

Vital Statistics

Members 8-14-14 61
 Absent 8-14-14 28
 Make-Ups 8-14-14 4
 Net Attendance 61.6%

BOX SCORE:

(Since 1 July, 2014, when we had 60 members)
 Gains: 1 Losses: 0

Attendance Report

28 of our members were absent last week... and only four make-ups were reported.

The following members brought guests: Julia Carlson, Julie Hanrahan, Ted Smith and Michael Smith.

Regular attendance is a requirement for you to continue your Rotary membership.

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Online make-ups are easy; just visit one of these websites:

<http://www.rotaryclubone.org>
 or the District 5110 online site,
<http://stateofjeffersonrotary.org>

Incentive Drawings

Steve Johnson won the \$10 membership incentive last week so this week's amount will revert to the usual five dollars.

Last week's "50-50" drawing was worth \$194 and guest Dave Galah missed it by drawing the Jack of hearts.

ANY Ace can win... but you can't win without a ticket.

Good Luck!



**\$5 Pin Check
 at Today's
 Meeting!**

... if you were here last week,
 you were warned!

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Program Features Newport Food Pantry

Last week's program was introduced by Dave Heater, who presented Jim Myers from the Newport Food Pantry.

Jim began his talk by noting that our local economic base consists primarily of the fisheries, tourism and marine research sectors.

He noted that those elements seem to represent the three largest components of our local economy in Newport.

Jim also told us that the balance of the economic base in Newport has a large sector that generally falls into the category of below the poverty rate. Many of these families have simply fallen on hard times due to circumstances beyond their control.

The Newport Food Pantry offers many of these people the opportunity to avail themselves of food and other elements of household operations, largely through a relationship



Jim Myers

with the Oregon Food Bank. Those who qualify can visit the Pantry and "shop", much like visiting a store.

The Pantry also has a garden at its location and depends on a host of volunteers to operate.

It is located at 227 N.E. 12th Street here in Newport.

Annual Picnic Plans Undergo Changes...

Our annual Rotary Picnic, scheduled for September 4th, will be a bit different from our usual fare.

Instead of burgers and hot dogs, we will have a menu that includes pulled pork, pulled chicken and BBQ spare ribs, Cole slaw, veggie and fruit trays, garlic bread, corn bread, lemonade, iced tea, BBQ sauce, desserts and a special baked bean competition, limited to the first five entries.

A sign-up sheet for attendance will be circulated again today and a sign-up sheet for the potluck items will also be circulated.

The menu changes were made by Megan Schain and Kate Brown, the 'picnic committee' for this year's event, which will be held at Toledo's waterfront park, the same venue as last year.

Program & Greeter Assignments

Programs and greeter duties for the next three weeks...

DATE	PROGRAM	GREETER
August 28 Bill Barton OLIVER WENDALL HOLMES	Matt Madsen
September 4 Annual Rotary Picnic JOINTLY HELD WITH TOLEDO CLUB, IN TOLEDO	Ursula Marinelli
11 District Governor Tim Mobley OFFICIAL VISITATION	Ed Milliken

Our meeting of Sept. 11 will be in the Cove Room

If you have a question or need to change your greeter duty date, please let Dick Fowler know.

Words of Wisdom

"You can't cross the sea merely by standing and staring at the water."

— Rabindranath Tagore
 India's first Nobel laureate

SCUTTLEBUTT Information You Can Use

- The newest version of our bylaws will be circulated at today's meeting. One copy of the intermediate document, showing the changes made, will be on each table. A vote of our membership is needed to adopt the bylaws.
- The official visitation of District Governor Tim Mobley will be at our September 11 meeting; plan now to attend this important meeting, to be held in the Cove Room. The DG will also meet with our board of directors the evening of September 10.

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NEWPORT, OREGON 2014-2015

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 and Julia Carlson, co-chairs
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Boldface names are voting members of the board.
 Committees with co-chairs have only one vote.

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WE'RE ALSO ON FACEBOOK!

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