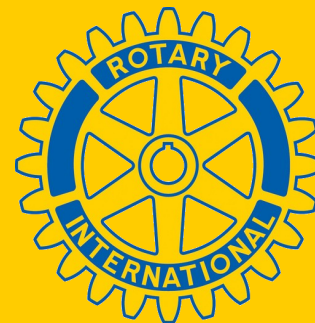




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Club Assembly-Updates from Directors and Chairs

By PN Sean Gibson



Members of the Rotary Club of Franklin got an update on the Rotary Year 2013-14 from various directors, chairs and board members on August 28th. Wayne Swank, chair of the club's C.A.R.T. fund announced the club was off to a pretty good start as it has collected over \$300 in C.A.R.T. funds since July 1st. Last year the club finished at almost \$1200 collected. Rotarian Wayne asked members to try to bridge the gap between what is collected by the Rotary Club of Franklin and Daybreak, which has some of the highest funds collected in the district. Swank also mentioned that C.A.R.T. is one of the

few projects where all monies go toward Alzheimer's Research. Keep it coming Rotarians! DG-Elect Gary Bray informed members that three Rotary Clubs in North Carolina will be celebrating 100 years and DG-Elects around the state from the six districts will be helping to celebrate the milestone with heavy awareness on Alzheimer's research.

The club also got a foundation update from IPP Gary Dills who is a member of the District Foundation Board. The Club is already at \$1400 in foundation giving and he encouraged members to make your contributions as soon as you can. The foundation is vital in funding projects that we conduct each year.



President Nancie also selected IPP Gary Dills to chair the nominating committee that would select a president-nominee designate to serve as club president in 2016-17 as well as push forward the slate of officers for 2014-15 that will be selected by President-Elect Susie Ledford.

John Henning, International co-chair informed members that volunteers are needed as well as supplies for this Rotary year's trip to Panama and on the community service side he encouraged members to volunteer for the upcoming Purple Pinky Booth at the Macon County Fair the week of September 9th. Individuals are needed for set up on that Monday at 9am as well as Wednesday

through Saturday.

Youth Services chair Larry Hollifield reported that an interact representative from the Middle School is in need for this year.

Lenny Jordan, vocational chair, announced he has the Bob and Helen Carpenter Scholarship Committee lined up to include Susie Ledford, Robin Jenkins, Nancie Wilson and new member Sam Blasingame. For more information on the new Rotary Year, see Pres. Nancie Wilson.

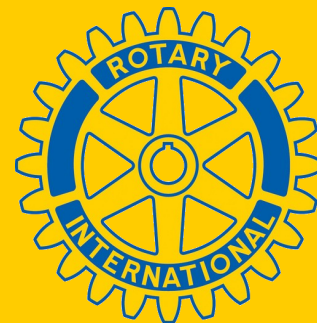




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Board Meeting Moved to Monday....

Our September Rotary Club of Franklin Board Meeting has been moved to Monday. Board members and club members please mark your calendars for Monday September 9th with social half hour at 5p and meeting at 530p at Fat Buddies'.

Keep Roger and his wife in your prayers...

Sad news on Wednesday as honorary member Roger Collar will have to head back to Florida for the year. Roger informed board members on August 28th that his wife, Marge recently fell and injured herself and is currently being treated at Angel Medical Center.

It was also learned on Wednesday that Roger is also experiencing health issues. Let's keep Roger and his wife Marge in our thoughts and prayers.



September is New Generations Month



It is the responsibility of each Rotarian to prepare the New Generations by improving their life skills to ensure a better future, while recognizing the diversity of their needs. All clubs and districts are encouraged to undertake projects that support the fundamental needs of the New Generations: health, human values, education, and self-development. The RI Structured Programs for New Generations are Interact, Rotaract, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Rotary Youth Exchange.

A club's involvement in youth programs not only can help attract younger prospective members who have families, but also can lead to increased satisfaction and retention amount current members, who gain a sense of fulfillment by working with your people. As an added benefit, involving the community's youth in Rotary's programs and service projects teaches them about Rotary's extraordinary work and prepares them to become the Rotarians of tomorrow.



Membership Minute

This is the second official posting for Keith Keller being proposed for membership into the Rotary Club of Franklin.

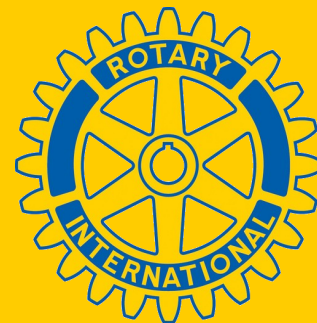
Keith is employed at Drake enterprises and is being sponsored by Pete Gonzalez. If anyone has any concerns or questions, please see president Nancie or any board member. Also we are sad to report the resignations of both Derek Roland and David Adams. Derek and David, both with the Town of Franklin, will be missed.



