



"Broken Arrow Rotary:
community engaged, committed
and making a difference"

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Broken Record

Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Broken Arrow



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BROKEN ARROW ROTARY BOARD 2020-2021

President..... Lisa Engel
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CLUB DIRECTORS:

Club Service Projects..... Roy Wood
Club Administration/Programs..... Robyn Havener
Club Membership..... Galen Engel
The Rotary Foundation..... Stan Evetts
Club Public Relations..... Debra Wimpee
Rotary After Hours..... Galen Engel
Assistant Governor..... Becky Fields

BA FOUNDATION BOARD:

President..... Janie Green
Treasurer..... Jeff Hewett
Club Treasurer..... Jim Naufel
Past President..... Steve Barnes
Past President..... Lisa Ford
Past President..... Andy Truman
Past President..... Michael Skates

CALENDAR

- Virtual meetings (only)
resume through February.
The board will re-evaluate
the best plan forward later
this month. Information and
Zoom link is emailed each
week.
- 2021**
- 2/8 Mary Beth Wells, A New Leaf
- 2/12 Wonder Woman Movie Social,
5:45, Cinemark 10802 E 71st
- 2/15 President's Day, no meeting
- 2/15 Board meets at 10:30
- 2/18 Crowing Rights Trivia Contest
7-9 pm Zoom
- 2/22 Andrew Ralton, Tulsa Port
Authority
- 3/1 Stan Sallee, Tulsa County
Commissioner
- 3/8 Adam Foreman, BAPS
response to Covid
- 3/15 John Dobberstein,
Toastmasters

Join Our Fund-Raiser for Happy Hands and our Own Scholarship Fund.

TRIVIA CHALLENGE



Thursday, 7-9pm
February 18, 2021

Team members can
safely play from home
and collaborate
online via Zoom.

Crowing Rights Trivia Challenge

While our social distancing may still be needed, this event provides a lot of fun interaction that will allow people to connect, have some friendly competition, and share an abundance of laughter.

Our most recent winners have already confirmed that they will again compete to retain or regain the trophy!

The format will have teams sent to Zoom "Breakout Rooms" with a set of several fill-in-the-blank questions to answer, will have a set amount of time to deliberate, and then rejoin the full contest with their answers delivered. Another set of questions will then be assigned. Sponsors will be noted during the joint session, and Happy Hands will be able to tell their story. This will be a relaxed atmosphere allowing time to use the chat function to bid on silent auction items or run a raffle.

New format, new timing

A Thursday night was selected at the advice of the TriviaHub contact. With no travel needed, they've found a weeknight is more successful. We will use their format of three rounds of eight questions each, which will be short enough to keep the evening relaxed.

Ways to Get Involved

1. Form a Team to Sponsor. \$400 each.
2. Sponsor a Non-Profit team.
3. Donate an item to the Silent Auction.
4. Join a Rotarian team for some friendly rivalry. \$80 per person.



When new parents discover their child has a hearing or communication disorder, they find Happy Hands can change the whole course of their lives. Scholarships help each child to become engaged, happy and able to fulfill their potential. Early intervention gives them the ability to succeed in public schools alongside hearing students.

January 4, 2021 Board Visioning Recap meeting

Our board met in a special meeting to see if we were keeping on track with our 2017 Visioning 5-year plan. Most areas were well on track, especially the establishment of a new fund raiser to replace the golf tournament. Cool Grilles is on track to be very successful.

January 4, 2021 Zoom Assembly meeting

Our new year was kicked off with a club assembly to identify where the club stands and what the plans are to continue flourishing.

The screen image shows the goals President Engel had set for her year, and the achievements made so far. It looks like she is on track for another Presidential Citation.

Roy Wood also spoke about the committees, explaining that some needed leadership. Some of our members agreed to lead those so all are in good hands.



