



Seattle Rotary Totem

Next Meeting

Wednesday noon
January 6, 2016

Seattle's Waterfront
Then and Now
with Bob Donegan

Westin
Cascade Ballroom

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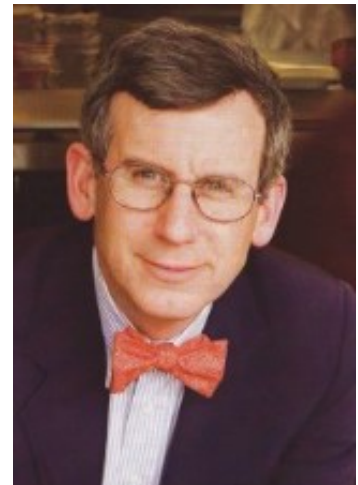
Events Calendar

We are transitioning to a new website, and the links to club events and committee meetings that normally appear in this column are no longer active. Please refer to the home page Calendar at www.seattlrotary.org to view upcoming events.

Preview of January 6, 2016

Bob Donegan, CEO, Ivar's Seattle's Waterfront

The Seattle Seawall project is the largest renovation in the history of the Seattle waterfront. Bob Donegan, CEO of Ivar's, will present an overview of the project's history and provide a current construction update.



After graduating from Yale's School of Management, Bob jumped from the stability of American Can, a Fortune 100 company, back into the exciting chaos of his own consulting business and moved to Seattle so his wife could teach in the business school at the UW. In the next 10 years, he helped about 40 start-up and growth companies raise \$70 million dollars, and big organizations develop and implement corporate strategy (Sears, Ameritech, Corning Glass, the Port of Seattle). In 1992, Bob got involved in the emerging specialty coffee business, helping the founders of Starbucks raise \$3 million to start a new coffee roaster and retailer in Washington, D.C. Bob helped merge the D.C. company into Peet's Coffee in Berkeley and then became the Executive VP and CFO of Peet's. Four years later, after \$6 million of new equity, building a new roasting plant, and opening 13 new stores, Bob left Peet's and returned to Seattle where he joined Ivar's as the CFO.



PLUS: Paul Dorpat,
Seattle Now & Then

Since 1982, Amateur historian Paul Dorpat has written his popular *Now & Then* column for the Seattle Times, Pacific NW magazine. Paul will open Wednesday's program with his unique perspective on Seattle's history.

The After Party

◆◆ Thursday, January 7, 5-7pm ◆◆◆

Ivar's Acres of Clams – 1001 Alaskan Way

Join us to continue the conversation on Seattle's Waterfront!

Looking Ahead

January 6, 2016
Seattle's Waterfront
Then and Now
Westin

January 13, 2016
John Wojick, VP of Commercial Airplanes, Boeing
Westin

January 20, 2016
The Importance of Educating our Prison Population
Convention Center

Every Rotarian Every Year

EVERY ROTARIAN, EVERY YEAR

TWO gifts, ONCE a year, EVERY member

SEATTLE ROTARY SERVICE FOUNDATION (SRSF)

and

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION (TRF)

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For information on making your contribution, please contact Sam (sam@seattlerotary.org or 206-623-0023).

Seattle Rotary Goes Social!

Get and stay connected with the club through our social media channels!

Twitter: **@Seattle4Rotary**

Facebook: **Rotary Club of Seattle – Seattle#4**

Linkedin: **Rotary Club of Seattle**

Big thanks to **Anna Liotta** and **Navkirin Bains** for leading this important effort and to our channel champions for January and February: **Aubrey Buxton** (Twitter), **Eric Newman** (Linkedin) and **Ken Grant** (Facebook).

IF you're interested in supporting our social media initiative, please contact cathy.gibson@evolvepartnergroup.com.

"HobNob"

Calling all Rotarians aged 45 and younger!! There is a movement at Rotary International and now in District 5030 for engaging Young Professionals in Rotary. On January 10, 2016, there is an event called Hobnob designed to assemble young professionals from across the district, get to know each other and plan activities that would be fun specifically for our age group. Seattle #4 Rotary has a special role in all of this. Being the biggest club in the district, and the one with the longest running program for Young Rotary Leaders, we will have the most members eligible to attend Hobnob. Questions to Virginia.Mckenzie@parkerlynch.com, RSVP: www.bit.ly/YPhobnob

Hope to see you there!!

Program Input

Are you passionate about Rotary programs? Do you have an idea for an engaging, inspiring and fun Rotary program? If so, please join us at a program focus group on Wednesday, January 27 following our Rotary lunch to share your program ideas as we gear up for the next Rotary year. RSVP to **Lisa Mayfield** at lisa@agingwisdom.com

--Cathy Gibson, Lisa Mayfield & Erick Slabaugh

Wider World of Rotary

Wider World of Rotary
Brought to you by the Rotary Relations Committee
Committee Chair: Trent Mummery
Club Secretary: Lisa Mayfield

Click [HERE](#) to read the Rotary District 5030 January 2016 newsletter *The Bridge*

**2016 District 5030
Conference**

Sign up now for the
District Conference in
Coeur d'Alene. Click
[HERE](#) to register.



Mentoring the Next Generation Leaders

Each year, the Community Service and Rotary Boys & Girls Club Committees organize an event to encourage community involvement and provide necessities for children in need. On Saturday, December 12, 42 children were taken shopping (a record!) by a group of 80+ volunteers, including five Rotaractors and five UW college students. SRSF provided a grant which was matched by over \$7,000 in contributions from individual volunteers. And a good time was had by all!



Happy Birthday!

January 1

Chris Destro, Masahiro Omura, Kevin O'Keefe, Bob Watt

January 3

Anne Bugge, Jean Thompson

January 4

John Warner

January 5

Petros Koumantaros

January 6

Chuck Holmes

January 7

John Kilpatrick, Dave Levine, Joseph Williams

January 8

Steve Crandall

January 10

Marc Rapaport

January 12

Laura Rehrmann

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◆◆◆ **The Rotary Standard of Conduct** ◆◆◆

The Rotary “Four-Way Test” is a standard expected of all Rotarians:

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?