

The

WAVE



Rotary Club of Edmonds

February, 2025

As part of celebrating Black History Month in February, this is a good time to remind everyone of Rotary International's commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI), especially at this time when DEI is currently under attack in our communities across the country.

"At Rotary, we understand that cultivating a diverse, equitable, and inclusive culture is essential to realizing our vision of a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change.

We value diversity and celebrate the contributions of people of all backgrounds, across age, ethnicity, race, color, disability, learning style, religion, faith, socioeconomic status, culture, marital status, languages spoken, sex, sexual orientation, and gender identity as well as differences in ideas, thoughts, values, and beliefs.

Recognizing that individuals from certain groups have historically experienced barriers to membership, participation, and leadership, we commit to advancing equity in all aspects of Rotary, including in our community partnerships, so that each person has the necessary access to resources, opportunities, networks, and support to thrive.

We believe that all people hold visible and invisible qualities that inherently make them unique, and we strive to create an inclusive culture where each person knows they are valued and belong.

In line with our value of integrity, we are committed to being honest and transparent about where we are in our DEI journey as an organization, and to continuing to learn and do better."

Respectfully,

Suzanne James
Club President



Member Pride



January 7, 2025
Allison Jack-Hannan
gets her Red Badge
from Membership
chair Maggie
Peterson and mentor
Eng Braun.



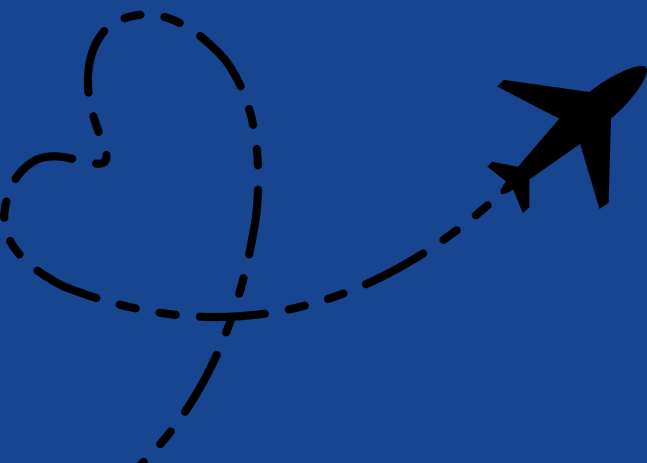
January 7, 2025
Adrienne Miller proudly
receives her Paul Harris
Fellow pin from
President Suzanne
James.



Sally Hyde cleaned out her garage, and came across a box of flags that she had collected over the years. It was fun sharing them with the club.



Brad, Karen, Eng and Nancy enjoyed an exploratory field trip to Boeing Field. They hope to put together a vocation field trip for the whole club soon.

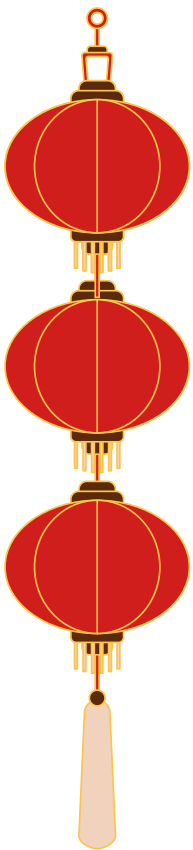
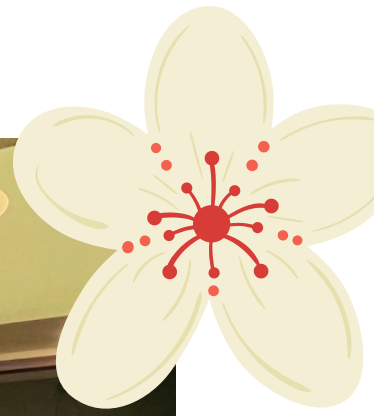




