

# Super Wet Weather for Our 2011 Wreath Throw

Unlike years past when we've seen tons of sun and rhododendrons in bloom, it rained very hard on Saturday, May 7, for our Annual Wreath Throw along the Deschutes River in Tumwater, WA. But 17 SOB's and two guests—Pat McIntosh's husband Jim and Kate Nelson's friend Andrew—made the ugly drive.

And by the time we started our walk to the falls, the rain had stopped and we had occasional sights of a great bright object in the sky, which we think was the sun. The throw was, once again, a great success, with both Bill Seil and Al Nelson getting pictures of PFL David and the wreath while it was in mid-air—a first!

James Romnes again made arrangements for our mini-violin concert! A great touch when accompanied by our champagne toasts!

We then headed to Falls Terrace Restaurant for good food and conversation. We also counted our luck good, as there were several periods of heavy rain while we ate.

All in all, it was a great day in the rainy Northwest!



*In the early years, our re-enactment of the events at Reichenbach Falls occurred at various waterfalls on Mt. Rainier including Myrtle Falls (above).*

For information on how to get to our Wreath Throw site, see our newsletter *Ineffable Twaddle* for May 2011.  
For additional photos of this year's event, see our newsletter *Ineffable Twaddle* for June 2011.



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