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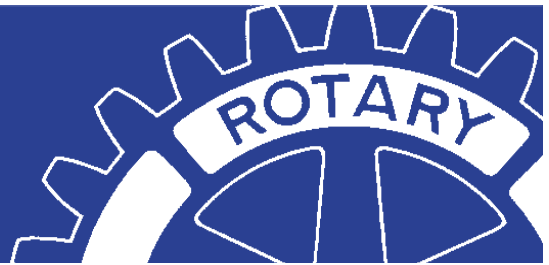
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## NEWSLETTER



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### OBJECT OF ROTARY



The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

#### FIRST

The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

#### SECOND

High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

#### THIRD

The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

#### FOURTH

The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



## THE PRESIDENT'S COLUMN



David J. Kliever

I am thrilled to be the 2006-07 club President. Since joining the club in 1995 I have greatly appreciated the work this club does in the community as well as the friendships I have made. I know the fellowship was especially important to me over the last two years as I said goodbye to my parents and many close relatives. Thank you so much for the support you showed me. I will never forget that.

I really want to thank my wife for her support of me in Rotary. Denise has been great. Our executive director is the best in the nation and after attending the large club conference, the president elect training and last years district assembly I can assure you we are incredibly fortunate, Thanks Lucretia for all that you are and that you do.....

Our leadership has been so strong that my goal is only to try and strengthen what I already believe to be a wonderful organization. You are dedicated and successful people and each of you inspires me. Please feel free to share your thoughts and hopes for the club with me over this coming year. I will promise you that the board and I will listen. This group of Officers and Directors is very committed and I am thankful to work with them. They are also incredibly wise.

One of our board's goals has been to increase involvement and the opportunity to serve for members by encouraging committee chairs to have co chairs and a plan for succession. Please continue to join one or more of our committees until you find a good fit. Then dedicate to becoming good enough at it to take a shot at being chair. You will not regret the experience. We have the most creative, intelligent and fun folks on the various committees.

I want to express one additional area of emphasis that I believe is worthy of your consideration. I would like you to consider supporting the Rotary International Foundation in its "EREY" (every Rotarian every year effort) for world service projects. A couple years ago I

began setting aside per month for RI by automatic deduction. Whether you try this approach or by funding a Paul Harris Fellowship, please consider making RI part of your yearly commitment to Rotary. The amount is less important in my opinion than the act of keeping great worldwide projects as a priority. I realize that the last few years have been intense relative to the funding necessary for our beautiful fountain and continued Rotary Community Service. Something to consider.

Thank you again for making Club 21 so effective and so fun. I will keep our Rotary mission and the 4 way test at the top of my priorities. I am looking forward to another great year working together to put service of others above ourselves.

Most sincerely,  
President Dave

### PROPOSED FOR MEMBERSHIP

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| <b>SCOTT WETZEL</b><br>"Real Estate Services-Management"<br>President<br>Windermere Svcs. Co./Inland NW, Inc.<br><i>Proposed by Joe Nichols</i> | <b>VICTOR PATERNOSTER</b><br>"Native American Health Svcs."<br>Project Manager<br>Kaufman & Assoc.<br><i>Proposed by Laura Bracken</i> |
| <b>PEGGY HUBBELL</b><br>"Banking - Private"<br>VP Private Banking Officer<br>Sterling Savings<br><i>Proposed by Dan Austin</i>                  | <b>MIKE WILSON</b><br>"Medical Center Administration"<br>President<br>Sacred Heart Medical Center<br><i>Proposed by Judi Young</i>     |
| <b>SUSAN E. MEYER</b><br>"STA"<br>CEO<br>Spokane Transit Authority<br><i>Proposed by Rich Munson</i>  |  |

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★ All meetings are held at The Spokane Club unless otherwise noted ★

~ MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES ~  
ALL MEETINGS AT NOON UNLESS NOTED

