



Calendar of Events

Today's Program:

Sawblade Room
Janice from the Visitor and
Convention Bureau

Club Meeting

July 17, Noon, Sawblade Room
Lady Washington & Hawaiian
Chieftain Tall Ships Presentation

Board Meeting

July 19, Noon, Sawblade Rm

Club Meeting

July 24, Noon, Sawblade Room
Bob More, Library Foundation,
New Library Plans & Development

President's Message

July 10, 2018

I hope all had a good 4th of July.

There are interesting things going to happen this year.

At our July 3rd meeting, all committee chairpersons were introduced. Each said a few words to the club and invited members to come forward to join the committees if that is what they would like to do.

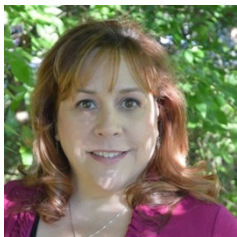
We are going to have a great year looking forward. Committees on which members can help.: Grants, Foundation, Judging, Scholarships, Shots For Tots, Cruz the Coos, Community Concert, Interact, Auction, RYLA, Festival of Trees, Prefontaine Track Meet, Gift of Literacy, Bus Jam, Wine Walk, Youth Exchange, Membership, etc.

All of these items show how varied Rotary really is, and there is always some place a member can be of help. Some are short term functions, such as the Track Meet, the Auction, Bus Jam, etc. Events that are short but take a lot of work leading up to them; however, after the one day event is over, this item is finished until the next year. Some of the events take a lot of us

working together to pull if off.

See where you can help to make our club great. I am looking forward to a great year and I am sure with all the members we will have a great year.

Sincerely,
Ed Meyer



Today's Program

Janice Langlinais, CTE, joined the Coos Bay-North Bend Visitor & Convention Bureau in September 2017 as Executive Director. She came to Coos Bay after 24 years in Austin, Texas and brings 16 years experience in travel & tourism promotion, marketing, development and advocacy.

Janice will give us an overview of the economic impact of travel & tourism in Coos County, the state of Oregon and the nation. She will tells us what changes are happening at the VCB as well as the plans for the coming year to advertise and market Coos Bay, North Bend and Charleston, i.e. Oregon's Adventure Coast, as an adventure destination to increase tourism to the area.



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Meet our 2018-19 Exchange Student



Our 2018-19 Rotary Youth Exchange Student is Camila Silva-Mariano from Curitiba, Brazil.

Camila is currently 17 years old and will arrive for her exchange year on August 20th. She will celebrate her 18th birthday on September 30th, while in Coos Bay/North Bend.

Camila's parents are divorced and she lives primarily with her mother. Her father is self-employed and her mother is a retired Penitentiary School Director and Rotarian. Camila has been active in her Interact Club as well. She lives with her mother, her older sister, and her grandmother.

Camila wants to go to Law School with a goal of becoming a Judge. She has already been accepted to two private universities but is hoping to get accepted to a free university.

She describes herself as a calm, friendly, and overall happy person. She is a perfectionist but can still be spontaneous. Her friends jokingly call her "the mom" as she tends to care for those around her like a mom would. Her mother describes her as serious girl with many goals for the future.

She likes going to the movies and hanging out with friends, going to the beach and learning new things. Her favorite food is rice and her favorite candy is something called "brigadeiro"; which is a traditional desert made with condensed milk, cocoa powder, butter and chocolate sprinkles on the outside. It is very similar to our truffle.

Her first host family will be Heidi and Tristan Pruett followed by Rachele and Jeff Lyon. We are still working on our third host family. Camila will be joining us weekly for club. Please do get to know her and if you would like to invite her to do something with your family, let me know so that we can complete the paperwork.

The Youth Exchange Committee is comprised of the following individuals; feel free to chat with us about any questions you might have.

- Youth Exchange Officer – Rachele Lyon
- Backup Youth Exchange Officer – Cindy Rawlings
- Counselor – Jaimee Belzer
- Backup Counselor – Eva Shimotakahara



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