CLUB GOAL STATUS 2020-21

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Membership: (73 of 75) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bequest Society: 1 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service Participation: (45 out of 60) | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Projects (9 of 14) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Member Sponsorship (5 of 5) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interact Clubs (1 of 1) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> District Conference Attendance: 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> RYLA Participation: 6 (cancelled) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> District Training Participation (7 of 5) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review Strategic Plan |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Fund Contrib: (\$2,404 of \$6,000) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Online Presence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polio Plus Fund Contrib: \$1,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Activities: (2 out of 8) |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Update Website & Social Media: 4 |

January 11, Zoom meeting about PACCAR Winch

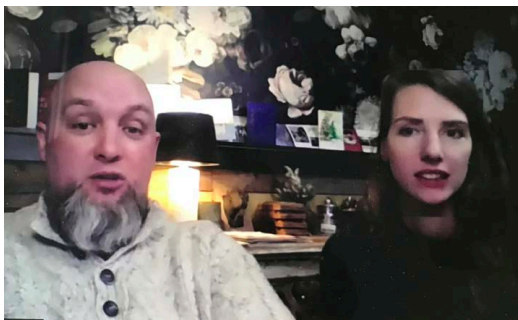
Mike Rogers, president of PACCAR Winch, Inc., spoke about the company and its presence in Broken Arrow. PACCAR Winch products are used in a multitude of applications including military, utility, offshore crane, mobile crane, crawler tractor, marine, and related industries.



January 18, board meeting, no club meeting for MLK Day

January 25, Zoom meeting with Tallgrass Estate Planning

Riley and Laurel Kern spoke to us about business succession and personal estate planning. Their company, Tallgrass Estate Planning, is focused exclusively on estate planning, including business organization and succession planning. The firm emphasizes an informal approach with professional standards.



January 29, Social event at the Nook Brewery

See story and photos on page 3.

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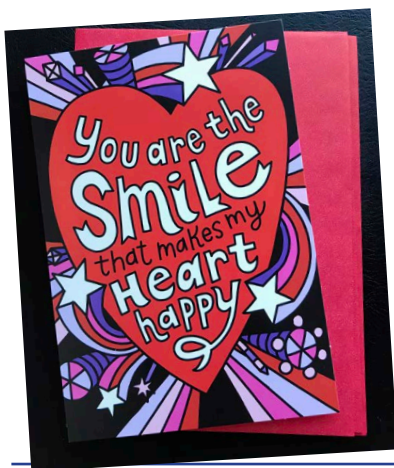
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February 1 Zoom meeting. Darla Heller Chamber EDC Workforce development.



Darla Heller, above left, spoke to us about how a suitable workforce is the most important factor in a company's choice to locate in Oklahoma. Working with local education facilities helps the Economic Development Corporation develop that workforce. The career assistance they provide has helped numerous folks change career paths and find well-paying employment. Above right is Amber Smith, who joined the EDC last fall, bringing much workforce development expertise.



Great Club Project for Everyone to Do.

Our club is holding a Valentines Day card project for nursing home residents. We would like to have these turned in by next Monday's meeting, so they can be distributed to nursing homes in time for Valentine's Day. This is a project that everyone can participate in as it does not require interaction with others. Cards can be purchased on Amazon. A package of ten Hallmark cards with envelopes can be found for \$7.69. Card packs can also be purchased

at Walmart or at Dollar Tree for .50 each. If you need cards, please let Lisa Engel know and someone will get them to you.

A friendly greeting in each card will be sufficient. Completed cards can be dropped off or mailed to Tiger Town Tees, 309 N. Aspen Avenue, Broken Arrow, OK 74012. The cards will then be taken to BA nursing homes. Please take a few minutes to brighten someone's day. Thank you!

Special Announcement

The Tulsa World is recognizing the businesses in the suburbs. We can each help promote our businesses and sponsors. The **Best of the Burbs 2021** uses this link: <http://go.tulsaworld.com/bestintheburbs2021>. The deadline is February 7th, and many of our Rotarians and their businesses are nominees.



A Movie Social Event is planned for 2/12

Cinemark in Tulsa is providing private movie showings limited to 20 people per theater. We have the entire theater for this showing.

On Friday, Feb 12th at 5:45, we have rented the Cinemark Tulsa 10802 E. 71st St. The movie will be "Wonder Woman 1984." Numbers are strictly limited for social distancing in the theater, and this show will only be for members and families of BA Rotarians. If you would like to go, contact Lisa Engel soon to get your name on the list.

Ten are already signed up, so check with her soon to reserve your seat.



Steve's brother, Tyler Barnes died Jan 12, 2021. He is shown here at the left with Steve Barnes. We are so very sorry for your loss and pray that you will find comfort in memories.



The folks pictured here enjoyed a social event at the new Nook Brewery on 1/29. There was ample room to distance themselves, and the beer was great! The group included: David Kirby, Mike Scrimsher, Galen and Lisa Engel, Roy Wood, Jenny and Chane Cothran, Robyn Havener, Zarrja Young and Greg Genua.



Social at the Nook Brewery