- MON** • Spokane North - Inn at the Park, 303 W. North River Dr.  
• Spokane Valley Sunrise - Mirabeau Park Hotel, 1100 N. Sullivan - 7 AM
- TUES** • Spokane Daybreak - The Spokane Club, 1002 W. Riverside - 7 AM  
• Spokane Valley - Mirabeau Park Hotel, 1100 N. Sullivan  
• Spokane West - Holiday Inn - Airport, 1616 S. Windsor Dr.  
• Cheney - E.W.U., PUB - Room 267-A  
• Rotaract - Rock Pointe Tower, 316 W. Boone, 2nd Flr. Board Rm.  
6 PM • 1st & 3rd Tues.
- WED** • Spokane East - The Rock Inn, 8122 E. Sprague Ave. - 7 AM  
• Spokane Hillyard - N.E. Community Center, 4001 N. Cook
- THU** • Spokane Club #21 - The Spokane Club, 1002 W. Riverside Ave.  
• Spokane Aurora N.W. - The Cathay Inn, 3714 N. Division  
• Deer Park - Pizza Factory, Hwy. 395 & 'H' Street  
• Liberty Lake - City Hall, 22710 E. Country Vista Drive - 7 AM
- FRI** • Spokane South - Red Lion River Inn, 700 N. Division

(Visit one of these clubs or any other club 14 days prior, or 14 days after our regular Thursday meeting to keep up your attendance requirements.)

- July 06** State of Rotary, Our New President  
David J. Kliever, Guest Speaker
- July 13** Foundation Northwest  
Mark Hurtubise, Guest Speaker
- July 20** State of the City  
Mayor Dennis Hession, Guest Speaker
- July 27** Disaster Preparedness  
Dr. George Schneider, Guest Speaker
- Aug. 03** Sports, Dopes, Drugs & Athletics  
Jim Murphy, Guest Speaker
- Aug. 10** Fellowship
- Aug. 17** Spokane Airport  
Neal Sealock, Guest Speaker

(If you are doing make-ups, please remember to call, mail or Email rotaryspokane21@nwadv.com the Rotary office to report them.)

#### 2006 - 2007 Officers

David J. Kliever, President  
Edward L. Clark, Vice President  
Thomas M. Patrick, Secretary/Treasurer  
Frank H. Storey, President-Elect  
Mark A. Sonderer, Immediate Past President

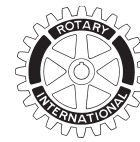
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Clark Brekke, Bruce Butterworth,  
Thelma Cleveland, Jim Correll,  
Rich Kuhling,

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# Profiles in Rotary



BY AUSTIN DEPAOLO

## MEMBER PROFILE: TOM McDONALD



Tom McDonald is the new HUB Editor for our club! He grew up in Butte, Montana where he first started to get involved in his community as a seventh grader when he began volunteering as a mentor to youth with developmental disabilities. Tom continued his volunteer work with that community until his senior year of High School.

Following his senior year, Tom decided to move to Spokane where he could be closer to his father and attend Eastern Washington University. During college he soon realized his interest - the world of investment management.

He got his feet wet with a couple of local investment companies, and then joined the firm of Richards, Merrill, and Peterson, Inc. In a relatively short amount of time he rose to the position of being a shareholder, Vice President, and Chief Operations Officer. Additionally, he is a Registered Investment Representative, Licensed Principal, and Financial and Operational Principal. He has served as Vice Chairman for the N.A.S.D. District 3 Committee and as an N.A.S.D. Committee Member.

However, he never lost sight of the values he first learned in 7th grade and the personal reward in being a community contributor. He found a new home for his passion in the Daybreak Rotary Club and became a charter member in 1997 - thus began a long

series of community projects he led. One of his favorite projects occurred during his time as Daybreak Rotary's President. It involved raising money to buy a special van for the father of a family who had been paralyzed in the selfless act of rescuing an unrelated child from a sledging accident.

Tom once again became president of an organization when he accepted the position with the Spokane Troika Triathlon Association ([www.racecenter.com/troika/](http://www.racecenter.com/troika/)). In this position he is the primary event planner for the annual triathlon held the first Sunday of August. The event is a half Iron Man distance; 1.2 mile swim, 56 mile bike ride, and finishes with a 13.1 mile run.

On behalf of the rest of Club #21, we look forward to your service as HUB Editor!

- in many ways, everyday. My staff and those with whom I do business understand that Rotary's principles are my modus operandi. I tend to live through Rotary's 4-WAY-Test - especially question #3. Truth, fairness and benefits for all are uniquely engrained in my operational style, building Goodwill is my life's work!

### Bruce Butterworth Director

*Joined our club in 1997*



Being an active member of Club 21 gives me a tremendous sense of pride for a number of reasons. Unquestionably Club 21 has a very significant impact on local organizations that deliver desperately needed goods and services to people in Spokane that must rely on service clubs in order to fulfill their mandates. Beyond the service above self aspect, being involved in Club 21 provides me a personal sense of connection to our community, national issues, and international issues that only organizations such as Rotary can effect. It is without question, one of the most rewarding investments of time that I could ever make. Club 21 is the best at doing great things for people!

