

# Rotary

## Club of Leavenworth



Monday, March 24, 2025

### Program This Week



#### Club Meeting

Leavenworth  
Meets at Kristalls  
280 Highway 2  
Leavenworth, WA 98826  
Time: Friday at 12:00 PM

#### Events

No Events found

#### Birthdays

York Baur  
March 1st  
Deborah Hartl  
March 2nd  
Deb Schnellman  
March 3rd  
Dean V. Johnson  
March 5th  
Jim O. Scheibler Jr.  
March 8th  
John Wood Fishburne  
March 10th  
Roy Mike Worden  
March 10th  
Karla Nolton  
March 12th  
John Dawson  
March 20th  
Gary Planagan  
March 20th  
Anthony Canuche  
Terranella  
March 28th



This week our speaker will be **Patricia Edou**, **Founder of Educate Gabon**. She will be presenting via Zoom from Africa.

Patricia Edou is a cybersecurity professional and veteran of the United States Marine Corps. She is also the founder of Educate Gabon, which provides high school scholarships to top-performing Gabonese students so that they can stay in school.

To visit the Educate Gabon website, click [here](#).

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### Thank You to our Speaker Last Week!

Thank you to **Dana Gribble** who presented the Hanford Mission Update. She focused on the progress they have made on the cleanup, and how much they have left to do. She also showed us how toxic waste is being converted into glass, for more stable storage.



To listen to her very informative presentation, click [here](#).

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### Celebrate Jesper's 18th!

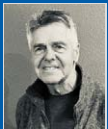
## Club Leaders



Melanie Baur  
Bulletin Editor  
President



Kiffen Fishburne  
President



Gary M. Schuster  
President-Elect



Shawna Alexander  
Treasurer



Bradley Brown  
Club Director  
Membership  
Chair  
Vocational  
Service Chair



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Club Director  
Youth Services  
Chair



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Club Director  
Youth Protection  
Officer  
Youth Services  
Chair



John Wood Fishburne  
Club Director  
Community  
Service Chair



Karla Nolton  
Club Director  
Club Service  
Chair  
Webmaster

Deb Schnellman



**Jesper's birthday** is this Friday, March 28. Come join in the fun while we celebrate his **18th** birthday!

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## January Student of the Month



Lilly is pictured here with her parents, Kenny and Malia, and Superintendent Tracey Edou.

**Lilly Renner-Singer** was awarded the January 2025 Student of the Month at our last meeting. Lily is the 9<sup>th</sup> grade class president, in leadership, participates in Fall and Winter Cheer, Helped organize this year's Winter Dance at the Alpine Coaster, Volunteered with parking (for athletics and ASB), and is involved in Mecha.

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## Help Needed on Day of Rotaryfest!





Public Image  
Chair  
Webmaster



Roy Mike  
Worden  
Past President



Brad Blackburn  
Accounting



Mahala Murphy  
Martin  
Club Fundraising  
Chair  
iPast President



Mary N.  
Scheibler  
International  
Service Chair



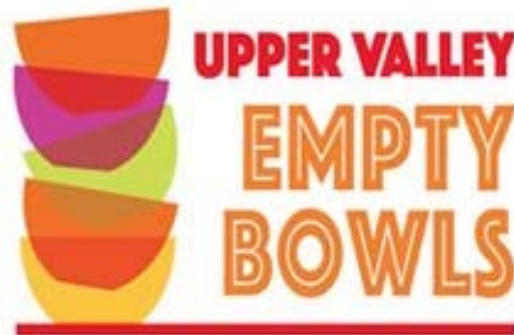
Karen Haire  
Rotary Youth  
Exchange Chair

Help is needed on **Saturday, April 5**, before and after our Rotaryfest 2025.

Please help **Set-Up and Decorate** the Festhalle for our Old West Saloon vibe. Set-Up is from **8:00 am** until about 2:00 pm. If you can't stay the whole time, no worries! Please come during Set-Up and stay for as long as you are able. Any help will be greatly appreciated!

Following the event - **clean-up** is from 10 pm to 11:59 pm. It is vital that we are out of the venue by 11:59 or we do not get our deposit back. We appreciate everyone staying after to help!

## Hands On Help Needed



**Jim Schnellman** announced at our last meeting that people are needed to set up chairs at the Festhalle this Thursday, March 27th for the Empty Bowls Supper. Please contact Jim at [jschnellman@comcast.net](mailto:jschnellman@comcast.net) if you can help!

## Elections for 2025-2026 Rotary Year



The slate of Club Officers and Directors for Rotary year 2025 - 2026 have accepted their nominations. Those members present at the meeting this Friday will be voting on the nominees, so please attend and vote.

## Rotaryfest Asks and Meeting Time

All members interested in volunteering are welcome to

the next Rotaryfest planning meeting:

Tuesday, March 25

4:30 pm

Blue Spirits Distillery Tasting Room  
1310 US Hwy 2

Join us in making this a big and successful fundraiser!