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Nancie's Notes



August completes Rotary's membership and extension month. We are so pleased to have welcomed two new members into our Club during the first two months (July/August) of this Rotary Year, Greg Farrell and Sam Blasingame. We all need to work throughout this Rotary Year to bring new members into our Club. When you invite a friend or co-worker to join Rotary, one of the first things that person may ask is, "What are the benefits to being in Rotary?" The answer to that question is multi-fold: opportunities for participation in community service, international service, vocational service, youth service, as well as networking, and friendship.

Rotary is also "family-friendly." That means that we offer several opportunities for Rotarians and their families to participate in Rotary activities throughout the Rotary year. The Relay For Life event for the American Cancer Society earlier this summer was an opportunity for us, along with our children and grandchildren, to get out and participate in an activity that served our community, that gave us recognition as a working club, and helped raise money for a very worthy cause. Coming up next is our booth at the Macon County Fair in September. I hope that as many of you that can will participate by volunteering to work at our Rotary booth where we'll be giving information about Rotary and about our Club. Bring your children or grandchildren along, too. The Macon County Fair is always fun, and is always kid-friendly. See Judy Chapman or Susie Ledford to sign up to volunteer at the Fair. And finally, this reminder: Due to my teaching schedule, I've had to change our Board meetings to Mondays for September and October. Our next Board meeting will be Monday, September 9th at Fat Buddies. Social half-hour is at 5, meeting begins at 5:30. Directors and committee chairs expected, and Club members are always welcome!

Chili Night in Clayton

The event will not only be a chili cook off but a community event to spotlight local charities and bring people together for an evening of food and fun.

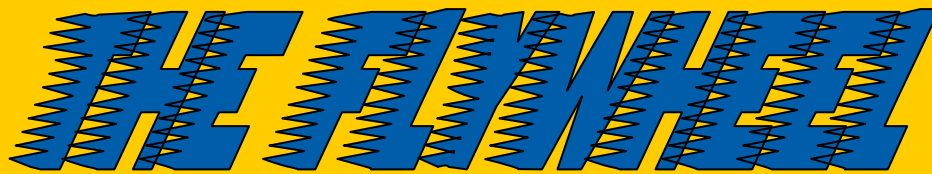
Saturday September 28th—Downtown Clayton—Ramey Blvd.

Sponsor of the event is the Clayton Rotary Club and all proceeds will be going to the Clayton Rotary Foundation which helps provide scholarships for the youth of Rabun County, Georgia and support to other local charities.

Clayton's Corner Undeniable Adult Truths Part 1



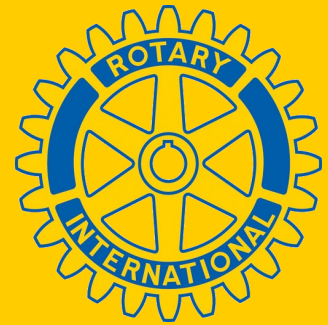
1. I think part of a best friend's job should be to immediately clear your computer history if you die.
2. Nothing stinks more than that moment during an argument when you realize you're wrong.
3. I totally take back all those times I didn't want to nap when I was younger.
4. How are you supposed to fold a fitted sheet?
5. Was learning cursive really necessary?
6. Map Quest really needs to start their directions on # 5.
I'm pretty sure I know how to get out of my neighborhood.
7. Obituaries would be a lot more interesting if they told you how the person died.



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Sgt. Bill's "THIS DAY IN HISTORY"

from Club Sgt. At Arms Bill McGaha



On this day August 28th..

1609-Explorer Henry Hudson discovers Delaware Bay...

1845-Scientific American Magazine publishes its first issue...

1922-The first radio commercial airs on WEAJ in New York City...the ten minute ad airs for \$100..

1963-Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. delivers his historical "I Have a Dream" speech to more than 200,000 gathered in Washington, DC.

Please Give to Blue Buckets!

At each and every Rotary Club of Franklin meeting 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!



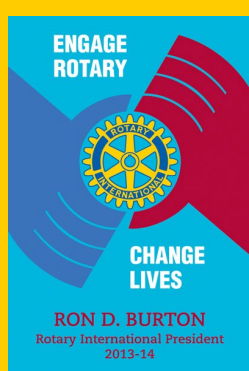
Need Volunteers for the Fair..

We are still looking for volunteers to work our commercial booth at the Macon County Fair the week of September 9th. Set-up volunteers are needed that Monday 9/9 at 9am and volunteers are needed for the fair Wednesday through Saturday. If you would like to volunteer see Community Service Chair Judy Chapman or President Nancie. Rotary is becoming more of a "hands on" organization and volunteers are much needed to continue to conduct service projects.



