

The Sunsetter



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Rotary
Join leaders
Exchange ideas
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Upcoming Programs

August 15

Mike Kitchens
Smoky Mountain Service

Announcements

- **Justin Trisler** has been proposed for membership in our club, and the Board has approved him. If you know of any reason why he should not be accepted as a member, please notify President Devrin or Kenneth Herring, Membership Chair.
- Seaira Stephenson, guest of **Monique Wesh**, announced that the Oak Ridge Heritage and Preservation Association and Friends of the Grove Theater (both non-profits) will have a Pub Quiz team trivia competition on Saturday, September 17, at 7:00 pm at the Grove Theater. Team entry fee is \$100 for up to six players per team, and complimentary brews and wine as well as pub grub will be served. Call 865-250-3028 by September 10 to register a team. The winning team will receive the coveted Pub Quiz Trophy and bragging rights!
- Our program on August 29 will be **Dr. Bill Bass**, retired professor of forensic anthropology at UTK and founder of "the body farm." We expect many guests who will want to hear Dr. Bass, so the meeting will be held at New Hope Center. We will accept donations of \$2.65, and the money will be given to PolioPlus in Dr. Bass's name. His second wife died from polio. Following the meeting members of our club will take Dr. Bass to dinner at Dean's. There will be a sign-up sheet at the next meeting for those who want to be included in the dinner reservations.
- Our club is sponsoring one student to attend RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Academy). If you know other high school juniors who have leadership potential, please tell **Devrin Kuipers** or **Becky Dobson**. Last year our club sponsored four students. RYLA will be Saturday, September 24 this year.
- This year is the 100th anniversary of The Rotary Foundation, and our District Governor has asked that every member make a donation of \$26.50 (the amount of the first donation from Arch Clump) to the Foundation. Please put that amount in your budget for Rotary so our club can meet this challenge.
- If you have pictures, information, or announcements that you'd like to share with the rest of the club, please email them to **SueAnne L. SueAnne Lewis** at designprof@att.net.

Dogs

Invocation: Buddy Scott

Greeter: Thomas Proffen

August 22

Bill Sargent

Invocation: Kesha Shipe

Greeter: Buddy Scott

August 29

Dr. Bill Bass

Forensic Anthropology

Invocation: Wes Singer

Greeter: Kesha Shipe

Rotary



August Birthdays

Dave Mason

August 18

David Stanley

August 25

Melissa Wells

August 21

Club Anniverseries August

Melissa Wells - 2014

September

Cindy Boshears - 2014

Thomas Proffen - 2012

Kenneth Herring - 2009

2016-2017 Officers

Devrin Kuipers

President

Jim Dodson

President-Elect

Wes Singer

Vice President

Kesha Shipe

Secretary

Kay Honey

Treasurer

Rotary Business

- In June 2017 the Rotary International Convention will take place in Atlanta. Thousands of Rotarians from all over the world will travel to attend the convention. We seldom get an opportunity to attend this exciting event right in our own backyard, and I strongly encourage everyone in our district to try to attend. To make it even easier to attend we are planning to charter buses to Atlanta for the convention.

Registration will open on May 28. **If you register before December 15, 2016, you can attend the entire convention for just \$340.** The registration will go up to \$490 as we get closer to June 10-14, 2017. You can register through the DACdb Calender.

- **What is Rotary?** Rotary is an international organization that **joins leaders** from all continents, cultures, and occupations to **exchange ideas**, bring our expertise and diverse perspectives to help solve some of the world's toughest problems, and **take action** to bring about lasting change in our communities and around the world.
- **If you miss a meeting, be sure to make up during the two weeks before or after the missed meeting.** You can make up at another club or on line at one of these e-clubs:
 - E-club of Southeast USA www.recswusa.org
 - Rotary E-club NY1 www.rotaryclubny1.com
 - Rotary Club of District 7890 www.rotaryclub7890.org.
- Please notify Secretary **Kesha Shipe** when you make up a meeting. Her email address is ShipeKesha@gmail.com.
- Rotarians who make up at the Sunset Club pay \$10.

Last Week Membership

At our last meeting Membership Chair Kenneth Herring and President Devrin discussed membership growth. They opened the floor for discussion on how to identify individuals who we'd like to have as members and what we tell them about Rotary when we ask them to join.

There was also discussion about ways to keep existing members engaged and how to re-engage former members.

Devrin passed out brochures about our club the Becky Dodson made.

Rotary's Guiding Principles

Throughout Rotary's history several basic principles have been developed to guide Rotarians in achieving the ideal of service and high ethical standards.

Roger Petrie
Immediate Past President
Jon Carlberg
Past President Representative

2016-17 Directors

Monique Wesh
Club Service Chair
Kenneth Herring
Membership Chair
SueAnne Lewis
The Rotary Foundation Chair
Leonard Abbatiello
Service Projects Chair
Becky Dodson
Youth Services Chair
Margaretanne Ingle
Public Relations Chair

The Object of Rotary

First formulated in 1910 and adapted through the years as Rotary's mission expanded, the Object of Rotary provides a succinct definition of the organizations purpose as well as the club members' responsibilities.

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
4. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace.

The Four-Way Test

1. **Is it the truth?**
2. **Is it fair to all concerned?**
3. **Will it build goodwill and better friendships?**
4. **Will it be beneficial to all concerned?**

International and District Officers

John Germ, Chattanooga – Rotary International President
Fred Heitman, Oak Ridge – District Governor
Dave Mason, Oak Ridge – Assistant District Governor
Deborah Alexander-Davis, Kingston – District Governor-Elect (2017-18)



Oak Ridge Rotary Clubs Meetings

Rotary Club of Oak Ridge

Thursday Noon, Double Tree Hotel

Breakfast Rotary Club

Wednesday, 7:15 am
Tech 20/20, 1020 Commerce Park Dr.

Area Rotary Club Meetings

MONDAY

Rockwood: Victorian Square, 6:15 pm
Lenoir City: First Baptist Church, Noon

TUESDAY

Maryville-Alcoa: Blount County Library, 7:00 am
Loudon: First Baptist Church Annex, Noon
Clinton: Clinton Community Center, Noon
Knoxville: Knoxville Marriott, Noon
Turkey Creek: Faith Lutheran Church, 5:30 pm
Kingston: Two Chefs Deli, Bakery & Florist, 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Knoxville: Gettysvue Country Club, 7:00 am
Farragut: Fox Den Country Club, 12:15 pm

THURSDAY

Harriman: Roane State Faculty Dining Room, Noon
North Knoxville: Litton's Restaurant, Noon

FRIDAY

Tellico Lake: Tellico West Conference Center, 8:00 am
Knoxville Volunteer: Marriott Hotel, Noon
Bearden: Buddy's Barbecue Bearden, 12:15pm