

# U-CLUB NEWS



Rogue River Valley University Club

June 2017

## Scholarship Foundation Update

The University Club Scholarship Foundation, which was founded in 2008, adds to the Club's traditions by giving us purpose and value beyond fellowship and confirming our role as a social club in support of higher education. To facilitate governance and administration functions at the Foundation — scheduling meetings, maintaining minutes, handling the bookkeeping—the Foundation's board recently voted to change its trustees to essentially mirror the Club board's membership. However, by law and tradition the two boards are legally separate.



By agreement the president of the Foundation will remain a different person than the president of the Club and Jack Day has agreed to serve as Foundation President. Jack will preside at Foundation board meetings which will take place as necessary immediately following adjournment of the Club's board's monthly meetings. The Foundation's other officers now include Peter Sage, vice-president/secretary and Russ Milburn, treasurer.

We owe a great debt to the Club Members who established the Foundation and have capably managed its affairs including Bill Willams, Bill Bagley, Leigh Johnson, Jack Day, Dave Mooers and Walt Stallcup. Their energy and generosity got the Foundation started. We also salute Rex Miller, Dom Campanella — along with Jack Day -- who were the Foundation's most recent officers along with Dave Straus and Doug Smith who served on the Foundation's board until May 2017. Dave Straus also managed solicitation of items for the auction, which benefits the Foundation at the Club's annual Summer Party, and Dave has agreed to continue in that role. You can reach him at [dstraus@ssarchllp.com](mailto:dstraus@ssarchllp.com) to offer auction items.

Club Members who want to assist in the Foundation's work are invited to speak up to help raise money and distribute scholarships. **We especially encourage all Club Members to attend the annual Scholarship Luncheon on June 15** to meet — and salute — this year's eight scholarship recipients. You can register for the luncheon at [Scholarship Luncheon](#) or by calling Lori at the Club, 541-772-4707.

— Peter Sage

**The U Club is entering its quieter summer period. Two of our regular events, Monthly Speaker and Lunch and Learn, will resume in September.**

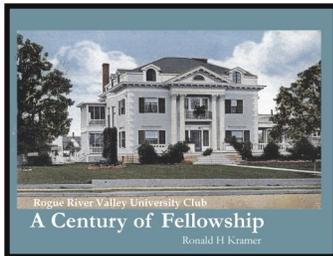
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## The Club's History

- 160 pages, 110 photos/illustrations
- The Club's founders, a complete listing of all members 1910—2015
- History of the Club and the community it serves
- \$34.95

Purchase at the Club or email [admin@medforduclub.org](mailto:admin@medforduclub.org).



## Golf Tournament and Steak Night

The U Club's 53rd Annual Golf Tournament will be held on Thursday, June 8 at Rogue Valley Country Club with the tournament set up for 5 teams of 4 Members each. Tee time is 1:30 and Jack Day, who once again organized the tournament, is again providing RoxyAnn Winery prizes of two bottles of great wine to be awarded for longest and closest. In keeping with longstanding Club tradition, the day will cap off with our traditional Steak Night dinner — and you don't have to play golf to attend! Register for the golf tournament at [Golf Tournament](#) or by calling Lori at the Club, 541-772-4707.



Steak Night is \$25/person and you can register for Steak Night at [Steak Night](#) or also by calling Lori. The deadline for registering for Steak Night is Monday, June 5.



*"Let us remember that the University Club has been here since 1910. The culture of the Club may need to change with the times but the tradition and fellowship needs to carry on for future generations." — President Jack Salter, August 2002*

Many Club Members have previously provided for the Club's future in their estate plans and their generosity has helped create the experience you've enjoyed here.

Please consider helping to strengthen the Club's future by requesting a bequest invitation from [Jerry Jacobson](#) at 542-773-2727.



**Mr. Chili presided over a GREAT Cinco de Mayo party. Thank you Julie McLaughlin for the wonderful decoration and inspiration for this event!**  
*Photos by Jerry Lambo*



## Summer Party — August 17

This year's Summer Party will again be held at RoxyAnn Winery. Great wine, a great BBQ dinner and the Club's traditional auction to support the work of our Scholarship Foundation — most importantly shared along with good friends!

Ticket for our Club's largest annual social event are just \$45 per person including great RoxyAnn wines.

Make your reservations NOW at [Summer Party](#) or by calling Lori at the Club, 541-772-4707.

Photos from last year's party (by Steve Addington) (right) Bob Vaughn. (below left) ,Valerie and Jim James, Dick and Judy Calhoun. (below right) Debra Lee, Peter Sage, Greg Koenig, Doug Smith.



## Prospective Member?

If you know of someone who would be a good candidate for Membership, **you can bring them to lunch and the Club will pay for their meal.**

You can download and forward a Personal Membership Application at this link:

[Personal Member Application](#)



Welcome Back to the University Club  
Rich and Christine Karchmer

## May Lunch and Learn

### A SELLOUT!



Megan Davis Lightman presented May's *Lunch and Learn* — "Growing your business; It all comes down to you" — to a completely filled room on May 9. .

A great mixture of Club Members, previous and new Lunch and Learn attendees heard her thoughts about how an individual can best develop their businesses' future. Megan is the principal in the Davis Consulting Group. THANKS Megan!

*Lunch and Learn* is taking the summer off and will resume in September.

## May Speaker

On May 11 Jennifer James spoke to a large group of Club Members about her experiences in North Korea. "A Humanitarian Mission in an Inhumane Place — North Korea" provided Members with lots of detail about the people, politics and human condition of the North Korean patients she was helping to treat. Daughter of Members Jim and Valerie James, Jenny provided a sobering, and at times heart-breaking — but inspiring — account of what she encountered.



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