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Greetings, Rosarians and Friends,

Thanks for reading this issue of the e-newsletter of the Royal Rosarians produced by Duke Peter Glazer and Sir Knight Tom Marantette. If you have suggestions or contributions for the Royal Update, please contact Tom (tjm@atiyehbros.com) or Peter (pkglazer@aol.com).

Upcoming Events

Mark Your Calendars Now to Participate



Sandy Mountain Days Parade Today, July 9

Come and enjoy a true hometown parade. Horses, antique cars, floats, marching groups and of course the Royal Rosarians. The parade will start at 7:00 p.m.

But first, the Rosarians will conduct a Rose Planting. Plan to gather at the Sandy Senior Center, one block east of Tollgate Inn on south side of Highway 26 at 6:00 p.m. The Tollgate Inn is at 38100 US Hwy 26.

Battle Ground / Olympia July 18

The bus will be taking us to Battle Ground where we will participate in a fun morning parade followed by a Rosarian Rose Planting. We will re-board Rosie and continue north to Olympia where we will march through the streets of Washington's capital before returning to Portland. The cost will be \$10 per person (bus cost is subsidized by money from raffle tickets at membership meetings).

We will meet at Red Lion Jantzen Beach at 8:00 a.m. We expect to return to the Red Lion by 9:00 p.m. with a stop to eat lunch on the way north and for dinner on the return trip.

Sign up on the Royal Rosarian web site. Chris Casteel will email you to confirm you will be riding the bus. Your credit card will be billed at that time. He can be reached at 503-282-5009 or at chris@prestigeportland.com.

Astoria Regatta August 8

Ride the bus to Astoria and leave the driving to us. We will meet at Sunset Presbyterian Church at 7:15 a.m. so as to arrive in Astoria in time for the 9:30 a.m. Rose Planting at the Flavel House. The Grand Land Parade will start at 12:00 noon.

Following the parade, the bus will deliver us to the home of Rick and Marie Saturn in Seaside for a Rosarian social gathering before returning to Portland.

Sign up on the Royal Rosarian web site. Chris Casteel will email you the week of the event to confirm you will be riding the bus. Your credit card will be billed the day before the trip is to leave Portland. The cost is \$25 per person.

image: then Prime Minister Gayle Whitehurst and First Squire Ed roll past the Washington State Capitol Building atop the Royal Rosarian Traveling Float during the 2013 Capital Lakefair Parade in Olympia.

2015 Royal Rosarian Appreciation Picnic

Sunday, August 16



ROYAL ROSARIAN APPRECIATION 2015 LUAU PICNIC

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH, 2015 10:30 AM - 2:30 PM



Wear your favorite relaxing
Hawaiian shirt and shorts!
Join us for Beer, Soda and
Hawaiian BBQ



North Clackamas City Park
5600 Kellogg Creek Drive
Milwaukie OR 97222



Lord High Chancellor Recognized

The following is an article that appeared in the July 2015 Issue of the Columbian, a monthly newsletter of Columbia Edgewater Country Club where our incoming Prime Minister is a member.



MEMBER IN THE SPOTLIGHT

by Candy Puterbaugh

Like the tides, CECC member Rick Saturn has seen a lot of shifts in his life. He's bounced back and forth from east coast to west, worked in hotel/restaurant management, become a divorce attorney, golfer, and soon will be the Prime Minister of the Royal Rosarians. That's a far cry from

throwing grapefruit in the ocean during high school in Miami Beach, where he was first taken up with tides.

"My marine biology teacher let our class go to the beach daily to do experiments," Rick said. "Each student had to come up with an idea, and mine measured tides and currents by throwing grapefruit in the ocean and seeing how long they took to return."

It all started in Washington, D.C., where he grew up with two brothers and two sisters, moved at age 13 to Florida, then college at the University of Denver for a B.S. in business with a major in hotel/restaurant management. He worked for the Hyatt Corporation in San Francisco, Seattle and North Carolina. After three years in that business, he decided to make a change and moved back to the west coast where he met his wife, Marie, and got an MBA and law degree from Golden Gate University in San Francisco. He worked for a law firm there for two years, then returned to Florida to be close to family, practicing law there for 12 years.

