

Rotary Club of Franklin, North Carolina

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WE ARE DOWN TO THE WIRE!

Article by Tom Coley

At the July 24th regular meeting, John Short moderated a wrap up report on our efforts for the Franklin Rotary Club's Roy Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser Raffle and silent auction event at the Mountain View Intermediate School this Saturday, July 27th at 6:00 pm. All of the various committee chairpersons were pleased with our progress and encouraged the club to give this final push to get us over the finish line.

Pasty Parker thanked her team and those that donated items. She proudly reported that the silent auction committee had an impressive array of silent auction items donated that included a car, a Caribbean Cruise, and even an autographed baseball by Bobby Richardson. Pasty said we still are in need of door prize items and volunteers to help organize and set up display tables on Saturday at 10:00 am. She also suggested that club members who purchased silent auction items wait until the following Wednesday meeting to pay so that our guest could check out that evening expeditiously.

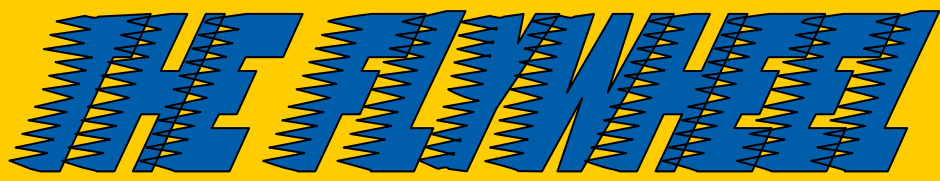
Sandy Frasier thanked all for their support of this year's program. He pointed out that the program not only showcased local businesses but highlighted the great work of Rotary and our local club. At printing time, we had over \$5200 in ad sales which should net the club around \$4700 toward expenses for the event.

Tom James asked his committee and volunteers to begin set up operations in the gym on Friday afternoon at 2:30 pm. Also, he will need help with take down and clean up after the event on Saturday. Sean Gibson asked all servers to report at 4:45 pm and greeters to be there by 5:00 pm. We will begin serving at 5:30 pm. This year's policy requires a ticket stub for admission and there will be no take-out orders.

Mike Norris "gleefully" reported that based on turned in sales with money collected, we had 391 tickets sold and the remaining tickets were spoken for. His goal was to have everything wrapped up by this Thursday so he could begin preparing the tickets stubs for the drawing. He thanked his horsemen and the club members for another great job of selling the raffle tickets.

All are reminded to wear your Rotary shirts, **smile, have fun and celebrate Rotary!**

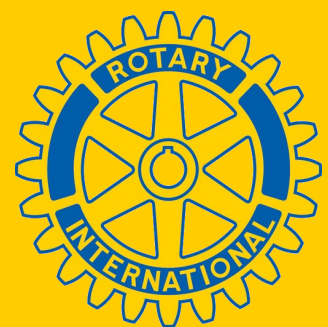




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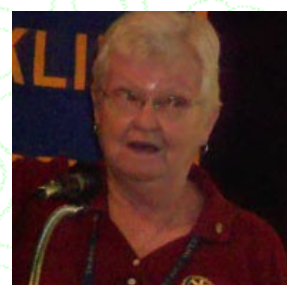
Welcome Greg Farrell!

The Rotary Club of Franklin welcomed its newest member Greg Farrell on July

24th. Greg is a sales representative at Franklin Ford and is sponsored by Mike Norris. Let's welcome Greg to the Rotary Club of Franklin!

Our First 5th Week Social is this Thursday 8/1!

The Rotary Club of Franklin board recently approved a special event that will take place four times per year when we have 5 meetings in a month. Its our 5th week social. Our first one is Thursday Night August 1st 5p at Fatz. Please come for food fun and fellowship (Dutch Treat). WE WILL have our July 31st Meeting next Wednesday..



Reminder on Remaining Tickets...

