

# Chelan/Douglas School Retirees' Association

## KEEPING YOU UP TO DATE

The Mission of the Chelan/Douglas School Retirees' Association is to secure and protect retirees' benefits and to provide educational and service opportunities for members.

**Your Next Meeting:**  
at the **Red Lion**  
*Cascade Room*

1225 N Wenatchee Ave, Wenatchee

**MONDAY, December 11, 2017**  
**at 12:00 P.M.**

COST IS \$14.50 Includes: Room Rental, Buffet Lunch, Dessert,  
Tax & Gratuity

The Executive Board meets at 10:00 AM. All are welcome!

### Our Retirees' Unit Continues to Help Students

CDSRA likes spending our money on ways to support students. Our board voted unanimously to donate \$2000 to the Apple-Ettes Varsity Dance team. This consists of two teams of 15 to 22 girls. The majority of the girls come from families whose income falls well below the poverty threshold. Uniforms, travel and training camps require funding and we are proud to support this activity which will help enrich the school life of these girls. Lynsey Louden is their coach and her parents are two of our members: Lori Motsenbocker-Davis and Gerald Semanko. Lynsey and the Apple-Ettes officers plan to present a "Thank-You" at our December meeting.

## DECEMBER PROGRAM

**EASTMONT HIGH SCHOOL  
CHOIR**  
**SONGS OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON!**  
And

**ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAZAAR**  
Bring an item for the sale  
Proceeds go to WSSR-PAC



### A Message From Our President

We missed you! Our November meeting was full of good information, a great lunch and quality time with good friends. Our disappointment was that the turnout was light.

Please put this date on your calendar: Monday, December 11, 12:00 noon. The Eastmont High School Special Choir will start our holiday season with a presentation of Christmas Music under the direction of Tara Abbott. There will also be a Christmas Bazaar with baked goodies and other items to purchase. Those who are bringing items to donate are asked to price their own items. Proceeds will go to our Political Action Committee. Please plan to attend.

Our new website is up and running. Check it out at [www.chelan-douglas-sra.org](http://www.chelan-douglas-sra.org) Becca Freimuth, our new webmaster, will be doing monthly updates so login periodically to see what's new.

We don't meet in January so December 11 will be your last chance to see our smiling faces for awhile! Our sincere best wishes for a glorious holiday season for all of you.

Beverly Jagla,  
Unit President



Top: Wenatchee High School Apple-Ettes receive funds from CDSRA members, Marie Buckner and Mary Perkins.

Bottom: Apple-Ettes members read with students at Rock Island Elementary School.

### CDSRA – Helping Our Community

Haven of Hope thanks us for the generous 10 pillows we gave them, plus the toothpaste, Kleenex, and lotions that was donated. They are requesting gallon and quart size ziplock bags, cotton swabs and Kleenex. Thank you for your contributions to the 24 ladies, and 9 children..

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**YOUR NEXT MEETING**  
**MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2017**  
at 12:00PM – Details Enclosed

**CAN WE BUY YOU LUNCH?**

If you haven't had the opportunity to come to our monthly meetings, we would like to invite you to join us. All first time attendees will enjoy lunch on us!

**Upcoming Events**

- Dec. 11 – CDSRA General Meeting at Red Lion
- Jan. 22 – Newsletter Items Due
- Jan. 31 - Newsletter Mailing Committee -



Please let us know if we can update  
your contact information.  
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**Keys to Safer Winter Travel:**

Besides checking the weather, it's important to have a mechanic check the condition of the following vehicle systems before heading out on the road:

- Ignition
- Brakes
- Wiring
- Hoses and fan belts
- Spark plugs
- Air, fuel and emissions filters
- PCV valve
- Distributor
- Battery
- Tire wear and air pressure
- Antifreeze level and freeze line

In an emergency situation, in addition to a full tank of gas and fresh antifreeze, National Safety Council recommends having these with you at all times:

- Properly inflated spare tire
- wheel wrench and tripod jack
- Shovel
- Jumper cables
- Tow and tire chains
- Bag of salt or cat litter for tire traction or to melt snow
- Tool kit/Flashlight and extra batteries
- Reflective triangles or flares
- Compass
- First aid kit
- Windshield cleaner
- Ice scraper and snow brush
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Scissors and string or cord
- Nonperishable, high-energy foods like unsalted, canned nuts, dried fruits and hard candy
- Blankets, mittens, socks and hats