

Rotary Club of Salem
Bellringers
5/19/2021

Lauren Gutierrez is ringing the bell TWICE, for two of her favorite people: 1) Lauren's dad, Dan Jones, received the Rotary District 5010 'Quiet Rotarian' award for his work with the Sitka Rotary Club. The district governor presented him the award (a complete surprise!) during a visit to the club last month and 2) Last weekend, Lauren's husband, Shawn, graduated from George Fox University with his Masters in Clinical Mental Health Counseling. This is his third graduation in since 2018 - he completed his Associates, Bachelor's, and Masters in three months shy of four years! It took Lauren seven and a half years to do that! Lauren is beyond proud and is ringing the bell for his accomplishments and for his future supporting his fellow veterans as a counselor.

Adam Kohler would like to ring the bell for the members of the Good Works Committee who participated in the Small Grant Review process for the 2020-2021 year. Applications were reviewed, scored, and a funding recommendation has been presented to the respective boards for their approval. We look forward to sharing information about the great grant recipients at an upcoming club meeting. Thank you to all of you for your time and contributions to the process. The thoughtful and informed conversation was very much appreciated by Adam, and each of you helped to make the process flow smoothly. Please ring the bell for: **Shalisa Beck; Chane Griggs; John McCulley; Tom McGirr, Teresa Lulay, Roger Kirchner; Wanda Henning and Ron Keleman.**

Sue Bloom is ringing the bell for fellowship with Rotarian peers, especially during the recent amphitheater tour.

Jayne Downing is ringing the bell in acknowledgement of Center for Hope and Safety being Project Turnkey recipient (state grant that pays for the acquisition and remodel of local vacant hotel to be used for sheltering domestic violence survivors). Thankful for Rotarians who wrote letters of support.

Allison Kelley is ringing the bell twice: 1) For her Liberty House staff who have worked hard during the past year in serving a 17% increase in clients and 2) for community champion **TJ Sullivan** who suffered a stroke this past weekend. Ringing the bell for his family and quick recovery.