The WAVE

A message from your President:

This incoming Rotary year is looking so bright! We been fortunate to welcome enthusiastic new members into our already fantastic club that are ready to continue the club's work getting things done to LIFT UP the lives in our community and beyond.

From our community engagement to raise funds with our upcoming Oktoberfest, as well as supporting local high school grads with the scholarship program, improving education in The Gambia, to our commitment to various local service initiatives such as the Tiny Home building, furnishing the soon to be reopened Trinity Place apartments as well as partnering with the Clothes for Kids and Kids in Transition organizations... I can't wait to see how collectively; we will continue to make a huge positive impact in the lives we touch!

Yours in Service,

Suzanne James - President

"If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else." Booker T. Washington

Member Pride

Nancy Hertl gets a special treat from Membership Chair Debbie Danekas for bringing two new members into the club in June, as well as her blue badge.

Stephanie and Doug Bowers get their Red badges, as does Amy Timmes

A very special Student of the Month. Stone Kaufer, who has some learning challenges, always dreamed of being "Student of the Month". Our club made that a reality.

June 4, 2024

We were also joined by Mayor Mike Rosen, who layed out his vision for the year and fielded questions from the members.

Tina Nguygen, VP of Clothes for Kids, accepts a check from Service Chair Alison
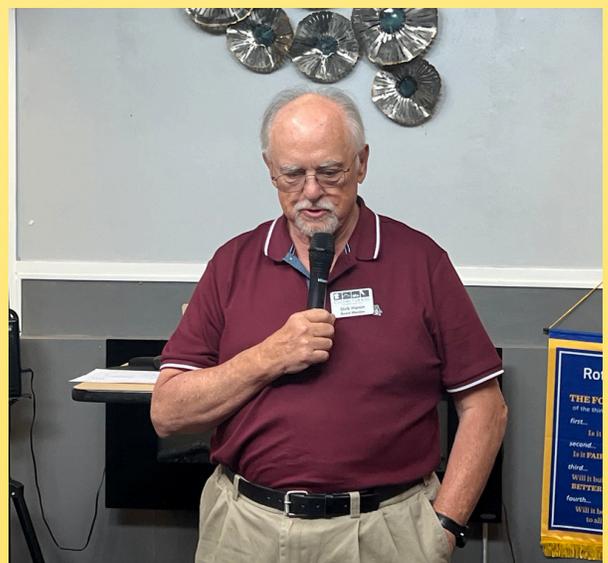

Executive Director of CFK - Dick Hardin

A soggy but fun Arts Festival weekend at the Grotto

June 14-16

Thanks Libby for all your hard work oraganizing this event this year.

Ryla Camp Attendees:

Both students spoke of the benefits of collaborating and team work to lead and succeed at school and in life.

Amin Erdene Lkhagvasuren
Meadowdale High

Mio Masunaga
Edmonds Wooday High
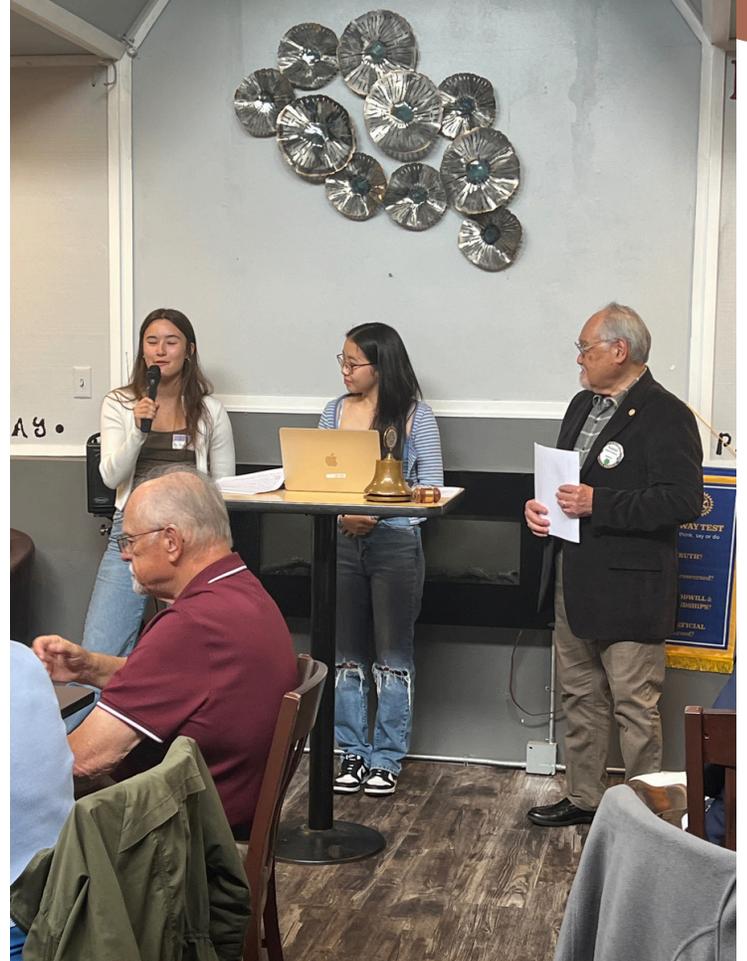
New Member Party

