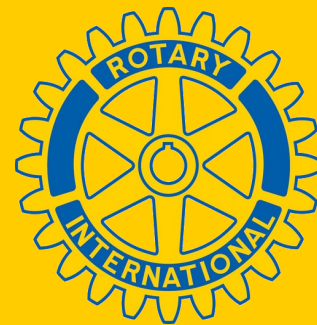


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Weather Got Us Again!!

The Wednesday February 12th Meeting of the Rotary Club of Franklin has been postponed due to

nasty weather coming in. Next

Wednesday we'll

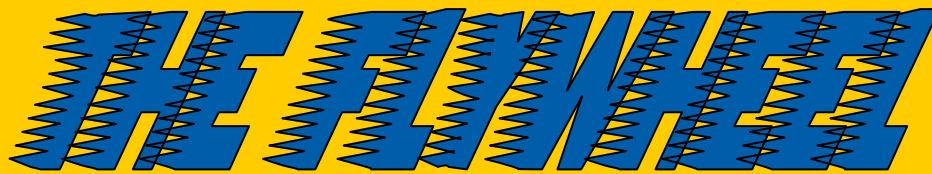
try it again. Here's a photo or two taken by President Nominee Sean Gibson. No he's not playing in the snow..yet anyway!! See you next Wednesday 12 noon at Tartan Hall.



District Governor Dinner a Success!!

Past, present and future Rotary District 7670 Governors gathered at PDG Jim Effland's home in Asheville this past weekend. This was the largest DG and spouse attended event in recent years. Thanks to DGND Dills for sending on photo!

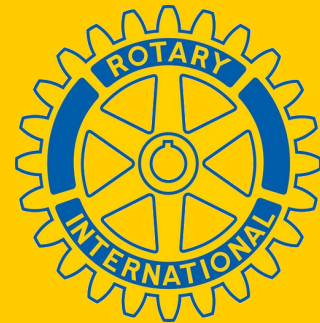




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Thanks for Great 4 Way Test!

Thanks to all who helped this past Friday with the Four Way Test at Macon Early College. We had a great turnout and great session. Special thanks to Amy Manshack for conducting the session!! Thanks Rotarians for another great year of 4 Way Tests..you make is successful!



Of the things we think, say or do

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?

Board Meeting Rescheduled!

Our February board meeting at Life's Bounty has been re-scheduled for Tuesday Feb. 18th same location and time 5p/530p. If you need a makeup, this is a great opportunity!

Weight Loss Challenge is going..Not too late to Sign Up!!

Our Rotary Club of Franklin Weight Loss Challenge is back. If you would like to enter contact AG John Yermack to sign up. Entry fee is \$25! And you must weigh in! See John!

District Conference Alert

Registration for the Rotary District Conference in Greenville, SC will begin at 8:00 a.m. on January 23. The conference will be at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Greenville, SC, from June 20-22, 2014. To reserve your hotel, you will need to contact the hotel directly and ask for the Rotary discounted rate. The link is on the District data base. The first 50 Rotarians to register and pay the registration fee will be entered into a drawing and the winner will receive a refund for his/her registration on Friday night at the Conference. The current District Governor line is not eligible for this drawing.



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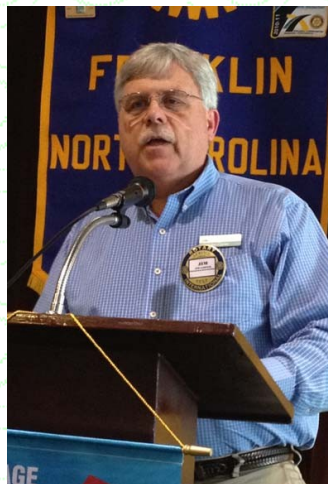
The snow stopped us again this week! Hopefully, we'll get past all this "Winter stuff" soon and get back on schedule.

Our Board meeting is rescheduled until next Tuesday, Feb. 18th at 5 p.m. at Life's Bounty. If you need a makeup, or just want to come out and see what really goes on at a Rotary board meeting, please join us.

This coming Saturday is the District's Grant Management seminar. President-elect Susie, and President-nominee Sean will be attending this event. President-elect Susie is already looking at several grant opportunities to include in her year, as is President-nominee Sean. This is a great opportunity for those of you who have an interest in either local or international projects to talk to both Susie and Sean and let them know of your interest and what your proposed project is all about. Susie will be writing her District grants soon as they are due in April. During this Rotary year your Club awarded District grants to the Community Care Clinic of Franklin, and Read2Me.

