



The Bath Tub

Hot Springs National Park Newsletter



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Week of July 29, 2019

Upcoming Programs:

July 31 **Dr. Andrew Rogerson - Chancellor UALR**

August 7 **Scott Ellison - Community Outreach Coordinator FLW**

Ray of Hope Ministry - Uganda



Terri Clark met today's speaker in 1986 when they immediately bonded and began a sisterhood to serve the women and children in Uganda. Terri and our speaker, Monique Mubiru, partnered in Ray of Hope Ministries to establish the Child Education Sponsorship Program and build the Ray of Hope Medical Center in Ntinda, Uganda, East Africa.

Terri introduced Monique who told us about the dire situation in Uganda for women who want to have children. This area has one of the highest mortality rates in the world for women going through childbirth and their babies. The medical facilities and treatments available to these women and children are few and very ill-equipped. Through years of dedication, Monique, who is a nurse and spent years delivering babies in her own home, opened the Ray of Hope Medical Center (first floor) in 2004. In 2008, the second floor was opened and the third floor is still a dream. In this center now resides a Women's Center for mothers and babies. Monique thanked the National Park Rotary Club for helping transform their Women's Center by providing a Resuscitation Table to help care

for newborns with problems. Your generous spirit made our journey easier. Thank you. Thank you. Thank you. said Ms. Mubiru. She also requested that any medically trained personnel, who may be so called, to please come and help train the medical staff in their country. They still need so much help.

The 4-Way Test

Invocation - David Fleming

Pledge ♦ Jack Porter

The 4 Way Test ♦ Roger Giddings

Music - David Fleming introduced his special guests, Tami Kendall and Kristen LaMadrid, who provided a musical treat from the Hot Springs Pocket Community

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Theatre's upcoming production of Chicago, the Musical. See Announcements for more information.



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Guests

Mike Tuohey, Chair of International Services Committee, spoke about the committee's work with an orphanage in the Phillipines, as well as work with our Sister City in Japan.

Joe Patrico hosted Phil Baldwin; Terri Clark hosted Albert Anderson and Melissa Fain; Diane LaFollette hosted Donna Jared; and David Fleming hosted Tami Kendall, Kristen LaMadrid, and James Kendall.



President Michelle Ratcliff



We have officially entered the dog days of summer, a recognition of days that run from July 3rd to August 11th. The month of July is officially considered: Ice Cream Month, Grilling National Baked Beans month, National Doghouse Repairs Month, National Wheelchair Beautification Month, National Horseradish Month, National Anti-Boredom month, and Group B Strep month! In keeping with Rotary's theme of Rotary Connects the World and our motto of service above self, July is also Make a Difference to Children Month. In 2002 an Emmy award winning documentary was made on the children of the Dump

about thousands of children who were living and working in the Dump in Chinandega, Nicaragua and how a group of Rotarians were working to save them. A number of years later, Kingwood, Texas Rotarian Frank Huezco and a group of other Rotarians returned to Chinandega to see what a difference their money and support had made in the lives of these children. There are now 2 schools housing over 500 children and a clinic down the street serving over 100 children a day. And while they say the most difficult thing about this project is that there are so many more children to save, these Rotarians continue to work year after year, halfway across the world, serving and making a difference. So now that we are all familiar with the phrase the Dog Days of Summer maybe some of you will also remember that July is Make a Difference to Children month and that Rotary does indeed connect the world.

Birthdays

- Patrick J. McGuire
July 30th
- Corey Alderdice
August 2nd
- Cheryl Lynn Stafford
August 4th
- Lloyd (Don) Gooch
August 6th
- Neal C. Gladner
August 8th
- Dennis C. Smith
August 10th
- Mark Howard
August 13th
- Christopher D Wolcott
August 13th
- Tiffany B. Rogers
August 14th
- Wade Naramore
August 15th
- Stephanie M Nehus
August 22nd

The Rotary Scholarship Trust Drawing



Joe Patrico and Michael Helm were chosen to draw, but no luck drawing the Ace of Diamonds.

\$190 in the pot
46 cards remaining

Announcements

Jeff Farris Rotary Leadership Academy will be this year, and is a great opportunity for those interested in furthering their Rotary leadership skills. It occurs over 4 weekends throughout the year beginning in August and ending in March with the deadline of August 1st. If you are interested in attending, please contact President Michelle Ratcliff.

Congratulations to Dr. John Hogan on the groundbreaking of the new residence hall at National Park College!

For those of you that were out last week, it was announced that Susan Drost will be leaving our club as executive assistant soon as she and her husband, Ernie, focus more on their business and that Donna K Smith, has accepted and will be taking on that role. They will be working together over several weeks to transition and for Donna K to learn the ropes. Again, we will certainly miss you, Susan and we appreciate all you have done for us. Please know that you are always welcome here any time and we wish you and Ernie all the best of luck.

Our guests who provided a special musical treat from the Hot Springs Pocket Community Theatre's upcoming production of **Chicago, the Musical** will be live at 170 Ravine Street on August 2,3,9,10,16,and17th at 7:00 PM. Matinees will be August 4, 11, & 18 at 2:30 PM. Check with David about tickets: Adults \$20, Seniors/Students \$15 and Children 12 & under are free.

Absence

We missed you!			Active R85
Alderdice, Stephanie	Herndon, Nicole	Sample, William H.	Arnold, Douglas A.
Allison, Ronnie G. Jr	Hinz, Ernie D.	Selig, John D.	Bailey, Larry A.
Applegate, B.J.	Hobby, Karie	Shelby, Gene	Brunner, John H.
Bennett, Delores C.	Hogan, John A.	Solleder, William	Craft, Joyce L.
Britton, Beau	Howard, Mark	Stachey, Jason	Creason, Bill G.
Crouch, Courtney C. Jr.	Johnson, Paulette S.	Stobaugh, John S	Cupp III, Cecil W.
Dante, Charles H. Jr.	Kelly, Judith Heikes	Switzer, Meredith Blaise	Davenport, H. W.
Dews, John Scott	Kerst, William L.	Taylor, Kathy H.	Endicott, Lynn E.
Disney, Daniel E.	Lauck, Scott	Thurber, Darla	Farrar, Clay P. Jr.
Dodd, Nick	Lipton, Michael J.	Troutman, Gary A.	Fleischner, Stuart Allen
Everton, Walt	Lynch, Paul M.	Tucker, Kermit L.	Holloway, Claude T.
Garner, Lance B.	Metcalf, Tim	Wagstaff, Cindy	Hudgens, E. Brad
Gladner, Neal C.	Moore, Courtney W.	Warren, Les A.	Levi, Lawrence W.
Graham, Joseph P.	Naramore, Wade	Williams, Valerie	McKuinn, Gary
Green, Scott	Nation, Christina Lynn	Wolcott, Christopher D	Payton, Richard
			Smith, Scott A.

Grisso, Richard P.
Hall, Kevin R.
Hargis, Bradley K
Hearnsberger, Marcia

Oliver, Nick
Porter, Lance A.
Ragsdale, Linda L.
Robbins, Elizabeth L.

Woodward, Maria
Wright, Raymond
Wurm, Mary Kay
Zeiser, Jared

Woosley, Joseph L.

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Couch, Mary Anne
Phillips-Jolly, Jane
Smith, Janet E.