Foundation Message

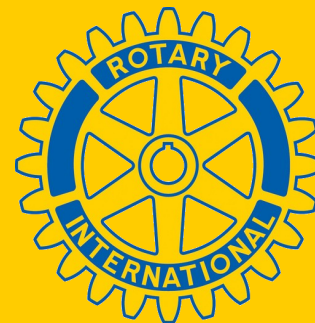
Club members who contribute to the Foundation via the RI web site will also need to notify the Club's Foundation Chair, Jim Garner (garner@wayah.com). Although online contributions are credited to the member's account, our Club's Foundation Chair is not notified of any contributions given via the RI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



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Rotary and the 70th Anniversary of D-Day

Normandy Invasion veteran and French

Legion of Honor medal recipient Ash Rothlein has the goal of locating, sponsoring and hosting 250 D-Day, Normandy Invasion veterans and recipients of the French Legion of Honor medal to attend the 70th Anniversary of D-Day on June 6, 2014, at the National D-Day Memorial. DG-Elect Bray is hoping to have all of the districts in North Carolina and Virginia help Ash find and sponsor those veterans. More information will be coming out within the next few weeks. If anyone has any questions or would like to help in the project, see 7670 DG-Elect Gary Bray..



District Grant Funds Available

The Rotary Club of Franklin Board recently decided to re-submit a grant for \$1000 for Community Care since we now have members volunteering there. If members know of other local organizations that members may be associated with and are in need of some funding, please let President Nancie or any Board member know as soon as possible. Grant submissions need to be in by the end of September.

We are ordering Shirts Again!

The Rotary Club of Franklin will be putting a shirt order together soon. The shirts will be available in short sleeve and long sleeve. New members, this is a great opportunity for you to purchase a shirt as well as existing members who would like to get some additional ones. See PE Susie. More details coming!

New Rotary International Website

For nearly two years, RI has been working to refresh and revitalize Rotary's website and on August 26th, the new website will be unveiled to our members and the public. Two distinct versions of the website

- 1. My Rotary (for members)** All members will be encouraged to register and sign in when visiting the site. Members will be able to better engage through their own customized experience based on their interests, and conduct their Rotary business more easily than ever before. The new website will eliminate the need for the Member Access Portal (MAP). Those currently registered in MAP will simply be prompted to re-register when first visiting the site and will then be able to access tools previously located in MAP, such as the ability to edit club data, use Rotary Club Central, etc.
- 2. Rotary.org (for the general public)** The public site tells our story to external audiences in a fresh, streamlined way, encouraging people to get to know Rotary and learn about all the great work Rotarians are doing all over the world. The website's "search" engine is now powered by Google, making locating documents, articles and tools much easier.

Important changes **"Contact this Club"** - Visitors to the site can submit a request online to learn more about a specific club and membership. The RI Board has requested that an email be automatically sent to the District Governor and Membership Chair to notify you of this request, they will then follow up as appropriate with the club. **Security** - As part of the new launch, we are also adopting industry leading security measures to manage your IDs and passwords. To facilitate this transition, any MAP user who logged in within the last year will go through an abbreviated re-registration process.

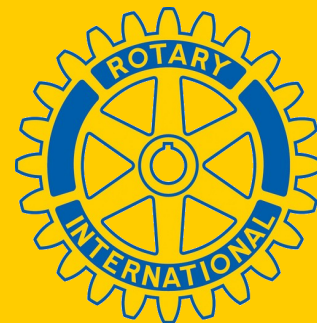


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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2013-14

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!



**Rotary Service for
Next Week's Meet-
ing 9/4 Greeter:
Gary Shields**

**Prayer/Pledge/4 Way Test:
Fred Berger**

Flywheel Lineup for 2013-14

Thanks to those volunteering in helping with the Flywheel. Demi Bray has agreed to write the first week of each month and the fifth week. John Short will be third week and Tom Coley fourth week. Debbie Tallent is our photographer for next year. If anyone would like to write the week two meetings please see club PR Director Dick Pritts.



**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 as Tommy Jenkins does not pull the winning card. The \$51 pot rolls over to September 4th with 10 cards remaining.

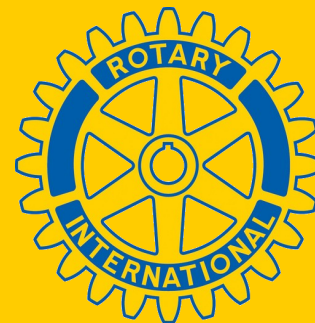
**Next Week's Meeting September 4th: New Members
Introduction (Linda Harbuck-host) See you at Noon
at Tartan Hall....**



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DATE	TIME	EVENT NAME	LOCATION / COMMENTS
September - New Generations Month			
Wed Sep 04, 13	12:00P	New Member Introductions	Linda Harbuck has the program.
Mon Sep 09, 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 20, 13	12:00P	Free Wheelchair Missions w/Jim Hardy & Duncan Wheale	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
Wed Dec 25, 13	12:00P	No Meeting, Merry Christmas!	{enter event location here...}
January - Rotary Awareness Month			
Wed Jan 01, 14	12:00P	No Meeting, Happy New Year!!	{enter event location here...}
Wed Jan 22, 14	12:00P	Club Assembly	Tartan Hall, 1st. Presbyterian Church

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