

# Rotary



## Club of Oak Ridge-Breakfast

### Club Leaders



[Sherrie Fairchild-Keyes](#)  
President



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[Ben Redmond](#)  
Past President



[SueAnne Lewis](#)  
Assistant District Governor

### Birthdays

James R. Michel  
August 7th

Alan L. Liby  
August 13th

William Cox  
August 16th

Keith E Craft  
August 17th

Thomas J. Lakers  
August 20th

David Olsen  
August 22nd

Stephen Barnes  
August 26th

### Club Meeting

Oak Ridge-Breakfast  
Meets at The Unitarian Universalist Church of Oak Ridge  
809 Oak Ridge Turnpike  
Oak Ridge, TN 37830  
Time: Wednesday at 07:15 AM

### Events

August 7th  
[Club Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** Sherry Burchfield  
**Subject:** Inclusive Playground

August 20th  
[ORBRC Board Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** ORBRC Board Meeting  
**Subject:** Pinnacle Bank

August 14th  
[Club Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** ORBRC Foundation Grant Awards

August 21st  
[Club Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** Andrea Salzman  
**Subject:** Aquatherapy

## ORBRC LOCATION CHANGE for AUGUST 7!!!!

**ORBRC will meet at First Presbyterian Church on August 7, 2019.**

**1051 Oak Ridge Turnpike (next to Donut Palace)**

### Meeting Notes- July 31, 2019



Rotary Notes July 31, 2019

Submitted by: Beth Shea

Our **guests** today included: SueAnne Lewis (District Governor), Naomi Asher (Noon Rotary), Emilee Smith and her husband Rick Smith, and David Kitzmiller.

**Rooster:** Charlotte Bowers issued newspaper fines to Tom Lakers (who negotiated his fine), and Tim Stallings and Ray Smith who both spun the "Fine Wheel." No members with recent or upcoming birthdays were in attendance. The Rooster gave a quiz to see if members had read their latest issue of the Rotarian. Some had, many had not! It was a fun reminder to everyone to read this informative publication.

**Happy Dollars:** Sherrie Fairchild-Keyes for the beginning of the new school year and a call for tutor training at Willowbrook on August 27; Judi Gray for today's awards presentation, a recent trip to Santa Fe, and several upcoming trips in August; Ray Garrett for his love of poetry and his new book that has been published and is available on Amazon; Tom Lakers for 59 years of marriage; Jana Brayton for a wonderful beach weekend with her daughter who is heading off to New Zealand; Martin McDonald for ORHS's increased enrollment, currently at 1536 students; Cathy Toth, who is celebrating her father's 80th birthday and his sister's 90th; Matt Brayton, who is celebrating his first anniversary with Jana on August 4; Alan Tatum for picking up an award for the Friendship Bell project; Naomi Asher for being a grandma and to Martin and the high school for working with her other daughter; and SueAnne Lewis for being here today and for the presentation.

Wayne A Houlberg  
September 1st  
Davyda Hammond  
September 3rd  
James B Roberto  
September 4th

## Years of Service

Robert R. Highfill  
01-10-1984  
36 Years  
Carl H. Peterson  
01-12-1984  
36 Years  
Thomas L. Clary III  
01-12-1985  
35 Years  
Wilbur D. Shults  
01-08-1989  
31 Years  
Ruby A Miller  
01-09-1990  
30 Years  
Thomas J. Lakers  
01-08-1993  
27 Years  
Myron Iwanski  
01-09-1994  
26 Years  
Stuart L. Clark  
01-11-2001  
19 Years  
Joseph B. McGrory  
01-16-2002  
18 Years  
Albert Beasley  
01-09-2008  
12 Years  
Brian Buuck  
01-30-2008  
12 Years  
William Cox  
01-11-2017  
3 Years  
Kesha Waters  
02-04-2019  
1 Year

Two awards (from last year) were presented by Ben Redmond and Judi Gray:

The **Service Above Self Award** was presented to **Emilee Smith** for her outstanding work in the community (including Celebrate Oak Ridge, Secret City Festival, and NJROTC) and for adopting a child (Joey, who had been severely neglected) and turning his life around.

The **Rotarian of the Year Award** was presented to co-recipients **Jim Rushton and David Olsen** for their hard work on the Haiti Water Project, which has positively impacted so many people.

Sherrie introduced our program. Members were invited to share their summer reads, which included an interesting variety of fiction, non fiction, newspapers, and podcasts. Our members definitely read a lot of good books! Look for more fun 5th Wednesday programs.

The meeting closed with the Four (Five) Way Test.

## Emilee Smith presented with Service Above Self Award



## Co-Rotarians of the Year: David Olsen and Jim Rushton



## Career Pathways Donation Opportunity

### How to Donate to Career Pathways

1. Sponsor One Student Work Term for \$1200 and get an Option to Sponsor a Second Work Term for \$325!!

The ORBRC Foundation has generously established a matching donation challenge.

The Foundation will provide funding of \$325 for each of six student work terms, provided there is a \$325 match from an ORBRC member.

This fall we will be submitting a District 6780 Grant request to match that total of \$650 with \$550 from the District, to arrive at \$1200 for each of the six student work terms.

The first 6 ORBRC members who contribute \$1200 now will be placed on a list for an option to pay \$325 later this year, to be matched with \$875 after we lock down a District 6780 Grant. This is an opportunity to **write a check now for \$1200** and later opt to fully sponsor one student's Career Pathways two work term experiences for only an additional \$325.

or

**1. Donate any amount you wish! All donations are greatly appreciated!**

**To make your payment**

Make your check payable to ORBRC Foundation.

