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TODAY'S PROGRAM: RCSV Two Year Scholarship Program

The Rotary Club of Shades Valley is proud to announce our 2020 2-year community college scholarship recipients. The club's selection committee, chaired by George Casey, has selected eight students from two of our club's target high schools; Cornerstone Schools of Alabama and Restoration Academy.

Prior to the introduction of the students and the awards presentations, George Casey will share a brief overview of the program, its history, its mission, and its selection process.

We are pleased to have Cas McWaters, Chief Academic Officer to present a summary of Cornerstone Schools of Alabama, Following Mr. McWaters will be Kate Lane, School Counselor who will present the awards to the three recipients selected from Cornerstone.

Lily Leath, School Guidance Counselor, will present the awards to the five recipients selected from Restoration Academy; Jared George, Malcolm Bonner, Anthony Smith, Chaise Mallory, and Judah Sciacca. Following these presentations, we are pleased to have Molly Stone, Director of Development, to present a summary of Restoration Academy.

Funding for these awards is provided by grants to the recipient's chosen community college by the **Shades Valley Rotary Charitable Foundation.**

Next Week — No Program

Enjoy your 'Safer at Home' Memorial Day holiday!!!

COVID-19 Response Meals Project

To date the RCSV has served meals to the Critical Care Transport team of Children's of Alabama, the employees of the Birmingham Zoo, and to first responders and office staff of the city of Mountain Brook. The Firehouse Shelter and the State Troopers are soon on the schedule.

Polio Eradication Update (As of 5—13)

This YTD = 59Cases Last YTD = 34 Afghanistan: 12 Pakistan: 47

Total 2019= 176 Nigeria: 0

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Shades Creek Greenway Cleanup

Saturday, May 9, beginning at 8 o'clock a.m., 10 faithful Shades Valley Rotarians and helpmates showed up at the extreme western end of the Shades Creek Greenway and Trail to do some brush clearing, mulching, planting and general maintenance to an area of the trail in which we, in partnership with the Birmingham Botanical Gardens and the City of Homewood, have planted in excess of 140 trees over the course of the last three years.

Like everything else these days the fellowship and camaraderie was impacted by "Social Distancing" and masks but was spirited and filled with fun and humor as always! Shown in the pictures below are those Rotarians who made it happen. Thank you to Chair Tom Killian, President Bob, President-elect Claude, Jeannie and Ted Brasfield, Colleen and Ben Oldham, Mike Wade, Bill Ross, and John Gleissner.

















Meals for "Heroes"

Throughout May the RCSV has redirected the normal expense for meals served by Ted's at our regular meetings to provide meals to others, primarily those on the front lines of our battle with the COVID-19 virus. Last week you saw pictures of the delivery by Ted's Restaurant to the on-duty team of nurses and respiratory therapists who comprise the critical care transport team of Children's of Alabama and the delivery of the meals to the dedicated employees of the Birmingham Zoo as they deal with the continued care and attention to the animals and exhibits while the zoo is closed to the public.

Friday, May 15 we had the pleasure of providing meals to the fire, police, and other essential employees of the city of Mountain Brook. In the pictures below are Tasos Touloupas, owner-Ted's Restaurant and his employee; President Bob; RCSV member and Mountain Brook Finance Director. Steve Boone; Secretary/Treasurer Lindsy; and several of the Mountain Brook first responders. Not pictured but certainly present behind the camera was Tom Killian. Thank you to Tom and Carol Argo for their leadership with this meals project!

Additional meals are currently scheduled for delivery to the Alabama State Troopers and to the Firehouse Shelter with more to follow.





Congratulations

At a virtual meeting of District 6860 leadership held Friday, May 15, DG Bill Petty announced the



recipients of two district awards: the Vocational Service Award for a Rotarian was presented to Ronnie Dukes of the RC of Decatur.

The Vocational Servive Award for a non-Rotarian was presented to Barbara Porter. Barbara was nominated by the RC of Truss-ville-Daybreak, the RC of Vestavia – Hills Sunrise, the RC of Shades Valley and PDG Mary Jean Sanspree. DG Bill will join us when we return to face-to-face meetings for an actual presentation to Barbara. You will learn more about this award at that time.

Barbara, We are proud of you!!

CELEBRATION TIME

Rotary District 6860 Club: Shades Valley

Birthdays and Anniversaries for 05/01/2020 to 05/31/2020

Member Birthdays	Birthday
Boone, Steven L. (STEVEN)	04 May
Cara, Arthur Joseph (ART)	12 May
Clements, Erin (ERIN)	15 May
Estess, Glenn E. Jr. (GLENN)	24 May
Haskell, Wyatt R. (WYATT)	15 May
Hayes, Betsy (BETSY)	14 May
Lewis, Jon E. (JON)	17 May
Patrick, Jason E. (JASON)	07 May
Ponder, Charles L (CHARLES)	05 May
Putman, David (DAVID)	24 May
Summey, Sidney C. Jr. (SID)	22 May
Terrell, Thomas H. (TOMMY)	28 May

Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years	Years (P)	Total
Boone, Steven L. (STEVEN)	05/12/97	23	0	23
Campisi, Mary Lynn (LYNN)	05/17/99	21	0	21
Clements, Erin (ERIN)	05/15/17	3	0	3
Johnson, Arthur E (A.J.)	05/20/19	1	0	1
Nigri, Victor Patrick (VIC)	05/16/16	4	0	4
Pfefferkorn, Christopher O. (CHRIS)	05/16/16	4	0	4
Spencer, James V. III(JIM)	05/20/02	18	0	18
Sprague, Rick W. (RICK)	05/15/17	3	0	3

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Dean, Willard L. (BILL)	Enid Jeffcoat (ENID)	05/16	50
Johnson, William M. III(BILLY)	Debbie	05/27	42
Martin, William Fred (FRED)	Helen (HELEN)	05/11	52
Murphy, Erica Pezent (ERICA)	Ryan	05/29	10
Pfefferkorn, Christopher O. (CHRIS)	Teresa (TERESA)	05/05	20
Ponder, Charles L (CHARLES)	Molly	05/24	6
Raney, Amanda S (STEW)	Jonathan (JON)	05/31	17
Rice, Don (DON)	Gwen	05/19	47
Sides, Charles Keith (KEITH)	Jane	05/06	31
Summey, Sidney C. Jr.(SID)	Melissa	05/01	16
Vevle, Richard Rustad (DICK)	Karla	05/22	66
Williams, Phillip (PHILLIP)	Robbie	05/31	24