



# e-newsletter



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## DISTRICT EVENTS:

Jun. 14 – 15, 2008  
Final 2007-2008  
YE Inbound Event

Jun. 15 – 18, 2008  
Rotary International  
Convention, Los Angeles

Oct. 4 , 2008  
3rd Annual District 5100  
Partners in Service  
Project Fair

Oct. 18, 2008  
District Membership  
Workshop

Jan. 17, 2009  
District Membership  
Workshop

### District 5100 Yellow Pages

A new feature of the District 5100 website are the District 5100 Yellow Pages Rotarians doing Business with Rotarians.

### LOCATION

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## CHIRPINGS FROM THE JAY BIRDHOUSE – JUNE, '08

Dear Rotarian Friends:

Our yard and forest are quite busy this month with the antics of our feathered and furry visitors. Each day is quite entertaining. New visitors include four gray squirrels, a Douglas-fir squirrel and two chipmunks. They all seem to think that our bird feed is also for them! We also welcomed our first Western blue bird.

I know that many of our clubs are welcoming new members. Our net membership is up about 3% as of April 30<sup>th</sup>. Some of our clubs have net gains of over 20%. Mary LeViner, our statistician on the membership committee, is doing an excellent job for all of us.

This is our last E – News message to you as Elva and I come to the end of this Rotary year. Over the past 42 months, we have met and visited with many of you. You have inspired us with your commitment of talent and energy to the many Rotary tasks. We are so grateful for the many expressions of kindness and friendship that have been shown to us.

Life is a rugged journey; however, it seems that belonging to a group bent on making the world a better place eases that path and makes each day a little brighter. With that, let's all continue to serve our fellow man.

Rotarily yours,  
Dave and Elva

*"The greatest danger for most of us is not that our aim is too high and we miss it, but that it is too low and we make it"*

*B. Michelangelo (1475-1564)*

## Rotary District 5100 Loses an Outstanding Rotarian

We all were saddened by Walt Harwood's death last month. Walt was with the Neil Kelly Co., and I quote from a remembrance recently given by Tom Kelly "...Walt was immediate past president of the East Portland Rotary and took great pleasure in the many good works that organization accomplished. He literally "lit up" when talking about Rotary's recent Dictionary Project or about the quality of students helped by the Albina Rotary Foundation's Scholarship program...

... At Walt's core was the sense of community... from his family to his professional life to his city was what was important. Whether leading a business, delivering meals to the elderly, encouraging students or riding his bike to work. Walt went at life fully ...

## Hood River Rotary Family Honored

Assistant Governor Dennis Short and I had the honor of recognizing three members of the same family serving as President of the Hood River Club. We presented a plaque to current president, John Arens, commemorating three generations of service to Rotary. They are J.L. Breckenridge, President, 1934-1935; John W. Arens, President, 1963-1964; John R. Arens, President, 2007-2008.

This is a most unusual occurrence in our District and probably in all of Rotary.

## New District Governor Executive Team

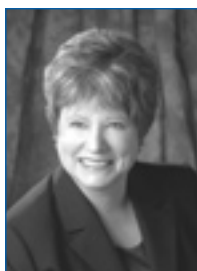
A new team prepares to take office July 1, 2008. They are District Governor, Dennis Wickham; District Governor Elect, Kristi Halvorson; and District Governor Nominee, Barbara Crozier. These are outstanding Rotarians and well prepared to lead our District to new heights of accomplishment.



**Dennis Wickham**  
District Governor



**Kristi Halvorson**  
District Governor Elect



**Barbara Crozier**  
District Governor Nominee

## Vision Facilitation Takes Off

Seven or maybe eight clubs have participated in this 4-hour program designed to assist them in planning their goals for the future. At least 26 clubs have signed up. We now have 21 trained facilitators. I participated in three sessions and was so impressed with what was done.  
– David Jay



## Woodburn - Is a 100% Sustaining Member Club!

What an accomplishment for this club of 25 members or so to have everyone, including the new members, contributing regularly to our Foundation, The Rotary Foundation, each year. It is so easy to give \$100.00 or more to one of the best places for your funds available for others.

**"Give Now to the Rotary Foundation!"**

June 2008						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 YE Intent to Participate Form 2009-2010 Due	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 Final 2007-2008 YE Inbound Event
15 Final 2007-2008 YE Inbound Event	16 Short Term Youth Exchange Begins	17	18	19	20	21
Rotary International Convention - Los Angeles, CA						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

## District 5100 Administration

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**David Jay** ..... District Governor  
**Dennis Wickham** ..... District Governor Elect  
**Kristi Halvorson** ..... District Governor Nominee  
**Aloras Winters** ..... Governor Admin. Assistant  
**Shaunna Kohlman** ..... District Executive Assistant  
**Tom Jenkins** ..... Past District Governor

## Assistant Governors & Regions

**Barb Crozier** ..... Administrative Asst. Governor  
**Deniel Banks** ..... Central East  
**Amy Johnson** ..... Eastern  
**Pat Davis** ..... Salem  
**Mike Caruso** ..... Southwest  
**Ginger Adamovics** ..... Metro  
**Dana Clark** ..... Southeast  
**Curtis Langer** ..... Central West  
**Marilynn Helzerman** ..... Western  
**Dennis Short** ..... Columbia River  
**Shelly Pollock** ..... Coast