



Rotary Club of Coeur d'Alene



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NEXT MEETING August 23, 2024

Don Pischner - CDA from Past to Present

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Presided.....PRESIDENT ASHLEY LENZ

Invocation.....MARK BOTTERBUSCH

Greeter.....MARK OLSON

Sergeant at Arms.....CHRIS CHEELEY

GUESTS

Visiting Rotarian

- Clancy Hughes from Homer, AK

We had the following guests:

- Thomas Farrer, Sue Anderson, Jeff Seegmiller, guests of Andy Fields
- David McGlasson, Jenna Silakoski, Rayla Kendall, guests of Steve ROberge
- John Clary, new hubby of Kate Coyle
- Jerid Keefer, guest of Ashley Lenz
- Craig Owens, husband of Kiki Miller

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESIDENT ASHLEY invited Jerid Keefer to talk about the "Sunset to Summer" music event in McEuen Park on Thursday, August 29th at 8pm. Learn more [here](#).

Club and board member EMILY MOSES has been in and out of the hospital due to complications with her pregnancy. She has 19 weeks to go to keep that baby developing as much as possible. The club has set up a Meal Train to help support Emily, her husband, and young son with food. If you cannot contribute to cooking and delivering a meal, there is also a place you can contribute money for Emily and family to order takeout or a meal delivery service on days the club is not providing dinner. Sign up [here](#). Thanks for your support and get well Emily and baby! We miss you. :)

MOMENT OF IMPACT

PARKER WOODALL, president of the club from 1989-90, currently splits his time between CDA and Missouri where she spends time with his family. He is a graduate of the University of Idaho where he was on the football, baseball, and rodeo teams. In 1974 he moved to CDA to be the superintendent of the CDA School District.

Parker spoke of the most impactful thing the club has done was in 1920 when it was formed. The second best moment of impact was in 1989 when women were offered membership in the club. He also added in some fun facts that when he joined the club, if you arrived late you had to pay \$0.10 as a fee! Another fundraiser was the annual suit sale where men would bring gently used suits to sell to others and raise money for the club!

BIRTHDAYS

Speakers

Club Leaders



[Ashley Lenz](#)
President



[K. John Young](#)
Club Director
President-Elect



[Rebecca Eyman](#)
Club Director
Secretary



[Brian C Shull](#)
Treasurer



[Ian Hicks](#)
Club Director
International Service
Chair



[Kiki Miller](#)
Club Director



[Emily Moses](#)
Club Director



[Mark Olson](#)
Club Director



[Larry Riley](#)
Public Relations Chair
Club Director



[Ann Thomas](#)
Club Director
Membership Chair

August 18 Philip Ward

August 18 Tarie Zimmerman

August 19 Parker Woodall

HAPPY DOLLARS

KATE COYLE gave \$20 to announce that she and her new hubby John Clary got married last weekend!

KRISTI RIETZE gave \$3 to celebrate one daughter moving in as a freshman at the University of Idaho and another daughter continuing her education at Carroll College.

JOHN YOUNG gave \$5 to celebrate Coeur d'Alene High School's first home football game of the season on Friday, August 23.

SUE THILO gave to celebrate the CDA Summer Theater's successful annual fundraiser.

CANDACE GODWIN gave to share about the North Idaho State Fair. August 21 is AG DAY and it is free admission until 3pm. She will be at the Master Gardeners booth from 11am-3pm.

LORA WHALEN gave to share that the Australians are coming for the Rotary Friendship Exchange. The September 6th program will feature the group of 9 Rotarian travelers.

FAITH VALENTE gave \$2 to celebrate being back in CDA and also as a thanks to MATT LYMAN for giving up his chair so she had somewhere to sit at the meeting.

PROGRAM

TOM THILO introduced Carson Watkins with Idaho Fish and Game (IDFG). Watkins grew up on a ranch in Emmett, ID, and received undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Idaho and University of Wyoming. He joined IDFG in 2015 and is currently the Panhandle Regional Supervisor.

In 1889, the first game warden of the state was appointed by the governor. In 1938, a 7 member commission was formed and established the IDFG Commission, which runs the agency and sets policy. The mission of IDFG is to preserve, protect, perpetuate and manage all wildlife for all people in the state. The organization is entirely self-funded through the sale of hunting and fishing licenses. The wildlife-related economic impact is \$1.6 billion annually.

The IDFG Director runs the organization through 6 support bureaus (areas of business) and is broken out into regions that implement state-level programs. The Panhandle Region covers the 5 northern counties and has over one third of the state's water and 10 big game species. The deer harvest for our region is 15,000 annually.

The current challenges are the growing human population, especially in North Idaho, higher demand, and doing more with less. There are elk management issues that range from scarcity to abundance. There is also conflict management with predation management of wolves and grizzly bears. Disease management has become more of an issue and our region has just identified deer with Chronic Wasting Disease.

To learn more visit <https://idfg.idaho.gov/about>.

AUGUST PROGRAMS

8/30 TBD

In Service,

BRITT TOWERY



Britt Towery
Bulletin Editor



Chris L. Cheeley
Sergeant-at-Arms



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Rotary Foundation
Chair



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Community Service
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Maren Maier
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