



The Big Wheel

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This Week's Program - November 30, 2021

Drug Take Back Program

Jonesboro Police Department Evidence Technician, Ann Marie Robinson, will present information on the department's Drug Take-Back Program.

The program is designed for individuals to clean their medicine cabinets but also to take pills off the streets and prevent overdoses. The program provides drop boxes for people to bring their tablets, capsules, patches, and other solid forms of prescription drugs. and discard them in the boxes.

Overdoses and pill addictions are increasing at an alarming rate in the United States. The JPD biannual Drug Take-Back Day Event, held in October and April, hopes this event and others like it around the country, will help to reduce these rates.

The Rotary Club of Jonesboro provided the Drug Take-Back box located at the Jonesboro Police Department, 1001 S, Caraway Road.



Club Leaders



Gary Clark
President



Will Branch
President-Elect
Membership Chair



Jennifer Hannah
Secretary



Nancy Elphingstone
Treasurer



Adam Robert Sartin
Assistant Governor

Events

Meetings are online and in person.

November 30 -- Weekly meeting. Jonesboro Police Department, Drug Take Back Program.

December 7 -- Weekly meeting. Rotarian Sam Hummelstein, What's new and how to use DACdb: Rotary Club/District Database Membership Software.

December 14 -- Weekly

Two Service Projects



Become One of Rotary's People of Action

We need people to be elves.

Rotarians will serve as elves at Christmas at the Park on December 8 from 5 - 9 p.m. Ten elves are needed for 2-hour shifts. Please be looking for a sign up sheet in your email next week. More information will be available at this Tuesday's club meeting.

We need people to ring bells.

In keeping with the club's goals of helping the homeless, Rotarians have an opportunity to ring bells for the Salvation Army's red kettle fundraising drive. Dana Kennedy will sign up volunteers at this Tuesday's club meeting.



**VOLUNTEER
BELL RINGERS
NEEDED!**

Ring a bell...help change a life

The Four-Way Test is a mirror, not a window

meeting. Rotarian Jon David Carmack, Electric Vehicles.

December 21 -- Holiday. No club meeting.

December 28 -- Holiday. No club meeting.

Birthdays



Eugene J. Wing
December 4th



Jennifer Hannah
December 6th



Norman Edward Stafford
December 8th



Beverly C. Parker
December 8th



Al Poston
December 9th



Julienne Pollard Penter
December 11th



Cherisse R. Jones-Branch
December 17th



Joy Vaupel
December 20th



Jennifer L. Rega
December 25th



Pamela Ann Haun
December 26th

Robert S. Appleton
December 28th



The Four-Way Test is a mirror, not a window. Rotary members should not use The Four-Way Test to look at others but rather to look at themselves in considering the ramifications of a thought, statement, or action.

It should not be a window through which we look to judge others. It is a mirror at which we look to judge ourselves.

I gave much thought to what each of the Four-Way Test questions asked of us and came up with a step by step process to give some real clarity behind these most often recited questions.

Evan Burrell - Changemaker

#fourwaytest #rotaryinternational

Good News, November 23, 2021

Al Poston carried the mic for Good News.

Brenda Fasulo had her two granddaughters as guests. She hadn't seen them in eight months because of the pandemic.

Emelda Williams was glad to see her friend David, a fellow graduate of University of Mississippi.

Bill Burnett picked up his daughter at the airport at 7:30 a.m. for a Thanksgiving visit.

Norman Stafford was happy to see Brenda Fasulo's granddaughters and gave an extra \$1 so people like Brenda's granddaughters don't get polio.

Brian Rega put in a dollar because Al told him to.

Jeff Morris, guest of **Jarrett Free**, was happy that he was not **Mark Morrow**.

Jon Carmack welcomed his wife to Rotary.

Russ Hannah was glad to have his friend spend Thanksgiving week.

Janice Griffin really appreciated Rotary's contribution of \$1,000 to the Department of Human Services for foster children.

Beverly Gilbert was happy to have her daughter and family visit her for Thanksgiving.

Photos from the November 23, 2021 Meeting



Report Card - 11/23/2021

Membership
Total Active Members - 124
Active members - 46
Active-Service - 43
Active-Partner - 5
Active-Modern - 6
Active-LOA - 1
◆ Active Rule of 85◆ members - 23



[Jeremy Colton](#)
December 28th

Honorary members - 6

Total Attendance - 33

Active Members - 31

Friends of Rotary - 0

Honorary members - 0

Proposed - 0

Guests - 7

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