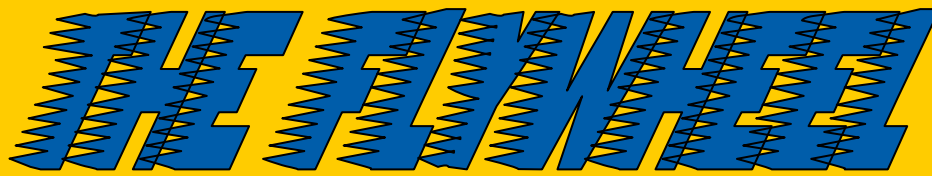
Any last minute tickets sold need to be turned in to Mike Norris at his office (Wayah Insurance). Great work Rotarians... Thanks again for your efforts!



Trip Opportunity...

Past DG Dennis Sanders is giving Rotarians a chance to see part of the world. Dennis and a group of Rotarians will be going to Croatia in May. If you would like to go..please see Dennis. Availability is limited so hurry and grab your spot!





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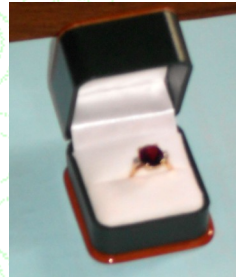
Nancie's Notes



We got great news today that all 400 raffle tickets are either sold, or will be sold by close of business on Friday! Our Roy Rickman Scholarship dinner, raffle and silent auction along with the program for that event is our only fund raiser of the year. We've all pulled together to make this event the best ever, and I appreciate all of you!

At its June meeting your board voted to have a 5th week social every 5th week of the month. We will have our first 5th week event on Thursday, August 1st at 5:00 p.m. at Fatz Cafe. Aug. 1st is not a 5th week Club meeting date, but due to a program being presented by one of the Rotary District representatives at our July 31st meeting, the 5th Wednesday of July meeting could not be cancelled. So in order to kick off our 5th week social, your Club Administrator, Susie Ledford and I decided to move it to Thursday, Aug. 1st to get things started. It's "wing night" at Fatz, which will be a fun and tasty time! All 5th week social events will all be Dutch treat. If you have a friend or co-worker who's interested in Rotary, invite that person to our 5th week social to meet some of our members and allow some of our members to get to know your potential member.

Thank you again for all your hard work on our Rickman Scholarship event. See you Saturday, July 27th at Macon Intermediate School. If you're working at the event, be there at 4:30 to have your meal. Otherwise doors open at 5 with food served beginning at 5:30.

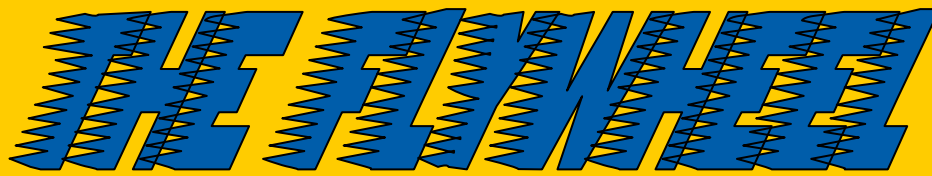


More Last Minute Items are coming in. Please Continue to get Items.

We did get a new high value item on our silent auction (4 Ct. ring with garnet set in 14 ct. gold valued at \$1200). We're still looking for a bid on the 19-99 Toyota Corolla but we now have a bid of **\$600** on the wonderful cruise and we have a bid of **\$300** on the Bobby Richardson Auto-graphed Baseball. That's the good news. **HOWEVER** we are still looking for more quality items on this year's Roy Rickman Silent Auction and Fundraiser. **You Still have a last minute opportunity** to gather those items. We will be updating the website and Facebook as well as the Flywheel with bids and pictures of some of the larger items. This is a major part of our fundraiser in addition to ticket sales. July 27th is this Saturday Night. Please get your items to your auction team leaders with paperwork filled out. Thanks for all you do for the Rotary Club of Franklin.