Hosted by Eng and Bill Braun, and Debbie Danekas, Membership Chair

Social at Vie and Vin

Kick off Dinner

June 5, 2024

Members enjoyed appetizers and a little wine on the outdoor patio before Suzanne called the meeting to order.
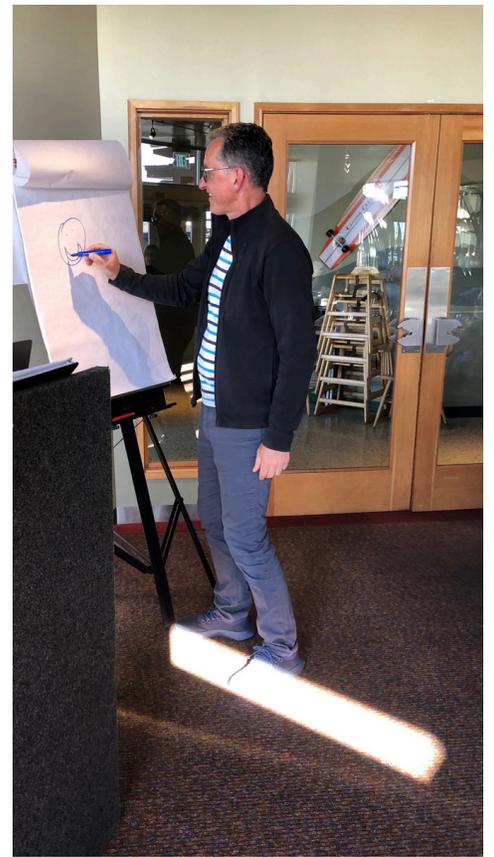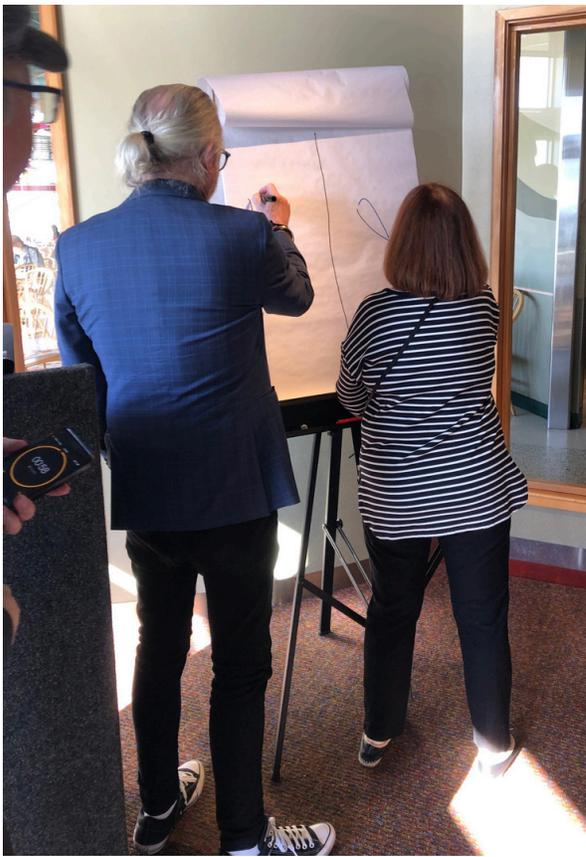
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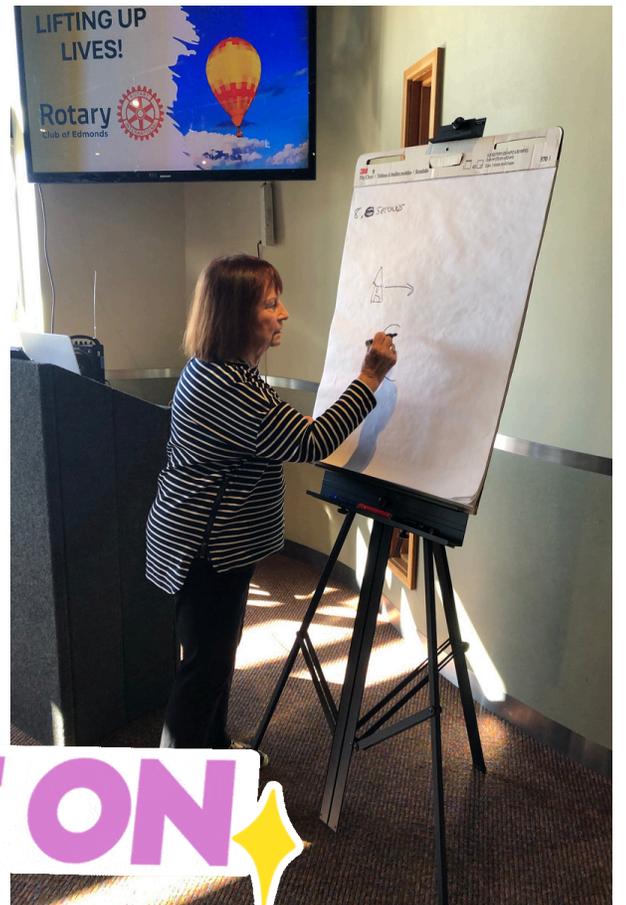
GAME ON

