

Rotary

Club of Klamath County



Thursday, March 6, 2025

The Rotary Club of Klamath County
Meets at The Ross Ragland Cultural Center.
218 N 7th St.
Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601
Thursdays at noon

This Week's Meeting
Pam Greene
Taxes and Company Culture
Chair:
Lexi McNair

**The meeting this week will be at the
First Presbyterian Church.
601 Pine St.**

Next Week's Meeting:
Lads of Leisure
Ken Morton and
His band plays
St Patrick's Day music

We will be ordering another round of Rotary shirts soon. If you're a new member, the first one is free. If you're not, they are \$40-\$50 for short or long sleeves. You can go to the Russel Hampton website and see options. If you want one, pick out which one and the size and talk to Matt. He will get it included in our next order.

SHARING ROTARY WITH NEW MEMBERS

Are you aware of the responsibility or obligation most Rotarians fail to perform? Paying their dues? Attending meetings? Contributing to the club service fund? Participating in club events and projects? No-none of these! Of all the obligations a person accepts when joining a Rotary club the one in which most Rotarians fail is "sharing Rotary." The policies of Rotary International clearly affirm that every individual Rotarian has an "obligation to share Rotary with others and to help extend Rotary through proposing qualified persons for Rotary club membership." It is estimated that less than 30 percent of the members of most Rotary clubs have ever made the effort to propose a new member. Thus, in every club, there are many Rotarians

who readily accept the pleasures of being a Rotarian without ever sharing that privilege with another qualified individual.

The Rotary policy on club membership states: "In order for a Rotary club to be fully relevant to its community and responsive to the needs of those in the community, it is important and necessary that the club include in its membership all fully qualified prospective members located within its territory" One merely has to glance through the yellow pages of the local telephone directory to realize that most clubs have not invited qualified members of all businesses and professions into Rotary

Only a Rotarian may propose a customer, neighbor, client, supplier, executive, relative, business associate, professional or other qualified person to join a Rotary club. Have you accepted your obligation to share Rotary? The procedures are very simple, and everyone must know at least one person who should belong to Rotary.

This was shared to me by Lexi McNair

There will be a board meeting on March 12 at 5 pm.
at DA Davidson on Main Street

A second reading for proposed member Pete Peters will be on the agenda this week.

We are seriously looking for some folks to start working on a grant committee. Rotary district and International have funding for projects, but to get it we need to ask. If you've had previous experience with this kind of stuff, then we want you. If you haven't, we still want you. Please seriously consider helping with this. The more funding we get, the less we have to fund our programs from inside our membership. Not only that, but more funding could mean more projects that would make our club more vibrant and alive. Last time I checked, we all like 'vibrant and alive' don't we? Please talk to Matt or a board member if you can help with this super-important committee.

Congratulations to Chris Moudry on his seventh Paul Harris!!

who got it from 50
Things Every
Rotarian Should
Know About Rotary
(by Steve Garret,
District Governor
1994-1995)

Birthdays



Nesli Alp
March 1st



Randy Shaw
March 6th



Jennifer Scanlan
March 6th



Steve Bocchi
March 10th



Jackie Bland
March 16th



Jason Nalepa
March 16th



Frank
Jakubowski
March 17th



Tracey A.
Lehman
March 21st



Frank O.
Ganong
March 24th



Gary Harlan
March 26th



Dan Bunch
March 29th