# Lawrenceburg Rotary



# July 31, 2020

Club 3819, District 6760

Heath Hill, President Greg Kelso, President Elect Jason Armbruster, Vice President Phil Hood, Past President Dr. John M. Beasley, Treasurer Maria Santini, Secretary Tiffany Cope, Director John Johnstone, Director Tad Keaton, Director Denny Miner, Sergeant at Arms

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

"ZOOM" MEETING FRIDAY JULY 31 STARTING AT 12:20 PM

BOD MEETING AUGUST 10, 5:30 PM FAIR STEERING COMMITTEE AUGUST 12, 5:30 PM PLEASE KEEP RON BOND, WINFORD CALHOUN, BILL CAUDLE AND TRUMAN ORTON AND THEIR FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS.

Club Guests-None

Visiting Rotarians- None

Visitors- Landon Burns- guest of Lynn Burns; Kayla Moore- guest of Craig Buie

Absent—Mark Brown, Winford Calhoun, Tiffany Cope, Cory Cowheard, Molly Dauer, Ryan Egly, Laura Fisher, Teresa Frazier, Jodi Gambrell, Sissy Garner, Ben Gobble, Jon Guthrie, Kenny Heald, Tina Holt, Phil Hood, Jeff Johnson, James Johnston, Tad Keaton, Rachel Lee, Tonya Longshore, Adam Martin, Chad Moore, Jay Moore, Will Nichols, Belinda Romer, Wade Sherrow, Mark Short, Todd Tingle, Ed Trimmer, James Ward, Jason Weaver, Fred Webb, Ben White, Olivia White

Make-Ups – Fair Concert Meeting 07/21- Jason Armbruster, John Beasley, Lynn Burns, Tiffany Cope, Heath Hill, Pat Hollman, Tad Keaton, Bill Phillips; Fair Exec Comm Meeting 07/22- Jason Armbruster, John Beasley, Lynn Burns, Heath Hill, Pat Hollman, Tad Keaton, Bill Phillips, Todd Tingle.

#### **Upcoming Rotary Events**

- Monster Truck on Saturday, August 08, 2020, we will need everyone's help.
- •Board of Directors Meeting on Monday, August 10th @ 5:30p in the regular meeting room.

•Fair Steering Committee Meeting on Weds, August 12 @ 5:30 pm.

The club will hold a Zoom meeting on Friday, July 24 beginning at 12:20 pm . Login information to follow tomorrow : (note: if you do not have ZOOM on your device please copy the link prior to the meeting time and follow the instructions)

If you find an error in attendance – Absent list, Make-Ups, or would like to know how you stand on attendance. – Please email <u>rclburgsec@charter.net</u> and I'll make the correction promptly. Thanks, Maria



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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Tad Keaton—Fair Boss

Middle Tennessee District Fair

L Singing Prayer Pledge 4-Way Test

LAST MEETING (July 24, 2020) Bob Augustin Randy Brewer John Webb st Kristina Hill

Program—Michael Adkins—Lawrence County Director of Schools



Pictured above: President Heath Hill, Lawrence County Director of Schools Michael Adkins and Program Chair Ben Luna. Adkins gave an update on school opening plans for 2020 including options for hybrid and on-line programs for Lawrence County students. He said the ultimate goal is to get students back into the classroom 5 days per week, but that consideration must be given for Covid exposures they might transmit to or from others living in their household. The hybrid program will place students in the classroom two days per week with on-line learning three days per week. The Pioneer Virtual Academy is available for students in grades 4 – 12 and is a 100% on-line experience with each student learning under the direction of an LCSS teacher. 77% of local families have chosen the hybrid option.

According to Adkins, presentation of core subjects including reading, math, and science should be fine under an on-line format; but students will be missing the interaction with teachers that comes only from in person contact. To illustrate the point, he related several personal experiences as a student from a poor neighborhood growing up in Lawrence County. He also spoke of how most teachers miss being in the classroom with "their kids".