# ...Suzanne shared her vision for the upcoming Rotary year.
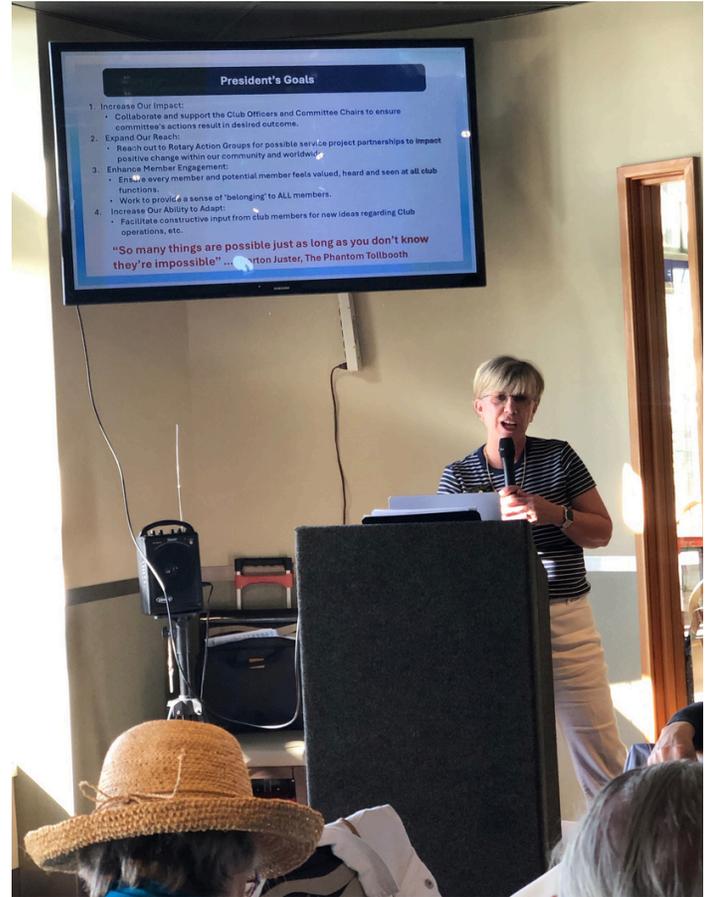
Incoming Committee Chairs also shared their goals for the year.
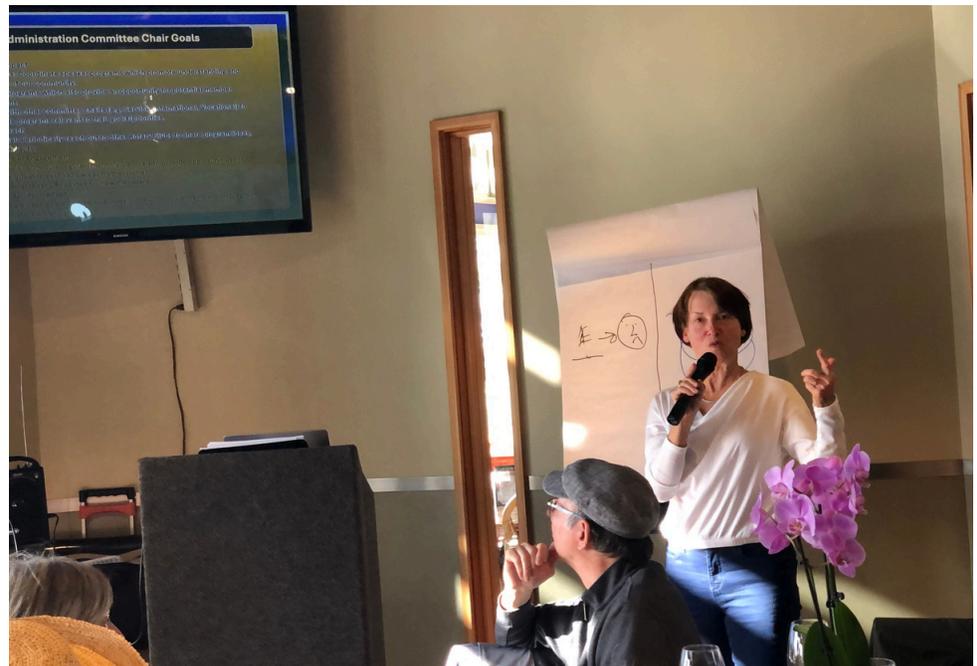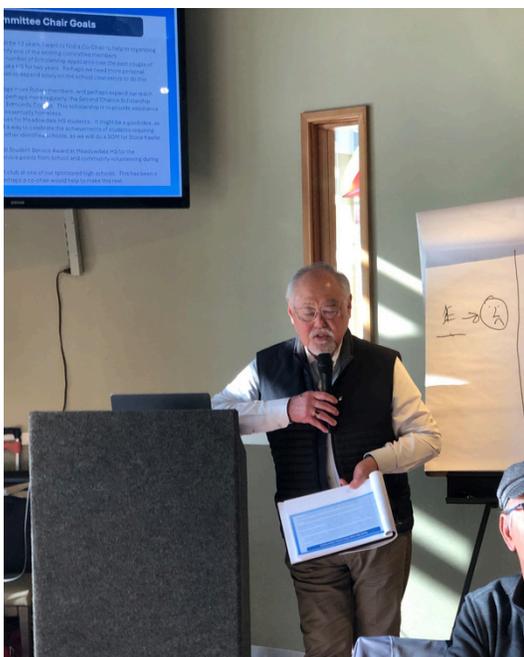
And everyone
enjoyed a fine
dinner from
Anthony's Beach
Cafe.

