



The Funriser

Jul 22, 2019

Meetings 6:45 a.m. Wednesdays – Marriott Tulsa Southern Hills Hotel – 1902 E. 71st Street
“Rotary Connects the World”

This Week’s Program & RoD

Tulsa Historical Society. RoD: Jack Freese

Program Preview

The Tulsa Historical Society and Museum is located at 2445 South Peoria in the Travis Mansion. They have eight rotating exhibit galleries featuring events from Tulsa’s past. It is truly one of Tulsa’s hidden gems. Since the exhibits change frequently, you need to visit frequently. They are also available for special events (weddings, anniversaries, etc.). And you can schedule a guided tour. We will be treated this week with a personal presentation about the Society and Museum.

Rotarian of the Day

Jack Freese has been a Sunriser since 1982. He has served as Club Secretary, Community Service Director, Vice President, and President. He is currently International Service Director. He is a graduate of Notre Dame and the University of Oklahoma and continues an active law practice with more than 50 years of experience. His wife, Patty is a regular at Sunrise events and always lends a hand. She’s also famous for the meal she serves at the New Member Training event that they host in their home. They have two sons who are also successful in business.

Future Programs

Jul 31: Dr Ross Clark, Veterinarian & former Sunriser.
RoD: Ellie Tonquest

Aug 7: Lynn Archibald, “Listen Up” Listening Skills
RoD: Joy Ondracek

Aug 14: Rolf Hofnagel. District Governor Presentation
RoD: Barney Tonquest

Aug 21: Todd Lasseigne, Tulsa Botanic Gardens.
RoD: Barbara Smallwood.

Upcoming Events

Jul 24: Lobster Fest Meeting at the Fund Your Org office, 400 Riverwalk Terrace #210 in Jenks, right after our Sunrise meeting. It’s a make-up.

Jul 27: Tulsa Hills Youth Ranch day of service. Contact Jim Milburn for details.



Aug 24: Lobster Fest! It’s next month! See sunriselobsterfest.com for details. Mark Welty is coordinating, but it requires the effort of everyone! The club IS the committee! Continue asking for auction items, ticket/table sales, and sponsorships.

Sep 5: Sixth Annual Power of a Nickel Funraiser at the Mike Fretz Event Center, 6:30-9:00. Doors open at 6P. More information @ <https://powerofanickel.org/funraiser>.

Sep 27, 28, and 29: District Conference at the Tulsa Southern Hills Marriott. Details are being shared at each meeting. We should be considering ourselves as the HOST CLUB for this District Conference. Please make sure it is on your calendar and please plan to attend. It literally could not be any easier!

Upcoming Rotaractions

Jul 26 NEW: Rotaract Cook-out at the home of Jessica Carney. Spouses and children welcome, but please give her advance notice if you plan to drop in.

Aug 7: Rotaract Monthly Meeting at Bricktown Brewery on Brookside from 6-7pm. Register at tulsarotaract.com.

Aug 28: NEW Rotaract’s Annual Social at Doc’s. 5:30 pm at Doc’s Wine & Food, Tulsa.

Sep 26: And of course, **Wine, Cheese, and Chocolate 2019!** A lot more info at tulsarotaract.com

Last Week’s Club Biz & Visitors

No meeting. No Biz. And hopefully no visitors who went to the hotel looking for us.

Last Week’s Program

In lieu of our regular meeting last Wednesday, we were guests at the Tulsa Air and Space Museum (TASM), where we were treated to a pre-opening tour of the U.S. Space Program (NASA). This is another of Tulsa’s hidden gems. In addition to a lot of really cool aviation

memorabilia, TASM reaches out to schools all over NE Oklahoma to promote STEM education. They will be starting a fund drive to expand the facility in the very near future. The need for more space was really evident. What they do with the space they have is nothing short of amazing. We are very grateful to Barbara Smallwood, who is the current Chairwoman of the TASM Board, for setting this up.



Birthdays & Anniversaries this week

Birthdays: Kit (7/24)

Wedding Anniversaries: None this week

Club Anniversaries: Gifty and Courtney (both 7/25, 1 yr); Barbara (7/23, 16 yrs)

Summer Food Drive (from Jim Milburn)

Sunrise will run a summer Food Drive focusing on these critical items for now:

- Pasta Sauce/Spaghetti Sauce
- Plain Rice (bags or small box)
- canned Chicken or Salmon

Pot of Gold

Balance is still \$99. Technically no meeting last week, but those who attended the field trip to TASM were credited with a makeup.

Huh?

Advertisement in a pawn shop:

Guitar, for sale..... Cheapno strings attached.

**ONLY 33 DAYS UNTIL
LOBSTER FEST.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS
WEEK TO DO YOUR SHARE?**

Huh #2

Seen on a bulletin board:

Success is relative.

The more the success, the more the relatives.

Another...

The surest sign that intelligent life exists elsewhere in the universe is the fact that they have never tried to contact us.

Board Meetings Changed

As noted in the Club Board box below, our new Board has changed their monthly meeting day and time. My guess is that Monday Night Football will keep some of those meetings short!

2019-20 Sunrise Club Board Members
 President: Tim Holder
 President-Elect: Barbara Smallwood
 Past President: Linda Ortega
 Secretary: Bill Lawson
 Treasurer: Mike Bibby
 Sergeant-at-Arms: Meagan Medina
 Director, Club Service: Kay Hays
 Director, Community Service: Jim Milburn
 Director, Vocational Service: Carol Orr
 Director, International Service: Jack Freese
 Director, Youth Service: Vacant. Volunteer?
 Other Club Appointees:
 RI Foundation Chair Mike Bibby
 Webmaster Herb Orr
 Secretary Attendance Kit Sprague
 Membership: Carolyn McGhay
 Funriser Editor Steve Care
Board Meetings: (unless change notified)
2nd Monday each month, 6PM, Marriott
 Tulsa Southern Hills Hotel – 1902 E. 71st St

**2019-20 Sunrise Foundation
Board Members**
 President: Paul Mikes
 Vice President: Andy Leithner
 Secretary: Barney Tonquest
 Treasurer: Joy Ondracek
 Past President: Bob Archibald
 Board Member: David Francis
 Club Liaison: Barbara Smallwood
Board Meetings: (unless change notified)
 2nd Thurs ea month, 6 pm (Maple Room)
 Hardesty Library, 8316 E 93rd