



## Club Meeting

## SATELLITE CLUB MEETING MONDAY 9/14 5:30

Maryville Meets at Primary Club at Blount County Public Library, Wednesday at noon. Satellite Club at RJ's Courtyard, Mondays at 5:30 p.m. 508 N. Cusick Street Maryville, TN 37804 Time: Wednesday at 12:00 PM

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, September 6, 2020  
**RACHEL BUCHANAN ON A SOUND BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT, ONE OF THE PILLARS OF POSITIVE PEACE AND SEPTEMBER'S THEME**

Our topic for this month is the pillar of peace - Sound Business Environment. Our guest speaker is Rachel Buchanan who is the President and CEO of Ardour Enterprises, LLC, a new general contracting and engineering company licensed for residential, commercial, and industrial construction. Rachel is an experienced economic development director with:

- a background in industrial engineering and real estate development
- a demonstrated history of working with various private industries and in the government administration industry
- strong community and social services professional experience
- and skills in Nonprofit Organizations, Strategic Planning, Customer Service, and Government.

Prior to starting her own business, she served as the Director of Economic Development with the Blount Partnership. She is also one of the founding members of the Sky City Initiative. Rachel will talk with us about what businesses need to be successful in Blount County.

Rachel will be speaking at the Satellite club on **Monday, September 14 at 5:30 pm via Zoom.**

**PLEASE NOTE NEW ZOOM INFO BELOW FOR SATELLITE CLUB!**

**The Satellite Club will pack food on Monday, September 28 at Church Street United Methodist Church in Knoxville at 5:30 pm.**



## Club Leaders



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Cockfield  
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Club  
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**Robert L. Beasley**  
Assistant  
District  
Governor

## Events

No Events found

## MEETING SEPTEMBER 16, WEDNESDAY, NOON, AT THE LIBRARY & VIA ZOOM

By Robert L. Beasley

### ROTARIAN JEREMY LADUKE

Jeremy LaDuke will be our featured speaker at the Wednesday Noon club meeting where he will talk with us about how businesses can use social media effectively as well as local businesses who can provide social media development and support services.

Jeremy founded Epic Nine in 2014 to help great businesses grow. He has designed and developed websites for over 20 years and loves creative problem solving. Jeremy has also worked with local and national campaigns to get sites to page 1 in Google and is passionate about producing measurable results for Epic Nine clients. Jeremy is a Rotarian and a member of our club. He has been working on a redesign of our club website which will be launched in the next few months.

Greeter: **Ruth Ann Lindgren**; Inspiration: **Laura Cavin**; Pledge: **KC Williams**; Fellowship: **Alan Smuckler**; Four Way Test: **Bob Beasley**.



## CLUB ZOOM INVITATIONS

Sunday, July 5, 2020

### MARYVILLE SATELLITE CLUB -- MONDAYS @ 5:30 pm

**Please note the new Zoom information for the Satellite Club.**

Kaurri Williams is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Maryville Rotary Satellite Club  
 Time: Aug 31, 2020 05:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)  
 Every week on Mon, until Jun 28, 2021, 44 occurrence(s)

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.  
 Weekly: [https://us02web.zoom.us/joining/tZ0tcOCvqT4uGNEE1yDLEv0Aev9Q1dRx0KMN/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGhrjwHdOQtBuCRpx5Ao\\_CXe3wtiVjY14uU78Jwx2dFPXM\\_Qba-N7IsCA](https://us02web.zoom.us/joining/tZ0tcOCvqT4uGNEE1yDLEv0Aev9Q1dRx0KMN/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGhrjwHdOQtBuCRpx5Ao_CXe3wtiVjY14uU78Jwx2dFPXM_Qba-N7IsCA)

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 +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)  
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Meeting ID: 890 7977 5425  
 Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kgS80w2tB>

### MARYVILLE NOON CLUB -- WEDNESDAYS @ 11:30 AM

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<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81726197974>

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 +13017158592,,81726197974# US (Germantown)

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 +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)

Meeting ID: 817 2619 7974  
 Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/kmNuehFu5>

## Birthdays

Keith M. Lindgren  
September 20th  
Bryant T. Fowler  
September 21st  
Ray Hightower  
October 4th



## District 6780 Leaders



Ronald E. Appuhn  
District Governor



Cindy A. Gammons  
DG-Elect



Alan N. Clark  
DG-Nominee

## TO HELP ROTARIANS IMPACTED BY HURRICANE LAURA

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, September 6, 2020

From District Governor Ron Appuhn:

Hurricane Laura ripped through Louisiana and caused widespread damage and power outages. With their current problems of the COVID pandemic adding to the challenges, recovery is difficult and the immediate needs are many. The hurricane landed onshore in District 6200, which is the southern half of Louisiana (excluding New Orleans), and then worked its way up the state through District 6190, which is the northern half of Louisiana.

