

Connect and Serve

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SEPTEMBER 21 MEETING:

Pam Dexter will speak about the Farm at Prophetstown

Join Zoom Meeting on September 21st:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88042953308?pwd=VEtBaHI0RIh1UW5lcGMvU1daNDQvUT09>

Meeting ID: 880 4295 3308

Passcode: 628515

PROGRAM:



Arvid Olson introduced Shan Sheridan, Executive Director of the Clinton County Chamber of Commerce. "Saving the Diner" is the program to preserve the past to enjoy today. The diner is the stainless steel structure that served U.S. 52 travelers as they neared the intersection with S.R. 28. Friendly Mart owners recently bought the corner and planned to scrap the structure. In 1952 the diner was called Rose Haven, with a motel attached. More recently it was called the Duck in Diner. It was decided to restore and move the diner. That involved cutting it into two pieces and moving it on flatbed trailers to a nearby barn. This winter volunteers, supervised by certified people in the trades, will restore the diner. It will be a full service food facility located near downtown Frankfort. The community is thankful that it is being saved. There are many memories and stories associated with the shiny, window filled eatery.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

September 15 - Pub Club

September 18 - Alzheimer's Walk. 9:30 am at Riehle Plaza. Contact GAIL BRICKLER if you have questions.

Go to: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/T9NLGJ6>

September 24 - Help at It's My Closet from 10 - noon.

October 16 - Purdue Half Marathon 7:45 am - 11:45 am. Select your two-hour shift and sign up at the welcome desk.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER:

Natasha Corbett has been proposed for membership by Rhonda Overman. She is the Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in the Tippecanoe County Prosecutors Office. Express a friendly welcome to Natasha the next time you see her at a Rotary meeting.

CALLING FOR NOMINATIONS:

Know someone who shows a strong commitment to Lafayette Rotary and is willing to contribute as a decision-maker? Nominations are now open for Directors to serve on the Club Board starting July 1, 2022 for a three-year term. Give names to Renee after you have asked the nominee.

MATCHING GRANT UPDATE:

HOORAY FOR GENEROUS ROTARIANS!

To date, more than \$20,000 has been given to **Community Foundation of Greater Lafayette** for "Lafayette Rotary" and will be matched dollar-for-dollar. We are much closer to our goal of reaching the \$1,000,000 amount in the endowment. This will generate more than \$40,000 each year to be used for scholarships and projects. If you donate between now and Feb 1, 2022, you will receive credit towards Golden Service for your donation AND the match.

2021 ICE CREAM CRAWL WAS A HUGE SUCCESS!!

More than \$11,500 was raised at this year's event! These funds will be distributed to It's My Closet and Imagination Library. We will receive an additional \$5,000 for each project from District 6560 grants! Thanks to all who worked to make this happen!



Summer Winrotte receives the Ice Cream Lover's gift basket, having enjoyed her second Rotary Ice Cream Crawl last month. When notified her family's passport was selected, she exclaimed, "I never win anything." Summer and her family's passport was stamped at eight locations across Lafayette and West Lafayette. We look forward to seeing them in 2022!

GUEST:

Rebecca Harter joined us again today. She is on her way to becoming a member.

THANK YOU:

It took an army to replace RENEE, DENNIS and JO today. They are on much deserved vacations. The computer was handled by BOB STOLZ. The money was handled by JIM KLUSMAN, JACK KELLEY, MARY KAY DAVIS, and DAN HEMAN. VAN NEIE was our Greeter and also led singing. BOB GRIFFITHS played piano. Our Moment of Inspiration was presented by SCOTT RUMBLE. And JANE is your substitute editor.

Donating to Lafayette Rotary

To donate to our Club's current projects:

Make check payable to:

Lafayette Rotary Club Foundation.

To donate to our Club's endowment:

Make check payable to: *Community*

Foundation of Greater Lafayette

with "Lafayette Rotary" in the memo.

To donate to our Club's international projects:

Make check payable to: *District 6560*

Foundation with "Lafayette Rotary

International Fund" in the memo.