

Rotary



Club of Eugene Airport

Club Meeting

Eugene Airport
Meets at We meet at
7:30am at the Eugene
Airport in the upstairs
meeting room.
28801 Douglas Drive
Eugene, OR 97402
Time: Thursday at 07:30 AM

Club Leaders



Bart Ellis
President



David A Bondurant
President-Elect



Robert Strubing
Secretary



Cindy M. Decker
Treasurer



Judi Beard-Strubing
Past District Governor



Jerry A. Finigan
Membership Chair
Past President



Stephen M. Clarke
Rotary Foundation Chair



Melissa J Bowers
Service Projects Chair
- Local Service Projects Chair



Larry Rhodes
Service Projects Chair
- Int'l



Bridgett Klingler
Youth Services Chair

This Week at RCEA

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NO MORNING MEETING -

CLUB SOCIAL AT PUBLIC HOUSE IN SPRINGFIELD!

Greeting Great Rotary Club of Eugene Airport,

Just a reminder that there is no morning meeting this week due to it being the 5th Thursday! Instead, we will be doing a social at the Public House in Springfield. 418 A St #4606. Special Thanks to Francie for making all the arrangements. Thanks, Francie. We will meet at 5:00pm. Family and friends are also welcome to attend! Enjoy great food, beverages, and an evening of fun with fellow Rotarians! Have a great week!

Bart

Our Annual Goals

1. Increase membership to 42 - 3 new members this year to date.
2. Service participation "25" 25 members
3. Have five members sponsor new members. - 2 members have sponsored.
4. Have a minimum of person involved in leadership development - 1 in leadership training
5. Have two members involved in district training
6. Reach a minimum of \$7500 in donation to the annual fund
7. Reach a minimum of \$1000 in donation to Polio Plus.
8. Four service projects
9. Sponsor one Rotaract Club
10. Sponsor one outbound youth exchange student
11. Increase on-line presence
12. Five social events
13. Update website and social media Being done at least weekly/monthly
14. One media story about a club project
15. Use of official Rotary promotional materials.

Rotary Foundation is still accepting contributions for this year. A donation of at least \$25.00 from every club member qualifies us for Every Rotarian Every Year!

[Rotary Club of Eugene Airport Zoom Meeting Link](#)

Meeting ID: 842 2330 8225 Passcode: 148549 Call in: 253-215-8782

Remember, the club has a non-profit business PayPal account; providing members (and anyone else) the option to pay/donate online! Please note that there is a 3% transaction fee (this is a discount fee structure for non-profits - businesses incur 5%). Some people consider the fee as the cost of doing business and some people choose to donate a little more to offset the fee. The PayPal email address to use for sending in Happy Dollars, dues, etc. is treasurer1.airportrotary@gmail.com.



Frances T. White
Fun & Fellowship
Chair



Cathie Campbell
Fundraising
Co-Chair



Ken Hubbard
Club Tents

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Birthdays

Terryl Whitlatch
March 1st
Michelle Weltzin
Hankes
March 26th
Bart Ellis
March 28th

Wedding Anniversaries

Phillip S. Groshong
March 7th
Jim Dean Decker
March 11th
Cindy M. Decker
March 19th
Clair Smith
March 21st

Years of Service

Nicole Elizabeth
Claric
10-26-2006
18 Years
Mary Ann E. Rhodes
10-18-2012
12 Years

District Networking Mixer March 5th

By Christine A. Waugh



Everyone is invited to this first-time District Networking Event! It will take place on Tuesday, March 5th from 5:30 - 6:30 pm, and will be of particular interest to professionals who want to connect and network with other professionals from around the District.

The mixer format will give you an opportunity to meet many other Rotarians and broaden your network. Our guest facilitator will be Michael DeGrandis, the Americas Club & District Support Officer at Rotary International. At 27 years old, Michael epitomizes a young professional!

