



Monday, January 6, 2025

**Club Meeting Place & Time**

Colfax  
Meets at Colfax Community Church  
109 S Mill St  
We generally meet the 2nd and 4th Thursdays. Check: <http://www.colfaxrotary.org>

**Club Officers**



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**Events**

No Events found



AFTER OUR LENGTHY BREAK, IT'S BACK TO THE NORM.

AND IN A BRAND-NEW YEAR, NO LESS!

**UPCOMING PROGRAM**

JOHN TURNER HAS LINED UP Dr Sharol Marcec PhD, a plant scientist with Qualterra Inc. and a specialist in biochar soil amendments. She consults with some well-known name-brand companies that we all have their products in our households.

HERE'S A PROMO FROM QUALTERRA'S WEBSITE:

"At Qualterra, we deliver sustainable agriculture solutions that integrate environmental and economic impacts. We're dedicated to revolutionizing the way we nourish the planet while preserving its delicate balance. Through innovative approaches in plant propagation, molecular diagnostics, biomass processing, and biochar production, we improve humankind's potential to mitigate climate change while optimizing agricultural yields."

SINCE MUCH OF OUR WHITMAN COUNTY ECONOMY IS BASED ON AG PRODUCTION, THIS SHOULD BE A TIMELY PRESENTATION OF INTEREST TO ALL.

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

- JANUARY 9:** John Turner
- JANUARY 23:** Rex Rutledge
- FEBRUARY 13:** Jon Webber
- FEBRUARY 27:** Gail Webster



AS REPORTED LAST WEEK, KAY HAS AGREED TO STEP UP AND TAKE ANOTHER SHOT AT CLUB PRESIDENT. (IF SHE THINKS SHE NEEDS A DO-OVER, SHE'S WRONG; SHE DID A FABULOUS JOB LAST TIME AROUND AND WE KNOW SHE WILL DO SO AGAIN!)

**BUT WHAT THAT MEANS IS SHE WILL BE STEPPING DOWN AS CLUB SECRETARY, SO THAT JOB IS NOW OPEN. I'M TOLD IT HAS EXCELLENT PAY, GREAT BENEFITS AND A GENEROUS VACATION PACKAGE. INTERVIEWS WILL BE SCHEDULED SOON.**

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## FROM THE DECEMBER BOARD MEETING

- A REMINDER TO ALL WHO DONATE TO THE ROTARY FOUNDATION: YOU CAN GO ONLINE AND DIRECT WHERE YOUR SUPPORT GOES;
  - THE GHANA WATER PROJECT FUNDS (APPROVED AT AN EARLIER MEETING) HAVE BEEN SENT;
  - PROGRAM ALERT: CLARK MATHER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF NORTHWEST RIVER PARTNERS, A NOT-FOR-PROFIT HYDRO ADVOCACY GROUP REPRESENTING MOST NW ELECTRIC COMPANIES, HAS OFFERED TO MAKE A PRESENTATION TO OUR CLUB. CONTACT KAY IF INTERESTED;
  - THREE CLUBS IN OUR DISTRICT (ONE OF THEM BEING OURS) ARE CELEBRATING 75 YEARS IN BUSINESS THIS YEAR; WE MAY HAVE A JOINT CELEBRATION;
  - DO YOU HAVE PHOTOS OF RECENT ROTARY PROJECTS? GET THEM TO ALLIE FOR INCLUSION IN THE WEBSITE SHE IS UPDATING;
  - FOUR NEW SIGNS PUBLICIZING OUR MEETINGS WILL SOON BE ORDERED FOR PLACEMENT AT THE MAIN ENTRIES INTO COLFAX;
  - ALLIE IS DEVELOPING A CALENDAR OF ROTARY EVENTS.
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**NOTICE  
OF  
BOARD  
MEETING**

THIS WEDNESDAY, NOON, SERFES.