At the Board of Director's meeting July 13th, the Board voted on the following: A member may request a credit on their dues of \$25/ month, up to 2 months totaling \$50, for reimbursement of meals for the two months the club did not hold meetings due to COVID-19. It is the member's responsibility, if they want the credit, to let John Beasley know (or by other means of directly contacting him) by August 31, 2020







#### Lawrenceburg Rotary Welcomes New Member Jerrod Menz

Jerrod Menz was inducted into the Lawrenceburg Rotary Club on Friday, July 24, 2020. Jerrod is owner of Head Down Firearms which is located in the Old Murray Building as well as a partner in Stetar's Restaurant.

Rotarian Steve Rogers sponsored Jerrod and introduced him to the club.

## Middle Tennessee District Fair Keeps Planning Options Open For 2020

The Lawrenceburg Rotary Club is continuing to make plans for the 2020 Middle Tennessee District Fair, however a final decision to open has not yet been made. If the decision is made to open, fair organizers have determined that this year's fair will be an outdoor only event.

According to Fair Manager Tad Keaton, "We are nearly two months away from our planned opening and fair organizers are carefully monitoring the Covid 19 health situation. No one knows what the situation will be in late September, but a decision made now to cancel would be irreversible while continuing to plan maintains the option to open or cancel based on evolving conditions. The public may rest assured that MTDF and The Rotary Club will make a responsible decision on whether or not to open well before opening day".

If a final decision is made to open, the 2020 Middle Tennessee District Fair will be an outdoor only event. Indoor events including Fairest of the Fair pageants, indoor commercial exhibits, and indoor agricultural and creative arts exhibits have been cancelled in the interest of public safety. Outdoor events including the Wade Shows midway, arena events, food booths, livestock shows and other outdoor attractions will operate subject to social distancing and other public health guidelines.

The Riley Green Concert scheduled for Monday evening, September 28 has been cancelled. Riley Green is an energetic entertainer whose fans like to stand in a large group close to the stage. This poses an unacceptable health risk for our guests and steps needed to ensure a safe event would greatly inhibit their concert experience. Therefore, fair organizers made the decision to cancel the Riley Green Concert for 2020 and will discuss with the artist where we go from here.

Fair organizers have confirmed that our carnival provider will be taking extraordinary measures to minimize Covid exposure on the midway, and additional steps will be implemented at MTDF entrance gates, outside venues, and public restrooms. Fairgoers will be encouraged to wear masks during their visit and a decision on whether masks will be required for all visitors will be made at a later date.

Planned fair dates are September 24 thru October 3, 2020 with specific event line up to be announced in the near future.



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# Rotary Club of Lawrenceburg

2020-2021 Committee Assignments

Club Service- Greg Kelso

#### **Attendance**

Maria Santini - C Laura Fisher-CC Francis Berry-Brown Denny Miner Paul Wayne

#### **Business Committee**

Mary Prukop - C Jane Jennings - CC John Beasley Ryan Egly Ben Gobble Jeff Johnson

#### **Classification**

Maria Santini- C Ricky SKillington- CC Ron Bond Bill Caudle Virgil Crowder

#### **Club History**

Bob Augustin- C Ricky SKillington- CC Neal Beard Charlie Brewer Bill Phillips Bert Spearman Harold Webb

#### Communications/ Website/Bulletin John Johnstone - C Bill Phillips - CC Craig Buie Charlie Crawford Jodi Gambrell Jason Weaver

## Family of Rotary

Tina Holt- C Olivia White - CC Charlie Brewer Mark Brown Jim Bush Jason Grayson Jon Guthrie Sam Hickman Greg Kelso Will Nichols Jason Weaver Ben White

**Christa Williams** 

Food Committee Donna Pack - C Tonya Longshore- CC Bob Augustin Jimmy Hickman Denny Miner Ricky Skillington Harold Webb

#### Member Development/

New Member Orientation Greg Kelso- C Sam Hickman- CC John Beasley Scott Beasley James Johnston Bill Phillips Maria Santini

