



Rototeller - Rotary Club of Forest Grove

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Program

Nov 29 Rotary
Foundation PDG Tom
Markos

Dec 6 Forest Grove High
School Band & Choir

Dec 13 TBA

Dec 20 Forest Grove
Unifed Sports Jill Hertel

Rototeller Article

Nov 29 John Minor
Dec 6 Tim Pearson
Dec 13 Joe Post
Dec 20 Ron Brandt

Greeting Partners

Nov 29 Luis Jimenez &
Mackenzie Johnston
Carey

Dec 6 Geoff Johnston &
Marge Johnston

Dec 13 Rick Johnston &
Todd Kelley

Dec 20 Richard Kidd &
Julia Kollar

Thought For The Day

Nov 29 John Schrag
Dec 6 Paul Minor
Dec 13 Dick Johnston
Dec 20 Bob Nixon

We Are Meeting In The MPR At Pacific University This Week!

November 29, 2017

Paul Harris Fellows Make A Difference!

Last week I had the privilege and honor to present a Paul Harris Fellow Award to a new recipient. It's an honor not taken lightly.

As a Past President of the Noon Club, I thought maybe I should review what Rotary International can accomplish with a \$1000 donation. Here are a few examples:

- * Purchase mattresses, pillows, and blankets for 100 homeless children in an orphanage in Bangladesh;
- * Contribute carpentry tools to a vocational training workshop for 300 deaf youths in The Gambia;
- * Provide materials and training in beekeeping to 40 people in Mali;
- * Furnish materials to construct a deep bore well in India. The well would supply clean drinking water for more than 300 people;
- * Purchase a cow for a war-widow in Uganda, where civil war has shattered the economy and malnourished children have died because of lack of protein and calcium in their diets;
- * Provide artificial limbs for 25 disabled persons in Calcutta, India;
- * Buy 1,666 doses of Polio vaccine and with the 2 to 1 matching grant from Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation supply 5,000 vaccinations to help eradicate Polio from the World.

Wow!!! It gives me goose bumps to think a gift to the Rotary Foundation has all that power.

Our (Rotary's) goal with a contribution to the Foundation is to provide help to **service** an array of programs to achieve beneficial changes in our world: improving living conditions, bettering education, increasing opportunities for treatment and rehabilitation of the sick and disabled, supporting new channels to disseminate International understanding, and new hopes for peace.

The reason I was asked to present this award is deeply troubling to me. We lost a long standing member of our club due to a failure to live up to the Four Way Test. I would hope those involved would do everything in their power to correct the issue. I'm here to help.

John R. Minor, Member for over 45 years and Proud to be a member of Forest Grove Rotary.

Raffle Prize

Nov 29 Paul Waterstreet
Dec 6 John Welch
Dec 13 Mary Welch
Dec 20 Lucas Welliver

Meeting Place

Nov 29 MPR Pacific U
Dec 6 MPR Pacific U
Dec 13 MPR Pacific U
Dec 20 MPR Pacific U

Events

Concours Board

Meeting

December 13, 2017

Rotary Board Meeting

December 21, 2017

Thirsty Thursday

December 21, 2017

Rotary District Training Assembly

April 14, 2018

Rotary District Conference

May 18 - 20, 2018

Forest Grove Concours d'Elegance

July 15, 2018

Board Members

Director 2015 - 2018

Lucas Welliver

Director 2015 - 2018

Michael Hundley

Director 2015 - 2018

Stan Reasoner

Director 2016 - 2019

Pete Van Dyke

Director 2016 - 2019

Lorrie Hutchins

Director 2016 - 2019

Tim Pearson

Director 2017 - 2020

Doug Thompson

Director 2017 - 2020

Mackenzie Johnston

Carey

Director 2017 - 2020

Todd Kelly

Community Outreach

Chair

Mike Hundley

Fund Raising Treasurer

Jim Crisp

Club Services Group

Chair

Geoff Faris

New Generations Chair

TBA

Christmas Shopping Alert!

This Wednesday, November 29th, our "Hope for the Holidays" committee will continue collecting money for our annual shopping spree for needy families. Last year you were extremely generous and we were able to help 18 families. Please consider making a donation to help families have a wonderful holiday season.

As in the past, when you make your donation to this worthy cause, if you write a check payable to the Forest Grove Rotary Foundation, you will receive a letter that may be tax deductible from our club president acknowledging the amount you contributed.

Number of Wild Poliovirus Cases Globally as of November 22, 2017

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| New Cases Last 7 Days | 4 |
| YTD - 2017 | 15 |
| YTD - 2016 | 33 |
| Total - 2016 | 74 |
| 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/>