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Wiping Out Polio

By AG Sean

Today's speaker was Phil Drake, CEO of Drake Software. He shared with club members his personal experiences with polio in which his dad lived with the terrible disease all of his life. When Phil's father was young he moved to Hiawassee, Ga.

And was treated at the Shriner's Hospital in Atlanta. Children back then used to take a tea spoon of Vaseline. Later in 1951 Clyde got married and returned to Franklin. He attended Mars Hill and had his tuition paid for because he was disabled. The college did not have handicapped accessible facilities. He did, however develop a strong upper body because he could not control his legs. He drove a car with a left foot accelerator and air brakes on the dash. Clyde, later opened an accounting practice and passed away at the age of 64 in 1988 after living his last several years in a wheel chair. Phil's message to the club

was that he hopes the world can co operate and wipe out this dreaded disease completely. This was a great program which ties into world polio month for the month of August. If you are interested in helping with the polio efforts see Polio Plus club chair Lee Berger.



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Community Service Announcements

Chair Patrick Betancourt announced that the club has gotten approval for the Community Care Clinic district grant! The club will be awarding the clinic \$4,000! Also the filling the back packs will be returning once again this year. More details to follow.

More PHF's Recognized Wednesday!



Four more PHFs were recognized today at both Jeff Gillette and Patrick Betancourt both achieved Paul Harris

Fellow Status. Also recognized today was Linda Harbuck PHF 1 and Bud Siler a PHF 5. Congrats to these folks! Just another great example of giving to the foundation.



Blue Jars Again!

CART Chair Sam Blasingame wants to continue the clubs great CART effort. We will all be collecting in larger blue jars. Email sblasingame@yahoo.com or See Sam!

Lenny Presented with Theme Banner



IPP Lenny was presented with the 2016-17 "Rotary Serving Humanity Banner" for his great work during the past year! Congrats Lenny!

Some Announcements!

The next BREW meeting will be this Monday 530p at Currahee Brewing Co.. Mark your calendars. The next board meeting will be Monday August 14th at Lazy Hiker 530p. The grants management seminar is Saturday Aug. 26th at AB Tech. Sign up on Dacdb.

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We Are Getting Down To Crunchtime!

Folks we are just a week and a half away from our one and only fundraiser Saturday Night July 29th at MVI

DINNER & AUCTION

MUST PRESENT TICKET FOR ENTRY

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ROY RICKMAN
Scholarship Fundraiser

\$100 Donation

Saturday, July 29, 2017

6:00 pm Mountain View Intermediate School

NO TAKE-OUT MEALS

WINNER CHOOSES ONE OF THESE 2017 VEHICLES OR \$16,000 CASH



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Franklin Ford



JEEP RENEGADE SPORT 4X4
Smoky Mountain Jeep



PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT LOCAL
& INTERNATIONAL ROTARY PROJECTS

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As of now we have 398 tickets turned in with 102 left to go. Please contact all your previous year buyers and anyone you know. If you have tickets left over please bring them to next week's meeting so we can get them sold. But in the meantime lets make a push to sell um. Congrats on program ads as the club topped last year's number of ads with 68!. **We are in desperate need of silent auction items. We also need cakes to auction off that night. Please see Susie!**

In addition, if you have not signed up for helping at the event that night see John Short. Let's make it our best yet!

Keep Cindy and John in Your Prayers!

Got word Wednesday that Cindy Rodgers and husband John were both in a recent car accident. Let's keep um in your prayers.

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Fred's Funnies

Oxymorons.....



1. Is it good if a vacuum really sucks?
2. Why is the third hand on the watch called the second hand?
3. If a word is misspelled in the dictionary, how would we ever know?
And if you can't spell a word, how can you find it?
4. Why do we say something is out of whack? What is a whack?
5. Why does "slow down" and "slow up" mean the same thing?
6. Why do "fat chance" and "slim chance" mean the same thing?
7. Why do "tug" boats push their barges?
8. Why do we sing "Take me out to the ball game" when we are already there?
9. Why are they called "stands" when they are made for sitting?
10. Why is it called "after dark" when it really is "after light"?
11. Doesn't "expecting the unexpected" make the unexpected expected?
12. Why are a "wise man" and a "wise guy" opposites?

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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2017-18

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Assistant District Governor: Sean Gibson

President: Judy Chapman

President-elect: Janet Greene

President-nominee: Rich Peoples

Secretary: Patsy Parker

Treasurer: Jim Garner

Vocational Service: Rich Peoples

Community Service: Patrick Betancourt

Youth Service: Larry Hollifield

International Service: Stacy Guffey /Susie Ledford

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Membership Chair: Amy Manshack

Program Chair: Debbie Tallent

Public Image Chair: Paul Garner

Flywheel Editor: TBA

Sgt. At Arms: Tom James/Kyle Ledford

Immediate Past President: Lenny Jordan

Thanks for all you do in service!

Upcoming Events



Jul 26—Rickman Wrapup

Jul 29—Rickman Fundraiser
at MVI 6pm

Aug 2—TBA

Aug 9—Gov. Bill's visit

Aug 14-Bd Meeting at Lazy
Hiker 530p

50 50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



Next Meeting:

Wed. July 26th. Rickman
Wrapup.. See you 12
noon Tartan Hall

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Jim Garner did
not win the 50 50
drawing..money
rolls over to July
26th.