

Weekly Online Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Franklin, N.C.

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Wednesday 18 May, 2016

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ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS VERSUS ROTARY FELLOWSHIP

By John Short

Our own Dennis Sanders presented an excellent program on Rotary Fellowships versus Rotary Fellowship. His presentation was in four parts with the first part being on the International Convention which will be in Atlanta next year. As an incentive to attend PE Lenny's board has agreed to reimburse members \$65 of the \$265 registration fee for those who register before June 6th. As Dennis pointed out, this is probably the cheapest registration fee ever for an International Convention. A lot of Rotary moments happen at the convention. Going through the House of Friendship brings about a sense of excitement as well



as an opportunity to meet Rotarian's worldwide and learn about projects that they're involved in.

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Another point Dennis brought up was a project our club got involved with in 2001 after seversl members attended the International Convention in San Antonio, Tx. He remembered this after Elbie Stiles showed him an article about a medical train in South Africa. While in San Antonio they heard about the need for a jeep to be used to go from the medical train to out lying villages to deliver medical services. Dennis along with Everett Stiles, Sam Fiske and Dave Jones traveled to South Africa to see for themselves the need which they heard about. The train named "Phelophepa" is still operational to this day. Dennis is not sure if the Jeep, which our club helped provide, is still functioning or not.

Dennis then talked about Rotary Fellowships. These are groups of Rotary members who share a common interest in recreational activities, sports, hobbies, or professions. Each fellowship has to be approved by the Rotary Int. Board of Dir. but functions independently of Rotary Int. There are

66 different fellowships and is a way to meet other Rotarian's with like interests.

Dennis then introduced PE Lenny Jordan who talked about a fellowship which has recently been formed here in Franklin. The Brew Fellowship, for those who enjoy beer, has been recently formed. They are planning an outing this Saturday afternoon to Sierra Nevada in Asheville. If interested in going Saturday or joining the fellowship see PE Lenny.

Thanks Dennis for an informative program.





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Welcome our Newest Member!

Membership Chair Linda Harbuck inducted Barbara Lawrence as our latest member into the club.



Barbara is originally from

England but has been a US citizen for over 20 years and was a former member of the Highlands Rotary Club. Barbara is a substitute teacher in Macon County schools.



Sponsor Recognition and 100 percent for Hoyt!

President Sean recognized Hoyt Massey with a sponsor recognition pin for his bringing in new member Gary St Arnauld. Hoyt also had q3 perfect attendance!

RI Foundation

We are also getting to that time of the year again for making your annual foundation contribution. If you have already done so...a great big thank you! If you haven't please see John Yermack, Mike Norris or Jim Garner. If you are close to making a Paul Harris Fellow, Multiple, or recognizing someone as a Paul Harris Fellow please see our foundation team! They can make you a deal!

Inbound Exchange Student Housing

We need help finding a host family (or two) for a inbound student exchange student for the next school year. Please talk to your friends to see if you can find families with daughters to be hosts. Let Amy Manschack or Lenny Jordan if you have folks interested.

Satellite Club Social Tonight

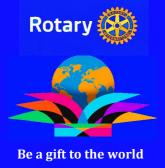
Tonight is the Satellite Club evening social at the Rathskeller. If you need a makeup please attend. Its starts at 530p. If you know someone interested, bring them to the social. You can also have them get in touch with John Yermack. This is another great place to do a makeup!

If You Are a Club Leader for 2016-17 Please Plan to Attend This Saturday!

If you are involved in club leadership next year (President, PE, membership, foundation, youth and a new member) you are encouraged to attend the District Leadership Training Saturday May 21st at AB Tech Asheville. No cost. It's a great way to get ready for next year. Three leaders can



car pool with President
Sean. Car pooling enROTARY couraged. Sign up on
HUMANITY DacDb now!



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Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Clay County



Join us for food, fun and cars!

20 Best Overall Awards plus Best Chevy, Ford, Mopar, Truck & Import



Saturday • June 4th, 2016 11:00 until 5:00 p.m.

On the Square in Historic Downtown Hayesville, NC

Trophies & Cash Prizes!

Best of Show: \$500 • People's Choice: \$250 Car

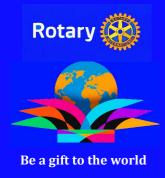
Owner's Choice: \$250

NEW! Thunder in the Mountains at 3 O'clock!
When the whole show participates in an engine rev off!

