



# Rotary

## Club of S.E. Portland, Oregon

### Peace Pole planted, dedicated, at Moreland Presbyterian

October 1, 2018



At 11 am on Sunday, September 30, the congregation of Moreland Presbyterian Church moved outside for the dedication of our new Peace Pole. Pastor Brian Marsh is at left; with the dedicatory reading is Josh Dunham in center.

Our latest Peace Pole was installed and dedicated at the main entrance of Moreland Presbyterian Church on Bybee Boulevard in Westmoreland yesterday morning. Pastor Brian Marsh concluded his service by inviting the congregation outside for the dedication; Associate Pastor Josh Dunham presented a dedicatory reading, and the ceremony ended with music by singer Brenda Saling, accompanied by violinist Cindy Blattner, with percussion by Treavor Marsh.

Today our meeting was a CLUB ASSEMBLY, working with a nice turnout of club members to maximize our Sponsorship Sales for our annual Wreath Auction, and to get the Ticket Sale underway. Several tickets have been sold already; Anyone can order them on our website, [www.SoutheastPortlandRotary.com](http://www.SoutheastPortlandRotary.com).

Last week we slightly misspelled the name of our inbound Rotary Exchange Student – she's **Agustina** – and her last name is **Sesto**. Her mastery of English is exceptional, and she is getting involved in CHS activities already!

Under "coming events": Lisa Allen – Asst. District Governor, and also an employee of Goodwill Industries – will speak on October 8. No regular meeting on October 15; we'll join East Portland Rotary on the **18th** at Moda Center at noon for a joint meeting featuring Joane Toone, polio survivor, on ending polio!



Mark Wells speaks -- much info given on crime prevention!  
Our speaker on Monday, September 24, was City of Portland Crime Prevention specialist (and former Portland policeman) Mark Wells, who's based at what used to be the Office of Neighborhood Involvement, and suddenly is now known as the Office of Community and Civic Life. He told us property crime is rising in all Portland neighborhoods, and the poor ratio of police to population is not helping. He said social media at its best is helpful in reporting or preventing crime, but at its worst it is inaccurate and fear-mongering. He gave us many crime prevention tips - and more, in writing, on pages.

### CLUB NEWS

With our Wreath Auction again our major fundraiser – but with some simplifications to make it more feasible for a club our size – Mark Pennington is our Auction Chair this year, and a fine event is planned – with the dinner catered by Sellwood's "a Cena" Italian Restaurant, live music, and the Wreath Auction. Mark will announce the planning breakfast meetings at the Eastmoreland Golf Course Grill by e-mail to all members; please come to as many of these as possible; this is an all-club effort, and we need participation from every member! Sell sponsorships! Buy (and sell) tickets! See the attached flyer for more.

As for the big evening itself – Saturday evening, December 1, 5:30 p.m. at the Oaks Park Dance Pavilion, online ticket sales have already begun on our website and Facebook pages, and Mark has prepared printed tickets for those needing them.

Our official meeting place these days is in the downstairs meeting room at Moreland Presbyterian Church, 1814 SE Bybee Blvd in Westmoreland. See schedule at right about when they will be. Watch for e-mailed updates from this year's Club President, Kathy Stromvigg!

### FUTURE PROGRAMS

- Oct 8 – Lisa Allen, Goodwill Industries
- Oct 15 – (NO MEETING, SEE BELOW, & ATTACHED)
- Oct 18 – Joint Mtg. With East Portland Rotary – Joane Toone, Polio Survivor, Moda Ctr., Noon!
- Oct 22 – HAPPY HOUR ON WED., OCT. 24 – at Flipside Bar & Carts, 5 pm, 9320 SE Woodstock Blvd.
- Oct 29 – (Program to be announced)

**BRING A GUEST TO A ROTARY MEETING!**

### CLUB ASSIGNMENTS

#### "Greeter" Assignments

- 10/8–Bill Meyer; 10/15–(NO MEETING; MEETING OFF-SITE ON THE 18th); 10/22–Mark Hanset; 10/29–NO MEETING; HAPPY HOUR; 11/5–Michelle Maidia Hager; 11/12–Joel fields

#### "Invocation" Assignments

- 10/8–David O'Connor; 10/15–(NO MEETING; MEETING OFF-SITE ON THE 18th); 10/22–Bruce Poinsette; 10/29–NO MEETING; HAPPY HOUR; 11/5–Janeen Rundle; 11/12–Tamara Still

#### "Meals On Wheels" Delivery

- 10/9–Janeen Rundle; 10/16–Judy Tester; 10/23–Linda Amato; 10/30–Joel Fields; 11/6–Mark Pennington; 11/13–Stephen Bache; 11/20–Bill Meyer; 11/27–Dean Gibbons; 12/4–Kathy Stromvigg

Chris McKee is the Manager of the Thelma Skelton Meals on Wheels Center now located at Moreland Presbyterian, for whom we deliver lunches at noon each Tuesday; reach him at 502/933-8209, or e-mail him [chris.mckee@mealsoonwheelspeople.org](mailto:chris.mckee@mealsoonwheelspeople.org). When you deliver, please arrive well before noon! 11:30 is not too early! If you can't do it as assigned, make sure someone else does cover it for you!



# 2018 Holiday Fest Wreath Auction

Saturday, Dec. 1, 5:30 pm

*Oaks Park Dance Pavilion*



Dinner by *a Cena* Restaurant



Wall of Wine



Silent Wreath Auction



Live Music

Proceeds Benefit:

- Youth Exchange
- Meals on Wheels
- Student Dictionaries
- Projects locally and around the world

**BUY TICKETS:**

<http://southeastportlandrotary.ejoinme.org/2018Wreath>

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**Learn about Rotary's worldwide fight to end polio**

# **Rose Room at the MODA Center**

**1 N Center Court Street, Portland, OR**

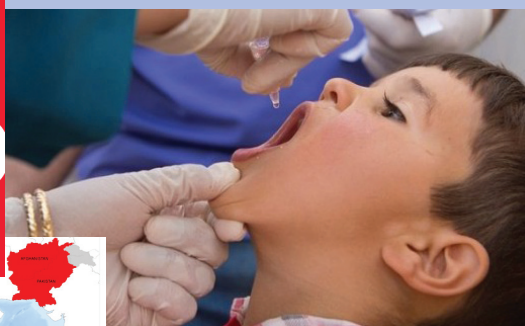
**October 18, 2018, noon - 1:30 p.m.**



**Joan Toone**

Polio Survivor

shares the history of polio and progress to eradication



**BBQ Brisket lunch served 11:45 a.m., \$15.00 per person. Parking is free and covered.**

**LIMITED SEATING. Get your tickets now at [www.EastPortlandRotary.org](http://www.EastPortlandRotary.org).**

**Contact Dave Malcolm at [eprc.president@gmail.com](mailto:eprc.president@gmail.com) for information.**

**Donations to PolioPlus will be accepted and will be matched 2:1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation**

**Help make polio history.**

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### Club officers, 2018-19 Rotary year

**President – Kathy Stromvig**

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Vice President – *T.B.A.*

Secretary – Patricia Nichols

Treasurer – John Ellis

Sergeant At Arms - Mark Hanset

Past President – David O'Connor

Community Service – Judy Tester

Club Fundraising – Mark Pennington

Club Service – Tamara Still & Michelle Maida

Youth Exchange – Mark Pennington

Youth Exchange Counselor – Janeen Rundle

Host Family Coordinator – Kathy Stromvig

Membership – Tamara Still, David O'Connor, Bill Meyer

Social Media – Mark Hanset; Bulletin – Eric Norberg

### Membership

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