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Club Meeting

Jacksonville-Applegate
Meets at Bella Union Restaurant
170 West California Street
Jacksonville, OR 97530
Time: Thursday at 07:00 AM

From our March 28, 2019 Meeting

By Peggy Carlaw on Wednesday, April 3, 2019

The meeting was chaired by President-Elect, Brenda Stein. Platon Mantheakis filled in as Sergeant-at-Arms.

Announcements:

- We received a thank you from Kerri Murray, President of ShelterBox USA for our recent donation to the HERO program. ShelterBox provides emergency shelter and lifesaving equipment for families who have been displaced due to natural disasters or conflict situations.
- Kudos to Platon for stepping in as greeter since our two greeters were MIA.
- Lyn encouraged us to sign up to do our part for the PowerPack program by spending a Friday from 1:15-2:30 to pack bags of food for kids at Jackson Elementary School who need a little help to tide them over the weekend. There are a lot of empty spots, especially in May. Look for an email from Lyn on 3/26 or go to www.signup.com.
- Jill said all our new members have now received their Blue Badges and encouraged us to invite potential new members to a meeting.
- Colette announced that John Boyd submitted his application to be a host family for our exchange student. We could use one more family. If you're interested, please contact Colette.
- Brenda announced that she, Peggy, and Donna will be attending the Club Training Assembly in Cottage Grove on April 6 and will provide a full report upon their return.
- Platon has our club members heading to Tanzania outfitted with Rotary shirts, hats, and pins to help them breeze through customs. Rotary gear will and fellow travelers and Tanzanians know that we're there in support of clean water.

Sergeant-at-Arms:

- Jerry missed his greeting duties, turned 70, and caught the limit each day while crabbing at Charleston.
- Colette's daughter signed a contract as an RN in Saudi Arabia for one year, and Colette's son graduated from OR State in June with a job in hand. He just proposed to his girlfriend, and they'll be married in June, 2020.
- Brenda's son finished his sophomore year at OSU. He's studying electrical and computer engineering and has been on the honor roll every term.
- Lyn's happy to be Sergeant next year and tempted members with a reward for snitching on their friends.
- Guest George from Medford Rogue Rotary was happy that their June fundraiser is moving to a larger venue.
- Peggy reported that ShelterBox is currently in Malawi getting the proper approval to begin delivering aid to the victims of Cyclone Idai.
- Carl was happy that Jerry turned 70. Platon noticed that we missed Ace leading us in a rousing rendition of Happy Birthday.
- Bob noted that his wife, Colleen, will soon be learning to fly fish as part of Casting for Recovery, an organization that works with survivors of breast cancer.
- Jill's daughter brought Jill's 6 and 13-year old grandsons down for Spring break. To entertain the energetic kids, they spent time at Bear Creek Park at the playground some of our members helped re-build.



Roger will be fined upon his return for missing a meeting by being in Hawaii.

Important Dates

March 28th

[Weekly Meeting](#)

Speaker: Lynette Hasse

Subject: Every Child Jackson County

April 4th

[Weekly Meeting](#)

Speaker: Millie Carlton

Subject: Scorched...the effect of wildfires

April 18th

[Weekly Meeting](#)

Speaker: Richie Kemmling

Subject: Update on Scouts Activity

Program: Lynette Hasse, Executive Director, Every Child Jackson CountyEvery Child partners with Oregon's Department of Human Services (DHS) to aid vulnerable children in foster care and to support foster families. They do this by partnering with the community. Opportunities for involvement include:

- Creating welcome boxes which provide entertainment and a feeling of safety for children just entering the system.
- Putting together baby bags to get foster families through the first few days of accepting an infant into their homes
- Supporting DHS in a variety of ways by providing some meals, ice cream for breaks, or decorating visitation rooms.
- Becoming an office buddy to te a constant presence with a child at the DHS office until they are released to a foster family.

...and more. For additional information, or to volunteer, go to <http://everychildjackson.org/> or contact Lynette at 541-621-7283.

Welcome to the Jacksonville-Applegate Rotary Club

We are a group of volunteers who belong to Rotary, an organization of business, professional, and community leaders united worldwide to provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace. Rotary is nonpolitical and nonreligious. It is the largest and oldest civic organization on Earth, with 1.2 million women and men, and 34,000 clubs in over 140 countries.

Chartered in 1987, our club is dedicated to creating better communities at home and around the world. We participate in service projects, provide financial support, foster fellowship among different peoples, and further the education of our children. Rotary is the largest single scholarship provider in the world.

In all of our decisions, we apply The Rotary 4-Way Test:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

We invite you to join us for breakfast at our meetings, Thursdays, at 7:00 am at the Bella Union in Jacksonville. Just stop in and introduce yourself; no reservations needed.