Volunteers Needed and Please Come Early if you'd like to Eat Beforehand!

We need help with setup Friday (230p) and Saturday. Please see Rotarian Tom James. We also need greeters, 50 50 help (5p), and food servers (445p) on the day of the event. Please see Rotarians John Short or Sean Gibson. If you would like to eat beforehand please come around 430p on Saturday. All hands on deck....your help makes it a big success!



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Women in Rotary

(taken from an article at rotary.org)

As Rotary clubs continue to promote diversity in their membership, Rotary is marking a milestone. Anne L. Matthews, a Rotarian from South Carolina, USA, began her term on 1 July as the first female vice president of Rotary International.

"Women have contributed significantly to Rotary initiatives, and will continue to do so," says Matthews, who is also the first woman to serve as both a Rotary Foundation trustee and an RI director. "No doubt, the unfortunate and sometimes misleading image of 'an old boys' club' will be buried for good. "Whether the job is done by a male or female is immaterial," she adds. "What is important is that the individual who serves is effective in that role. With that said, I am extremely proud to be the first woman vice president and am thankful for the California pioneers who pursued membership of women in Rotary." A member of the Rotary Club of Columbia East, Matthews has served Rotary in numerous capacities. In addition to her service as trustee and director, she has been a regional Rotary Foundation coordinator, RI president's representative, lead seminar trainer for the International Assembly, Future Vision Committee member, RI training leader, and district governor. She is a recipient of Rotary's Service Above Self Award and The Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award. Matthews is a Rotary Foundation Benefactor, Bequest Society member, Major Donor, and Paul Harris Society member. Locally several women have served as club president of the Rotary Club of Franklin over the years including Linda Harbuck (the first woman to serve), Cardy White (also served as district secretary), Susan Gibbs, Hank Shuler, Elbie Stiles, Ashley Vinson and current president Nancie Wilson. President-Elect Susie Ledford will serve as club president next year. Several women have also served as club officers in year's past including Fairley Pollock and Patsy Parker for 2013-14. Club president-nominee Sean Gibson was inducted into his first Rotary Club in Elberton, Georgia with the first women admitted into that club in 2002.



National Guard Care Packages

IPP Gary Dills presented the Sylva's club National Guard Care Package project to send a "touch of home" to the 30 local National Guardsmen who have been deployed to Afghanistan. Each package cost \$27 and the Club's Board has voted to fund 5



of the packages. Gary requested that interested members fund 5 additional packages. There is nothing more meaningful to deployed guardsmen than receiving a care package from his home region. Please see Gary or Tom James if you wish to fund a care package.

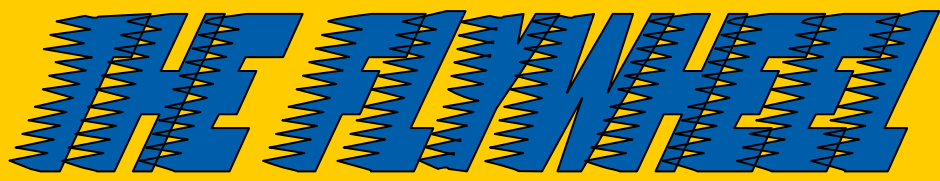
Keep Cardy in our Prayers

Our Rotary Club of Franklin Historian, longtime member, past president and past district secretary Cardy White recently had an accident and we ask that you keep her in your prayers and thoughts. Cardy, we miss you, get well soon!

Franklin's Own in the Latest Edition!

If you haven't opened your August edition of the Rotarian Magazine (the one with former longtime U.S. Senator and Rotarian Dick Lugar)...you need to. Check out page 61. It contains a list of all the Rotary International Service Above Self Award Winners for 2012-13 by districts that submitted the award and listed next to District 7670..our own **Sanford "Sandy" Frazier**. Sandy was given the award at the district conference this past April by IPDG Frank Dean.





