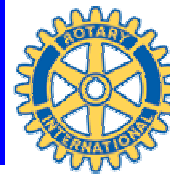


ROTARY CLUB OF WALLOWA COUNTY



DECEMBER 2005

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INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

The trip to El Salvador was very successful. The supplies were delivered and now are being given out in a measured way. The water project is underway, with the equipment, supplies and materials being gathered, the design being put together, and the necessary community infrastructure being established.

FOUNDATION

All of you should have received a letter from Rick Bombaci regarding the Rotary International Foundation. Our goal for this year is to have EVERY member contribute something. So even if you don't feel you can give \$100, please think about giving something. Also, a sustaining membership

means you have given \$100 total over the entire year. That is less than \$10 a month. Think about a series of smaller gifts building up to a sustaining membership. If you have questions please talk to Rick.

YOUTH EXCHANGE

Our exchange student Liz has been with us for a few months now. Her first host family was Jeff & Kelly Courtney (she thoroughly enjoyed her stay with them) and she has now moved to the Steve Hunter family. They are very excited to have her!

Liz is involved with basketball this winter. She is playing on the Enterprise team. She has been active with Rotary Exchange trips as well. She was in Keizer the first of December for the annual Christmas get together with the other exchange students in the district. She also got to travel with the group to Disneyland. Everyone had a wonderful time! The coordinators of the group have high praise for the entire group of Exchange students for this year.

Keep Liz in mind for special events and outings or just for dinner!! She is a delight!

MEMBERSHIP

Every year the average Rotary Club loses a certain percentage of its membership (for a variety of reasons). In our district the average, for many clubs, is around 10%. Our club currently has 68 members, which means we will need to get at least 6-7 new members a year just to stay at our current size. Please think about community leaders you would like to propose for membership. If you have questions about the process, please talk to Don Swart.

Our attendance over the last month was 60% (we averaged 40-45 per meeting). That is an improvement, and we would like to see the trend continue. Let's not only work at attending ourselves, but let us also encourage our fellow Rotarians. If you do miss there are a variety of ways to get "make ups." A board or committee meeting will work, as will a Rotary activity such as a road clean up day.

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YOUR NEWSLETTER EDITOR IS SEEKING CREATIVE NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS!!! PLEASE EMAIL YOUR MOST CREATIVE (OR HUMOROUS) RESOLUTION TO STEVE AT KLIEWERS @OHSU.EDU BEFORE JANUARY 4TH! THERE WILL BE A PRIZE. ☺

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

December 28 - Brady Goss- piano entertainment!!!

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<http://www.rotaryclubofwallowacounty.org/>