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Coins for Alzheimer's Research

By AG Sean

On Wednesday CART District Chair Dennis Sanders introduced the program with a video entitled "Remembering No More" on how CART came to be. CART stands for Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust and was started by Roger Ackerman of the Sumter, SC Rotary Club. Roger had a passion for finding a cure as he was effected by mother in law being diagnosed with the disease. The video talked about the evolution of the "blue buckets" and how Alzheimer's effected a patient at an assisted care facility in Rock Hill, SC.



The video also featured Dr. Allen Levy of Emory University who was the first grant recipient for his cure research from the CART Fund. 100 percent of that money donated by Rotarians and the community goes toward Alzheimer's research. Robert Hall former zone director and chair of the Atlanta International Convention and his wife also have a passion for finding a cure for the dreaded disease. Bill Shillito, PDG from 7670 and current executive chair for CART, was also interviewed.

Dennis gave us an update prior to the video stating the club has presently, after a \$1,000 donation, collected \$7,400 this Rotary Year for CART! That's an more than double last year's total of \$3,500. Great work Rotarians and keep the pedal to the metal as, even though our club is currently first in the district, there will be other clubs making a late year push to try to get that top honor. Don't stop now!!



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Membership Minute

This is the second posting for Ashley Mitchell proposed for new membership. Any questions comments or concerns see any board member. We plan on inducting both Julia Langley and Ashley in the next week or two.



More CART Contributors

On Wednesday the club recognized Mike Norris for his contribution to

CART. Great work Mike and to all club members keep up the great work!

Foundation Contributions

Mike Norris-foundation chair recently stressed the importance of making your foundation contributions. He gave the club an update on where it was so far for the year and that you have



an opportunity to make it very easy through Rotary Direct. See Mike and he'll get you started!!

Board Meeting and BREW Meeting This Tuesday!!

Our monthly board meeting will be Tuesday Night March 14th at Lazy Hiker 530p. We also have a BREW Fellowship 530p that same night and location. Two great ways to makeup!

Stop Hunger!

The board approved \$500 to be allocated to the Sylva joint Stop



Hunger Project. The project will take place Saturday March 11th 10a at First Methodist in Sylva. If you would like to volunteer see President Lenny! The Satellite club has signed up and it would be great to have a good noon club showing there..

Rotary Service 3/15/17

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Greeter: TBA

Prayer/Pledge/4 Way: DG Gary



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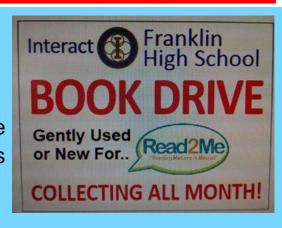
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FHS Interact and Satellite Club Collecting Books!

The Franklin High School Interact Club is presently collecting books through March for the Read2Me project. The Rotary Club of Franklin Evening club has also gotten involved. Please drop off any unwanted new or gently used books to be donated to the pro-



ject. Interact has the drive going in several classrooms at the high school and the satellite Club has a couple of drop-offs at some businesses like American Computer Sales and Gooder Grafix. Last year the club collected some 650 books and this year they are shooting for 1,000. Lets help them get there!!



AG Sean Needs Flywheel Editor VERY SOON!

If you are interested in publishing the newsletter each week please see AG Sean. He would like to let someone else do this. Its

difficult for him to continue during the day.

Doesn't take more than an hour and a half each week. We need to find someone soon as Sean will no longer be able to do it as of July 1st which means there will no longer be a Flywheel after that time. We can train that person before they take it over. See Sean or Stephanie Smith!

Collecting Supplies for Panama

Sandy Frazier will be leaving in the next few weeks for Panama and needs medical supplies and school supplies. Please bring to next meeting! Also thoughts and prayers going out to Sandy for the loss of his daughter n law.

Back Pack Fill 3/27

If you need a makeup or would like to be involved in a community project, please plan on participating in the next back pack fill Monday 3/27 at CareNet 4 -6p. See Patrick Betancourt and sign up now!



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Notes from The Top



If there is one thing this club is great at, it is giving! I know many of you must think, "It seems like I am always being asked to GIVE at Rotary!"

