

ROTATIONS

Weekly Update from the Rotary Club of Nashville

Happening at Rotary:

Virtual Rotary Meetings:

December 14: National Museum of African American Music

December 21 & 28: No Meetings

January 4: Chief John Drake, MNPD

January 11: District Governor April Leiberman

January 18: No Rotary Meeting

Service Opportunities:

Dec 19: Delivery day

December 11: Project C.U.R.E. (1-3 p.m.)



VIRTUAL ROTARY-DECEMBER 14, 2020: NATIONAL MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSIC

Once completed, NMAAM will be the only museum dedicated to preserving and celebrating the many music genres created, influenced, and inspired by African Americans. The museum's expertly-curated collections will share the story of the American soundtrack by integrating history and interactive technology to bring the musical heroes of the past into the present.

Tuwisha D. Rogers-Simpson is, first and foremost, a creative problem solver. She currently serves as the Vice President of Brand and Partnerships for the first-ever National Museum of African American Music. The former Vice President of Strategic Partnerships for Urban One, she has contributed to over 70 MM of media revenue and partnership management with iconic brands such as Walmart, AT&T, and Prudential.

Dr. Dina Bennett is an ethnomusicologist who specializes in African American music and culture. Dr. Bennett has previously served as the Associate Director of the Mulvane Art Museum at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas; Director of Education at the B.B. King Museum and Delta Interpretive Center in Indianola, Mississippi; and as the Manager of Collections and Exhibitions at the American Jazz Museum (AJM) in Kansas City, Missouri.

H. Beecher Hicks III's professional experiences have included work in the private, public and nonprofit sectors, where he has focused on building enterprises as a consultant, banker, investor and operating executive. Henry is now the president and CEO of the National Museum of African American Music, or NMAAM (www.nmaam.org). His relationship with the project began in 2010 when he began serving on NMAAM's board before becoming CEO in 2013. From traditional African drum beats to modern hip-hop, the 56,000-square-foot experiential museum will highlight the many contributions African Americans have made to American music and culture.

MEETING ASSISTANTS THIS WEEK:

Speaker Intro:

Invocation:

VIRTUAL MEETING LOG IN INFO:

Join from a PC, Mac, iPad, iPhone or Android device:

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join: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82352987841?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82352987841?pwd=MURFWXB1THRRTFYrUXBhK0h0OHY0UT09)

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Password: NashRotary

Or join by phone:

1-312-626-6799

or 1 -646-876-9923

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Webinar ID: 823 5298 7841

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If you are new to Zoom, here's a helpful guide for how to participate. [Click here to learn more.](#)

DECEMBER 14, 2020

FEED THE NEED

Feed the Need is our annual signature service project. Each year, we work to pack food boxes and deliver them to nearly 2,000 of our neighbors in need. This year will look a bit different, but our mission remains the same. Explore the volunteer opportunities below and sign up as you are able.



Saturday, December 19

Bring your family and friends to help deliver boxes to nearly 2,000 families. Safety protocols will be in place to ensure the safety of both volunteers and recipients.

[Click here to sign up.](#)



Thank you volunteers!

On Friday, December 4 and Saturday, December 5 a total of 82 Rotarians and friends met at Second Harvest to build and pack 1,950 food boxes headed to our neighbors in need next Saturday. We worked in smaller groups throughout the day to get the job done. We appreciate your willingness to serve under unusual circumstances.

Check out our Facebook page for more Feed the Need photos.

SIGN UP TO SERVE

BOOK'EM



Book'em is going virtual. Volunteers are still needed to read to a classroom of local students via Zoom.

[Sign up here.](#)

PROJECT C.U.R.E



Sort donated medical supplies.
Friday, December 11 , 1-3 p.m.

[Sign up here.](#)

VOLUNTEER AT A MEETING

Give the invocation and lead the Pledge at a virtual meeting.

[Sign up here.](#)

WELCOME NEW BOARD MEMBERS

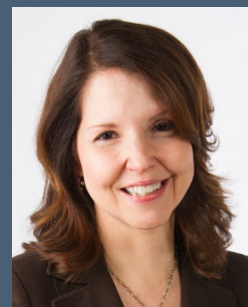
The Rotary Club of Nashville held a Board election at its virtual meeting on Monday, December 7. The following members will begin Board service on July 1, 2021.



Angie Adams



Kim Estep



Lydia Lenker



Bob Stokes