In 1999 they decided to move back to the west coast. During a house hunting trip to Seattle, they had an overnight in Portland before a morning flight back to Florida.

"Marie and I decided to take a later flight back to Florida and drove around the city. We immediately fell in love with Portland and now I wouldn't live anywhere else."

Golf had reared its head in Florida, the first sport he'd played since being on his high school's water ski team. He had played junior golf at age seven but was more interested in playing in the pool with his friends. But at age 35 his friends were playing, and he took it up and still plays. He looked at four country clubs and fell in love with CECC, joining in 2002.

Memorable golfing moments? "A hole-in-one during a practice round for the Bone Marrow Foundation tournament at Broken Sound Country Club in Florida around 1995," he said. "Players were all sports legends, and Sandy Koufax was in our group. The next day during the tournament, there was a car on that hole for whoever got a hole in one. I missed it by one day."

Rick doesn't have much time for tournaments now, and he's down to about four rounds a month because of his busy schedule revolving around work and being a Royal Rosarian.

He expressed an interest in being a Rosarian about eight years ago, and was asked to join the group of 284 men and women, most in the Portland metro area. The Royal Rosarians are the official greeters and ambassadors of good will for the city of Portland by proclamation of the mayor. Women were invited to join the group around 27 years ago, and since then there have been three female prime ministers.

"I've increasingly assumed leadership roles, and now will be the top guy, the Prime Minister, for a year starting October 1," he said. "As the the leader of the organization, I will be traveling to several other out-of-town festivals. In fact, I'll be taking a large delegation of Royal Rosarians and spouses on a cruise around South America in January, and planting a recognition rose at the southern tip of the world."

Rick also plans to take a large group of Rosarians to San Antonio, Texas next April to participate in their week-long Fiesta. Also planned are trips to Taiwan with the Mayor and other Portland officials for the Lantern Festival and to the Pendleton Roundup, always wearing the white wool suit and straw hat that Rosarians have worn since the group's start in 1912. The suit is highly detailed with exacting specifications, such as the weight of the wool, the lining, cut and number of buttons.

Rick knew he wanted to be a Rosarian when he saw them marching in parades, greeting dignitaries at the airport, taking part in City Hall festivities, and acting as hosts for the Portland Rose Festival Foundation, which puts on the annual Rose Festival.

"I love it," he said. "I love the interactions with the public and meeting people throughout the world. I have made lifelong friends everywhere." When he's not wearing golf attire, his white suit, or practicing law, Rick collects classic cars, and is looking for a '58 or '59 Chevy pickup. He and Marie love to cook, and in true Portland fashion, both drive electric cars. Their Airedale, Cosmo, likes the trips to their Seaside beach house where Chloe, his Golden retriever girlfriend, lives.

Over the years, the tides have turned often for Rick Saturn, and he likes what they've washed ashore.

Hillsboro Fourth of July Celebration



Thank You Gene and Sue Horton

The Royal Rosarians were a significant presence in the Hillsboro parade. Spectators were most appreciative of our patriotic participation.

[click here to see more Ian Dinu photos](#)

Prime Minister Marilyn Schultz wows Hillsboro crowd with winning smile and friendly wave. Although she does look quite as natural atop the float as she does atop her Corvette, she had a great ride.

[click here to see more Barry photos](#)



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The Rosarian Traveling Float won the Hillsboro Rotary Club Special Award. Float supervisors and parade participants are (from left) Brent Barnett, Gordon Torstenbo, Marv Schlabs, Alan Hoeckendorf, Mike Ware and John Creegan

[click here to see more Bill Barry photos](#)

The camaraderie at Royal Rosarian Purely Socials is legendary but it's the food and beverage that keeps us coming back. As usual, there was more than enough burgers, dogs, salads and desserts. What a great party!

