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Announcements

- Lots of things are going on at tonight's meeting. First, our speaker is "Voice of the Vols" Bob Kesling. We'll probably have several visitors who want to hear him.
- Second, the da Vinci Arts & Science Fair Committee will meet before our regular meeting at 4:30 to discuss scheduling next year's fairs.
- Third, representatives of the Arts Council of Oak Ridge will meet with members
 of our club who are interested in having a Tribute to the Arts as a fund raiser
 next spring. Anyone who's interest should stay and participate.
- Former member **Betsy Petrie** has been proposed to rejoin the club. Betsy's classification is Environmental Program Manager. At the time she resigned her membership she was in good standing with the club. If you know of any reason why she should not be a member, please notify Membership Chai**Jim Dodson**.
- **Have you paid your dues?** Invoice have gone out, so please pay as soon as possible.

Rotary Business

Has anyone ever asked you, "What is Rotary?" Here's your answer:

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.rotaryeclub7890.org. Rotary Club of District 7890 www.rotaryeclub7890.org.

- Please notify 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.

Member News

Becky Dodson Youth Services SueAnne Lewis Public Relations

August Birthdays
Dave Mason

0/40

8/18

Melissa Wells

8/21

JoEllen lacovino

8/22

David Stanley

8/25

Upcoming Events

Weekly Meeting 8/10/2015

Program: Bob Kesling Invocation: Cindy Boshears Greeters: Cathy Warmbrod &

Aaron Wells



Jim Dodson and partner Naomi Asher took top honors in the Dance Contest at the Free Medical Clinic's BASH Saturday night. They raised over \$1,600 for the Clinic. Congratulations, Jim!

Last Week

August 3, 2015

Social Meeting

Because last week was the first meeting of the month, we had a social meeting followed by the August Board of Directors meeting. All members were welcomed to attend the meeting, and several too advantage of the opportunity to see how our club decisions are made and to learn more about Rotary in general.





Rotary Information

The Object of Rotary

Rotary's 100-year record of professionals joining together to use their skills and passion to make a difference in their communities is one that fosters pride in Rotarians worldwide. These values have been captured in various guiding principles (such as "Service above Self") and other statements over the years.

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;
- high ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotaryan's occupation as an opportunity to service society;
- 3. the application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's persona, business, and community life; and
- 4. the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Core Values of Rotary

Rotary adopted the core values in 2007 as part of the Rotary Strategic Plan, understanding that these five values are fundamental traits of being a Rotarian. Since their adoption the core values have been reaffirmed by the Board and are strongly supported by Rotarians throughout the world. Rotary International's core values are:

- Service
- Fellowship
- Diversity
- Integrity
- Leadership.

Africa Has No New Cases of Wild Polio Virus in Past Year

In July Nigeria marked its first year without a single case of paralysis caused by wild poliovirus. This remarkable success was bolstered by recent assessments of progress in Pakistan and Afghanistan, the only countries that have reported polio cases this year. This provides an opportunity to take a look at the state of polio eradication efforts in each of the three remaining endemic countries. New steps are being taken in all these countries to stop polio, but the goal can only be reached by sustaining momentum to ensure we reach all children with polio vaccines and continuing to improve surveillance.