

November 12, 2009

THIS WEEK'S MEETING

Thursday, November 12, 2009

NOON

OFFICIAL CLUB VISIT

DISTRICT GOVERNOR JOHN COX

Lunch: Salmon Patties
Greeter: Ken Williams
Thought: Gary Anderson

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

November 5 Meeting

MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT

CHET DECAYANA REMEMBERED

An honored guest at this week's Rotary luncheon was our new Chief of Police, Marvin Combs who was sworn in at the City Council meeting later that day.

District Governor's Visit:

The Port Orford Rotarians are looking forward to visiting with District Governor, John Cox and his wife Charlene. President Dave Holman, the board and committee heads will be meeting with Mr. Cox on Wed, Nov. 11th, at 5:00 followed by a social time (6:00) and dinner (6:30) with spouses and friends (Cost \$10). The following day Mr. Cox will be our guest speaker at Rotary lunch. Contact President Dave to secure reservations for the dinner.

(FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT GOVERNOR COX WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE 2 OF THIS BULLETIN.)

Honoring Chet Decayana:

Several hundred dollars were given to the Scholarship Fund in memory of Chet Decayana.

PO ROTARY IN DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

Port Orford Rotary was featured in the World Polio Day coverage in the premier issue of the District 5110 "End Polio Now" Newsletter. See this excellent coverage with pictures at:

<http://district5110.org/uploads/Committees/EndPolioFall2009.pdf>



CLUB TO HONOR VETERANS

November 11th, the day of District Governor Cox's visit is also Veterans Day. Governor Cox is himself a

veteran of the U.S. army and we will be listing our Club Veterans to give honor for their service. PO Rotary Veterans include: **Jim Auburn, US Navy; Emily Francona, US Air Force; Rick Francona, US Air Force; Matt Hall, US Navy; Bill Hawkins, US Air Force; Ray Johnson, US Navy; Ronn Kerr, US Navy; Bill McCardle, US Navy; Bill Oleson, US Army; Frank Smith, US Navy; Bob Webber, US Army**

THIS WEEK IN PO ROTARY

Wednesday, Nov 11 – **Visit of DG Cox**

5:00 p.m. – Special Board Meeting

6:00 p.m. - Social Hour

6:30 p.m. - Dinner with DG John Cox

Thursday, Nov 12 – 12:00 – **Weekly Meeting District Governor John Cox**

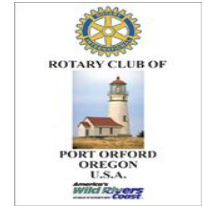
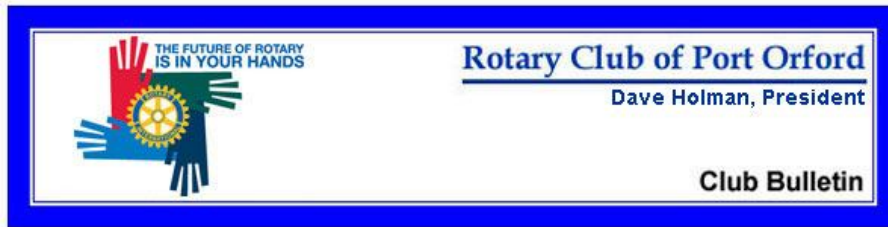
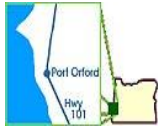
Thursday, Nov 19 – 12:00 – Weekly Meeting American Legion Hall – Rick Francona

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING, NOV 19

**RICK FRANCONA
SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

NOVEMBER – ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

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DISTRICT GOVERNOR JOHN COX

John was born and raised in Klamath Falls. He and his wife Charlene, met at the University of Oregon and graduated from there. They spent



two years on active duty in the U.S. Army. Then Charlene put John through law school at Willamette University in Salem while she taught at her former high school. After John completed law school, they moved to Eugene where John served

two years as deputy district attorney. John is one of the original partners in his law firm founded in 1970.

John joined the Rotary Club of Eugene in 1991, has chaired various committees, served as club secretary and was president of his club in 2002-2003.

At the district level, John served as team leader on a Group Study Exchange to Indonesia in 1997-98. . As a result of the GSE trip, he sponsored two successful WSC projects in Indonesia. He is now actively pursuing a clean water project in Kenya.

He has served on a variety of district committees and as committee chair of the district GSE committee and of the Peace Fellow scholarship committee. John and Charlene are members of the Paul Harris Society through their annual giving and Benefactors to the Rotary Permanent Fund by leaving a bequest in their estate plan to the Foundation.

John has sponsored a number of new members into his and other clubs, and last year sponsored three new members to his club.

Governor John has enjoyed some of our past club events and will hopefully join us again in the future!

Come to the special social hour and dinner on Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., at the American Legion Hall to honor and greet our guests.



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