Chris Waugh met Michael at Rotary Zone Institute in San Diego last fall, and they struck up a conversation about providing more opportunities for Rotarians to grow their professional networks. Based at Rotary International Headquarters in Chicago, Michael is responsible for creating club and district leadership development strategies in North America.

The Zoom link for this meeting is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85185989685>
Please share this with any Rotarians who would like to join us.

RCEA Last Week!

By David A Bondurant

LAST WEEK @ RCEA!

LAST WEEK... WE HAD FUN!

Last week Bob Strubing facilitated and introduced
Sonja Carlson,
EWEB Commissioner



On another note...

We continue to need the following Chair roles filled:

Local Service Projects

Vocational Services

Fund Raising

Please consider how you might help or continue to help YOUR club be the most fun
Rotary Club in the valley! Contact President Elect David to talk about what you
might be able to do!

A GREAT ANNOUNCEMENT!

By Larry Rhodes on Monday, February 5, 2024

Here is what is happening - Your Club at Work around the World!

A New Picture from Larry Rhodes from Uganda

This is the Mobile Medical Clinic set up for the medical outreach at Kalait. The
people are waiting for doctor visits, eye exams, and surgeries at the clinics, and
the van is used for ultrasound and for expectant mother exams.





It's here.... the District Gov in Uganda and the President of Tororo Club inspect the new mobile medical vehicle obtained from our Maternal & Child health global grant. Melissa, Brett, and I should have a chance to participate next week in the first clinics enabled by it.



And Here is Melissa Bowers hard at work at the makeshift pharmacy - receiving prescriptions and/or distributing medications to folks during one of our club's medical camps in a rural Uganda village. Formulary and other medical supplies for this work were donated by and/or purchased with money raised by RCEA club members, picture by Larry Rhodes



RCEA Upcoming Programs & Meetings

By David A Bondurant

PLEASE RSVP TO BOB STRUBING FOR BREAKFAST OR FOR DRINKS ONLY - INCLUDING THE NUMBER OF YOUR GUESTS!

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

DATE	FACILITATOR	Host	GUEST/TOPIC
2/29	CLUB	SOCIAL	NO MORNING MEETING!
3/7	Jerry Finigan	Glenda Gordon	Tyler Mack from Looking Glass
3/14	Phil Groshong	Bridgett Klingler	ECCO Students of the Month
3/21	Phil Groshong	Bart E/Tara Roddy	College Road Trip
3/28	Phil Groshong	P.E. David	Planning for 24-25!

If you find a program for our club - be sure to contact IPP Bart!

Friendship Exchange

Tuesday, November 7, 2023



ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE

OUTBOUND TEAMS / DATES



***Philippines District 3850 â€" March 19-30, 2024**

Manila, Bacolod City, Iloilo City, Guimaras, Rosaâ€™s City and Borocay Island

Uganda District District 9455 â€" either Feb or June, 2024

(interested team members to decide)

Kabrole, National Parks (Gorilla / Champanzee) Rotary projects near by



***Southern Louisiana District 6200 â€" May 9-22**

New Orleans, Lake Charles,
Opelousas, Houma,
Baton Rouge

INBOUND TEAMS / DATES

***Tuscany District 2071: (Young Winemakers team) April 29- May 7, 2024 â€" including District Conference (hosted by Ashland, Corvallis and Eugene Southtowne)**

***Philippines District 3850 - April 23 â€" May 6, 2024- including District Conference - Hosted by Cottage Grove, Redmond / Bend, and Coos Bay / North Bend**

***Southern Louisiana District 6200- Mid to end August 2024 - Hosted by Port Orford, Grants Pass and Eugene Metro**

***Uganda District 9455 - September, 2024 â€"- need host clubs**

***South Africa â€" TBA 2025 need host clubs**

WE NEED YOU:

Publicize to your club

Apply to go on an exchange - District website

Get Involved then Friendship Exchange

Host a team - Let Camille know you are interested

Share ideas for where we should go and offer to

Lead efforts to make that happen