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## *Procurement Drop-Off Change!*

**Melanie Baur** will now receive all procurements at our general meeting on **Friday** that you have collected. If you are unable to come to a Friday meeting, you can contact Melanie directly to arrange a drop-off at **425.941.0635** or [melanieAbaur@gmail.com](mailto:melanieAbaur@gmail.com) .

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## **Sponsor and Guest Tickets**

If you purchased a Miner's Club Table Sponsorship or purchased tickets for guests as well as yourself, the guest's names, cell phone #s, and email addresses will need to be emailed to **Karla Nolton** no later than **Thursday, March 20**, if you haven't already entered them when registering. Please contact Karla Nolton at [karlanolton@gmail.com](mailto:karlanolton@gmail.com) directly with this information. Please avoid going back into dacdb and editing your registration.

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## *Back Office Help Still Needed!*

We still need back office help during Rotaryfest, so that we can work in shifts, and everyone can enjoy the festivities. Please contact **Karla Nolton** at [karlanolton@gmail.com](mailto:karlanolton@gmail.com) if you can help!

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## **In the News**







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## Satellite Meeting

Wednesday, April 30, 2025  
8 am  
at  
Starbucks

Our Satellite Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of the month at 8 am at Starbucks.

**Jane Dingman** hosts these meetings, which incorporate downtown business community news with a Leavenworth Rotary Club report.

Join us as we meet members of our local business community in this unique blend of meeting and fellowship.

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## Trip to Mexico



Everyone is invited to join **Norma, Carlos, Sara, and Karen** to visit Mexico!

Their plan is to travel July 15-30 and visit Rotarians in Oaxaca and Huajuapán.

More details to follow!

## Dessert Theater - Our Founding Mothers

The poster features the Icicle Creek Center for Arts logo at the top. Below it, the text reads "Women In History - Our Founding Mothers" and "DESSERT THEATER". A central photograph shows a group of women in historical attire. Below the photo, it states: "A showing of the 2006 Centennial program of 'Women of Substance' in the first 100 years of Leavenworth". The event details are: "SATURDAY March 29th, 2025 2 pm" at the "SNOWY OWL THEATER 7375 Icicle Road, Leavenworth". Ticket prices are listed as "\$5 Children & Students" and "\$15 Adults". A note says "Desserts served during Intermission Provided by PFD Chapter 17". Ticket information includes "Tickets at icicle.org or 509-548-6347 (Or at the door)". At the bottom, a dedication reads: "Dedicated to those cast members no longer with us, Harriet Bullitt, Beckie Miller DeGroot, Mary Thompson, Arlene Blackburn, Sharr Billie, Patricia Strouff and Diane Norman."

Join **Carol Forhan** and other Club Members for a Dessert Theater in celebration of Our Founding Mothers of Leavenworth on March 29 at 2 pm at the Snowy Owl Theater.

## ESRAG Earth Day Challenge

The poster has a blue background with green text. At the top, it says "YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS EARTH DAY!". In the center is a photo of a young girl in a chef's uniform pointing. To the left of the photo is a "REGISTER NOW" button with a hand icon and the word "Click" below it. To the right is a QR code with the word "Scan" below it. Below the photo, it says "Take the ALL NEW ESRAG Plant-Rich Challenge" and "Recipes. Practical Tips. Expert Speakers." in a white box. Further down, it says "\*Please Register by April 15\*" and "STARTS EARTH DAY: April 22, 2025". At the bottom, it says "Invite your club & community - help us reach 10,000 meals!". The footer contains the website "esrag.org/plant-rich-diet" and email "plantrich@esrag.org".



## Upcoming Events - Save the Date



Monday, June 16 - **Installation Dinner** - *details to follow*

Tuesday, July 8 - **Rotary Night at Wenatchee Applesox**, Game time:  
6:35, Wenatchee Valley College – Paul Thomas Field, Opponent: Kamloops  
Northpaws

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**Jesper Koornstra** - March 28th - His 18th!!

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3. Go to our [website](#), Rotary Club of Leavenworth, and click through to our Facebook page by scrolling down and clicking the Facebook icon: **f** on the left margin of the page.

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## Visit Our Website!



[leavenworthrotarywa.com](http://leavenworthrotarywa.com)

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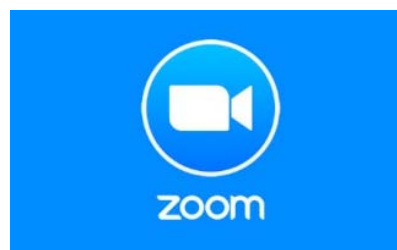
## Rotary Club of Leavenworth Contact Info


If you wish to contact the Rotary Club of Leavenworth by mail, our address is:

Rotary Club of Leavenworth WA  
P.O. Box 532  
Leavenworth, WA 98826

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## Weekly Meeting Zoom Link





If you cannot join us in person, the ZOOM link is listed below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84344654802>

Password: Rotary

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