Karen and I know a lot of wonderful people in both districts. The Rotarians in Louisiana are experienced in disaster recovery, and their greatest need in both districts is cash, so that they can use the money where they know it is most needed in their communities. If you and/or your club would be willing to help, the options for support are listed below.

Thank you for your considerations. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Thanks, Ron

District 6200 ♦ financial support by check

Make the check payable to Rotary District 6200 Foundation (notation Disaster Relief Program ♦ Laura)  
Mail the check to: Rotary District 6200 Foundation  
c/o Frank Bradshaw  
2266 S College Road  
Lafayette, LA 70508

District 6200 ♦ financial support by credit card  
Visit this website: [rotary6200.org/hurricane-laura-donations](https://rotary6200.org/hurricane-laura-donations)

District 6190 ♦ financial support by check  
Make the check payable the Rotary Club of Shreveport Foundation Inc (notation Laura recovery)  
Mail the check to: Rotary Club of Shreveport Foundation Inc  
c/o Judy Bellew  
137 Norwood Street  
Shreveport, LA 71105



## District-wide Facebook Live Meeting, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, September 6, 2020

District-wide Facebook Live Meeting THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 7:00 PM

District Governor Ron Appuhn will host his monthly District Facebook Live Meeting on Thursday evening, September 17 at 7:00 p.m. ET. This is a change from the Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. meetings because more Rotarians have returned to work and find it harder to engage in the meeting.

The topic this month will be polio eradication, the progress being made, challenges because of COVID-19, and to announce the World Polio Day Purple Pinkie Fundraiser on Tuesday, October 20th. Africa has been declared polio-free finally. Be there to hear the updates.

Monthly Facebook Live Meeting



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Thursday, September 17, 2020 @ 7:00 p.m. ET/6:00 p.m. CT

## CLUB INVOLVED IN HABITAT GOLF TOURNAMENT

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, September 6, 2020



Our Club will once again support Habitat for Humanity at one of their events!

We are a Gold Sponsor at their 8th Annual Homes FORE Humanity and will need Volunteers to assist with the day's activities.  
Our \$1,500 sponsorship Includes 2 Teams of 4 Golfers  
(We have one team already...if you are a golfer please email [christine.clanton@pnfp.com](mailto:christine.clanton@pnfp.com) and let her know you are interested in Team 2.)  
2 Hole Sponsor Signs  
Logo Placement in all Mixed Media Advertising

If you can VOLUNTEER at this event at any time during the day please email : [Christine.clanton@pnfp.com](mailto:Christine.clanton@pnfp.com)

This is a GREAT opportunity to show our support to our Community and a GREAT way for us to reconnect as a Club.

ABOUT THE EVENT:

Lambert Acres Golf Club in Maryville on October 22, 2020. In its 8th year, the tournament is sponsored by Atmos Energy and offers players 18 holes of golf including cart, 1st and 2nd place prizes for both flights, multiple closest to the pin prizes, hole in one prizes on multiple holes, door prize giveaways, and golfer goody bags. Lunch, sponsored by Chick-Fil-A - Hunter's Crossing, is served prior to the challenging afternoon of golf and followed by an awards ceremony, raffle drawings, and complimentary bar sponsored by Green Meadow Wine & Spirits.

All proceeds raised continue to directly support families who partner with Blount County Habitat for Humanity to achieve strength, stability, and self-sufficiency through safe, affordable housing. Generous sponsors and donors have helped Habitat build more than 160 new homes since 1991 and provide nearly 100 home repair projects each year for income-qualified households. Thank you for your interest in this event in support of our mission!

