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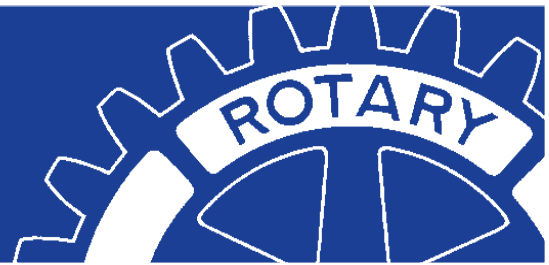
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## 7th Annual Rotary Ski Day March 21, 2009

On the assumption we are dug out from the extreme winter wonderland of December we need to look forward a couple of months to March and the 7th Annual Rotary Ski Day at Mt Spokane. All of this snow is a great for the ski areas and the skiers. The Rotary Ski Day is great for RCS and all who benefit from our efforts. With things as tough as they are we need to be ever mindful of how much we, as Rotary Club 21, do for the community (especially children in need) with RCS funds. Mt Spokane has once again agreed to keep the ticket prices at \$20!!! – Thanks Brad, we appreciate the support!

The continued success of this event would not be possible without our sponsors! Thanks again for your support last year: Tim Boze & Pacific Northwest Title, Tom Stebbins & Vision Marketing, Scott Millsap & Automated Accounts, Mike Burns & First Choice Health, ZAK! Designs, John Lee & Smith Barney, Dan Austin & Austin's Jewelry, Maggie Crawford & Sylvan Learning Center, Tom Patrick & Thomas M Patrick CPA, P.S., Wendle Motors, Alpine Haus Ski & Marine, Kyle Weir & RBC Dain Rauscher and Ira Amstadter & Express Employment Professionals.

If you haven't yet sponsored and want to or at least talk about it let me know. My direct number is 455-4082. We are looking forward to another great event up on the mountain. March 21st is Hawaiian Daze up at Mt Spokane and is always a good time! \$20 lift tickets and some great fellowship with your fellow Rotarians as you help out great community sounds like the deal of the year! See you up on the slopes!

- John W. Lee

## Rotary Bowling:

Our first half season ended with last Monday's bowling exhibition. Out of the eight teams, your Rotary teams fared quite admirably. The Rotary III team, with Dee Martin, Rex Fuller and Judy Looper finished in first place. Rotary Wheels, and Rotary Spokes finished third and fourth respectively. Second half of our season begins January 5th. Teams appear to be full at this time, however substitutes are always welcome, and quite often needed. If you're available Monday evenings 6:15 PM, you're welcome to call the Rotary office, T. Ray Looper, or Bruce McEachran, we finish by 9:00 PM.

- Bruce McEachran, Bowling Guru

# SPORTS PAGE!

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

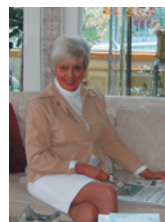
- Jan. 01** No Meeting - New Year's Day
- Jan. 08** KYRS Thin Air Radio  
*John Orr, Guest Speaker*
- Jan. 15** Intermountain Search Dog Team  
*Alida King, Guest Speaker*
- Jan. 22** Jim Kershner  
*Jim Kershner, Guest Speaker*
- Jan. 29** Adventure Travel -- CEO of RWO, Inc.  
*Peter Grubb, Guest Speaker*
- Feb. 05** Avista's Pricing of Natural Gas  
*Kevin Christie, Guest Speaker*
- Feb. 12** To Be Announced
- Feb. 19** GSL Debate Teams and Coaches

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## ★ Make-Up Opportunities ★ All meetings at Noon unless noted

- MON** • Spokane North - The Red Lion, 303 W. North River Dr.
- Spokane Valley Sunrise - Shari's Restaurant, 320 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 - China Buffet
- Rotaract - Crescent Court Bldg., 707 W. Main, Suite 500 - 6 PM • 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues.

- WED** • Spokane East - Grizzly Buffet, Argonne Village
- 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 - George Gee Auto Dealership, 21502 E. George Gee Avenue
- FRI** • Spokane South - The Spokane Club, 1002 W. Riverside Ave.

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

**A note from the printer:** We deeply apologize for the delay in this issue of our January, 2009 issue. We had major issues with the snowstorms, followed by the holidays, and a serious family problem. Again, we are very sorry.