#### Membership Recruiting

Greg Kelso- C Scott Beasley- CC Craig Buie

Molly Dauer Sissy Garner Sam Hickman Jane Jennings Steve Rogers Maria Santini

#### Nominating Committee

Phil Hood- C Donna Pack- CC John Beasley Pat Hollman Todd Tingle

#### Program Committee

Ben Luna- C Tina Holt- CC Sissy Garner- CC Randy Brewer Tiffany Cope Teresa Frazier Denny Miner Rachel Lee Ricky Skillington

#### Song Leader

Bob Augustin- C John Johnstone- CC Jimmy Hickman

#### Concort of Arms

Sergeant-at-Arms Denny Miner- C Ricky Skillington- CC Billy Story Harold Webb



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#### Career & Vocational

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Jane Jennings - C John Johnstone - CC **Bob Augustin Teresa Frazier** Ed Trimmer Teresa Walker

Phil Hood - C **Bob Augustin - CC Kenny Heald Rachel Lee Denny Miner** Jay Moore Will Nichols Donna Pack **Bill Phillips Ricky Skillington** Todd Tingle

Four Way Test **Denny Miner - C** Laura Fisher- CC **Brian Cooper Kristina Hill** 

Vocational Service—Jason Armbruster 2020 - 2021

### Community Service—Tiffany Cope 2020 - 2021

#### Parks & Long Range Planning Human Development

Scott Beasley - C Todd Tingle - CC John Beasley Tiifany Cope

Laura Fisher Jodi Gambrell Sam Hicman Pat Hollman Phil Hood Chris Inman Jane Jennings John Johnstone Tad Keaton Pam Kemp Rachel Lee **Bill Phillips Bert Spearman** 

**Billy Story Ben White** 

#### Tad Keaton- C Sid Garner- CC Laura Fisher **Teresa Frazier** Jodi Gambrell Sissy Garner Tina Holt Phil Hood

Maria Santini **Teresa Walker** Olivia White

**Music Fest** Tiffany Cope- C Maria Santini- CC Jason Armbruster

Pat Hollman **Tina Holt Bill Phillips Christa Williams** 

#### MTDF

Tad Keaton- C Heath Hill- CC All Event Coordinators

#### **Rumble at the Crossroads** (Spring Tractor Pull)

Todd Tingle - C Channing Cope - CC Jason Armbruster Lynn Burns **Tiffany Cope Cory Cowheard** Sid Garner Jon Guthrie Tina Holt **Chris Inman** John Johnstone

Will Nichols **Bill Phillips** Maria Santini Harold Webb

#### Random Acts of Kind-<u>ness</u> Kristina Hill- C Tonya Longshore- CC Laura Fisher Sissy Garner

Chad Moore **Bill Phillips** Jim Ward

#### **Scramble for Humanity**

Scott Beasley - C Sam Hickman - CC Jimmy Hickman Adam Martin Will Nichols Wade Sherrow Ben White

#### Special Community Project Chris Inman - C Lynn Burns- CC

Sid Garner **Rachel Lee** Todd Tingle



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### International Service—John Johnstone 2020—2021

# International Fund Raiser

Jason Armbruster - C Kristina Hill - CC Charlie Brewer Winford Calhoun Greg Kelso

# **Rotary Foundation**

Bill Phillips - C Charlie Brewer- CC Jason Armbruster Tiffany Cope Kelsey Glass

#### World Comm. Service

Jason Armbruster - C Kelsey Glass - CC John Birdsong Randy Brewer Kristina Hill James Johnston Maria Santini

#### **Rise Against Hunger**

Maria Santini- C Teresa Frazier- CC Bob Augustin Laura Fisher Sid Garner Rachel Lee Ricky Skillington

### Youth Service—Tad Keaton 2020—2021

#### International Youth

Jane Jennings - C Bob Augustin- CC Teresa Frazier Denny Miner James Johnston Interact Mary Prukop- C Kristina Hill- CC Bob Augustin Teresa Frazier Jane Jennings Tonya Longshore Jason Luffman Belinda Romer

#### **Scholarships**

Ed Trimmer- C Jane Jennings - CC Bob Augustin Frances Berry-Brown Laura Fisher Tina Holt Phil Hood John Johnstone



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