Write Career Pathways in the memo line.

Bring your check to a Club meeting and give it to Club Foundation Treasurer Joe McGrory,

or

**mail a check to:**

Oak Ridge Breakfast Rotary Club Foundation

Attn: Joe McGrory, Treasurer

P. O. Box 4164

Oak Ridge, TN 37831-4164

When you have submitted your donation, please email Jim Palmer at [palmerj2@comcast.net](mailto:palmerj2@comcast.net) so he can track your contribution.

Thank you!

## Rotary Leadership Institute Is August 10 in Crossville

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) is a leadership and development program to strengthen Rotary Clubs through education, collaboration, and exchange of ideas among future leaders. The course is offered in a series of three fast-paced, interactive one-day sessions facilitated by experienced, trained faculty members who engage participants through open discussion, problem solving, and creative role-play. The courses are fun, topical, hand-on. Class members learn from each other **no lectures!**

The RLI program is geared toward busy business professionals who want to be more effective leaders in their vocation and in their Rotary club. Participants return to their club with new friends, enthusiasm, fresh ideas, and valuable leadership skills.

**RLI Parts I, II, and III will be offered on Saturday, August 10 2019 in the Cumberland Business Incubator in Crossville from 8:30 a.m. Central time to 3:30 p.m.** The cost is \$50 per person per course and includes all materials as well as a continental breakfast and lunch. Many clubs choose to pay the cost for their members; in other club, members pay their own way.

Register for RLI through DACdb. Click on *Calendar*, and scroll down to August 10; then click on *Rotary Leadership Institute Parts I, II, and III*.

Only those who have completed Part I are eligible to attend Part II, and only those who have completed Part II may register for Part III.



## District Seminars Set for August 17 and August 24

All club Membership, Youth Services, Foundation, and Public Image chairs are encouraged to attend the District Seminars on Membership, Youth Services, Foundation, and Public Image set for August 17 at Pellissippi State Community College in Knoxville and Motlow State in Tullahoma. The Seminars will be offered at Cleveland State in Cleveland and Cumberland University in Lebanon on August 24.

Members of the District Governor's team and regional Assistant Governors will be present at each seminar, and each location will have its own speakers on the various subjects. Registrations begin at 8:00 a.m. local time, and sessions begin at 8:30. The seminars end at 12:30 PM local time.

District Leadership Academy (DLA) Orientation will be at noon at Pellissippi State in Knoxville.

Online registration is now open. Please select DISTRICT CALENDAR and you will find the event registration.

Please register so that we have a good count of attendees at each location. Thank you.

## 2nd Annual Listen Up for Literacy Event

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual *Listen Up for Literacy* Event

We are pleased to invite you to our Second Annual "Listen Up for Literacy" event on Sunday, August 25, at the Oak Ridge Associated Universities (ORAU) Pollard Auditorium, 210 Badger Avenue, in Oak Ridge.

The Altrusa Foundation of Oak Ridge and the Oak Ridge Breakfast Rotary Club are sponsoring a talk by acclaimed local author, Dr. Richard Dew.

Dr. Dew is the author of *Rachel's Cry*, *Tunnel of Light*, and *The Other Side of Silence*. Copies of his books will be available for purchase that afternoon.

The event will be held from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. The cost is \$35, which includes appetizers and drinks (\$25 is tax deductible). Proceeds benefit literacy programs in Anderson and Roane County.

If you would like to attend, please call and sign up with Marilyn Reafsnyder (see contact information below). You can pay that evening at the door. We just need a head count for the numbers coming. Seating capacity in the Pollard Auditorium is 295.

Please feel free to pass this invitation on to any others, who might want to attend. Thank you so much for your continued interest in our literacy programs.

Marilyn Reafsnyder

Literacy Committee

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## Let's Pack the Park for Polio

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Due to the rainout of the July 22nd Smokies game, we have rescheduled the game for Monday, August 26th. We hope you can attend as we will again "Pack the Park" for Polio Eradication.



Make your plans to attend the game between the Tennessee Smokies and the Birmingham Barons as Rotarians Pack the Park to crush polio. The game begins at 7:00 p.m. at the Smokies Stadium in Kodak. Come a bit earlier and see District Governor, Greg Maciolek, throw out the first pitch.

Ticket vouchers for the game are \$12 each, and \$5.50 of that amount will go to the fight to end polio. With the match from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, that's \$16.50. Each voucher comes with a \$6 stadium credit and lots of fun! It's Dollar Dog Night, so you could gorge on six hot dogs with your stadium credit!

If you cannot attend the game on August 26th, your ticket voucher (but not the stadium credit) is good for any remaining regular season home game for the remainder of the season. Vouchers will be exchanged for tickets at the special Rotary table near the stadium ticket office. For vouchers contact John Downs at [latigo57@yahoo.com](mailto:latigo57@yahoo.com). Please bring in your check for \$6.50/ticket sold and make it out to the Tennessee Smokies.

## Pub Night at The Grove- September 28

The Friends of The Grove Theater are hosting another fun **PUB QUIZ NIGHT!** All proceeds will support Flatwater Tales and completion of the Ed Westcott Wall!

Date: Saturday, September 28th

Where: The Historic Grove Theater

When: 7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

Team Fee: \$120 for a table of 6

Wine, Beer, and Pub Food will be available for purchase!

Space is LIMITED, visit [www.thegrovetheater.org](http://www.thegrovetheater.org) to register. Questions? Call 865-719-4305.