

Dear Evening Rotarian,

This has been a momentous week! Sadly, I had to euthanize my old Dell laptop. It had a long, productive, and happy life, but the time had come. I seriously considered moving a sleeping bag and my pillow and camp stove into Best Buy, but the euthanization of the old Dell and the purchase of the new Lenovo were accomplished relatively quickly. I am now in the midst of the learning curve with the dreaded Windows 10. Jim Libey kindly came over and showed me how to turn the computer off, and he gave me invaluable help with connections and software. Thank you, Jim.

Our program this week (August 20) will be Robert Pinhero who will speak about "Conscious Capitalism." He will speak about a system with the wealth-creating characteristics of capitalism, but one with more egalitarian results. Roger and Kit Freudenberg will be greeters, and I will be providing snacks this week.

Dates and events to keep in mind:

8/24/19: Common Ground clean-up at 8:00 a.m. We will be weeding and cleaning in the outside garden in front of Common Ground, at the corner of Clark Avenue and East Atchison Street.

Please bring whatever tools you think you will need: rakes, shovels, weed whackers, choppers, cutters, etc. Gardening gloves, hats, and sunscreen are recommended, as is bottled water. Harry will drive his truck and trailer to carry away debris. We need to turn out in full force for this clean-up, because we need to be finished by late morning because Common Ground is hosting an ice cream social later in the morning.

8.27/19: Suzanne will be the greeter, and snacks will be provided by Jeanne.

8/27/19: Yurick Griggs will present a new-member biography

10/15/19: We will be taking snacks to first responders.

A big welcome to our newest member: Amanda Adams. Welcome, Amanda!

There will be a board meeting following the regular meeting.

I hope to see all of you Tuesday.

Carol