Stay safe, stay warm, and hopefully we'll meet next week!

If You're Close..Lets Make a Deal
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Clayton's Corner

On a friend.....

A smile - is a sign of joy.
A hug - is a sign of love.
A laugh - is a sign of happiness.
And a friend like me??
Ah, that's a sign of good taste!!

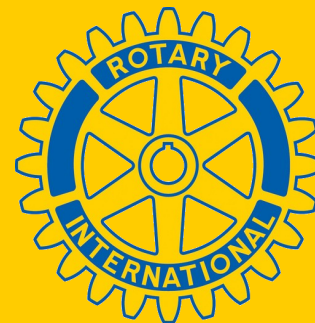




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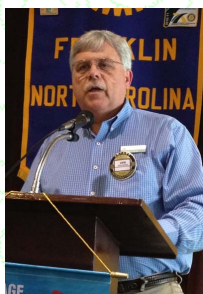
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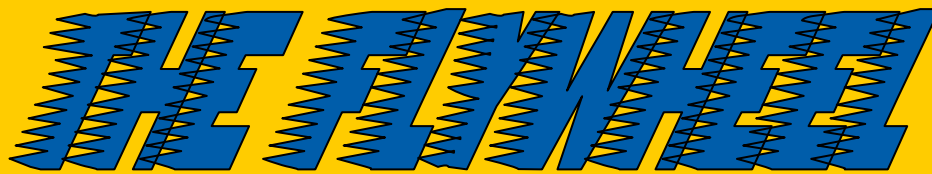
Upcoming Events

- 15 Feb..Grant Management Seminar A-B tech Asheville 9a
- 18 Feb..Board Meeting Life's Bounty (5p fellowship/530p start)
- 19 Feb..Jeff Meo Veterans Employment
- 26 Feb..Don Capaforte Angel Foundation



February is World Peace and Understanding Month

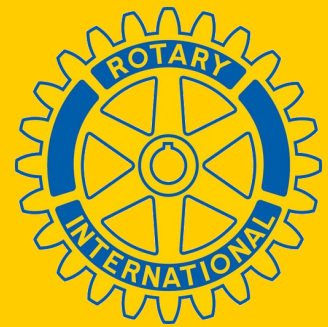
The month of February is significant to Rotary as it honors the first Rotary Meeting that took place on February 23rd, 1905. Rotary International has designated that day as World Peace and Understanding Month. As Rotarians we emphasize the understanding and goodwill as essentials for world peace. We should invite youth exchange students and or international scholars from nearby schools and universities to a meeting. Our annual Polio Plus drive also concludes during the month of February and it's a good time to talk about international community service projects, and even make a contact with a Rotary Club in another country. Some of the international projects that the Rotary Club of Franklin is involved in include Project Panama, Shelter box, Wheelchairs and the Group Study Exchange. If you have any questions about these projects please see club International co-directors Sandy Frazier or John Henning. Any questions about Polio Plus see club chair Fred Berger.



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Assistant District Governor: Jodie Cook

President: Nancie Wilson

President-elect: Susie Ledford

President-nominee: Sean Gibson

Secretary: Patsy Parker

Treasurer: Fairley Pollock

Vocational Service: Lenny Jordan

Community Service: Judy Chapman

Youth Service: Larry Hollifield

International Service: John Henning and Sandy Frazier

Foundations Chair: Jim Garner

Membership Chair: Linda Harbuck

Program Chair: Debbie Tallent

Public Relations Chair: Dick Pritts/Sean Gibson

Sgt. At Arms: Bill McGaha

Immediate Past President: Gary Dills

Thanks for all you do in service!



Rotary Service for 2/19..

Pledge, Prayer, 4 Way Test: Fred Alexander

Greeter: Tom James

50 50 Drawing!

Pot starts over at zero
for our February 19th
meeting after
Kenia Alvarez won
\$25. There will
be 13 cards in the
deck remaining!



1 Ticket —\$1.00
3 Tickets —\$2.00
5 Tickets —\$3.00
10 Tickets—\$5.00
25 Tickets—\$10.00

Next Regular Meeting 2/19 Jeff Meo-Veteran's Em- ployment (DGND Gary Dills-Host) See you at 12 noon Tartan Hall!