



# ROTARY RUMBLES

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TWIN FALLS ROTARY CLUB

Club No. 379

District 540

## JULY

### PROGRAMS YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS

- 7/15 - Governor Cecil Andrus
- 7/22 - Idaho School for Deaf and Blind
- 7/29 - Vienna White (providing she can get away)
- 8/05 - Leon Scott, Rotary Dist. Gov.
- 8/12 - Larry Plott, Director of Idaho Peace Officer's Training.

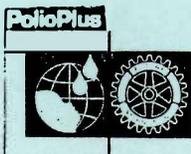
### RICH ALEXANDER INSTALLED

Tom Ashenbrenner handed the President's position over to Rich Alexander on Wednesday, July 1st, 1987. Tom grabbed his briefcase and took his traditional table in the back, leaving Rich holding the gavel. The three main goals that President Rich is interested in as a club are:

1. Finish the fitness trail project.
2. Reach the Goals for Polio Plus (raise \$22,000 within three years)
3. Support the public pool project <https://www.twinfallsrotary.org/oldnews>

### THE POLIO PLUS CHALLENGE

The success of this program will depend upon the personal contribution and commitment of Rotarians everywhere. Through the coming year you will be hearing and reading about Polio Plus.



## THERE'S NOTHING QUITE LIKE A DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The 7th Annual 540 District Conference was held June 18th-20th in Pocatello. Four members of the Twin Falls Rotary Club attended the meeting. Earl Haroldsen and wife Helen along with Rich Cook and wife Wanda represented our club at the Thursday night banquet held for Paul Harris fellows and sustaining members. Charlie Truksa and Kevin Bradshaw attended Friday's session and official opening of the conference. Included in the official order of business was special featured speaker, Don Aslett and lunch with Jim McClure, which we are still analyzing what it was that he actually said.

In the afternoon, we had a golf scramble in which Rich Cook and his team members won first place. Also included was a great dinner after the game.

It's nice to meet the different Rotarians from all around and to find out some of the different things that they as a club are doing. You even meet friends of friends, such as Dave Sherman, a friend of Jeff "Heavenly" Harris. That's another story for another time.

Reviewed were some of the goals of the District and International. Mark Stewart gave us his report on his program "Ethiopian Outreach" which is now totally funded by other organizations such as Unicef. All of it was started by the help of the Rotarians.

The big program goal now of Rotary International is Polio Plus. A program which you will be hearing and reading more about in the coming year. Exciting and attainable, Earl Haroldsen will be heading that committee for our club in the coming year. Through becoming a Paul Harris sustaining member, you can become a contributor to Polio Plus. Many clubs, I have been made aware of through the district conference, have over 50% club members that are Paul Harris fellows or sustaining members. The Meridian club has set a goal of 100% members of Paul Harris sustaining members. Something we can do easily.

You may want to attend the next conference. Our club sets aside funds just for members to go expenses paid, except gas and lodging. A great getaway and a great way to find out what's going on in Rotary.

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The proper way to pronounce Charlie Truksa - **CHAR - LEE TRUCK - SSSA**

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## FITNESS TRAIL IS GETTING FIT

Since the ground breaking a month and a half ago, a lot of progress has been made on the Fitness Trail. Many man hours have gone into this progress and many thanks should be given to Rotarians, Army Corp. of Engineers, and CSI volunteer help. There are many names to name and hopefully I won't leave any out. The weekend of July 20th, Tom Ashenbrenner, Franny Florence and Randy Anderson continued with the picking up of sod (A dirty job). Thad Scholes had the hard part and drove the truck. Gary Klienhoff loaded with a forklift. Also helping cut the sod at the fitness stations were Jim Willis, Jeff Harris and Todd Blass. Other people that jiggled on the sod cutter at the stations were Marty McClellan, Ken Diebert and Richard Cook.

The weekend of June 27th was a phenomenon as a good number of rotarians help get the fitness stations put together. On Thursday, June 25th, Gary Bond met with crew chiefs to organize the mass assembly on Saturday. Crew chiefs were Bill MaGuire, Ron Watson, Bill Spencer, Tom Koulogh, Bill Block, Jack Hetherington, Roger Bolton, Kevin Trainor, Darrell Jensen, Ron Freman, and myself, Kevin Bradshaw.

The chaos began at 8 o'clock Saturday morning with teams trying to find the pieces to their fitness station. Doug Neville was there to give a quick prayer for plum and level stations. Many people besides Rotarians were there to help us out. CSI crews were working on laying the path and building reinforcement walls in certain areas. Foggy Fisher had the best job of all, he was helping load the redwood chips into the trucks for the stations. He could end up with red-lung disease along with John Bingham and Jack Stalley who were sitting on the job most of the time hauling the redwood chips to the station sites. They came up with a ingenious pull and tug technique as opposed to grunt and shovel.

All and all, many Rotarians enjoyed the four hour workout session. It went fast and it looks great. L. James Koutnik did not help us out, yet he was on a "fun run" at CSI for the Salvation Army. Huffin' and puffin'! You know he's practicing for when the fitness trail opens in August. Mike Brock made the work worthwhile when he brought the beer!



Rich Alexander  
 Randy Anderson  
 Tom Ashenbrenner  
 Bill Block  
 Gary Bond  
 Hob Bowen  
 Kevin Bradshaw  
 Dick Boyd  
 Chappie Chapman  
 Bob Coiner  
 Rich Cook  
 Roger Bolton  
 Mike Brock  
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 Bill Maguire  
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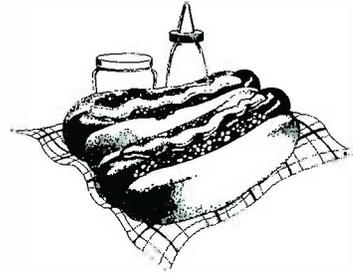
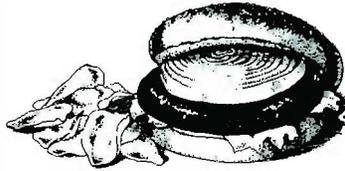


## STUDENTS ARRIVE ON ANNUAL TOUR

The **Essex Tour** arrived on Wednesday and Rotarians help put the students up of the night so that they could return in the morning to continue their tour across the U.S. Many thanks to **Jay Bailey, John Meyer, and Jim Maslanik** for the many hours they put in to make it a success.

## GET YOUR MESSAGE TO THE MASSES

If you have a message or a reminder for the club, please contact the Rumble Committee by the 7th of each month. Bill Howard and Steve Hartgen will be charged \$10.00 per column inch, everyone else is free.



Jack and Donna Stalley held their 7th annual Bar B-Q as reported in the Times News Food section. But I guess Jack doesn't consider his fellow Rotarians as friends because they only invited 75 friends. In fact, why do they call it a Bar B-Q when the Kyles brought the hamburgers from McDonalds. And what's this recipe that's a cake that is better than sex? Come on, Donna!



### "DID YOU KNOW THAT....."

- \* The fitness trail contains 325,176,242,173 bark chips? Thanks again to our "Bark Chip Counting Committe" of Phil Ioset, Todd Blass, Ron Freeman, and Randy Anderson. Special thanks to Bill Spencer for providing the adding machines.
- \* Tom Moore has been invited to appear with Johnny Carson on the "Tonight Show" specifically to tell his joke about the guy captured by natives who pokes holes in his skin with a fork?





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