Laurie Kriet

Dear Downtown Rotary #21 Members,

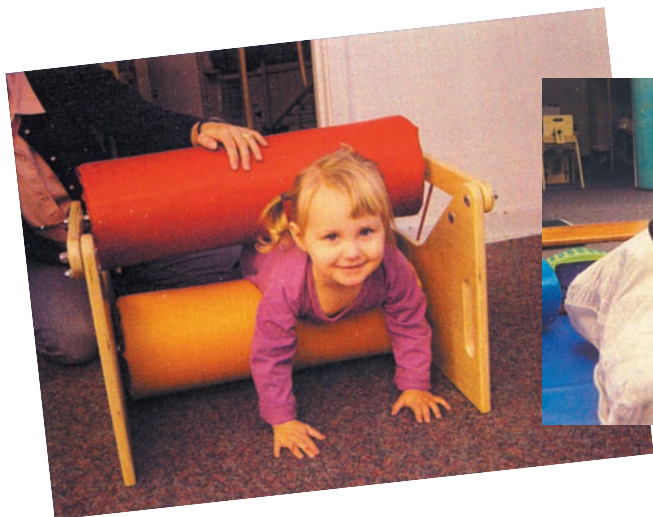
Greetings to all of you from all of us here at the Spokane Guilds' School & Neuro-muscular Center! I hope this letter finds every one doing well, after enjoying a good summer and a magnificent autumn of outstanding color. I wanted to take this opportunity to once again thank you so very much for awarding us the grant of \$3,416.95, in May 2008, for six new pieces of therapeutic equipment.

The new therapy equipment arrived sporadically throughout the summer and was a wonderful treat for the therapists and children. The therapists were so thrilled and eager to be the first one to try out each new piece. The feedback I have received has been very positive regarding what has already been accomplished for the children within just a few short months.

I thought it would be fun for you to see the equipment in action, so I have enclosed a few pictures of the children and therapists at work. I hope this will give you a better understanding of what we are doing with your generosity.

As I have stated in the past, your kind funding has allowed our therapists the opportunity to work miracles with the children and their families. Nurturing each child's potential and illuminating the possibilities for a better life, through the use of the new equipment, is what we strive to accomplish each and every day. Again, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for being a part of this miraculous work.

Warm regards,  
/s/ Bobbie League, Planned Giving Officer



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## END POLIO NOW Frequently Asked Questions

by Rotary District Governor Allan Davis

**Q. What is the approximate dollar amount spent on the global polio eradication effort each year?**

A. In 2008 and 2009, about US\$700 million per year is needed in donor contributions to fund the final eradication phase. This level of expense is expected to decrease as wild polio virus transmission is interrupted in the four remaining polio endemic countries and outbreaks in previously polio free countries are reduced in number. By the time that transmission is interrupted in all countries, Rotary will have contributed over US\$1 billion to a program which is expected to total approximately US\$10 billion in donor funds.

**Q. How is the budget for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative prepared?**

A. The budget for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative is prepared by the WHO and UNICEF in consultation with their country offices and ministries of health. It is reviewed and revised semi-annually to reflect changing epidemiology as well as new contributions and financial commitments made by donors to the program, including donor countries. As one of the spearheading partners for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative, Rotary is advised about the process but does not play an active role in developing the budget. Information about the global polio eradication budget is available to the public on the website [www.polioeradication.org/fundingbackground.asp#FRR](http://www.polioeradication.org/fundingbackground.asp#FRR).

**Q. What part does Rotary pay for and how?**

A. Rotary International's contribution to the Global Polio Eradication Initiative since 1988 accounts for nearly 12% of all contributions to the Global budget and represents approximately 66% of private sector contributions to the Initiative. In addition, Rotary plays a leading role in soliciting financial support from donor nation governments, an effort which since 1988 has achieved more than US\$6 billion in contributions.

**Q. What do these funds pay for?**

A. In the initial stages of PolioPlus, Rotary paid for oral polio vaccine and supported start-up costs for Rotarians' social mobilization efforts in endemic countries. Since the mid 1990s Rotary has conferred continuously with its spearheading partners (WHO, UNICEF, and CDC) to determine how to deploy PolioPlus funds to achieve the greatest impact on global program needs. Currently, Rotary is funding needs in the following areas: salaries for technical advisers, surveillance, social mobilization, and stipends for the millions of volunteers who conduct NIDs and perform house-to-house follow up visits.

**Q. Is this the last time we are going to ask Rotarians for money?**

A. Hopefully, yes; however, global polio eradication is our organization's #1 priority. Rotary has given its word to achieve the goal of polio eradication and that goal has not yet been achieved.

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The Program Committee decided it was time to provide some “feedback on the feedback.” Thanks to those of you who have been completing the weekly survey we were able to rank order the last 55 programs. We will use this information and future surveys to achieve our motto: Providing the Interesting, Informative, Entertaining and Necessary. To those of you who haven’t regularly completed the weekly survey, please do so. We promise to pay close attention to your ratings and comments. In addition to scheduling the best possible speakers we are making every effort to end our meetings on time. All the best in 2009!