### Thelma Cleveland Director

*Joined our club in 1988*



I was honored to be one of the first women inducted into Rotary Club 21 in 1988 and I have never regretted it. What a wonderful way to help meet peoples' needs internationally, nationally and locally. Having served on several committees, I have been impressed by the friendliness, energy, creativity and

commitment of the members. I feel the same way about my interactions with members at our general Thursday meetings and when I make up at other Rotary clubs. I enjoy most of the programs--they often introduce me to subjects and ideas that I ordinarily would not think about. I look forward to many more good years with Club 21.

### Jim Correll Director

*Joined our club in 1994*



The people of Rotary actually believe in "service above self." The people of Rotary actually apply the 4-Way-Test, not just within the club but also in their everyday lives. The people of Rotary are committed to making the world a better place. The people of Rotary are truly making a difference. The common thread is "the people of Rotary" and I am genuinely proud to be counted among them.

### Rich Kuhling Director

*Joined our club in 1989*



Rotary circles the globe. It knows not national, religious or ethnic boundaries. Rather it recognizes goodwill. Rotary is creating a wonderful international community of kindred spirits.

"I wonder if other dogs think poodles are members of a weird religious cult."

~ Rita Rudner

# birthdaycorner

## JULY BIRTHDAYS

LARRY ELLINGSON	JUL 01
BRUCE ELDREDGE	JUL 01
GARY RAMELOW	JUL 02
BARRY JONES	JUL 02
KYLE WEIR	JUL 02
WENDELL SATRE	JUL 03
DON BARLOW	JUL 03
PETE STANTON	JUL 03
PENN FIX	JUL 03
DAN BARRETT	JUL 04
CHUCK BURGESS	JUL 05
BRUCE MCEACHRAN	JUL 06
STEVE NOWLAND	JUL 08
GENE DIRE	JUL 08
RANDY STAMPER	JUL 09
DENNIS MURPHY	JUL 11
DARRELL SIRIA	JUL 15
JOHN GILCHRIST	JUL 17
ERIC NELSON	JUL 17
DON V. HOWELL	JUL 18
RICK O'CONNOR	JUL 19
YVONNE LOPEZ-MORTON	JUL 20
LARRY WISER	JUL 22
RANDY FOSSEEN	JUL 22
JIM HARAKAS	JUL 23
HARRY GREEN	JUL 24
LAURIE DOLAN	JUL 25
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# Profiles in Rotary



BY KYLE WEIR

## MEMBER PROFILE: JAY HUNT



Jay Hunt is the President of Allied Fire & Security. He assumed the helm of his family's business from his father and fellow Rotarian, Terry Hunt, in 2001. Jay joined our club in February of 1996.

Jay is a Spokane native. He graduated from Lewis & Clark High School in 1979 and attended WSU, graduating with a degree in Economics and Finance in 1985. Baseball was Jay's joy and passion while going to school. "I played baseball for Bobo Brayton at

WSU on scholarship and was drafted as a pitcher for the Seattle Mariners in the 1983 draft." Jay's dream was to make it "to the show" for the Mariners, but his professional career was cut short by an arm injury that he sustained while playing semi-pro baseball.

After playing semi-pro baseball and spending some time in Europe, Jay joined Allied in early 1987; starting out as a bank drive through systems technician. Jay moved to Boise in 1990 to take over as a branch manager of their Boise operations. He moved back to Spokane in 1995 to work at their main headquarters. "I'm proud to say that Allied is over 50 years old with 150

plus employees and is ranked 25th in the nation in size for security systems integration companies."

Jay and his wife Mary, who is a registered nurse, have been married for almost 4 years. Jay has two children from his previous marriage: Brad - 16 and Kim - 13. His children live in Sweden with their mother for most of the year but love to spend the summer time in the USA.

When not watching baseball, Jay and Mary enjoy gardening at their south hill home, mountain biking, golf, and of course spending time with their kids.

## Meet Our New Officers & Directors of Rotary Club 21's Board

**Dave Kliewer**  
President

*Joined our club in 1996*



I like the way Rotarians give of themselves to help folks without asking for credit. I like the way Rotarians make giving an integrated part of daily life. I like the way Rotarians live with honesty and integrity. I like the way Rotarians love their families. I like the way Rotarians love the United States.

