



The Big Wheel

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This Week's Program - June 29, 2021

This week we prepare for the new Rotary year. We'll announce our new officers and board members. We'll say thank you to those who are finishing their terms.



Gary Higgins, Current President of the Rotary Club of Jonesboro, will pass the torch to **Gary Clark**, President-Elect. The meeting will also feature other transitional protocols as we begin a new year in the life of our organization.

Covid impacted our Rotary Club but it couldn't quell our spirit. Tune in (in person or online) to hear what we have done in 2020-2021.

Good News, June 15, 2021

Chad Harbison carried the mike.

Lori Chandler was thankful for a successful ear surgery.

Nancy Elphingstone announced that her brother and sister-in-law would be moving into their new home in a month. They have been staying with Nancy since relocating back to Jonesboro.

Marvin Day's college-age son came home last Sunday and will be leaving next Friday.

Emelda Williams and her husband Bill will celebrate their 64th wedding anniversary.

Gary Higgins' oldest daughter Emma was named to the All Star Soccer Team.

June 22, 2021 A-State Innovation System Helping Entrepreneurs - Alan Keith

Our June 22, 2021 program was presented by Alan Keith who presented a program about the Arkansas State University's A-State Innovation System - Helping Entrepreneurs.

There is one thing Arkansas State University has always done, and done well **◆** put knowledge and research together to make communities stronger.

The A-State Innovation System is a coordinated network of sites and support services designed to foster entrepreneurship in East Arkansas. Alan Keith, the new Strategic Advisor for the A-State Innovation System presented this informative program.

You can view the meeting by clicking below:



Club Executive
Secretary
Sergeant-at-Arms



Eugene J. Wing
CCO-Club Comm. Offcr



Lori Chandler
Youth Services Chair



Brian Rega
iPast President



Adam Robert Sartin
Assistant Governor

Events

Meetings are online and in person.

June 29 -- Weekly meeting.
Passing of the Gavel.

Birthdays



Rajendram
Rajnarayanan
June 27th



Kenneth Ray Keller
June 27th



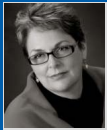
Henry A. Germer
July 2nd



Tom McDonald
July 2nd



Wesley R. Eddington
July 9th



Claudia Shannon
July 11th

Hannah Wimpy Stroupe
July 21st



**A-State
Innovation System
Helping Entrepreneurs**



Photos from the June 22, 2021 Meeting



Report Card - June 22, 2021

Membership

Total Active Members - 132
Active members - 50
Active-Service - 45
Active-Partner - 4
Active-Modern - 9
Active-LOA - 0
◆Active Rule of 85◆ members - 24
Honorary members - 6

Total Attendance - 39
Active Members - 35
Friends of Rotary - 0
Honorary members - 0
Proposed - 0
Guests - 4
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Kathleen Doty Pruitt
July 21st