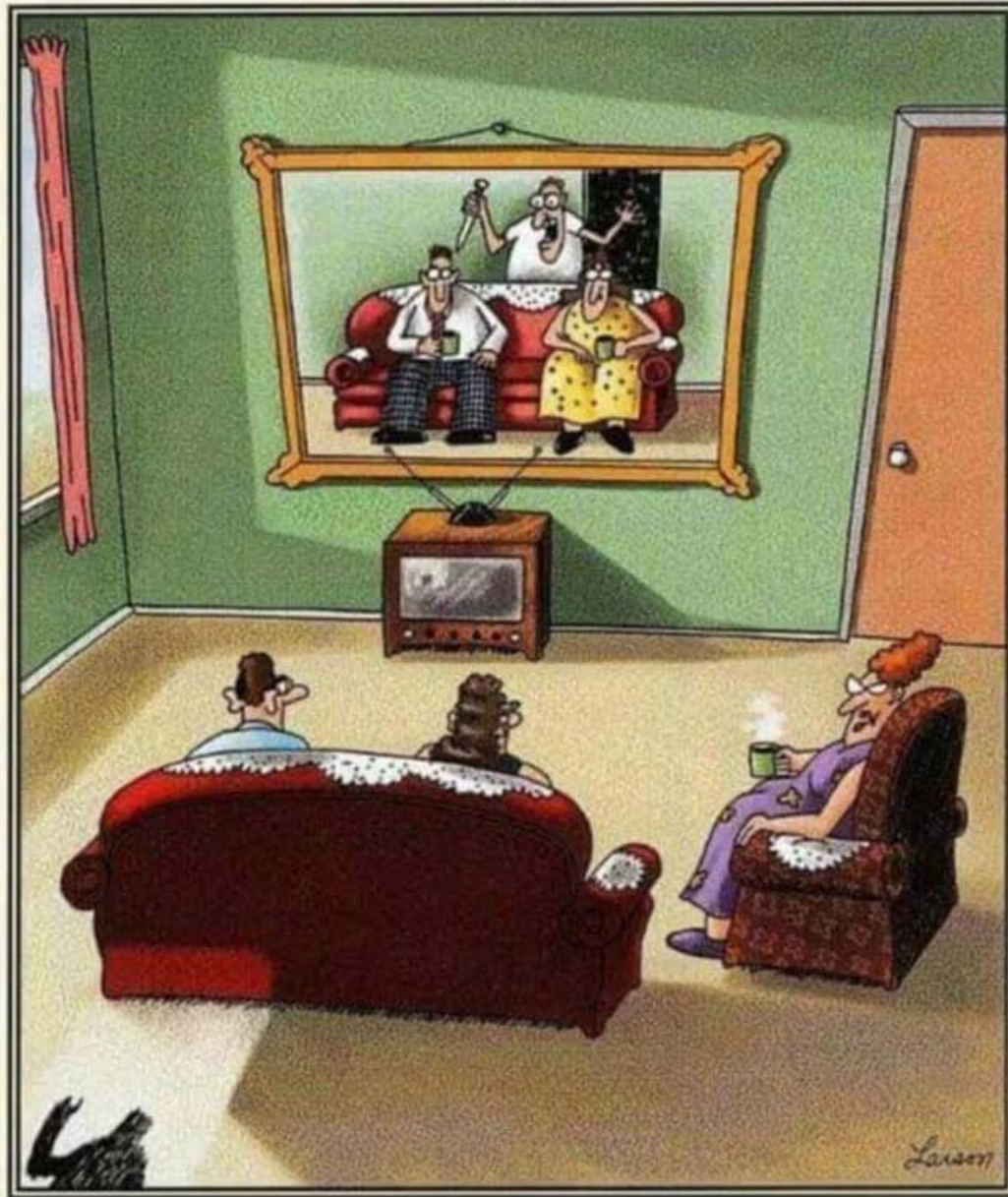
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**HUMOR AND OTHER USEFUL INFO**



11/18/94



“Leonard painted that and hung it up just this afternoon. ... He calls it, *It’s My Couch!* *My Couch! Don’t They Understand?*”



2/24/94

Larson



“What a find, Ms. Dinkins! ... It’s Mailman, all right—but remarkably, this specimen is fully intact, with a *Canis nipponicus* still attached!”

9/8/81



“You’re kidding! I was struck twice by lightning too!”