

Rotary Club of Magnolia



Fighting to End Polio

Wednesday, November 10, 2021



Afternoon

Our theme for the month is "Rotary 101"

We hope to be back online this week after not having a broadcast last week.

The third grade dictionaries are ready to deliver and we will be delivering them to the schools later this month. If you are interested in helping distribute the dictionaries please contact Kim Hunter or sign up [here](#).

If you haven't yet filled out the [Rotary Club Satisfaction Survey](#) please do so. We would love your feedback so that we can provide a club experience that is in the interest of our members.



Tomorrow's Meeting



Joe Kaar is our coordinator for the month of November and has set a theme for the month: Rotary 101. In that spirit we will have speakers on topics that encompass Rotary and what it means to the community and the world. This is a great opportunity for our younger members to learn about Rotary and it can also provide a great refresher for our older members so if you don't attend any other month, this would be the one to attend.

This week we will hear from Alan Morgan PDG District 6170 who will be speaking to us about the Rotary Foundation, Every Rotarian Every Year, Polio Plus and what these mean in the effort to eradicate polio from the world..

Allen and his wife Carol have made Arkadelphia, Arkansas their home since 1990. At that time, they joined Carol's parents in their family-owned timber business, Hunter Wasson. In the aftermath of the tornado that destroyed much of Arkadelphia in 1997, Allen realized the deep good that dwells within humanity when focused on a need. In 1999, Allen became a charter member of the Rotary Club of Arkadelphia-Sunrise. He has served as club president, an Assistant Governor, a member of the Zimbabwe Water Project

Committee and team leader for the 2013 Group Study Exchange to Rotary District 2100 Southern Italy. In 2016-17 Allen served as Governor for Rotary District 6170. Allen is a multiple Paul Harris Fellow, a Major Donor and a member of the Paul Harris Society and the Bequest Society.

Allen is a 1981 Forestry graduate of University of Arkansas at Monticello. And is the managing partner of a four-generation forest management and logging firm based in Arkadelphia. He has served as the president of the Arkansas Forestry Association and has been appointed by the governor of Arkansas as a commissioner to the Arkansas Forestry Commission. Nationally, he serves on the board of the Forest Resources Association. Allen is a Registered Forester and Registered Appraiser.

Locally, he serves as a member and past vice-chairman of the Economic Development Corporation of Clark County and a past board member of the Arkadelphia Regional Economic Development Alliance. Allen and Carol have four children

Club Leaders



William Edward Wood
President



Kim Hunter
President-Elect
Club Programs Chair



Walter D. Wood Sr.
Secretary



Jamie Waller
Treasurer



Angela Glass
iPast President



Gary L. Maskell
President-Nominee



Patty Clary
Sergeant-at-Arms



James Nelson Moore
Sergeant-at-Arms



Chris B. Carter
Club Director (2019-2022)



Mike McNeill
Club Director (2019-2022)
Public Relations Chair



Micki C. Mitchell
Club Director (2020-2023)

Whitney B.

and eight grandchildren. They live on the beautiful Ouachita River and may be found there after work gardening, kayaking, fishing, and growing trees.

6th Annual Wreath Sale for Polio Plus



Tomorrow we will be taking **payment** for our annual wreath sale.

You will be able to pay via cash, check or credit card.

Each wreath will be \$28, available for pick-up at Rotary, the week after Thanksgiving. **\$12.00** of every wreath purchased goes to Polio Plus. This will be matched 2 for 1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. Magnolia Rotary has contributed over \$3,900, before match, to Polio Plus from this projects. Make chcks payable to Magnolia Rotary. Three weeks only.

For questions, contact Joe Kaar at (870) 904-9401.

Shipping Option: Shipped via UPS for \$48.00 anywhere in the lower 48 states, sales tax included. Other gift items available. Please ask for catalog.

Student Guest

Please welcome back our student guests Gizel Juarez and Jay Todd Baker.

Gizel is the daughter of Maria and Tereso Juarez. She is a member of National Honor Society and the Magnolia Honor Roll. She plays tennis for the Panthers Tennis Team and is part of the Magnolia Internship Program assisting in the administrative office. She plans to attend Texas A&M University next fall.

Jay Todd is the son of Carey Baker. He is also a member of National Honor Society and the Magnolia Honor Roll. He is part of the Panther's Football and Basketball teams as well as part of the student council. He plans to attend Southern Arkansas University next fall.



Around the World and Community

Arkansas Workforce Center Magnolia



Arkansas Workforce Center Magnolia Invites You To Their **Job Fair on November 18th!** The Employer Informational will be 9-10AM with the Public Job Fair being from 10AM-Noon. Employers can register via phone (870-901-7812) or email (aesd.magnolia@arkansas.gov) Deadline to register is **November 12th**. The fair will be at 104 Harvey Couch Blvd. Magnolia, AR. You can find a flyer [here](#).

Columbia County Community Foundation



Thursday November 25 (Thanksgiving Day) the Columbia County Community Foundation will host their annual 5K Run/Walk for Hunger, of which Rotary is a sponsor. As a sponsor we have 3 race sign-ups left to give out. If you are interested in participating on Rotary's behalf please contact President Will. If you have a friend or family member interested they can sign up online at <https://raceroster.com/events/2021/54255/cccf-run-for-hunger-5k-racewalk>

We will start accepting canned goods to donate to CCCF on Rotary's behalf starting at this week's meeting.

#Giving Tuesday

November 30th is Giving Tuesday, a global day of giving. Last year The Rotary Foundation raised more than US\$800,000 for their Annual Fund-SHARE. You can help top last year's docations by giving online on the 30th at <https://my.rotary.org/en/giving-tuesday>.



Virtual Attendance

For those not wanting to get out you can always catch our meetings live on our [Facebook Page](#).

Virtual Attendees can now access the meeting programs via PDF. [Weekly Program](#)

Club Update



Peterson Club
Director (2020-2023)
Service Projects Chair



Nate Caldwell Club
Director (2021-2024)



Rex E. Jones
Rotary Foundation Chair



Jeffrey A. Venable
Membership Chair



Billie A. Dadgar
Club Fund Raising Chair



Todd D. Smith
Assistant Governor

Committee List

- Club Administration Board
- Nominating
- Program/Speaker
- Fundraising
- Pancake Breakfast
- Membership
- Projects and Service
- Dictionary Project
- New Generations
- Scholarship
- Volunteer Committee
- Public Relations
- Social Media
- Rotary Foundation/Grants

Speakers

- November 11, 2021**
Alen Morgan, PDG.
District 6170
Rotary Foundation, EREY, Polio Plus
- November 18, 2021**
Larry Kelso, Member of Magnolia Rotary
"The 4-Way Test"
- November 25, 2021**
Thanksgiving Day - No Meeting
- December 02, 2021**
Surprise Speaker

As noted in a prior email the board has approved a dues increase from \$125 per quarter to \$175 per quarter effective January 1, 2022.

If you haven't already, like us on <https://www.facebook.com/MagArkRotary>

Check out our website at www.magarkrotary.org

Prior Week Polling Results:

No Menti.com poll last week.

WDR has provided us with a surprise guest speaker so you'll have be there to see. No Online Broadcast will be available.



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Club Meeting

Magnolia
Bancorp South/Partee Room
Thursday at 12:00 PM