



Year 34, Number 16, August 5, 2024

We Meet Bi-Monthly

at Brand 33 Restaurant
Aspen Lakes Golf Course
16900 Aspen Lakes Dr
Sisters, OR 97759

1st/3rd Tuesdays
@noon

Club Officers



Francis A. Reilly
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Membership Chair



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William S. Kelly
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Birthdays

Keith Douglas Hyde
August 8th
Brandon R Voss
August 26th
Michael Deal
September 1st
Kristin Sorensen-Hilgart
September 4th

Meetings and Events

Tomorrow: Andrew Untermeyer, Senior Media Consultant, Central Oregon Daily

Andrew began his career in Broadcasting in 1986 at KUIK Radio in Hillsboro, Oregon. He moved to Central Oregon in 1989 to manage the sales department for KSJJ/KPRB Radio in Redmond and helped launch the FOX TV station in Bend in 1996.

Untermeyer joined Central Oregon Daily in 2017. He has been married for 34 years to Margie with 2 adult children, AJ and Marlee. What he loves most about his job is that his career is all about News, Sports, Politics and Culture from the sidelines.



August 20: Seed-to-Table Founder and Farm Director Audrey Tehan



Audrey Tehan, founder and Farm Director will be speaking about all the upgrades and changes at the Seed-to-Table Farm.

We presented Seed to Table Farm with a \$500 check in support of all their efforts.

September 3: Judy Corwin, CO Mastersingers Trip to Italy and The Vatican

September 17: TBA

October 1: Valarie Rundquist, Program Director, Oregon Community Foundation

President Sandy: August Prep for a Great Fall

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

August is a quiet month for projects but an active month of preparations. Different teams are active with strategy and planning.

Steve Auerbach is bringing together plans for our next annual Glory Daze Car Show on September 21. Volunteers will be needed as we will again see more than 100 beautiful cars come to Sisters and we will feature pancakes and coffee by breakfast, and then sausage and grilled onions for lunch sandwiches to the event.



Planning is underway for a new event for our team. The first and hopefully annual, Fundraising Gala Dinner at The Open Door on October 9. We are working closely with The Open Door to create an evening that will bring financial support to our Books for Kids program and may support additional education projects within the Sisters school system.

We are also back in touch with the Sleep in Heavenly Peace team to support another bed build. This could be as soon as October so keep your gloves, hats and sanders in the ready.

The team will be bring decisions around selection of this year's Christmas ornament or card, ready for November activity. Our club will bring hot chocolate back to the Sisters Tree Lighting this year, so plan to be there with gloves on and caroling voices tuned. We are planning to bring back the Ridgeview HS choral group for the early December meeting and this might also be a pot luck lunch meeting, more on that later.



At an upcoming meeting, Jim Lanzoratta and I will be start a discussion around the new three-year business plan format from RI. As many of you know, Bill Kelly, Jim Lanzoratta and I have been working as a team since earlier this year to create a three-year strategy that we hope will roll out for our next President Elect who will be identified also in December.

An active next five months, so I thank you all for looking forward, and for putting "save the date" notes on your calendars.

The photo (right) is me posing with glacial ice destined for margaritas in Seward, AK.

Yours in service,

Sandy Reilly
President, Rotary Club of Sisters

All Club Members Have Board Meeting Open Invites

President Sandy is encouraging club member participation at the Board leadership meeting starting with his first.

The Board will convene for the first time under Reilly on **Monday, August 5 (TODAY)** starting at 4:30 p.m. Jen Holland has been able to make the Parks and Recreation office available for the meeting.

GOALS FOR PRESIDENT SANDY'S YEAR TO KEEP IN FOCUS



The Club Goals program will be driven this year by the 18 goals for measurement within Rotary International's website at My Rotary under Rotary Club Central:

- 1) **Service Participation**, the number of club members participating on projects our goal for 2024/25 is **30 members**.
- 2) **Social Activities**, separate activities within your club's area, our goal for the year is **8 events/activities**.
- 3) **Leadership Development participation**, I have submitted a goal of **4 individuals** for the year.
- 4) **District Training participation**, again I have submitted a goal of **4 individuals**.
- 5) **Annual Fund contributions**, I have brought our goal up only slightly to **\$10,000**. We reached \$9895 of a \$7500 goal this past year.
- 6) **Polio Plus Contributions**, I have submitted a goal of **\$2000**. We missed last year with \$1908 of \$2500.
- 7) **Club Membership**, we have a goal of **44 members**, that means adding at least **four new members while retaining all current members and not losing any**.
- 8) **Media Stories about Club projects**, I have placed a goal of **six mentions in public media**.
- 9) A review and consideration to **update club bylaws**. This is an RI recommendation.

The Club of Fun!!! Sisters Rotary Boots Out Kelly In Style/Lanzarotta Social



Talk About Our Five Way Test and that Fifth Test----Is It Fun?!

The Sisters Club booted out now Past President Bill Kelly in style and recognized his special year with awarding him a beautiful cutting board complete with Rotary seal (pictured left). The June 28 event was hosted by Michael Gray and featured Rand Rietmann on the grill with his famous tri-tip (see photo to the right).



The next month of July featured a fifth Tuesday which just demanded another good time hosted by Jim and Kelly Lanzarotta on their Holmes Road estate (try to find a weed in the Lanzarotta lawn!).

The evening featured great food, conversation, Marshall family music and another FUN time was had by all!!!



Post-Rotary Lunch...Join Us This Week

Several club members have assembled for lunch in town immediately after our bi-monthly meetings and all are welcome. Here is a list formalizing the plan and hopefully getting many of you to keep your hunger in check until the 1 p.m. hour on club meeting days:

August 6: R Spot (pictured, right)

August 20: High Camp

September 3: Luckey's Woodsman

The main goal is additional interaction and networking to get to know our fellow Rotarians better and maybe conspire to further our community service locally.



We are also very open to suggestions/recommendations for additional lunch stop potentials looking to spread our patronage of our Sisters eateries!

Upcoming Meeting Assignments

Sergeant-at-Arms: Help meeting set up/tear down, Lead pledge, Collect appreciation dollars, Handle raffle drawing

August 6: Rand Rietmann

August 20: Shaunette White

September 3: Brandon Voss

September 17:

October 1:

Greeter: Greet all prior to meeting start, Badge help and assist with sale of raffle tickets, help set up/tear down if possible.

August 6: Mark Ossinger

August 20: Mike Richards

September 3: Pam Ossinger

September 17:

October 1:

Thought for the Day: Exactly that and nothing more....short and sweet....and thoughtful!

August 6: Bre Miller

August 20: Josh Smith

September 3: Debbi McCune

September 17:

October 1:

Levity for a Sisters Lifestyle

