



Seattle Rotary Totem



Next Meeting

*No meeting
December 23 or
December 30*

Wednesday noon
January 6, 2016

Seattle's Waterfront
Then and Now

Westin
Cascade Ballroom

*Receive a weekly text
with meeting
location and program
Text Seattle4 to 313131*

Sponsors



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*"May what fills your soul and restores your mind
be abundant this season."*

Review of December 16, 2015

A grand time was had by all at the annual Holiday Luncheon on December 16. Thank you to Holiday Program co-chairs **Bernie Griffin** and **Hamilton McCulloh** and the **5th Avenue Theatre** team for the fabulous production!

The day began with a fun video, featuring Seattle 4 members "auditioning" for The Sound of Music - view it [HERE](#).

Thanks to Albert Evans for the very clever lyrics to Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer, reprinted here:



RUDOLPH THE ROTARY REINDEER

YOU KNOW DASHER AND DANCER
AND PRANCER AND VIXEN,
COMET AND CUPID
AND DONNER AND BLITZEN.
BUT HOW ABOUT THE DEER
WHO SAID, "SANTA, I'M OUTA HERE!"

RUDOLPH THE CAN-DO REINDEER
DREAMED OF WHAT HE COULD ACHIEVE
IF HE COULD BE OF SERVICE
MORE THAN JUST ON CHRISTMAS EVE.

ALL OF THE OTHER REINDEER
TOLD HIM, "RUDY, DUDE – RELAX.
WHY TRY TO BE A HERO?
SIT AND EAT YOUR REINDEER SNACKS."

THEN ONE DAY THE FOUR-WAY TEST,
TOUCHED HIM TO THE CORE.



Interested in being a sponsor?
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News

[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to a new website, and the links to club events and committee meetings that normally appear in this column are no longer active. In the interim, please refer to the home page at www.seattlerotary.org to view upcoming events.

HE FLEW DOWN TO PUGET SOUND
WHERE HE JOINED SEATTLE FOUR.

NOW HE'S A HAPPY REINDEER
HELPING HIS COMMUNITY.
RUDOLPH THE ROTARY REINDEER,
YOU'RE AS GOOD AS GOOD CAN BE!

IS IT TRUE AND IS IT FAIR?
WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL?
DOES IT LEND A FRIENDLY HAND?
DOES IT HELP FOLKS CLIMB THE HILL?

THOSE ARE THE SIMPLE STANDARDS
RUDY FOLLOWS FAITHFULLY.
RUDOLPH THE ROTARY REINDEER,
YOU'RE AS DEAR AS DEER CAN BE!



Corinne Cavanaugh and guest



Tom & Diane Jaffa



Liz Powell, Anna Liotta, Cindy Runger



Trent & Alexandra Mummery



President Sue with District Governors



Erick Slabaugh.



5th Avenue performers



Nicole Nazzaro & cutie



Sherry Calvert & Laurel James



Mark Wright



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Looking Ahead

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Recruits

Unless WRITTEN, SIGNED protests are received in the time period required, the following will receive a "welcome to Rotary" notification that their membership has been accepted:

1. Alexandra Mummery, Retired-Marketing & Business Development, (Trent Mummery)
2. Rob LoBosco, Consulting - Management, Principal, LoBosco Consulting, LLC (Skip Rowland, Dorothy Bullitt)
3. Karl Newman, Insurance, Incoming President, WA Surveying and Rating Bureau (Brian Upton-Rowley, Rex Clark)

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)

We change the world

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

"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



Thank you to the Seattle 4 Rotarians who celebrated the Holidays by packing food together at the Rotary First Harvest food pack on Saturday, December 12 at the NW Harvest warehouse in Kent. Together we helped District Rotarians pack 4,000 lbs. (3,385 meals) of oats and 12,600 lbs. of frozen corn (9,692 meals). Join us on Saturday, January 13 from 8:30-11:00 AM. RSVP to **Lisa Mayfield** at lisa@agingwisdom.com.

Packing team included: **Alan Bergen, Grace Chien, Jann Curley, Sten Crissey, Heather Fitzpatrick, Einer Handeland, Lisa Mayfield, Rick Nauman, Melissa Merritt, and David Siebert.**

2016 District 5030 Conference

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



Happy Birthday!

December 23
Brian Bruce, Bill Marshall

December 24
Sam Myoda, Jeff Pritchard

December 26
Chris Clark, Mike O'Byrne

December 27
Jordon Voss

December 28
Steve McGraw, Eric Weiss

December 29
David Fain

December 30
Grace Chien

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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?