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Rotary Service for Next Week's Meeting 7/31



Greeter: Robin Jenkins
Prayer/Pledge/4 Way Test: Jim Bross
(Angel Medical Center)

Message From District 7670..Help Needed in the Philippines!.

Bill Biddle, from the Rotary Club of Asheville-Breakfast, has been asked by PDG Frank Dean to accept the responsibility of leading a team to the Philippines to distribute 560 wheelchairs. He is both happy and privileged to do so, but will need four individuals who would like to serve on the team from District 7670, to help distribute these wheelchairs in the Philippines.

The team will leave on Friday, August 23rd, flying Delta airlines from Greenville, SC, around noon and arrive in Manila, Philippines the night of Saturday, August 24th, at 9:25 p.m. (Manila Time). The time allotted for distribution in both districts will be 12 days plus two travel days. Team members should plan on being gone two weeks. Return travel will be Sunday, September 8th, leaving Manila at 6:25 a.m.

Team members will need the following:

- 1 - A valid passport, and the passport must be valid for at least 6 months after leaving the Philippines.
- 2 - It is a good idea to go to the County Health Department to get any shots that the Health Department would recommend for going into that country.
- 3 - Participate in at least one team meeting, to be briefed about the culture in the Philippines, lodging arrangements, customs, travel in-country, etc.
- 4 - The Philippines is hot, humid and rainy this time of year. Team members should bring a rain coat with hood.
- 5 - Thus far, there is a possibility of incurring lodging expense in Quezon City for 4 nights but Bill is working on that and hope to have a commitment that will cover this expense.
- 6 - The team will be briefed about what wheelchair assembly is necessary and how to assist in the distribution.
- 7 - Please contact Bill at (828) 216-0281, if you are interested in participating.

One Day 36 Hole Tournament!



Franklin Daybreak Rotary Club
25th Annual
CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

WHEN: Saturday, August 17th, 2013
WHERE: Mill Creek Country Club, Franklin, NC (828)524-4653
WHO: Open to the First 20 teams to sign up

- 36 Hole - 4 Person Captain's Choice •
- 36 holes flighted after first 18 holes into two flights (paying 1st four teams in each flight) of 10 teams •
- **Team Cash Prizes for each Flight •**
- 1st Place - \$800 | 2nd Place - \$600 | 3rd Place - \$400
- 4th Place - Foursome of Golf with cart at Trillium and Kingwood
- \$5,000 Cash for any and all hole in ones on Par 3's •
- \$50,000 Shootout for the four closest to the pin winners after lunch •
- Calcutta for the afternoon round paying two spots in each flight •
- Skins game for morning round •
- Putting Contest • Closest to the Pin • Long Drive • No Mulligans

FRIDAY 8/16/13 - Practice Round. Special Cost - Cart fee only \$17. Tee times start at 1:00 with optional Skins Game (Call Pro Shop at 524-4653 to schedule tee time)

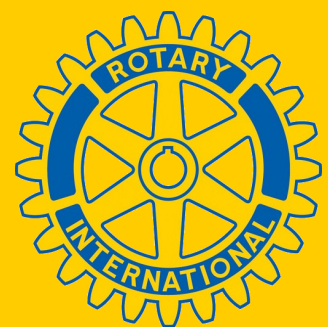
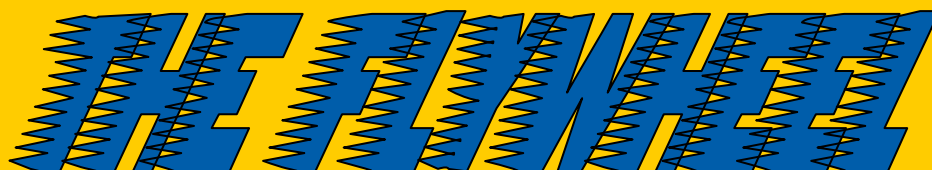
SATURDAY 8/17/13 • 8:00 Shotgun Start - 1st Round of Tournament
• 12:30 Burger Cookout while teams are flighted
• 2:00 Shotgun Start - 2nd Round of Tournament
• 6:30 Awards Ceremony

