



FLYWHEEL

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Southwestern Community College—Small Business Center

Tom Harris introduced today's program team lead by Tiffany Henry, Director of Small Business Center at SCC. Tiffany spoke of their Workforce Innovation program which is a continuing education program at SCC to help local businesses in Jackson, Macon and Swain Counties. Tiffany then introduced her team from the Small Business Center. First to speak was Janet Weigel who spoke on the number of businesses in Macon County eligible for the program, outlined the number of training hours performed over the last fiscal year and the dollar impact on the region.



Scott Sutton spoke next on occupational short term training. Scott indicated that the training sessions are geared to businesses in the local job market such as: table gaming for the local casinos, professional office management, bar tending, brewing etc., phlebotomy, pharmacy technician, computer technician, medical transcription and electronic medical records. He said they also having training programs at the LBJ Training Center.



Ginny Williams then addressed the area of enrichment and licensure. She said the SBC mission was to envision a future in which SCC is WNC's premier asset for enriching lives and improving communities. Some of the areas of continuing education training are: auto technician, notary public, electrical contractor, real estate broker and medical and mental health. Ginny said that there were other enrichment programs such as: Gardening, travel, professional enrichment, fitness and dance, languages, fine and performing arts, photography and writing.

Tiffany Henry discussed SCC and the SBC's 30 years of support and assistance to small businesses, start-ups and troubled businesses. She indicated that SBC access to capital in FY 14-15 was more than \$2.3 Million with an additional \$360,000 of owner investment. Tiffany outlined the services offered: confidential one on one consulting, business plan development, assist in research for funding sources, loan package development and free seminars on various business topics in the evening. She reported that over 1260 people received information and had networking exposure this past fiscal year. Tiffany touted three of their programs were successful this past year and would be continued in the future. Those programs included: 1st Annual Craft Artist Business Plan Competition (included 14 people from Macon County), 1st Annual Appalachian Farm School (22 farmers from Macon County) and the collaborative projects with WCU. She posed the question: How can you serve our community through workforce innovation? And followed with: teach a class, take a class, tell others of the programs available, and provide scholarships and funding.





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Catering Update



PE Lenny Jordan brought the club up to date with the status of the catering contract for the club's meals starting the first of the year. He reported that we received four proposals and the committee selected one of

the proposers to do a sample meal for us on November 11th. The members will then be able to fill out a survey sheet rating their opinion of the meal and its presentation. From there the committee will make a recommendation to the board on the suggested direction the club go in regards to meal catering.

Rotary at WCU Football!



President Sean attended last week's WCU game in the rain with his "purple poncho." Sean has 4 tickets for the Nov 7th game versus Furman. See Sean if you would like to go to the game compliments of WFSC. **Just email Sean at seangbsn@gmail.com.**

Veterans Day Parade Make-up

President Sean reported that Mayor Bob Scott shared the data on this year's Veteran's Day Parade to be held on Wednesday, November 11th. Members who want to attend the parade can get a make-up. The club's regular meeting will be held that Wednesday at Noon at Tartan Hall.



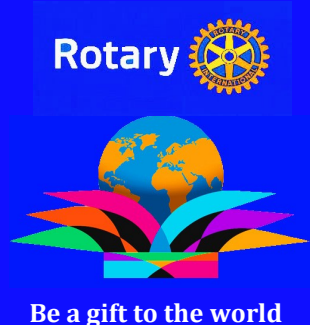
Roger Collar Update

Fred Lindstrom reported on the status of longtime summer member Roger Collar of Tallahassee. Roger told Fred that due to his and his wife's health challenges that they would no longer be able to spend their summers here in Franklin. Roger asked Fred to pass on his best wishes for the club and to keep he and his wife in our thoughts and prayers.

Dick Elsberry's Last Meeting 'til Spring 2016

Dick Elsberry, a summer member from Englewood, FL, along with his wife will be heading south this week-end. Dick gave his best wishes to the club and encouraged the club to keep up there great work in the local community.





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4 - Way Test-Sign Up Now!!

Amy Manshack announced the schedule of the upcoming 4—Way Test at Macon Middle School. The first presentation will be on Friday, Oct 16th at 8:00 AM. Amy sent around the volunteer sign-up sheet for the four upcoming 4-Way Test programs at MMS. The schedule for the three remaining 4—Way Test programs at MMS will be: Friday, Oct 23rd; Friday, Nov 6th and Friday, Nov 20th. Scott Maslin, principal at MMS shared with Amy a letter from a student from a couple years ago who went through the 4—Way Test program and how it helped him in a personal family situation. Scott loves the value that the 4—Way Test gives to his students. This is a great program to volunteer for so please see Amy to sign up.



Membership Minute

This is the second posting for Dr. Belinda Petricek sponsored by Dr. Cheryl Davids and Bill Baker sponsored by John Yermack, both being proposed for new membership. If you have any questions or comments please direct them to President Sean or any board member.

GOLF TOURNAMENT FRIDAY October 9th

HIGH VISTA COUNTRY CLUB | REGISTRATION 11:30AM | SHOTGUN START 1PM
\$75 PER PERSON OR \$300 FOR A TEAM | PRICE INCLUDES LUNCH, GOLF AND CART.