Ok, I admit, we do ASK for your talents and your money to make the world a better place. After watching the CART video yesterday, my wife Jean who rarely comes to meetings, was moved by the video and said afterwards. "That is something we should really support!" I hope you felt the same way! CART really is about pennies, and the jars you fill really will and have had a difference. Everyone of us has a "Vera" we know that has been affected by Alzhimers!

While I am talking about money...yes, we do ask that you give something to the Foundation each year. WHY? Because that money is used to do the BIG projects Rotary undertakes. From Polio to water and sanitation grants. Did you know that this year alone, OUR CLUB will receive almost 3X the money we give? You might say HOW? Well, we are beginning the Ocoto Alto Sanitation Project in Peru this year. We will be

building 100 healthy latrines for folks that do not have even the basic need...a bathroom. We will be receiving money from the District and from the Global Fund that allows us to do the project. Our part is barely \$6K of a \$46,000 dollar project! So your donations do make a real difference.

So please, give generously to the Foundation! If that is \$25, ok. If you can afford more, that is great too. Next week, I will announce a challenge opportunity to make your donation count even more and to get to that next Paul Harris level. Stay tuned.

While we do ask for money, we also provide some of the money given back to you through participation in the District Conference (partial refund of registration fees), Rotary International Convention, (partial payment) and other events throughout the year. Each one of you should try to take advantage of the many opportunities to broaden your knowledge of Rotary, but more importantly remember we are: SERVING HUMANITY THROUGH SERVICE ABOVE SELF!

Evening Club Meets Tuesday!

The RC of Franklin Evening satellite Club is now meeting on **Tues-**

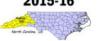


day's 630p at Lazy Hiker. Tell a friend about the club. Just another option to serve as a Rotarian!



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District Conference April 28th-30th!!

Nows the time to make plans for the upcoming District Conference in Hickory. There will be a free youth conference on Friday 10a-3p..dinner for Rotarians Friday Night then the regular



conference Saturday and breakfast Sunday. Earn a PHF for registering the highest percentage of Rotarians in your club category size for the Young Leaders and District Conference in Hickory April 28-30, 2017!! Club is reimbursing first 20 members \$75 on registration fee. **Register now at rotary7670.org for the conference!!!District only \$145**

Fred's Funnies

Great Puns for Some Punny People

- 1. Two antennas met on a roof, fell in love and got married. The ceremony wasn't much, but the reception was excellent.
- 2. A jumper cable walks into a bar. The bartender says, "I'll serve you, but don't start anything."
- 3. Two peanuts walk into a bar, and one was a salted.
- 4. A dyslexic man walked into a bra.



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The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2016-17

District Governor: Gary Dills

Assistant District Governor: Sean Gibson

President: Lenny Jordan

President-elect: Judy Chapman

President-nominee: Janet Greene

Secretary: Patsy Parker/Debbie Tallant

Treasurer: Jim Garner

Vocational Service: Karen Kenney/Rich Peoples

Community Service: Patrick Betancourt/Jim Wilson

Youth Service: Larry Hollifield/Belinda Petricek

International Service: Stacy Guffey /Susie Ledford

Foundation Chair: Mike Norris/Vic Perry

Membership Chair: Amy Manshack/Paul Garner

Program Chair: Janet Greene/Vic Greene

Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent/Bill Baker

Flywheel Editor: Barbara Lawrence/Dennis Sanders/Lee Berger

Sgt. At Arms: John Hubsch/Sam Blasingame/Mike Watson

Immediate Past President: Sean Gibson

Thanks for all you do in service!

Upcoming Events



Mar 11-Stop Hunger Sylva

Mar 14-Board Meeting and

BREW Fellowship at lazy

Hiker 530p

Mar 15-TBA

Mar 22-Water Treatment

Plant

Mar 29-5th Week Social TBA

50 50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

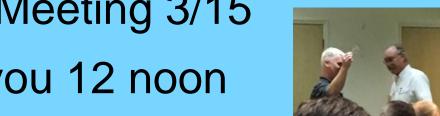
3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00





Jacob Reiche did not win the 3/8 50 50 drawing. 12

cards left in 3/15 drawing.



Next Meeting 3/15 See you 12 noon Tartan Hall