

FLYWHEEL

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YOUTH PROTECTION REVIEW

John Short

Today's program on youth protection was presented by Larry Hollifield. Rotary has a history of providing service to youth through youth exchange programs and interact clubs.

In recent years Rotary International has reported allegations of sexual abuse and harassment has increased in all programs involving youth. R/I takes youth protection very seriously and has addressed this issue by developing abuse prevention procedures. As Rotarians it's important to provide a safe environment that stops abuse before it happens. Once a year clubs are required to review, with members, youth protection procedures.



Abuse and harassment can occur in different forms from being neglected by not providing adequate food, shelter or medical care or experiencing sexual abuse or sexual harassment by being exposed to sexual jokes or verbal abuse of sexual nature.

Signs of abuse or harassment can be seen in behavior, mood swings, fear of people or places or diminished self esteem. If abuse or harassment is suspected try to find out from the youth, in their own words, what happened. Contact law enforcement if necessary and then contact the District within 72 hours.

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Pre-Pets 2016

Club PN Judy Chapman and incoming AG Area 1 Sean Gibson attend the pre-pets session this past Saturday at AB Tech Asheville. Leaders get ready for the upcoming Rotary year 2016-17.



Shadow Day with students in the Spring and Ethical Business Award Soon!

There will be another shadow day for students to shadow Rotarian Professionals this spring. The first one was a success and we encourage Rotarians to take part. Those who participated from the club were: Cindy Rodgers, Marvin Ramsey, Jeff Gillette and Judy Chapman. Rotary is a service organization focused on our youth and it's a great way for our young people of tomorrow to see first hand our Rotarians at work and potential careers they maybe interested in. We will also be recognizing an ethical business or individual coming soon. If you know of someone or a business that has done something showing high ethical standards See or email Karen Kenney or Rich Peoples.

Rotary Birthday Celebration Tuesday February 23rd

The Rotary Club of Franklin and Franklin Daybreak are holding a joint birthday celebration event for Rotary to be held Tuesday Evening February 23rd at Life's Bounty Event Room down stairs on Main St . All are encouraged to attend. There will be light food and a birthday cake as we celebrate RI's 111th birthday and celebrate our wonderful International Organization. Will start about 530p with fellowship and will also be showing the CART Movie originally scheduled for March 4th. Come for fellowship and fun! It's a great way for newer club members to meet members of the other Franklin Clubs. Our satellite members will also be attending. And its a great way to makeup. See you there..We will need a headcount for that Tuesday so if you are interested in attending see Patsy and sign up today!



First Posting

This is the first official posting of Jimmy Villiard sponsored by Bill Swift. If you have any comments or concerns, please contact President Sean or any board member.

Make-up Opportunity with Back Pack Fill at CareNet !



If you need a make-up the next backpack fill will be **Monday February 22nd at CareNet from 4-6pm.** Please see Community Service Chair Cindy Rodgers if you would like to volunteer or Shaina Adkins.

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District Conference 2016!

President Sean is encouraging everyone to attend the District Conference to be held at the Meadowview Conference and Registration Center in Kingsport, TN on June 10th thru 12th so please mark these dates on your calendar. The conference cost is \$190 and the room rate is \$125 per night. Registration deadline is May 19th. Further information on the conference will be forthcoming. **You can register on DacDb Now!**



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Board Meeting Tonight!

Just a reminder our February Board Meeting will be at Lazy Hiker Tonight 5p fellowship/530p start. Members of the new Satellite Club will also be joining us. If you need a make-up this is a great way to do it. See you there!

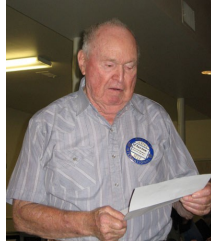
Rotary Service 2/ 17



Prayer/Pledge: Kevin Corbin

Greeter: Bob Scott

Clayton's Corner Some Good Humor



Three friends from the local congregation were asked, "When you're in your casket, and friends and congregation members are mourning over you, what would you like them to say?"

Artie said, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful husband, a fine spiritual leader, and a great family man."

Eugene commented, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher and servant of God who made a huge difference in people's lives."

Al said, "I'd like them to say, 'Look, he's moving!'"



Rotarians Birthdays: Gary Shields—
Feb 15

Partner Birthdays: Wendell Kenney
Feb 15

Rotarian Wedding Anniversaries:
Billy and Linda Harbuck
—27 Years

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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2015-16

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President: Sean Gibson

President-elect: Lenny Jordan

President-nominee: Judy Chapman

Secretary: Patsy Parker

Treasurer: John Barbee

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Community Service: Cindy Rodgers

Youth Service: Amy Manshach-Chair/Larry Hollifield-Co-Chair

International Service: Stacy Guffey

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Program Chair: Vic Perry

Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent ...Flywheel Editor: Dick Pritts

Sgt. At Arms: Jacob Reiche

Immediate Past President: Susie Ledford

Thanks for all you do in service!

Upcoming Events



Feb 11—Board Meeting Lazy Hiker

Feb 17—Springtime of Hope

Feb 22—Backpack Fill CareNet 4-6p

Feb 23—Rotary Birthday Event at Life's Bounty 530p

Feb 24— State of the Town

50/50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



50 50 Drawing

Dick Pritts did not win the \$99 pot. There are 7 cards left..buy your ticket for a chance to win!



Next Meeting

Wednesday February

17th—Springtime of

Hope...See You 12

Noon Tartan Hall

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