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|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| <u>Player 1</u> | _____ | <u>Player 2</u> | _____ |
| Phone | _____ | Phone | _____ |
| <u>Player 3</u> | _____ | <u>Player 4</u> | _____ |
| Phone | _____ | Phone | _____ |

ENTRY FEE: \$100.00 per player Please make check payable to: Franklin Daybreak Rotary Club
Mail check and entry to: Mike Wood, Wayah Insurance, PO Box 999, Franklin, NC 28744 , 828-524-4442 Ext. 310

Foundation Message

[Club members who contribute to the Foundation via the RI web site will also need to notify the Club's Foundation Chair, Jim Garner (garner@wayah.com). Although online contributions are credited to the member's account, our Club's Foundation Chair is not notified of any contributions given via the RI web site.]



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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2013-14

District Governor: Ronnie Thompson

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!

We Take Plastic!

Immediate Past-Pres. Gary's and Pres. Nancie's boards have authorized the use of credit cards to pay Club dues effective July 1st. An additional \$5.00 will be added to the dues for any member using a credit card. The \$5 will offset the cost to the club charged by the credit card agency.



August is membership and retention month

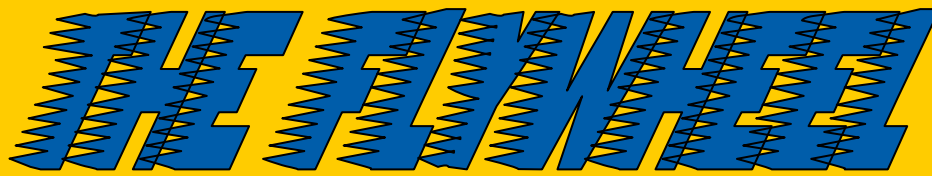
To keep clubs strong, every Rotarian must share the responsibility of bringing new people into Rotary. Even new members can bring guests to meetings or invite them to participate in a service project. The value of Rotary speaks for itself, and the best way to spark the interest of potential members is by letting them experience fellowship and service firsthand. More information is available at rotary.org on this theme. A way to keep retention of membership is to encourage members to participate in service projects or other club functions.



Please Give to the Blue Buckets!

At each and every Rotary Club of Franklin the C.A.R.T. buckets

are placed at each table. Please drop in your excess coins or extra green-backs as those monies help the ongoing Alzheimer's Research!



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Mark Your Calendars for the District 7670 Foundation Seminar.

If you are interested in the foundation seminar it has been scheduled for Saturday August 17th 930am At A-B Tech in Asheville. Cost is \$25 per member and the club will reimburse you. Let's have a great showing at the seminar! If you are interested in going see President Nancie and you can also register online at the district website



Making a Big Gift to the Foundation

Carl Davis, Major Gifts officer with Rotary International will be in the district July 31-August 4th. He would like to meet individually with those interested in making a major gift to the Foundation. Contact P.E. Nancie if you would like to have an appointment to meet with him.

50 50 Volunteers Needed for 2013-14

The 50 50 drawing is a big part of each of our regular meetings and we are in need of three people to rotate throughout the Rotary year.. If you would like to help with the 50 50 drawing please see president Nancie, program chair Debbie Tallent or Rotarian Tom James. Thanks for your service!



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

50 50 Drawing..

No winner in this week's 50 50 Drawing. Here honorary member Tom Hubbell got the winning ticket but did not draw the winning card. Monies roll over to the Saturday Night's event.