**Ed Clark**  
Vice President

*Joined our club in 2001*



Rotary gives me the chance to really be of service to mankind locally and globally. I love being a part of an organization that truly makes a difference in people's lives. I'm proud of the strong service ethic of Rotary and I'm especially grateful to be a member of Club 21. What a great group of people, with one goal in mind: Service Above Self.

**Tom Patrick**  
Secretary/Treasurer

*Joined our club in 1989*



The opportunity that Rotary gives for fellowship and community service has helped me become a better member of my community. Rotary's embrace of high values and ethical standards inspires all of us to give more of ourselves to make our community and communities around the world a better place to live.

**Frank Storey**  
President-Elect

*Joined our club in 1987*



It's always inspiring to realize that persons of goodwill from all over the world routinely gather together to see how they can serve their communities and causes everywhere that relieve suffering, inspire hope, and create greater understanding. To join in such common cause is a worthy calling. Even more so it is rewarding to see that spirit personified weekly as we meet, for through our work I know of your generosity. It is indeed a privilege to know and be associated with you.

**Mark Sonderer**  
Immediate Past President

*Joined our club in 1977*



I have always been proud of our clubs impact on Spokane. Since becoming president I have a much larger appreciation of Rotary's effect to the Spokane area, the 5080 District, and the world. I just met Rotary International President Elect Bill Boyd at the District Conference. All I can say is Rotary is an amazing organization of volunteers from the bottom up. All 1,200,000 of them.

**Nate Batson**  
Director

*Joined our club in 1994*



Being a Rotarian is important to me because of the great work that Rotarians do both within the community and around the world; all without a lot of fanfare. What other organization

can you belong to where all of your fellow members live by the Four-Way-Test; place Service Above Self and have high ethical and moral standards. All Rotarians have the same agenda; helping locally in their community as well as others. This combined with great fellowship and great friendships. What more could you ask for?

**Tim Boze**  
Director

*Joined our club in 1998*



Being a member of Rotary gives me the opportunity to be a part of a large service organization that is committed to getting things done. I am very proud to be a part of Rotary when I hear about our progress on polio eradication and the school project that our district is supporting. Being a member of Club 21 is particularly special. The experiences and interests of our members are so varied that I find myself learning something interesting that I may not otherwise have at each lunch. I am constantly impressed by the work of our committees, especially the RCS Inc., committees. Their ability to get things done is remarkable.

**Clark Brekke**  
Director

*Joined our club in 2002*



I am honored to be a part of Rotary. To be involved in a club whose legacy has touched the lives of countless people and communities, here and around the world, is truly a gift which filters back to my business

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*Paul Harris,  
Founder of Rotary*

*(as read on 9-22-05)*

Even in its early years Rotary stood for business ethics...mainly because there was extensive corruption and fraud throughout the business world, in effect there were no business ethics...and Rotarians appreciated doing business with each other. They understood then that one of the great strengths of Rotary was the unusually high ethical standards of its members...and they felt those standards should be imbedded in Rotary's identity for all time. As early as 1912 Rotary developed

## A Rotary Moment

BY ED CLARK



a code of business ethics for "the advancement of business morality" and in 1915 the Rotary Code of Ethics was adopted during the Rotary International convention in San Francisco. The code had a significant impact beyond Rotary itself... by 1922 at least 145 national industrial codes of ethics had been adopted as a direct result of the influence of Rotarians. We still promote high ethical standards today through our Four Way Test...and by the members we invite to join our club. Not everyone qualifies to be a Rotary member...Rotary membership is coupled

with high business and professional standards...look around this room and you see honest ethical people. Today, 100 years later, business ethics is still a major cornerstone of Rotary. As we see corporation leaders going to jail for illegal activities on a regular basis its obvious there is still fraud and corruption in business ...so Rotary's concentration of ethics is still relevant and very important. Our high ethical standards make me proud to be a Rotarian.

## Profiles in Rotary



BY KYLE WEIR

### MEMBER PROFILE: AUSTIN DEPAOLO



Austin DePaolo is the Director of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center. He joined our club in August of 2005 after visiting as a guest of Mary Ann McCurdy. Austin serves on the

HUB Committee.

Austin is a Spokane native who grew up in the Logan neighborhood, the oldest of 10 children. He left Spokane at 18 to surround himself with the cultural diversity of big cities. Austin attended Hunter College in New York where he graduated with a degree in history and education. It was at Hunter College where he met his wife, Francesca, who is from Haiti. Together they have three sons, Angelo, Edouard and Carl.

