

Vital Statistics

Members 9-11-14 60
Absent 9-11-14 21
Make-Ups 9-11-14..... 23
Net Attendance 103.3%

BOX SCORE:

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

Attendance Report

21 members were absent and 23 make-ups reported last week.

In person make-ups included Claire Little at Coos Bay, Al Fitzpatrick at Laguna Nigel and Monarch Beach, CA and Catherine Rickbone at Toledo.

Members with guests included Madsen, Huntington, Buckley, Kilbride, Bovett, Carlsson and Little.

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

Julia Carlson should have gone to Vegas last week: She won the \$5 membership incentive drawing and, then, she was the holder of the lucky number for the '50-50' drawing and, wonder of wonders, she drew an ace...and danced away with \$332!

This week we'll start with a clean slate and the same rules apply...any ace wins the '50-50' drawing and you must be here to win the membership incentive prize drawing.

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District Governor Tim Mobley's Official Visit

Our District Governor for District 5110, Tim Mobley, was our program at last week's meeting.

This was the "official visitation" of the DG, an event that happens every year as the DGs are required to visit each club in their District.

DG Tim was accompanied by his wife, LAnn, who actually was the one who proposed him for Rotary membership in 1999.

We should note that Carol Ruggeri, a former president of our club and now our Assistant Governor, also accompanied the DG.

His message was clear: we need to recruit more members and do what we can to keep those we now have. This is particularly ironic as three of our members have submitted resignations in the past couple of weeks.

DG Tim also noted that things are changing in Rotary, a comment that was not lost on your editor.

The method of awarding grants, and the amounts of those grants, has changed and small clubs are urged to join up, either together or with larger clubs, to facilitate obtaining and completing grants and the projects they fund.

DG Tim said that we are beginning to see the light at the end of the tunnel on the efforts to eliminate polio (and other dread childhood diseases) and announced that there were only three cases of



We made a donation to the library for children's books in the District Governor's name.

polio reported in one of a major countries still to be rid of polio.

In matters somewhat closer to home, he spoke of the events and speakers planned for the District Conference next year.

The conference will be held in Eugene at the Valley River Inn so not only will there be many events connected to the conference, those who get bored or have the need to melt down their credit cards can slip over to Valley River Center.

Hidden Talent?



It should probably come as no surprise to us that Matt Madsen has some degree of musical talent, given his position with the Salvation Army...but he does blow a mean horn. His rendition of Amazing Grace was wonderful.

Someone HAD to Win It, Didn't They??

Lucky Julia Carlson hit it big last week, not only winning the ten-dollar incentive drawing but also drawing an Ace to win the \$332 "50-50" pot!

This was, as near as we can recall, the first time anyone has won both drawings at the same meeting...at least since we began the "luck of the draw" method of determining a winner.

Julia's advice: "You can't win without a ticket!"



SCUTTLEBUTT Information You Can Use

- Watch for details about our club's 5K run on October 25th. Rob Wienert has the straight scoop and we'll need "all hands on deck" to make this a successful fund-raiser.
- We also are beginning to plan this year's Rotary Christmas Party. December 4 is the date and it will be an evening meeting, replacing our Noon meeting on that date. Mark your calendars and plan to attend; it promises to be a fun evening!

Words of Wisdom

"A man's feet must be planted in his country, but his eyes should survey the world."

— George Santayana

September Students of the Month Named

As we begin a new school year, we introduce our September students of the month, Madelyn Baker, daughter of Gary and Rebecca Baker and Austin Thompson, son of Todd and Josie Thompson. All are from Newport.



public relations and a minor in psychology.

Austin Thompson carries a GPA of 3.97 and takes classes including writ-



ing 121, IB chemistry, IB history, IB math SL and leadership.

His athletic activities include swimming, where he was named most improved varsity swimmer and a member of the state relay team.

His community service and volunteer activities include Altrusa club and leadership.

Austin's hobbies include going to the beach

He hopes to win for Linfield College or Pacific University and study Pharmacy.

Madelyn has a 3.98 GPA and takes classes including writing 122, anatomy, IB math SL, Global Studies and leadership.

She was named a volleyball Most Valuable Player and volunteers for YoungLife, PAADA and Leadership.

Madelyn's outdoor activities include hiking and biking.

Her future plans include attending a 4-year university with a major in

Program & Greeter Assignments

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

DATE	PROGRAM	GREETER
September 18	Holly Romero LITTLE FISH YOGA	Melanie Sarazin
25	Jon Zagel SEPTEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH	Al Fitzpatrick

Our meetings of Sept. 18-25 will be in the Cove Room

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

Carla Vazquez, New Inbound Exchange Student from Spain Arrives

Our new inbound exchange student, Carla Vazquez from Vigo, Pontevedra, Spain is now here with us and learning about Newport and the United States on a daily basis. Her first host family is the Freddy Saxton clan.



Carla



Carla with her family



She even surfs!



Carla with some of her friends back home.

Carla's father is a sales manager and her mother is a nurse.

She has an older sister, Andrea, who is 26 and a younger sister, Paula, who is eight years old.

As you can see, one of her favorite activities is surfing. We hope she was able to get in some wave time during our recent warm weather.



Her home at Christmas

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www.newportrotaryclub.org

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