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July 2020 Program

Thursday, July 2, 2020

The Rotary Club of Little Rock Afterhours is pleased to host a panel discussion during the July 2020 monthly meeting, entitled "Arkansas & COVID-19: What's Next?" Moderated by Denver Peacock, Principal of The Peacock Group, join us to hear local and statewide leaders offer their thoughts for how industries will fare in the coming weeks and months under pandemic conditions. Join us on Monday, July 6, 2020, 5:30 PM (via Zoom) to learn more.



Mitch Bettis is the owner and president of Arkansas Business Publishing Group ♦ the award-winning digital marketing and media company founded in 1995. He has more than 30 years of experience in management and publishing. He manages the daily operations of a publishing company that produces more than 30 publications and a digital marketing company working with businesses across the United States. He also serves as the publisher of Arkansas Business, the state's business magazine.

Denver Peacock brings nearly 25 years of experience to The Peacock Group (TPG), the strategic communications firm he founded in 2014. As principal, he helps oversee every project and account, offering strategic guidance and support on public relations and public affairs projects, events and initiatives. He previously served as senior vice president and on the board of directors for CJRW. Denver has provided political, communications and logistical support for The Prince of Wales Foundation, Clinton Foundation, and others. He served on two presidential campaigns and worked as a media trip coordinator in the Clinton White House.



Stacy Hurst was appointed secretary of the Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism by Governor Asa Hutchinson in July 2019. As secretary, she oversees the work of the divisions of Arkansas State Parks, Arkansas Heritage, Arkansas Tourism, Keep Arkansas Beautiful and the Capitol Zoning District Commission. She serves as the State Historic Preservation Officer, representing Arkansas to the National Trust for Historic Places and as an ex-officio voting member of the Governor's Mansion Commission. She is currently serving on the Governor's Economic Recovery Task Force in response to the impact of Covid-19.



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Rotary Opens Opportunities

Mike Poore will begin his fifth year as Superintendent of the Little Rock School District and his 36th year in education this fall. Poore has been recognized as a leader in creating a pipeline to connect high school students to local careers and postsecondary education opportunities. As a veteran educator, he has dedicated his life's work to students, serving as a teacher, coach, athletic director, assistant principal, principal, and executive director.



July 2020 Meeting

Thursday, July 2, 2020

July 2020 Meeting (Virtual)

Join Rotary Afterhours at 5:00 PM for a Social Half Hour prior to our monthly meeting at 5:30 PM.

Topic: Rotary Afterhours // July 2020 Meeting
Time: Jul 6, 2020 05:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting
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