Changing of the Guard Party

Carol Kinney and Doug Lofstrom's House

And in what has become a beautiful tradition, Alison serenaded outgoing President Brian.

Karen shares some kind words with Brian.

District 5030 Annual Dinner

Expanding Our Brand...

- Rotary Club of Duvall - Heart
- Rotary Club of Renton - Partnership with Doug Baldwin
- Rotary Club of Edmonds - Octoberfest, Best in Seattle

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CREATE HOPE in the WORLD

A fine group of Rotarians from our club represented at the district dinner, where we received special mention as "outstanding" not once, but twice.

Engaging Our Community...

Community Recognition:
- Big Taste - Seattle Sunrise
- Oktoberfest - Edmonds
- Des Moines and Normandy Park - Blues and Brews
- Bellevue Breakfast - All in for Autism 5K
- Bellevue Sunrise - Neighborhood Appliance Replacement Program

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District Match of the Paul Harris Foundation...

Amie Armstrong - Edmonds
Clarita Bhat - Shoreline
Deana Hale - Redmond
Debbie Denekas - Edmonds
Elizabeth Comeaux - Kent
Erik Naslund - Snoqualmie Valley
Greg Mackenzie - West Seattle
James Dasher - Edmonds
James Welsh - Edmonds
Julie Adams - Shoreline
Karen Barnes - Edmonds
Kenneth Doutt - Shoreline
Lawrence D Fuell - Edmonds

Mark Delman - Snoqualmie Valley
Nancy Herti - Edmonds
Paula Del Giudice - Remond
Randy Hutchins - Edmonds
Robert Linder - Edmonds
Shelly Betz - Edmonds
Suzanna Southworth - PNW Ending Sex Trafficking
Suzanne James - Edmonds
Theresa S Ibler - Edmonds
Tom Lusich - Shoreline
Tom Nychay - West Seattle
Tom Powell - Magnolia

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Brand new Paul Harris Fellows

Notice something about this slide? Out of the 25 new Paul Harris Fellows, 12 of them are from Rotary Club of Edmonds.

Thanks to Kathy and her extraordinary work on this District Matching program.

YAY!

PICNIC IN THE PARK

July 30

City Park

11:30 - 2:00

July Social

Victor's Tavern

July 31

5-7 pm