[click here to see more Bill Barry photos](#)



Following the parade, Rosarian marchers were only too happy to change clothes and find a shady spot in the Hortons' yard to relax and socialize.

[click here to see more Bill Barry photos](#)

2015 Royal Rosarian Golf Schedule

Tour de Rosaria

- July 14

Broadmoor Golf Course

- July 21, 28

Claremont Golf Course

- August 4

"Hit & Giggle", a four person

scramble & Awards

Dinner at Heron Lakes Golf Course

(starts at 1:00 p.m.).



All tee times start at 3:30 p.m. except for Rose City is at 3:00 p.m.

Please show up 30 minutes early to meet your foursome.

We play nine holes followed by liquid refreshment and fellowship.

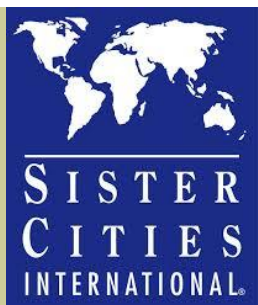
We invite all Rosarians and guests who remotely like to play golf.

A good score is in the 40's. Most scores are in 50's & 60's.

A weekly reminder is available via e-mail if you like.

Contact Mike Collins if you have questions or would like the weekly golf update via e-mail. He can be reached by cell phone at 503-484-8160 or by e-mail at mike.collins@morganstanley.com.

Announcements



For the Good of the Organization

Sister Cities of Portland Meeting

When: Tuesday, July 14, 2015

Where: City Hall, City of Portland- Rose Conference Room

1221 SW Fourth Avenue, Third Floor, Portland, OR 97204

Time: 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Attire: Green Jacket uniform is optional

Note: City Liaisons and Sister City Co-chairs attend meeting.

Contact: Lynne McIntyre, 503-789-5400

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San Antonio Fiesta in 2016

Mark your calendars for April 17-24 in 2016. Upcoming Prime Minister Rick Saturn is planning to take a large delegation of Royal Rosarians to participate in the San Antonio Fiesta. All are invited to join the fun. Watch for more details. In the meantime, contact co-chair Dukes Bob Strader, Peter Glazer or Rob Hungerford for more information.

Rosarian Council Meetings -- Council meetings will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the DoubleTree Lloyd Center on July 20, August 17 and September 21 (at Schultz residence).

Royal Rosarian Foundation Meetings -- Board meetings will be held on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. at Finley's on July 29, August 26 and September 29.



Sandy Mountain Days Rose Planting - July 9, Sandy OR, 6:00 p.m.

Sandy Mountain Days Parade - July 9, Sandy OR, 7:00 p.m.

New Member Picnic - July 15, Jan Tolman's home

Capital Lakefair Festival - July 17-19, Olympia, WA

Battle Ground Parade - July 18, Battle Ground, WA

Greeting NW Grottoes Assn - July 18, Monarch Hotel, 7:00 p.m.

Seattle SeaFair Festival - July 24-26, Seattle, WA

Astoria Rose Planting - Aug 8, Flavel House, Astoria, OR, 9:30 a.m.

Astoria Regatta Grand Land Parade - Aug 8, Astoria, OR, 12:00 noon

Rosarian Picnic - Aug 16, North Clackamas Park

New Member Reception - Aug 18, Sheraton Airport Hotel

New Member Knighting - Aug 22, Sheraton Airport Hotel

Prime Minister's Ball - Sept 12, Sentinel Hotel

Pendleton Round-Up - Sept 17-20, Pendleton, OR

Autumn Leaf Festival - Sept 25-27, Leavenworth, WA

Detailed information for each event can be found online in the calendar section of the Royal Rosarian website. Click the link below.

[click here to see the Royal Rosarian website.](#)

Jim Nielson's Truisms



This Issue's "Truism"

"It's better to walk alone than with a crowd going in the wrong direction!"

-- Diane Grant

(The late Jim Nielson, Prime