Ranking	Program Title	Speaker(s)	Program Date	Ranking	Program Title	Speaker(s)	Program Date
1	Fox Theatre Tour	Group	11/29/2007	31	WSU & Higher Ed in the Innovation Economy	Elson Floyd	12/11/2008
2	Value Driven Leadership	Bill Robinson	11/15/2007	32	Hyperbaric Oxygen Chamber	A. Griffone & D. Hensel	12/4/2008
3	Spokane Terriers	Jerry Altig, et al	8/14/2008	33	Commissioner Debate	R. Corkery Moderated	10/9/2008
4	Dry Fly Distilling	Don Poffenroth	3/20/2008	35	Kabul and the West – Is There Hope?	Bill Gray	12/13/2007
5	6th Legislative District Debate (4 candidates)	J. Pilcher Moderated	10/23/2008	36	Spokane Drug Court	Group	1/10/2008
6	Veteran’s Day Observance	Jack Reeves	11/8/2007	37	Assisted Suicide	Chris Carlson	9/11/2008
7	Veteran’s Day Remembrance	Jack Reeves	11/13/2008	38	Death With Dignity	Linda Olson	9/16/2008
8	Human and Animal Bond	Brian Hunter	1/3/2008	39	Empire Health/ CHS	Judy Cole & Bill Hussey	2/7/2008
9	Life is Beautiful	Logan & Laurie Olson	1/17/2008	40	Covering Politics	Jim Camden	7/31/2008
10	A Better Farmer (poet)	Sam Green	6/19/2008	41	District Governor	Allan Davis	8/21/2008
11	Incoming President	Homer Todd	7/3/2008	42	Initiative Process	Tim Eyman	2/28/2008
12	Rotary in Afghanistan	Steve Brown	4/3/2008	43	RI Exchange Student	Jimena Minogorance	6/5/2008
13	Global Sourcing Telect	Wayne Williams	6/12/2008	44	Climate, You Make Your Own Weather	Fred Crowell	10/16/2008
14	Spokane Schools Success	Nancy Stowell	2/21/2008	45	Preparing Students for Family-Wage Work	Kim Zentz	11/20/2008
15	McManus Comedies	Tim Behrens	12/20/2007	46	The Maji Filter Company	Paul Zimmerman	10/30/2008
16	Philanthropy Day	PJ Waters Moderator	10/25/2007	47	Viet Nam Biking	Jahn Schmitz	8/28/2008
17	Commissioner Debate Sayer/Richard	S. Becker moderator	10/2/2008	48	More Than A Raceway Park	Doug Chase & panel	9/25/2008
18	GSL Scholar Athlete	Group	4/17/2008	49	Rotary Exchange Students	Students	12/27/2007
19	The Future of Health Care in Spokane	Andy Agwunobi	11/6/2008	50	Washington Competitiveness	Don Brunell	5/8/2008
20	Mead Volleyball	Judy Kight	12/6/2007	51	Putting Fun into Funerals	D. Broyles & D. Murphy	3/6/2008
21	City of Spokane Update	Mayor Mary Verner	7/10/2008	52	Smart Investors - Defrauded	John Komoroske	5/22/2008
22	Your Y Capital Collaboration	R. Riggins & M. Walters	5/15/2008	53	District Governor	Elizabeth Cytra	11/1/2007
23	Year in Review	Frank Storey	6/26/2008	54	Fixing our Schools	Liv Finne	5/1/2008
24	Human Epigenome	Michael Skinner	4/24/2008	55	Spokane City Tours	Susan Baugess	7/17/2008
25	Rotary Foundation	Lloyd Gray	1/24/2008		50th Anniversary of Sputnik	Paul Yost	2/14/2008
26	Irish Music & Celtic Heritage	S. Schneider/ R. Devine	3/13/2008				
27	Movies Made in Spokane	Rich Cowan	8/7/2008				
28	Club 21 Foundation	Jason Miller	5/29/2008				
29	Battle of Fallujah	Col. Rory Talkington	9/4/2008				
30	Winning in Global Economy	Senator Maria Cantwell	3/27/2008				

# Scotch Eggs

I love this. A very good friend made this for me and this has become my favorite food as an appetizer or as a meal in itself.  
For dressing combine 8 oz. of Sour Cream with 2 tsp of horseradish cream and 1 tsp of Dijon mustard. Chill for at least one hour.

## Scotch Eggs

- 1 pound bulk pork sausage
- 1 tablespoon fresh parsley, chopped
- 1 tablespoon grated onion
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 4 large hard-cooked eggs, shelled
- 1/2 cup fine, dry bread crumbs

1. Combine sausage, parsley, onion, cinnamon and nutmeg; mix well. Divide sausage mixture into 4 portions; shape into patties.
2. Place one egg atop each patty, shaping the sausage mixture around egg till completely covered. Roll each sausage-covered egg in bread crumbs.
3. Bake in a preheated 350 degree F. oven for 15 to 20 minutes until golden brown.
4. To serve, cut in halves or quarters – serve with dressing.

~ Christina Sceva

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