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Puyallup South Hill Rotary meets Thursdays at 12 noon at the Ram Restaurant, 103 35th Avenue SE, Puyallup WA 98374

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President Joseph thanked our 2018-2019 corporate sponsors for their generous contributions. Through sponsor gifts, our club members help create change that improves our local and international community. You can join this effort to improve the lives of people, locally, regionally, and around the globe by becoming a corporate sponsor. For more information on how your organization can become a sponsor, visit the Website at www.southhillrotary.org.

Pictured above (left to right) are Sponsors Jeffrey Hochstrasser of Highstreet Advertising, John Jorgensen of South Hill Collision & Auto Glass, Gerry Moody of State Farm Insurance, and Kathy Kucera of South Hill Collision & Auto Glass. Not pictured are Kelly Chapman of Kitsap Bank, Jessica Witte of Heritage Bank, and Jared Postlethwaite of Brantley, Janson, Yost & Ellison.



Joseph Romero
President

Rotary Foundation Month

During the past 100 years, the Rotary Foundation has spent \$3 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects. By working together, we can make lives better in our community and around the world.

Our donations make a difference to those who need our help the most. More than 90 percent of the donations go directly to supporting our service projects around the world.

Our 35,000 Rotary clubs carry out sustainable service projects that support our six causes. Through donations, we've wiped out 99.9 percent of all polio cases. We have also trained future peacemakers, supported clean water, and strengthened local economies.

Donations save lives. A child can be protected from polio with as little as 60 cents. Our partners make our donations go even further. For every \$1 Rotary commits to polio eradication, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has committed \$2.

Donations can be made online at <https://my.rotary.org/en>. If you need additional information, contact Foundation Chair Ed Pullen by email at edwardpullen@gmail.com.

Mark Your Calendars

- Thursday, December 6 at noon—Annual Meeting at the Ram.
- Friday, December 14 at 6 pm—Christmas Party Hosted by Don and Ginny Miller; sign up on the Website.
- Thursday, February 28 at 6 pm—Gold and Silver Raffle Event; location TBD; sign up on the Website.
- Thursday, May 2 at 6 pm—Club Assembly; location TBD.
- Thursday, May 9 at 12 noon—Community Vocational Awards Luncheon; location TBD.
- Thursday, June 20 at 6 pm—Club Installation; location TBD.
- Saturday, August 17, 2019—9 am Hounds on the Hill at Bradley Lake Park Puyallup; sign up on the Website.

Community Partners for Success



Students of the Month



Emerald Ridge High School



Rogers High School



ERHS Career Specialist and Rotarian Patti McMullan presented the October students of the month for Emerald Ridge High School. **Carly Nirschl** (left) plans to attend Whitman or Pacific Lutheran University to study chemistry and music. Carly was nominated by the English Department. **Kimmy Lengyel** (right) plans to attend a four-year school to major in Business management and minor in Marketing. Kimmy is Co-General Manager of "The Jungle," the ERHS student store. Nominated by the Business and Marketing Department, Kimmy has taken many marketing and business classes and serves as DECA Vice President.



RHS Career Specialist and Rotarian Richard Mitchell presented the October students of the month for Rogers High School. **Joseph Ancheta** (left) plans to attend a four-year university to study Criminal Justice and minor in Creative Writing or Filmmaking. **Blake English** (center) was nominated by the Business and Marketing Department and plans to attend a four-year school to become an Entrepreneur. Blake is part of the DECA Leadership Team and is a two-time DECA area finalist. **David Dowell** (right) represents the JROTC and has received the JROTC medal for outstanding leadership. He plans to become a Navy officer and would like to study surface warfare.



Serving Others Through Bountiful Blessings

Club Service Chair Rosella Sims has organized a project designed to serve the families at Helping Hand House.

Serving on teams, members of our Club are filling Thanksgiving baskets with toiletries, gifts, grocery gift cards, and other items that will make Thanksgiving meaningful and memorable for the families in the four Rotary duplex units.

Each team has a name and a team captain who is cheering on the members of the team to design the "best basket ever." Helping Hand House staff will be on hand at the November 15 meeting to receive the baskets for the families.

Don't know which Bountiful Blessings Team is your team? Contact Rosella by email at rosella@rosellasims.com. Help make a family's holiday a little brighter this year.

Call for Nominations for 2019-2020

Per article 3, Section 1 of the Club's Bylaws, President Joseph is calling for nominations for:

President Elect Designee: this person will become the President Elect on July 1, 2019 following Kevin Bates.

Recording Secretary: keeps records of attendance and insures all club information is up to date in ClubRunner. This position is currently held by Doug Olmstead.

Correspondence Secretary: records, distributes, and preserves minutes of board meetings, annually club meetings, and other meetings as requested by the president. The position is currently held by Janet Olson.

Banking Treasurer: accounts for incoming funds and pays the bills of the club. The position is currently held by Don Miller.

Financial Reporting Treasurer: reconciles accounts, prepares reports for the board, assists the president in preparing the annual budget. The position is currently held by Steve Martinez.

Nominations must be made via e-mail to President Joseph by November 15, 2018. Ballots will be e-mailed prior to the annual meeting, which will be held on Thursday, December 6, 2018, at which time the election will be held.