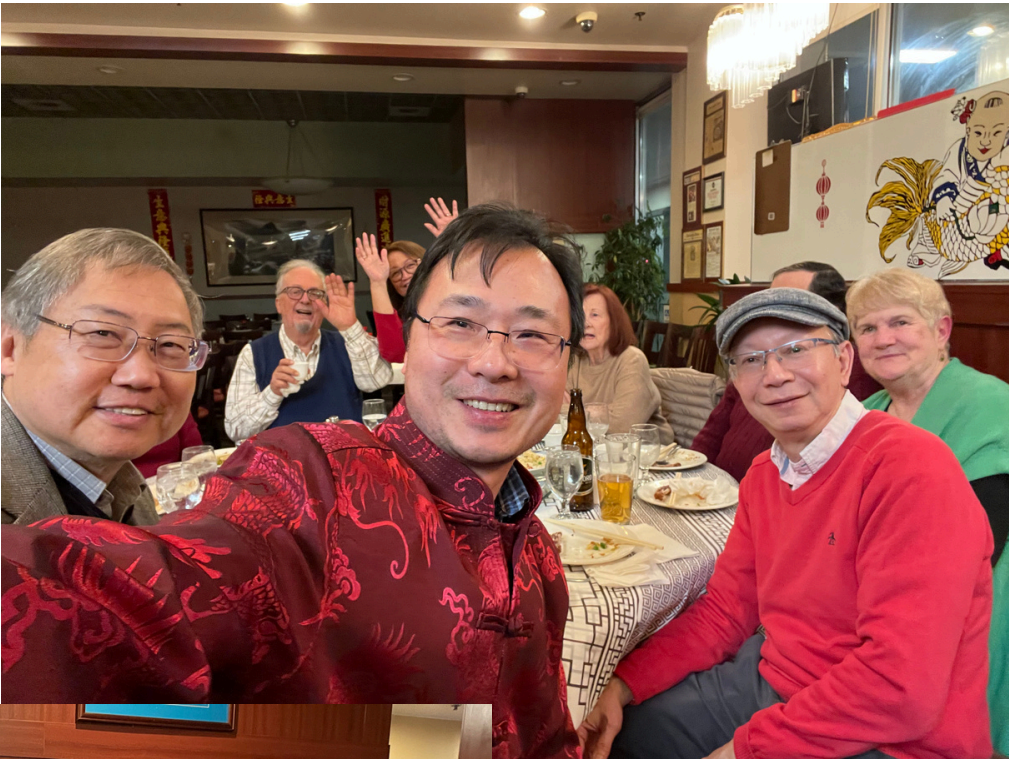
Stepped out of vacation mode briefly to attend the Rotary Club of Indio weekly club meeting today (1/21). Pictured is me and the club President, Dennis Sheehan. The meeting was held at the Fantasy Springs Casino/Resort. Along with the keynote speaker from the Living Desert, the had 3 Rotary Interact students giving timed and judged speeches involving the 4 Way test. It was well done and inspiring. 😊

Suzanne

January 30, 2025



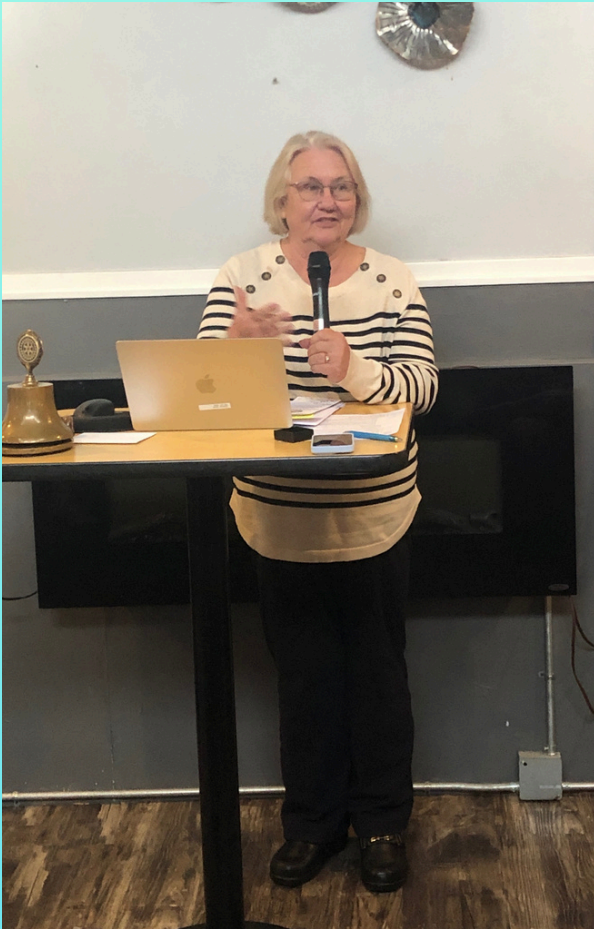
Club Members
enjoyed
celebrating
Lunar New
Year at T&T
Seafood



January **SPEAKERS**

January 7, 2025

Kim Gorney updated the club about the work she is doing at Kids in Transition, which has partnered with our club for years.



January 21, 2025

Jesse Tam
provided great
information
about the Lunar
New Year



SAVE THE DATE

February 26

5:00 pm

Club Social - Off Main

610 5th Ave S

Edmonds, WA 98020



March 8

9:00 am

Repair Bank

1914 Occidental Ave. S

Seattle

March 15

5:00

Murder Mystery Dinner

Adrienne's Home



March 26

Club Social

5:00

Portofino Restaurant

1306 Olympic View Drive