For more info & Registration: 828-237-1418 • www.RotaryClubOfClayCounty.com

Pre-Registration: \$15
Day of show: \$20

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT OUR LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND



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B.R.E.W. Fellowship

PE Lenny Jordan information on the B.R.E.W. Fellowship on the second BREW Fellowship event on May 21st. May 15—22 is American Craft Beer Week. This is celebrated annually and it is a great time to enjoy fellowship with fellow Rotarians. The BREW (Beers Rotarians Enjoy Worldwide) Fellowship is open to all Rotarians. Come meet our members and decide if you want to join this fun centered fellowship. (p.s. It counts as a makeup!!!)

Second Event—Saturday, May 21, 12:00 Noon - until... Sierra Nevada Brewing Co. Asheville

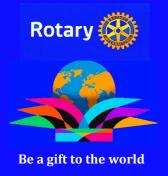
BREW Fellowship members will venture to Asheville to visit Sierra Nevada Brewing Co. Some of us will be in Asheville for the Club Leadership Seminar at ABTech that morning. If you haven't registered for that, remember it is FREE- Go to DACDB and register (also a makeup opportunity). Then following the seminar we will drive down to Sierra Nevada for lunch and to try their special Craft Beer Week specials. (yet another makeup opportunity!!). If you choose not to attend the Seminar at ABTech, but want to attend Event #2, check with Lenny on carpooling and logis-

tics. We look forward to seeing many of you at all or at least one of these events. Food & Beer are on each individuals dime, but the Seminar at ABTech has been paid for and is FREE.

If you have never been to Sierra Nevada, you are missing a chance to see a truly amazing brewery that has good beer and developed a beautiful campus so close to us.

Come join us if you can.





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June 18
10 am to
2 pm



Location:

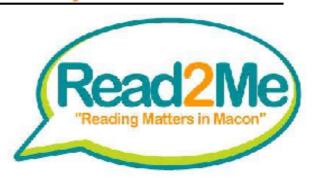
South Macon Elementary School

855 Addington Bridge Road

Read and Ride Car Show June 18

\$20 registration Benefits Macon Children--Dolly Parton Imagination Library

All Cars, Trucks, and Motorcycles Welcome



Trophies

Food

Fun



Drawings

Raffles

Music

Call Carol at 828-342-2448 for more information



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District Conference 2016 next Month!

President Sean is encouraging everyone to attend the District Conference to be held at the Meadowview Conference and Convention Center in Kingsport, TN on June 10th thru 12th so please mark these dates on your calendar. The registration cost is \$225. The room rate is \$125 per night. **Registration deadline for rooms is Today May 19th.** Lets have a great club showing! You can register on DacDb Now! So far we have a few RC of Franklin members attending.

Please bring new children's clothing like shirts, shorts, shoes, etc to our next meeting. Governor Billi has requested these items for the District Conference. The district has a project they are doing and she is asking all the clubs' help. We will have a drop box or basket for these items.

Additionally, please bring an item to be included

in a silent auction at the District Conference. A handmade item geared towards Rotarians is preferred.

Appreciate your help.....



Be a gift to the world

Some" Henny Youngmans" For Today....

- I bought a vacuum cleaner six months ago, and so far all it's been doing is gathering dust.
- Every time someone comes up with a foolproof solution, along comes a more talented fool.
- I'll bet you \$4,567you can't guess how much I owe my bookie.
- Behind every great man is a woman rolling her eyes.
- If you keep your feet firmly on the ground, you'll have trouble putting on your pants.
- A computer once beat me at chess, but it was no match for me at kick boxing.
- Ever stop to think and forget to start again?
- When I married Ms. Right, I had no idea her first name was Always.
- My wife got 8 out of 10 on her driver's test— the other two guys managed to jump out of her way.

Rotary Service 5/25

Prayer/Pledge: Patsy Parker

Greeter: Bill Swift



May Backpacks This Monday!

Our next CareNet Backpack fill is on Monday May 23rd 4-6p at CareNet. If you need a makeup this is a great way to do it!



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

District Governor: Billi Black

Assistant District Governor: Ken Nicholson

President: Sean Gibson

President-elect: Lenny Jordan

President-nominee: Judy Chapman

Secretary: Patsy Parker

Treasurer: John Barbee

Vocational Service: Karen Kenney

Community Service: Cindy Rodgers

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

International Service: Stacy Guffey

Foundation Chair: Jim Garner

Membership Chair: Linda Harbuck

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



May 23rd—Pack Back Backs at CareNet

May 25th—Top 5 Franklin High School

Fresh, Soph, Juniors

June Ist— Relay for Life

June 8— Zonta

June 9—Board Meeting at Lazy Hiker 530p

50/50 Drawing

I Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



50 50 Drawing



Gary Dills pulled the winning card on May 18th and won the \$168 pot. A new pot starts on May 25th

with 13 cards.



Next Meeting Wed.

