

Rotary



Club of Oak Ridge Celebrating 75 Years

Club Meeting

Oak Ridge
Meets at Zoom/Facebook
215 S. Illinois Avenue
Oak Ridge, TN 37830
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

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THE Rotary Club of Oak Ridge



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Upcoming Club Events

75th Club Anniversary Celebration - Save the Date!

Mark your calendars for Monday, September 27th, 2021 for an incredible celebration of our club's 75th anniversary! Our keynote speaker will be Jennifer Jones, who is the Rotary International President-Elect for 2021-2022. The planning committee is hard at work to make this event memorable for all.

More details to come, but go ahead and mark your calendars now!

+75 Years of Service



Rotary Club of Oak Ridge

This Week's Program

Inclusive Playground Project

This week's program will feature a few of our friends from the Oak Ridge Sunset Rotary Club to discuss the Inclusive Playground Project. They are hoping to make this a 3-club undertaking.

Last Week's Program

Dr. Mark Watson, City Manager, City of Oak Ridge

Our fellow club member, Dr. Mark Watson, was our speaker last week. As the City Manager of Oak Ridge, we asked him to give us some updates about happenings around the city. He made it lively by placing hot topics in sealed envelopes on each table around the room. He touched on a variety of current questions or concerns including the Wilson Street project, upgrades to the city's internal software systems, the status



J.R. Hertwig
Club Youth Services Chair



Tracy Boatner
iPast President

of the swimming pool, economic development, Harbour Point development, and planned updates to city streets. It was great to hear that growth is happening all around us, and we look forward to seeing all the results in the coming months and years!



Due to technical difficulties, we were not able to stream the meeting live on Facebook. We apologize for any inconvenience that may cause and hope to be back up on Facebook live this week.

Invocation and Guests Schedule

July 15th
Invocation: Charlie Jones
Greeters: Tom Hilton

July 22nd
Invocation: John Gunning
Greeters: Chuck Hope

July 29th
Invocation: Fred Heitman
Greeters: Scot Jamison

August 5th
Invocation: Charlie Hensley
Greeters: Cynthia Jeffers

August 12th
Invocation: J.R. Hertwig
Greeters: Charlie Jernigan

August 19th
Invocation: Ed Johnson
Greeters: Charles Jones

Upcoming Meetings

July 15th
Inclusive Playground Project
Speaker: Oak Ridge Sunset Rotary Club Representatives

July 22nd
ORHS Wildcat Football Program 2021 Preview
Speaker: ORHS Football Coach Joe Gaddis

July 29th
Dr. Bruce Borchers, Leading Oak Ridge Schools to Excellence
Speaker: Dr. Bruce Borchers, Superintendent of Oak Ridge Schools

August 5th
Explore Oak Ridge Fall Events
Speaker: Katy Watt, President of Explore Oak Ridge

August 12th
YWCA Gamechangers Program
Speaker: Hannah Brinson

August 19th
Youth Exchange Program
Speaker: Bill Nichols

Birthdays

Janice Sue Melcher
July 15th
Phyllis Scroggs
July 18th

Virtual Meeting Information

Zoom Accessibility Phasing Out

We will only offer the ability to join a meeting via Zoom for the remainder of the month of July. After that time, we will meet regularly in person and still offer a Facebook live option. We are also working on streaming via the Club's YouTube page.

In the meantime, to join by Zoom, just click the link below from your phone or computer. This will prompt you to download the appropriate software if you don't yet have it, and then automatically open the virtual meeting.

<https://tennessee.zoom.us/j/92080602011>

To call-in by phone only or to use your phone's audio, call
Phone Number: (312) 626 6799
Meeting ID: 920 8060 2011

Using Facebook

A Facebook account is not required to watch. Simply click the link below. You may need to scroll down the page, but you should find the meeting on the page. Often, the Facebook stream will begin around 10-15 minutes after noon, to allow time for members to get signed on.

[Facebook Link: Go to Facebook \(this will open in a new window\)](#)



Happy Dollars

The link below can be used for all Happy Dollars.

<https://icheckgateway.com/ PaymentPortal/Default.aspx?P=3c1ba22f5c54422bbeac>

This Month's Rotary Theme

Anniversaries

Leonard J. Martin
07-15-2010
11 Years

JULY IS

**NEW
LEADERSHIP
MONTH**



True leaders don't create followers, they create new leaders.

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