

Rotary Meeting: Monday, October 1, 2018



A Conversation with Gubernatorial Candidate Karl Dean

Hosted by Tennessean Opinion Engagement
Editor David Plazas

Rotary Club of Nashville is excited to host a Town Hall / Conversation with the Candidate forum today with gubernatorial hopeful, Karl Dean. Tennessean Opinion Engagement Editor, David Plazas, will host the conversation using questions submitted by members of the Rotary Club in the areas of healthcare, immigration, education, and workforce development.

Karl Dean is currently an Adjunct Professor of Law at Vanderbilt University Law School. He served as the 68th Mayor of Nashville from 2007 to 2015. Prior to his election, he served as Nashville's Director of Law from 1999 to 2007 and as Public Defender 1990 to 1998. He graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree from Columbia University and a Juris Doctor from Vanderbilt University.

NOTE - Our program committee invited both candidates, Karl Dean and Bill Lee, for this Town Hall / Conversation with the Gubernatorial Candidates program. Bill Lee had a scheduling conflict and is unable to join us.

ROTARY CLUB ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Oct. 8 -NO ROTARY MEETING

Oct 12 – VOLUNTEER - Project C.U.R.E., 1-3 pm

Oct 15 – ROTARY: DG Laquita Stribling, “Rotary – Be the Inspiration”

Oct 19 – VOLUNTEER - Second Harvest Food Bank, Backpack project, 1-3 pm

Oct 22 – ROTARY: Shanna Hughey, President, ThinkTennessee, “Get out the Vote”

Oct 27 – VOLUNTEER, Habitat for Humanity Build Day, 7:00 am

Oct 29 - ROTARY: Conversation with Senatorial Candidate, Congressman Marsha Blackburn

Nov 3 – VOLUNTEER – Rotary Tree Planting Project, 9:00-11:30 am

Nov 5 - ROTARY: Coach Tim Corbin, Vanderbilt University Baseball

Nov 6 – NETWORK – Rotary after Hours, Analog at the Hutton Hotel, drop in 5:30 – 7 pm

Nov 8 – LEARN – Rotary New Member Orientation, 5:15 pm

Nov 9 – VOLUNTEER - Project C.U.R.E., 1-3 pm

Nov 12 -NO ROTARY MEETING

Nov 16 – VOLUNTEER - Second Harvest Food Bank, Backpack project, 1-3 pm

Nov 16 – DISTRICT – Rotary District 6760 Foundation Dinner, 5:30 pm Reception, 6:30 Dinner, Four Points Sheraton, Brentwood

(<http://www.ismyrotaryclub.org/Calendar/Event.cfm?EventID=77406340>)

Nov 17 – DISTRICT – District 6760 Mid-Year Conference, 8:30 am, Four Points Sheraton, Brentwood

Nov 19 - ROTARY: VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM

Nov 26 - ROTARY: Anastasia Brown, Format Entertainment, “Nashville Film Festival”

To register for volunteer, networking or meeting assistant, log into Signup Genius: Go to our website, www.nashvillerotary.org

Click on the Signup Genius tab, (4th tab to the right in the blue ribbon at the top)

ASSISTING AT ROTARY THIS WEEK

Invocation: LAURA CREEKMORE

Registration: LAUREN PAYNE

Greeters: ALLEN HUGGINS / WILLIAM LILES

Scanners: MARY BAKER / SAMANTHA BOYD

Parking Vouchers: SUSAN HUGGINS

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Rotary Tree Planting Project

Saturday, November 3

9:00am - 11:30am

Where: In West Nashville, near the Nations neighborhood, just off of Centennial Blvd near the Briley Parkway exit/on ramp. Driving directions will be emailed prior to the project date. All tools are provided!

What to bring:

- Completed volunteer form (will be in your confirmation email)
- Work gloves
- A bottle of water or Gatorade
- Tick and sun prevention
- *No open toe shoes- long pants recommended*

All ages welcome! A legal guardian must sign volunteer waiver for minors.

SIGN UP: www.nashvillerotary.org, click on signup genius tab at top, click on Tree Planting



WANT TO BRING A GUEST TO A ROTARY MEETING?

Let us know in advance and we will have a name tag ready at the registration table. The cost of the lunch, \$30 will be billed to your Rotary account. Register guest on line – go to www.nashvillerotary.org Click “Sign up Genius” icon, click “Register Guest” tab

Have someone in mind who would be a great Rotarian?

Invite the prospect to join you for lunch to determine their interest level and if they are a good fit for our Club. Please let the office know in advance so that a name tag can be prepared. If the prospective member is interested in submitting an application for consideration, send the name of the person you want to propose, along with their company, their title within the company and any other achievements to the Rotary Office at suzanne@nashvillerotary.org.



**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY -
Habitat for Humanity Build Day
Saturday, October 27, 2018, 7:00 am - 3:30 pm
Park Preserve, 512 Ewing Drive, Nashville
for Homeowners Gamal Ahmed and Elham Mohamed**

Through your contributions to the Nashville Rotary Service Trust, this year we awarded a \$15,000 grant to Habitat for Humanity for two home build days. The first build day will be

Saturday, October 3, 7:00 am (registration, 7:30 am build begins).

This is Day 3 of the Build and we will install siding and insulation and caulk plates and panel joints. If you would like to volunteer, go to www.nashvillerotary.org, click on sign up genius tab, scroll over and click on Habitat for Humanity tab.

From our Friends at the Camp Kigali School in Rwanda:

Through contributions from our members to the Nashville Rotary Service Trust Annual Footprint Fund, our Club provided a grant to underwrite the cost of transporting a second shipment of 15 cartons of books targeted for ages K-2 to the Camp Kigalia School in Kigali, Rwanda.

The books, donated by the Nashville Public Library (NPL), is the second shipment. The previous shipment consisted of 12 cartons of school aged children K-12. The headmistress of the school, Consolata Kabanyana and her husband, Alex Kagaba, a government licensed gorilla guide were guests at our Rotary meeting in May, 2018.



NPL donated books suitable for



This week, we received this thank you note from Conso and Alex:

Hallo Steve, what can we say after all the energy and struggles for these books to be here in Rwanda. We say thank you so much, the books are already at the School and I am overwhelmed and extremely happy by your work, they too have said thank you because there is no any other way to say.



Once again thank you for the good work done. Our regards to all people involved in this excise especially the Rotary Club of Nashville and the Nashville Public Library. Regards, Conso and Alex.

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