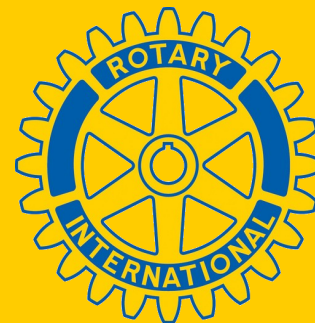


Don't Forget This Saturday Night July 27th: Rickman Event at MVI. Next Week's Meeting July 31st: Council on Legislative Overview (Dennis Sanders-Host) See You at Noon at Tartan Hall....



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|--|--------|--|--|
| July - Engage Rotary, Change Lives | | | |
| Sat Jul 27, 13 | 05:00P | Roy Rickman Raffle, Silent Auction, and Dinner | Mountain View Intermediate School |
| Wed Jul 31, 13 | 12:00P | Council on Legislative Overview-Jim Efland | Dennis Sanders has the program. |
| August - Membership & Extension Month | | | |
| Thu Aug 01, 13 | 05:00P | 5th Week Social | Fatz Cafe |
| Wed Aug 07, 13 | 12:00P | Program pending | Robin Jenkins has the program. |
| Tue Aug 13, 13 | 05:30P | Board Meeting | Fat Buddies' Restaurant |
| Wed Aug 14, 13 | 12:00P | Gene Robinson of Webster Enterprises | Mike Norris has the program. |
| Fri Aug 16, 13 thru Sat Aug 17, 13 | 09:00A | Daybreak Rotary Golf Tournament | {enter event location here...} |
| Wed Aug 21, 13 | 12:00P | Galaxy to the Star with Paul Lormand | Sandy Frazier has the program. |
| Wed Aug 28, 13 | 12:00P | Club Assembly | Tartan Hall |
| September - New Generations Month | | | |
| Wed Sep 04, 13 | 12:00P | New Member Introductions | Linda Harbuck has the program. |
| Tue Sep 10, 13 | 05:30P | Board Meeting | Fat Buddie's Restaurant |
| Wed Sep 11, 13 | 12:00P | UNC-TV: Tom Howe, Gen. Manager | Gary Shields has the program. |
| Wed Sep 18, 13 | 12:00P | CART Program with Bill Shillito | {Wayne Swank is hosting program} |
| Wed Sep 25, 13 | 12:00P | Barium Springs with Autumn Weil | John Short has the program. Tartan Hall |
| October - Vocational Service Month | | | |
| Wed Oct 02, 13 | 12:00P | Long-Time Members Intro | Becky Montgomery has the program. |
| Tue Oct 08, 13 | 05:30P | Board Meeting | Fat Buddies Restaurant |
| Wed Oct 09, 13 | 12:00P | Interact Club w/Larry Hollifield | Tartan Hall |
| Wed Oct 16, 13 | 12:00P | Little Tennessee Land Trust with Chris Brower | Stacy Guffey is host at Tartan Hall, Bill McGaha is Greeter. |
| Wed Oct 23, 13 | 12:00P | Club Assembly | Tartan Hall |
| Wed Oct 30, 13 | 05:00P | 5th Week Social | Chris and Charlie's Restaurant, Highlands Rd. |
| November - Rotary Foundation Month | | | |
| Wed Nov 06, 13 | 12:00P | Rotary Foundation With Jim Garner | Tartan Hall, First Presbyterian Church, 26 Church St., Franklin NC |
| Tue Nov 12, 13 | 05:30P | Board Meeting | Fat Buddies |
| Wed Nov 13, 13 | 12:00P | WNC Radon Program with Phillip Gibson | Derek Roland is host at Tartan Hall |
| Wed Nov 27, 13 | 12:00P | No Meeting-Happy Thanksgiving! | {enter event location here...} |
| December - Family Month - Happy Holidays | | | |
| Tue Dec 10, 13 | 05:30P | Board Meeting | Fat Buddies |
| Wed Dec 11, 13 | 12:00P | Children's Christmas Party | Tartan Hall |
| Wed Dec 18, 13 | 12:00P | Caroline's Perform | Clayton Ramsey is host at Tartan Hall |



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