



# Rototeller - Rotary Club of Forest Grove

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### Program

Sept 12 Anais Mathez -  
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Sept 19 Cub Assembly

Sept 26 Larry Hatch -  
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Oct 3 Jeannine Murrell &  
Pamela Jean Myers -  
Shelter Box

## Rototeller Article

Sept 12 Ryan Garcia

Sept 19 Paul Minor

Sept 26 Sharon Olmstead

Oct 3 Kaytlin Heater

## Greeting Partners

Sept 12 Kaytlin Heater &  
Carl Heisler

Sept 19 Jerry Hoerber &  
Jeff Hoyt

Sept 26 Mike Hundley &  
Lorrie Hutchins

Oct 3 Caitlin Infausto &  
Coni Ingram

## Thought For The Day

Sept 12 Kaytlin Heater

Sept 19 John Crosley

Sept 26 Gail Sheelar

Oct 3 Geoff Faris

## We Are Meeting In the MPR At Pacific University This Week!

September 12, 2018

### The Evolution Of Fantasy Sports

Last weekend was the launch of the NFL season, and with it, the official start to the fantasy football. It is estimated that nearly 60 million people will play fantasy football this season.

In the 1980's fantasy football was just beginning to grow. Well before the internet, the game grew thanks to magazines and other publications. In 1988 *USA Today* proclaimed that more than 500,000 people were playing the game. These 500,000 were mostly groups of friends playing for the fun of it.

In the 2000's the game's explosion really started. Studies began to show that when one begins playing fantasy sports they watch more sports. With fantasy sports, you don't just root for one team, but many players. These players come from many different teams leading people to watch more than just one team's games.

The relationship between the fantasy game and ratings did not go unnoticed by professional sports associations. In 2002 the NFL broadcasted commercials promoting fantasy football featuring current players. The relationships between professional sports and fantasy games only expanded from there. In 2013 Major League Baseball (MLB) invested in DraftKings, a major fantasy sports company, which became the league's "official daily fantasy game". By 2014 the National Basketball Association (NBA) had entered into a multi-year deal with one of the largest fantasy sports companies, FanDuel. For an equity stake in FanDuel, the company became the official one-day fantasy basketball game of the NBA and access to advertising in the NBA's media outlets.

Fantasy sports has grown from a small, low-stake game in the 80's to a multi-billion dollar industry. The line between game and gambling has blurred. A couple years ago, New York State briefly outlawed fantasy sports. The state, and many others, considered wagering real money on sports, even in fantasy, to be illegal online gambling. The two companies, one headquartered in Manhattan, strongly argued against this idea.

A Supreme Court ruling earlier this year allowed, for the first time in the internet age, for each state to allow sports betting. This is going

### Raffle Prize

Sept 12 Richard Kidd  
Sept 19 Julie Kollar  
Sept 26 Kevin Kuntz  
Oct 3 Lori Larson

### Meeting Place

Sept 12 MPR Pacific U  
Sept 19 MPR Pacific U  
Sept 26 MPR Pacific U  
Oct 3 MPR Pacific U

### Events

#### Concours Board Meeting

September 11, 2018

#### Rotary Board Meeting

September 20, 2018

#### Thirsty Thursday

September 20, 2018

#### Forest Grove Concours d'Elegance

July 21, 2019

### Board Members

#### Director 2016 - 2019

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#### Director 2016 - 2019

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#### Director 2016 - 2019

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#### Director 2017 - 2020

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#### Director 2017 - 2020

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Carey

#### Director 2017 - 2020

Josh Shinoda

#### Director 2018 - 2021

Michelle Thomas

#### Director 2018 - 2021

Paul Waterstreet

#### Director 2018 - 2021

Ryan Garcia

#### Community Outreach Chair

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#### Fund Raising Treasurer

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#### Club Services Group Chair

Geoff Faris

#### New Generations Chair

Ryan Garcia

to lead to a major shift with the fantasy juggernauts, DraftKings and FanDuel. With the Supreme Court move, it is highly likely that pre and in-game wagers will be available online, from a mobile phone, or even with your remote on your TV. DraftKings and FanDuel plan to expand into the sports betting space since their current infrastructures and long customer's lists have the best position on a national level.

The idea of fantasy sports is evolving. It is no longer just small groups of friends and co-workers enjoying a way to bond. It also includes professional gamblers, excel sheets, and large wagers. With the shift to begin offering online sports betting, the NBA and MLB are divesting from the companies. However, it is certain that you will still see commercials running during the games and the DraftKings logo on the court. Only blurring the lines between gambling and fantasy sports even further.

Ryan Garcia

## Rotary College Football Fundraiser Pick the conference Winners!

The Forest Grove Rotary College Football Fundraiser is underway and we've already raised **\$160.00** of our **goal of \$500.00** for the **Rotary Annual Fund**. It only takes **\$10.00** to play, and it's almost as easy as signing up for Rotary Direct!

Look for the betting window at the regular meetings on September 12th and 19th, and the Satellite Club meeting on September 20th to play!

The rules are as follows:

### 1. Every dollar wagered goes to Rotary International - Annual Fund.

**Reminder:** Our club has a goal of \$100.00 per member, every year!

2. You can bet **\$10.00 per team**, on any number of teams.

3 Multiple players can bet on the same team.

4. **\$5.00** from each bet goes immediately toward **your Paul Harris Fellowship**.

5. **\$4.00** from the balance of each bet goes to the **Conference Pool** (Pac-12, Big-10, etc.), and **\$1.00** goes to a **Bonus Pool!**

6. The **winner** of each **Conference Pool** earns all of the **Paul Harris Points** from that pool (divided pro rata if multiple players wagered on the winning team).

7. The player that picks the **College Football National Champion** earns all of the **Paul Harris Points** from the **Bonus Pool!**

## **Number of Wild Poliovirus Cases Globally as of September 4, 2018**

New Cases Last 7 Days	0
YTD - 2018	15
YTD - 2017	10
Total - 2017	22
Total - 2016	37
Total - 2015	74
Total - 2014	359
Total - 2013	416
Total - 2012	223
Total - 2011	650
Total - 2010	1,352
Total - 2009	1,604
Total - 2008	1,651

Source: <http://polioeradication.org/polio-today/polio-now/this-week/>