In New York City, Austin lived in Spanish Harlem and taught biology at a local Public High School. "I developed a passion for wanting to help young people

realize their full potential when I lived in New York. The neighborhood I taught in was torn by misdirected anger, drugs and racial tensions."

Austin returned to Spokane in 1996 when his father became ill. He taught at Cataldo Catholic School and was a VISTA/Americorps volunteer. Through his involvement with VISTA/Americorps he became involved in community organizing and leadership development in marginalized communities.

In 2003, Austin was hired as the Director of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center. "The center started in the 1970's as a recreation center for youth, but has since grown into a full time social agency that offers high quality publicly funded preschool, after school and parent education programs that we believe offer the community a high return on their investment."

With a passion for cultural understanding, and a commitment to develop-

ing tomorrow's leaders, Austin said that Dr. King's teachings have always been on his radar screen. "Reflections on those teachings and values to create opportunities for children and families to build inter-racial and intercultural understanding and power for the common good are what I want to see happen through our center here in Spokane."

As Rotarians, this is also what we want to see happen around the world. Welcome to Club 21, Austin. We look forward to your service to our club and our community!

"My dog is worried about the economy because Alpo is up to \$3.<sup>00</sup> a can.

That's almost \$21.<sup>00</sup> in dog money."

~ Joe Weinstein

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# Profiles in Rotary



BY KYLE WEIR

## NEW MEMBER PROFILE: WONDER RUSSELL



Wonder Russell is one of our newest members of Club 21. She recently joined our club after attending as a guest of Chud Wendle and Ed Clark. "I work for

ILF Media Productions doing television commercials and film production and have worked with many people in Rotary. I am happy to now be a part of this great organization!"

Wonder was born in Colville, but mostly grew up in Anchorage and Juno, Alaska. She graduated from the University of Alaska with a BA in Communications. "One of the highlights of my college experience was doing a year long exchange to

England." While in England, Wonder applied for and received the Gold Award from the Duke of Edinburgh (aka, the Queen's husband). The Gold Award is a British national youth award given to participants who achieve high levels in five different areas of personal and professional development. "I was the only American to receive the award from the Duke of Edinburgh and was kind of a celebrity at the award ceremony because of it."

After college, Wonder moved to Montréal, Canada for two years and then to Thailand for six months. "I worked and studied film production while living out of the country." Wonder moved to Spokane three years ago to work for ILF Media Productions.

Although Wonder's profes-

sional career is behind the camera, her true passion is in front of it. "I love to act! Since I'm related to actress Jane Russell, I guess you could say acting is in my blood." Wonder has acted in several shows at the Civic Theater and has appeared in several movies.

When she's not acting or working, you can find Wonder either volunteering as a fire fighter at Spokane County Fire Station #94 on Bigelow Gulch or singing blue grass music with her band, "Robert Dunn & The North Country."

With this much talent, I just had to recruit her to the HUB Committee! We look forward to your articles, Wonder! And we're lucky to have such a talented lady in Rotary Club #21!

One of the many benefits of Rotary Club membership is being able to travel the world and never miss a weekly meeting. Club members are welcome and encouraged to visit clubs while traveling to make-up the meeting missed back home. I've had the opportunity to attend Rotary meetings in Japan...and while I didn't understand most of what was said...the feeling of Rotary fellowship was still there.

Of course you can attend a regular meeting of any Rotary Club, (all Spokane area club meeting times and places are always in the HUB and Lucretia can give you information about any other Rotary Club in the world). You can also attend a meeting of local Rotaract or Interact club, Rotary Community Corps, or Rotary Fellowship. According to Rotary's Constitution, attending one of these meetings counts as a make-up.

It's hard to image with over 32,000 clubs in the world, sometimes there may not be a club where you are going. Or

sometimes you may be home but just unable to attend a meeting. There are several ways to make up a meeting within the 14-day period to keep your attendance in good shape.

Now in the 21st Century, you can even do a makeup at an e-club. You can go on-line and spend 30 minutes participating in an interactive activity on a Rotary e-club Web site. The first e-club was founded in 2001. And so far Rotary International has approved the request of 27 clubs to form with virtual or electronic locations. A visit to one of these e-clubs may satisfy a club member's make-up requirement. You can check with Lucretia or go online to rotary.org for a list of e-clubs and to see if their online visits count.



"Failure is the opportunity to begin again more intelligently."

~ Henry Ford

A man and his wife,  
now in their 60's, were  
celebrating their 40th  
anniversary. On their  
special day a good fairy  
came to them and said