[www.blounthabitat.org](http://www.blounthabitat.org)

## EMPOWERING WOMEN IN ROTARY SERIES

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, August 2, 2020

### SERIES OFFERED ON EMPOWERING WOMEN IN ROTARY

You are invited to join in the 2020 Series *Empowering Women in Rotary*. This inspirational series is for all to learn and grow as Rotarians in support of the difference we can make when working together. Each of these sessions will leave you inspired and challenged as we hear from these incredible leaders and hear the impact they are making to empower us all.

ON *AUGUST 10th*, you will hear from the creators and founders of EMPOWERING WOMEN IN ROTARY. They will share some of their stories of triumph, failure, and struggles along the way.

ON *AUGUST 24th*, you will hear from incoming R.I Director Elizabeth Usovich on Empowering Women in Times of Change. The current year is like no other that we have experienced. How do we create positive change? In this interactive session with Elizabeth, you will explore ways to lead change, encourage positive change and create opportunities for the next generation.

ON *SEPTEMBER 14*, you will hear about New Generations of Hope from a wonderful woman Razia Jan, who was born in Afghanistan. Because of her humanitarian efforts, she was honored in a book by First Lady Laura Bush.

ON *OCTOBER 12th*, during World Polio month, you will hear from Anne Lee Hussey and Carl Chinnery, both of which are Polio survivors and have each made it their mission in life to help eradicate the Polio virus.

ON *NOVEMBER 9th*, you will hear from Brenda Cressey, who is the first ever female Chairman of the Board of Trustees at RI. She and Pam Stewart will talk about Doing Good in the World working with our Rotary Foundation.

Please go to the Empowering Women in Rotary website to sign up for any or all sessions you are interested in. All sessions begin at 7 PM Eastern / 6 PM Central and will last approximately 60 minutes. Registration and additional information can be found at [www.ewrotary.com](http://www.ewrotary.com).

## 2021 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN TAIPEI

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, June 21, 2020

The 2021 Rotary International Convention is in Taipei, Taiwan - June 12-16, 2021.

Early bird registration begins June 20, 2020. Here are the costs and savings:

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	20 TO 26 JUNE 2020 online, mail, fax	27 JUNE - 15 DECEMBER 2020 online, mail, fax	16 DECEMBER 2020 - 31 MARCH 2021 online, mail, fax	1 APRIL - 16 JUNE 2021 online, mail, fax
Club Member 31 or over, or Guest 31 or over	\$315	\$365	\$440	\$515
Club member 30 or under, Guest 30 or under, or Rotary Program alumni (must send paper form and indicate birth year)	\$100	\$120	\$170	\$220
Guest age 5-18	\$10	\$10	\$20	\$40
Guest under age 5	Free	Free	Free	Free
Saturday, House of Friendship only	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100

For links to registration and convention hotel reservations, go to:

<https://www.riconvention.org/en/taipei>

David Day from the Cookeville Breakfast Club is our district's Rotary International Convention Chair. for the 2021 Taiwan convention Please contact David if you have questions or need any additional information about this convention. [david@daviddaypc.com](mailto:david@daviddaypc.com)

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, April 7, 2019

### PLEASE SHARE A MEMBER SPOTLIGHT!

How about getting to know other Maryville Rotarians? It just might help us serve more effectively. But to get to know them, they need to know you. Funny how that works! You'll find **ATTACHED** to the newsletter a form for a Rotary Spotlight which can be shared on our website and social media. Please take time to fill out the form and return it to Carla Rafferty: [cjrjeep@comcast.net](mailto:cjrjeep@comcast.net)



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## LIKE AND SHARE ROTARY ON FACEBOOK

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, February 3, 2019

### Like and Share Our Facebook Page!

Here's an easy way to let the community know what your Rotary Club is doing. If you visit FaceBook, "like" our club's page. When something is posted on the club's page, share it on yours for others to see. You can find our club's page at: <https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=maryville%20rotary%20club>



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## FOLLOW MARYVILLE ROTARY ON INSTAGRAM

By Robert L. Beasley on Sunday, February 3, 2019

### Maryville Rotary Instagram

Follow the Maryville Rotary Club @RotaryClubofMaryville.  
Instagram is a photo and video-sharing social networking site with over 800 million users.

