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WCU Nursing Trip to Jamaica 2017

19 WCU Nursing students in their senior year of study attended a health-care minded mission trip to Jamaica in the fall of 2017. The students felt that this trip developed friendships that would last a lifetime! The students had four areas of focus while on the trip: Serving at the Infirmary, rotating through departments at Black Rock Hospital, educating the youth at school education sessions, and conducting free community health-fairs.

The Infirmary they served in had 20+ hospital beds in dilapidated conditions. Each patient was bed-ridden and had no family to visit them during their sickness. When the students visited at the infirmary it was their focus to shine happiness and light on the patients. They sang worship songs, read books to them, and brought food supplies and activities to do while bed-ridden. These students said it was true testament to faith when they witnessed the patients come alive to sing worship songs.

The most work that the students was at The Black Rock Hospital – here they rotated through the departments within the hospital: Labor & Delivery, Med-Surg, ICU, ER, and Pediatrics. They learned many new techniques while observing and participating at BRH – many that were surprising and worked as well if not better than techniques they have been learning in The U.S.

At the free community health fairs the students worked with community members to educate them on a number of topics. One being, foot-care and diabetes management. At these Health Fairs they also gave free supplies. They also did pediatric well-visits with local children.

The students particularly enjoyed the Preschool Education classes that they held at the local pre-school. Here they taught young children about healthy eating (albeit different resources than we have here in the states), healthy hygiene habits, and simple anatomy. The preschool students were very happy and excited to learn from our WCU Nursing Students and interacted on a very high level and were very well behaved.

Overall, the WCU Nursing students who went on this amazing trip felt incredibly happy and overwhelmed by the level of experience they gained. They are a wonderful group of bright future-nurses that we should be proud of supporting now and in the future!



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Volunteer Opportunities

It's Time to Pack Those Back-packs!!!

Franklin Rotary will pack back-packs for CareNET the last Monday of every month from 4-6pm. That would mean we are scheduled for the following dates:

- April 23, 2018



CART Call!

Cart Year End is April 30th.

Please bring your blue jars, checks, cents and dollars on **April 25th** for the final CART collection of the year!

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Ashlie's Announcements

- ◆ April 27-29—District Conference in Kingsport, TN
- ◆ April 25—CART —If you would like to contribute to CART, must be done by April 30th
- ◆ May 12—Centennial Park Cleanup

Zero-K Fundraiser for Cart

Four Seasons Rotary Club is pleased to announce the 2nd Annual Zero-K (All The Fun Without The Run) fundraiser for The CART Fund will be held on Sunday, May 6, 1-4pm, at Oskar Blues REEB Ranch (between Hendersonville & Brevard). Last year's event drew approximately 100 people from WNC and raised more than \$2,700. All clubs who commit \$500 or more to the event will receive club credit AND the opportunity to hang your banner at the event!

We'll have beer from Oskar Blues, wine from Saint Paul Mountain Vineyard, a "Kids Zone" organized by the North Henderson High School Interact Club, a food truck from Prime Time Eats & Catering, and live music from The Carburetors (southern rockabilly). All of this & great fellowship with fellow Rotarians, friends and family!

Tickets go on sale tomorrow morning at 8am online (\$40 adults, \$10 school age, and FREE for kids under age 6)

For more info, visit the event website to see a short video



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Thanks for all you do in service!

Upcoming Events



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50 50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



**Meeting next
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