke to our club a few weeks ago about their organization and the work they do to provide support to adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Here is a link to their website if you need a refresher: <https://www.stephensplace.org/>

Stephen's Place has shared an outline of the schedule for the event.

- Lawn Games (Corn hole, Soccer, Basketball, Bowling)
- STEM Activity (Elephant toothpaste, DIY bouncy balls, or, mini terrariums in jar)
- Rainy Day Option- Large coloring page & Activity Inside
- Join us for lunch at 12:00 or 12:30

We are looking for 5-10 volunteers to help with this opportunity. Thank you to those who have already signed up. **You can use this link to sign up**

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0945A9A62EA7F4C43-49175832-stephens>

Location: Stephen's Place 501 SE Ellsworth Road Vancouver, WA 98664 (southwest of I-205 and Mill Plain)

War Memorial Clean Up - Volunteer Opportunity

War Memorial Clean Up

Service project in partnership with the Rotary Club of Three Creeks

Date: Saturday, May 18

Time: 8:30 - 10:30 am

Location: Clark County Veterans Monument. Corner of McClellan Rd and Fort Vancouver Way. Nearby where we used to meet at the Red Cross building.

Dan Sockle from the Rotary Club of Three Creeks says the work to be done includes:

- Pop some weeds, especially around the plants and flagpoles, but perhaps also focusing on the dandelions between the Memorial and the flagpoles.
- I will have a bucket, soap and hot water, along with a nylon brush, to scrub some of the stonework lettering, etc.
- If we still have some moss on the monument and granite benches, we will do a little more scrubbing with mild soap/cleansers.
- Depending on Ranger Aaron and whomever he designates, if NPS has some exterior white paint, we can send a detail of a few volunteers over to spruce up the suffering gazebo.

Volunteers should bring their own garden gloves and favorite weed popper, and perhaps a small bucket to collect the weeds as they go.

Please contact Jason Martel and let him know if you can volunteer for this event.

Dan also says that he will be bringing donuts.

The We Care Committee

By Wendy M. Kelley on Friday, June 30, 2023

The We Care Committee is interested in hearing about any club members who are ill or experiencing a hardship. If you know of someone, please let any one of us know.

Thank you, Dave Weese, Karey Schoenfeld, Wayne Clemetson, Jennifer Riddle, George Francisco, and Duke Simpson.