



THE FLYWHEEL



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Franklin Rotary 2014-15 Bucket List

By Dick Pritts

President Susie outlined what she sees as her goals for what she calls the "Franklin Rotary Club 2014-15 Bucket List."

Goal one is to increase fellowship time at the meetings. Our three Sargent of arms Sandy Frazier, Jim Garner and Dennis Sanders will see that this happens and with gusto. She whole heartedly agrees with "Laughter is the best medicine!" Goal two is increasing membership. She applauded last year's 13 net member increase and indicated that that now makes us a "large club." August is membership month and each member is requested to bring a prospective member to the August 27th meeting which will also be our "Rotary Day" event.

Goal three is increased public image with Debbie Tallent heading this up. The goal is to get our club out to as many public events and get the recognition for what we are doing for our community.

Goal four is increased attendance with perfect attendance recognition to be given quarterly. No make ups count so you need to show up at the meetings to win the attendance award.

Goal five is to increase the CART fund giving. Last year we raised about \$1250 with the Coins for Alzheimer Research Trust or roughly 33 cents per member per week. Keep bringing as many coins as you can each week!

Goal six is increase club activities. August 27 will be our Rotary day at the Big Bear Shelter at Wesley Park at the Greenway. We will have a club picture taken. September 17 will be "pin day" and all members are asked to wear all your rotary pins. Most pins win!



Goals seven is to increase member involvement. Each member is asked to find an area of interest and then to volunteer. There are many areas of opportunity: clean-up Greenway, Read 2 Me, Care Net, Four Way Test and Thanksgiving Dinner at Tartan Hall as examples. Susie asked each to write "their" bucket list item for Rotary and to place them in the buckets of service areas at the end of the meeting.



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Sargent of Arms

Sandy Frazier one of the three Sargent of Arms for this year announced that there will be no fines for member's pictures in the local press. This is a notice to all politicians and other mem-

bers who have had their pictures in the newspapers and have decided to stay away from meetings to avoid the fines administered last year! The only fines will be for any comments of Stand-up Susie!! Sandy and Jim Garner presented Susie with a official RI Standup Step!

Cakes for Silent Auction

President Susie announced that there will be a sign-up sheet next week for members who will bring a homemade custom cake for the silent auction this year. There will be a committee to pickup your cake on the day of the event in case you cannot bring it yourself.



Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser Volunteers Needed



John Short updated the members with the latest status of the Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser stressing that there are about two and a half weeks left in this our only major fundraiser and the importance of selling all 400 hundred tickets, getting as many ads for the program as possible on getting as many silent auction items as possible. John reported that Tom James will be in charge of the four areas that volunteers are needed . A sign-up sheet will be at the next meeting for members to sign up in their area of interest. The four volunteer categories are: Set-

up, serving line, kitchen and clean-up at the end of the event. Be sure to be ready to sign-up next week. We need all members participating to make this event a success again!



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Roy Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser
ROTARY CLUB OF FRANKLIN
\$100 Donation Saturday July 26th, 2014
6:00 pm at Mountain View Intermediate School
ADMIT TWO Prime Rib Dinner and Silent Auction
Tickets Checked At Door No To-Go Meals
Proceeds To Benefit Local & International Rotary Projects
WIN YOUR CHOICE OF ONE OF THESE
2014 CARS OR \$15,000 CASH!

 **Dodge Dart SE**
Jim Brown Chrysler

 **Chevy Sonic LT**
Smoky Mtn Chevrolet

 **Ford Focus S**
Franklin Ford

Keep those
Tickets Coming
In!
As of this
week...**254** tick-
ets have been

Upcoming Events

16 July.. Top Ten/
Rickman Scholarship
Fundraiser final plan-
ning meeting

23 July... Last organization meeting be-
fore Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser

26 July.. Rickman Scholarship Fundraiser
at MVI

30 July.. No Noon meeting—Social at Mo-
tor Company Grill at 5:00 PM



turned in for our upcoming Roy Rickman Silent Auction
and Fundraiser July 26th. Great work Rotarians!! keep
it up.. **Now's the time to be calling everyone on your
list as we make a final push the last couple of
weeks before our event..**

Auction Items —Please continue to bring in silent
auction items as we **NEED MORE ITEMS**. Each Ro-
tarian should be able to provide at least one item to
the silent auction event and/or ask a retailer to donate

an item that can be
auctioned to raise ad-
ditional dollars for
scholarship fund. We
just received some
additional ones. Please turn in your items

to Patsy as soon as possible. **Program Ad Sales** —each
Rotarian was asked to buy an ad in the program or so-
licit an ad sale from a business
that they use. **Please** get your ads
to Sandy or John Yermack at
Franklin Office & Art Supply by
next Tuesday as we continue to
make the final push on ad sales!



Tickets for a Cruise!

The Rickman
planning committee has decided to do a little
something different this year. We will be
selling tickets for a chance to win a cruise!
The tickets will be sold at the July 26th
Rickman event as well as the BBQ Festival in
August and Fair in September. The cruise will
be given away the last day of the fair. More
details coming! We are in need of volunteers
to help work a table to sell these tickets.
Please see PE Sean Gibson or Judy Chapman!





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Fundraiser for Community care Clinic!

The Monuments Men movie will be
played at the Smoky Mountain Cen-
ter for Performing Arts July 11,
2014 7:00 PM Tickets are \$6 /
Adults \$4 / Kids 12 & under Ticket
sales to benefit the Community

Care Clinic of
Franklin.

Please come
out and enjoy
a great movie
and help keep
our Care
Clinic going!



Roger is Leaving

Great to see honorary member Roger
Collar attendance at our first two
July meetings. Roger is heading back
to the Tallahassee area.

Cardy White

Keep Cardy White in your thoughts
and prayers as she works through
her health challenges. Give her a
call for encouragement or send a
card.

First Posting of Prospective New Members!

This is the first official post-
ing of Shaina Adkins, Summer
Woodard and Tom Hahn. If
you have any comments or
concerns see President Susie
or any board member.



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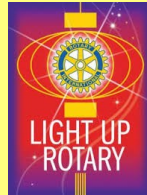
Membership Chair: Tommy and Robin Jenkins

Program Chair: Vic Perry

Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent ...Flywheel Editor: Dick Pritts and Sean Gibson

Sgt. At Arms: Dennis Sanders, Sandy Frazier, Pete Gonzalez and Jim Garner

Immediate Past President: Nancie Wilson



50 50 Drawing!

No winner in this week's 50 50 drawing. The \$33 pot rolls over to the July 16th meeting with 11 cards remaining.



District Grant Scholarship Winner Morgan Henry

President Susie announced at the meeting that Morgan Henry, the local student receiving the District Grant Scholarship to attend SCC, would not be at today's meeting because of a health challenge relating to her cystic fibrosis illness. She will attend a later meeting to discuss her gratitude for receiving the scholarship.



1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00

Next Regular Meeting 7/16: FHS Top Ten with Tommy Jenkins as host..See you at noon at Tartan Hall