

# Rotary



## Club of Roanoke-Downtown

Thursday, June 27, 2019

### Announcements

Thanks to those members who worked RAM House in June - Karen Rose, Effie Moore, Donna Springer, Justin Mummey!

July 21 RAM House volunteers are Andrea Milliron, Jerry Dunnavant, Al McLean, James Baum and Patrick Johnson.

**We will NOT meet on Wednesday, July 3.** Enjoy your holiday week! **We WILL meet on July 17 AND July 31** at the Shenandoah Club for our regular meeting.

An update to our total for the World's Greatest Meal #5429 held on May 29 - we received an additional \$50 so our total raised was \$705!!! Once this is matched by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, this will be \$2,115 that will be used for the eradication of polio!! Thanks to everyone who participated. YOU are making a difference in the world!

Our New Website launched January 1. Visit our new site for updated meeting information and club stories. Our web address remains the same: [www.roanokedowntown.org](http://www.roanokedowntown.org)

#### ***New Membership Option!!***

***At our June 5th meeting the members approved several changes to the Club's by-laws. As a part of those changes, the Board of Directors is excited to announce a new Corporate Membership option in addition to our regular individual membership. Corporate Membership is available to all businesses (corporation, partnership, LLC etc.).***

***Each Corporate Membership will designate on their application a primary representative (known as the primary member) and up to two (2) alternate representatives who may attend in their place (known as delegates). The intent is for the company to be represented at every meeting. In addition to attending meetings, delegates may also participate in Club service projects. However, under the Corporate Membership, only the primary member is listed as a club member. The primary member and any delegates can choose to attend the same meeting. In such case, the delegate would simply pay for their lunch meal.***

***The intent in offering Corporate Memberships is to provide additional flexibility. We know that the expectation of regular attendance can be a barrier to membership for some business leaders and professionals. Our hope is that the option for Corporate Memberships enables us to introduce Rotary membership in a new way, so that they can learn how a decision for Rotary is good for business.***

***It is important to emphasize that the relationships built through regular attendance at meetings, participation in service projects and spending time with fellow Rotarians are key to maximizing each member's Rotary experience. There is no desire to diminish the value of these relationships in any way. Our hope over time will be for each Corporate Member and each delegate to choose to become an individual member.***

***Please feel free to reach out to Larry Dickenson, Club Membership Chair, for more information!***

### Other Important Dates

July 1, 2019: Incoming District Governor Tim Carter's installation. Woodstock Presbyterian Church, Woodstock, Virginia

July 17, 2019: Installation of Officers for Rotary Club of Roanoke-Downtown.

### Events

#### Birthdays

Dorothy Kelly  
July 27th

#### Wedding Anniversaries

Frank Dieter  
July 30th

#### Years of Service

No Years Of Service Found



July 3rd  
**NO CLUB MEETING**

**Speaker:** NO CLUB MEETING

**Subject:** NO CLUB MEETING - HAPPY  
INDEPENDENCE DAY

July 21st

**RAM House**

**Speaker:** RAM House Community Service

**Subject:** Volunteers: Andrea Milliron, Jerry  
Dunnavant, Al McClean, James Baum, Patrick  
Johnson

July 17th

**Club Meeting**

**Speaker:** Rob Ledger, Roanoke City Economic  
Development Manager

**Subject:** Roanoke City Economic Updates

**Marc McKenna**, President; **David Todd**, President Elect; **Karen Rose**, Treasurer; **David Hagadorn**, Secretary  
**Tim Wilborne**, Assistant Governor and **Tim Carter**, District Governor

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