

# The REPORTER

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## Vital Statistics

Members 04-26-12 . . . . . 66  
 Absent 04-26-12 . . . . . 26  
 Make-Ups 04-26-12 . . . . . 1  
 Net Attendance . . . . . 65.1

### BOX SCORE:

(Since 1 July, 2011, membership was 69)  
 Gains: 4 Losses: 7

## Attendance Report

26 of our members were absent last week and only one make-up was reported.

Sunnetta Ransom made up online.

Regular attendance is a requirement for keeping your membership.

Online make-ups are easy; just visit this website:  
<http://www.rotaryclubone.org>  
 (you don't buy lunch with online make-ups; no lunch credit is given.)

## Incentive Drawings

Matt Spangler could have won the membership incentive drawing last week, but he was absent. This week's "pot" will grow to \$20.

The '50-50' drawing last week, worth \$48, was won by Betsy Henderson.

Remember: you can't win the '50-50' without buying at least one ticket!

## What a 'Hat Trick'!

Past President Kathryn Heater really raised the bar last week with her "hat trick".



Kathryn Heater

The fancy chapeau is from the play "My Fair Lady" and Kathryn wore it very well.

Top that, past presidents!

## Loyalty Days Court Makes Annual Visit



The 2012 Newport Loyalty Days and Sea Fair Festival Senior Court includes (from left) Marisa Dean, Rebecca Duprau, Kendall Heth and Ashley Jackson.

Member David Huntington introduced Robin McRoberts of the Loyalty Days association last week and she, in turn, presented the members of the Loyalty



David Huntington

Days Senior Court who each gave her speech. This year's theme is "Loyalty's Port of Call" and each

member of the court spoke on that subject from a different perspective.

Marisa Dean told us a bit of history of the US Coast Guard, which is celebrated as part of this year's theme. She noted that the Coast Guard works as one on behalf of our society.

Rebecca Duprau said that her father was a "Coastie" for 20

years and that the Coast Guard has a presence worldwide.

Ashley Jackson spoke of an incident during World War II in which the Coast Guard



Robin McRoberts

intercepted floating bombs that had been launched from Japan, destined for the Pacific coast.

Kendall Heth spoke of the local helicopter service by the Coast Guard and that Newport is designated as a "Coast Guard City, USA".

Loyalty Days' website is at <http://www.loyaltydays.com>

This weekend our club will have a 'float' in the parade, featuring the District's iron lung and seeking funds for PolioPlus.

## Words of Wisdom

"You have to do your own growing no matter how tall your grandfather was."

- Abraham Lincoln

## SCUTTLEBUTT Information You Can Use

- This is the weekend for our club's presence in the annual Loyalty Days parade. There's still time for you to help. Details will be announced at today's meeting.
- Plans are shaping up for a "Friendship Exchange" with a club in Scotland later this year. Watch for more information about this exciting opportunity to visit with Rotarians who will be in Newport for a few days.
- Sister City Park is also moving toward completion. More information is on the other side of this bulletin.
- Poor Paul Dunphy; first we identified his son as his daughter and then we got him mixed up with Eric Brown...he's going to feel like we're picking on him! Blame in on an editor with a short attention span.

## Wear Your Pin



Every Day!

## May Students of the Month Announced

Our students of the month for May are Amity Kaelynn Elliott, daughter of Patrick and Sylvia White and Zach Bearden, son of Michael and Tracey Bearden, all of Newport.

Amity carries a 3.42 GPA and takes classes in child psychology, 20th century history, economics, English and biology.

She has perfect attendance, is a senior class representative, has earned varsity letters and is the swim team captain.

Amity is active in volleyball, swimming and track and volunteers for Link Crew, is a life-guard at the Toledo pool, has helped coach middle school volleyball, and has worked on polio vaccinations and the Dornbecher fundraising effort.

She enjoys sports, hanging

out with friends, eating, robotics and Disney movie nights.

Amity will study ecological engineering and minor in fisheries and wildlife biology at OSU.

Zach's GPA is 3.49 and he studies English, math analysis, economics, global studies and is a peer tutor. He has been on the honor roll in 11th & 12th grade.

He plays baseball, basketball and football and has received honors in baseball and basketball.

Zach helps with the Newport Marathon and coaches and umpires for Little League.

His hobbies include baseball and other athletics.

Zach plans to attend Western Oregon University and study exercise science; he will also play baseball for WOU.

## April Students Speak, Receive Plaques



April students of the month, Katlyn Beck and Spencer Richcreek, each gave their '5-minute talk' and received plaques marking their selection as students of the month. Katlyn plans to become a librarian and Spencer will attend George Fox College. Past president Kathryn Heater ran last week's meeting and presented the plaques.

## Rotary Program Schedule 2012

May 3 . . . . .	Steve Johnson (Inbound Exchange Student)
May 10 . . . . .	Kathryn Heater (Inbound Exchange Student)
May 17 . . . . .	Sherrod Lee (Proposed PAC Expansion)
May 24 . . . . .	To be announced
May 31 . . . . .	Burt Lippman (United Way)
June 7 . . . . .	Ursula Marinelli (New Medical Staff at PCH)
June 14 . . . . .	Mark McConnell (Report on Japan Trip)
June 22 . . . . .	To Be Announced
June 28 . . . . .	Annual Banquet (Night Meeting: our annual Installation Banquet, which replaces our Noon meeting)

***This schedule can be modified. If you want to trade dates or have a program you want to bring to our Rotary club, please contact Bernice Barnett or Dick Fowler.***

## Greeter Duties for the Balance of the Year

*The greeter duty list below may change from time to time but it's important that you show up on your appointed day a few minutes early to prepare for our meeting.*

May 3 . . . . .	Guy Faust	June 7 . . . . .	John Clark
May 10 . . . . .	Lorna Davis	June 14 . . . . .	Jeremy Burke
May 17 . . . . .	Paul Davies	June 21 . . . . .	Marcia Buckley
May 24 . . . . .	Paul Dunphy	June 28 . . . . .	Mark Brunette
May 31 . . . . .	Mark Collson		<i>Evening Meeting - Annual Banquet</i>

*(As usual, from time to time we will insert "Red Badge" members into this list so they can earn their "Blue Badge")*

## Sister City Park Work Party May 12

Our next Work Party will be Saturday May 12 from 9:00a.m. to 12:00 Noon.

1. Construction of the bridge and entry arch
2. General clean up, weeding, spreading bark mulch,
3. Ground cover planting

There will be more work to do as the benches and plaques are installed-- a sign up sheet of "on-call" help for the last half of May will be available soon.

There will be a Park Dedication Ceremony and Lunch Saturday May 26th from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

A sign up will be circulated so we know how many will eat lunch afterward at the PAC. Lunch is hosted by the Newport Sister City Committee to say thank you to the Rotary Club of Newport for revitalizing the park.

## THE ROTARY CLUB OF NEWPORT, OREGON 2011-2012

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