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Rotarians Partners- Birthdays

Brenda Garner—Oct 7

Frankie Jacobs—Oct 9

Theresa Siler—Oct 12



TOURNAMENT HOLE SPONSOR INCLUDES LOGO SIGN ON HOLE	\$100	NAME OF INDIVIDUAL OR BUSINESS	ADDRESS
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Rotary Shirts to be Ordered



PE Lenny Jordan has the catalog for the selection of Rotary shirts. If you are interested in ordering a shirt or shirts Lenny will have the catalog at the next few meetings and the new shirt

order will be placed soon after the new member orientation on October 20th. If you don't have a Rotary shirt it's a great time to get one. The cost will be added to your dues invoice.

Rotary is Everywhere..

Even on the back of trucks....photo



courtesy of the Rotary Club of Franklin's Hoyt Massey.

Rotary Service 10/14

Prayer/Pledge: Stacy Guffey

Greeter: Jim Boss



Clayton's Corner

More As I Age A Retired Person's Perspective



- You know that tingly little feeling you get when you really like someone you've just met? That's common sense leaving your body.
- I don't like making plans for the day. Because then the word "premeditated" gets thrown around in the courtroom.
- I didn't make it to the gym today. That makes 1,500 days in a row.
- I decided to change calling the bathroom the John and renamed it the Jim. I feel so much better saying I went to the Jim this morning.

New Member Orientation and Board Meeting October 20th!

Our New member orientation will be on Tuesday evening October 20th from

6:30 PM to 8:00 PM at Cat Creek Lodge. The board meeting will precede the orientation meeting from 530p-630p





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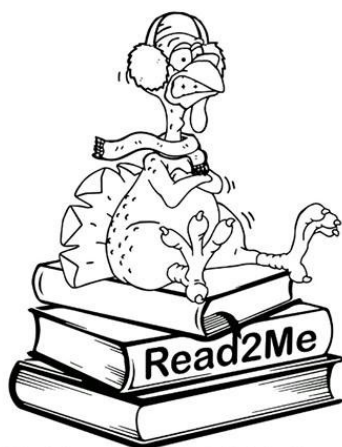
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October is Economic and Community Development Month

The Rotary Foundation invests in people to create measurable and enduring economic improvement in their lives and communities by: 1. Strengthening the development of local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities..2. Developing opportunities for decent and productive work, particularly for youth..3. Building the capacity of local organizations and community networks to support economic development ..4. Supporting studies related to economic and community development.



COLD TURKEY 5K

NOVEMBER 26, 2015 THANKSGIVING MORNING.

877 Ulco Drive Franklin, North Carolina.

A Franklin Holiday Tradition.

A portion of the entry fees will be donated to "Read2Me" program. Read2Me is a community initiative in Macon County, North Carolina, with the goal to put books into the hands of children. Read aloud to your child today!

Race Entry Fees: Cold Turkey 5K: \$20 (before 10/31) \$25 (before 11/22)

RACE DAY: \$30/\$15 without event shirt

Little Turkeys FUN! Run/Walk: \$10 (before 11/22) **RACE DAY:** \$15.

Race day registration starts at 8:00A.M.

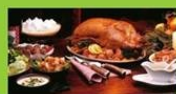
(Register by 11/20 to be guaranteed an event shirt. Event shirts are limited on race)



All pre-registered 5K racers will receive a draw string carry bag from Southern Charm filled with some "Race Goodies" -Example: PowerBar



Bring 5 Children's Books and save \$5 off the race day entry fee of Cold Turkey 5K (\$25 entry fee)



Raffle prizes:
Thanksgiving Dinners
Baked Pies From Rosewood Market of Highlands, NC
(Raffle tickets can be purchased during Cold Turkey 5K)

COLD TURKEY 5K/LITTLE TURKEYS FUN! RUN/WALK
877 Ulco Drive
Franklin, N.C. 28734

For Race Info Call:

(828)421-7637

Cold Turkey 5K starts at 9:30A.M.
Little Turkeys FUN! Run/Walk starts at 9:00A.M.

Flywheel Volunteers Needed

Flywheel Editor Dick Pritts is looking for volunteers to help produce the weekly Flywheel as well as a volunteer to be the main photographer at our meetings. Dick is looking for a couple of volunteers to be trained on the Publisher program used in producing the weekly Flywheel. Dennis Sanders has volunteered and Dick is looking for at least two more volunteers to join him and Dennis in the training. Dick has two volunteers to be back-up photographers but is looking for one lead photographer. Please email Dick at: rdpritts@aol.com or call at: 828-349-9748.





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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2015-16

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Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent ...Flywheel Editor: Dick Pritts

Sgt. At Arms: Jacob Reiche

Immediate Past President: Susie Ledford

Thanks for all you do in service!

Upcoming Events



Oct 14— Community Care Clinic

Oct 20—Board Meeting at Cat Creek Lodge at 5:00 PM; new member orientation at Cat Creek Lodge at 6:30 PM

Oct 21— YMCA

Oct 28— Richard Tarleton on Fitness

50/50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



50 50 Drawing

Dennis Sanders did not win the \$114 pot so the pot rolls over next week with 8 cards. Perfect time to buy tickets!



Next Meeting
Wednesday October
14th —Tom James
host. See You 12
Noon Tartan Hall

