

Rotary



Club of Jefferson City Breakfast

Programs

September 9th

Capitol Restoration Project

Speaker: Michael Outami

Subject: Michael Quatam, MO Office of Administration, will give an update on the Capitol building and its restoration work. Prayer: Erik Janeczko

September 14th

Jefferson City Breakfast board meeting

September 16th

Hello from Taiwan

Speaker: Hank Tsai

Subject: Hank Tsai, RYE student 2018-19 will Zoom in from Taiwan and bring club members up to date on all that is happening in his life with school, activities, family and country. Prayer: Steve Dinalfo & Humor: Lindsay Huhman

September 19th

Jefferson City Breakfast Trash pick up

Speaker: Trash Pickup

Subject: Trash Pick Up

September 23rd

Program - Norb Plassmeyer

Speaker: Norb Plassmeyer

Subject: Humor: Kit

Freudenberg

September 30th

To Seed or Not to Seed

Speaker: Nick Rackers

Birthdays

Cathy Carlson

September 22nd

Lance Stegeman

September 30th

Steven N Ahrens

October 6th

Annissa Maness

October 7th

Years of Service

No Years Of Service Found

Piper Entertains, Educates Club Members

By Richard Telthorst on Wednesday, September 2, 2020



Dana DeWeese, decked out in traditional Scottish garb, brought the robust sound of the bagpipe to our club last week. DeWeese has played the instrument for more than 15 years. He was first inspired to learn to play by the 9/11 memorial events that incorporated bagpipe music. Since then, he has played at numerous venues, including ceremonies at the Grand Canyon, the U.S Capitol, and at Gettysburg.

DeWeese said the bagpipe is thought to have originated in Egypt around the year 400. Its design consists of a leather bag, a blow stick referred to as "drones" Each drone has a reed that hums. The blow stick, called a "chanter", can play nine notes and carries the melody. He has learned a wide variety of tunes including military marches, dance tunes, wedding music, and funeral dirges.

If you like what you heard last week, DeWeese is available to play at weddings, funerals, parades and other special events. Give him a call at 573-644-2226 to add him to your next special occasion.

Club Adds First New Member for Rotary Year

By Richard Telthorst on Wednesday, September 2, 2020

Doug Wright III, sponsored by Nicole Slusser, is the first new member of the JC Breakfast Rotary Club for the new year that began July 1. Doug, originally from Detroit, is the founder of **Building Community Bridges**, a non-profit community agency that works to help youth break the cycle of poverty, rebuild the family unit, and build safer communities. His wife Alicia, a native of Jefferson City, serves as the executive director of the organization that began operations in 2017.

We look forward to getting to know Doug better and learning more about the the good work he and Alicia are doing to help families in Jefferson City.



Polio Plus Campaign Underway

By Richard Telthorst on Wednesday, September 2, 2020



Club member Bob Reed will once again lead our efforts to raise funds to contribute to the work of **Rotary International** to eradicate polio from the world. The world-wide **PolioPlus** campaign, began in 1985, has eradicated more than 99.9 % of the disease across the globe. However, because most of the conditions that cause polio to spread still exists, health care providers around the world continue to work to keep the disease in check. Rotary's efforts to provide clean drinking water, bed nets, and soap through the **PolioPlus** program are helping to eliminate the underlying conditions that can spread disease.

The 2020 fund drive runs from now to the end of October. For every dollar club members contribute, the Gates Foundation will match with \$2. Our club's fundraising goal for this year is \$2,750. We have exceeded that amount many times before, so let's do it again !

Trash Pick Up Set for September 19

By Richard Telthorst on Tuesday, August 25, 2020

Club members will gather on Saturday, September 19 to patrol our section of Missouri Boulevard for trash and other treasures left by our fellow citizens since our last pick-up this spring. Plan to meet in the parking lot of the Orscheln Farm and Home Supply, 2304 Missouri Boulevard, at 8 am. Bring gloves if you have them. A fine collection of freshly-sharpened trash pick-up sticks will be available for your use. Festive orange trash bags will be provided free of charge as well. To register for the day, email Steve Erickson at sse7mse@aol.com.



This Week's Meeting: In-Person or by Zoom

By Richard Telthorst on Monday, July 20, 2020



In Response to COVID-19 concerns, Jefferson City Breakfast Rotary is now offering a Hybrid Meeting. You will have the option to participate in the manner most comfortable to you and your health, whether that be in person at our Hy-Vee community room location OR via Zoom.

For In Person attendance Hy-Vee General Manager, Rod Dolph, **has requested social distancing of half capacity (25 people or fewer) and 6ft separation be observed. The wearing of masks is also encouraged except when consuming food or beverages.** It will be up to us as a group to comply with these guidelines, and the liability for any injuries or infection is on each participant individually.

As always, we want our members and guests to be safe, and encourage you to attend the meeting in the manner that is most enjoyable for you, However; If you are experiencing any symptoms or fever or have a reasonable belief you may have been exposed to COVID-19 as a result of travel or contact with an infected person, we politely ask that you attend by Zoom for the safety of our high risk members.

Join us In Person at:

Hy-Vee Meeting Eoom
3721 W. Truman Blvd.
Jefferson City, MO 65109

OR

Via our Streaming Option on Zoom:

[https://zoom.us/j/194707874?](https://zoom.us/j/194707874?pwd=VGwyaUR1cytoMTVGvKpEVStYSnZ2UT_09)

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