

Rotary



Club of Sylva

Birthdays

Melissa Canady Wargo
September 12th

Susan Scarlet-Macaw
September 14th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Speakers

September 09, 2021
[Dorian Palmer, Recruitment and Dev Specialist, Big Brothers Big Sisters of WNC](#)

"What is new with Big Brothers Big Sisters in WNC"

September 16, 2021
[Kenneth A. Shull](#)
DG Official Visit

October 05, 2021
[Eddie Wells, Noon Rotary Club of Sylva](#)
Rotary orientation/information

Club Leaders



[Nancy G. McConnell](#)
President



[James Montsinger](#)
President-Elect



[Hollie A. Johnson](#)
Secretary

[Joyce M. Pope](#)
Treasurer

News for Thursday, Sept. 9

Hi Everyone --

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our **noon meeting this Thursday, September 9**. Our **guest speaker is Dorian Palmer**, Recruitment and Development Specialist for **Big Brothers Big Sisters of WNC**. This nonprofit organization is returning to western NC to provide services. Dorian will share with us their service plan and ways we can help.

We are asking all to **wear a mask** so that we can be in compliance with the Jackson County mandate that went into effect 8/30 for all county facilities. Of course, your mask may be removed to eat.

See below for additional dates to remember this month. Please note that September activities are not on a usual schedule, so mark your calendars accordingly:

* **Satellite meeting today (Tuesday, Sept. 7)** at 5:30 p.m. at the Paper Mill -- Chris Stuckey, Community Engagement Liaison of Westbridge Vocational, and his colleague Mike Rogers, will share the mission and current activities affecting clients. The Satellite club also is having a **membership drive at the Sept. 7 meeting** so please try to **bring a friend, co-worker or acquaintance** to the meeting. We'll also be **collecting items for Sylva's Little Free Food Pantry**. Please bring non-perishable food, toiletries etc.

* **Island beautification this Saturday (Sept. 11)** -- Please join us at 8 a.m. to continue beautifying the island.

* **Noon meeting next Thursday (Sept. 16)** -- **District 7670 Governor Ken Schull** will share his vision for our district. Please attend and show DG Schull "The Greatest Rotary Club in the World!"

* **Rotary membership drive event with Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, Thursday Sept. 23** -- This will be held at Innovation Station in Dillsboro (time to be determined, probably 5 to 7). Everyone is encouraged to attend and **talk to business leaders about the benefits of Rotary membership**. Attendees will receive a ticket for one free drink. Food options are being explored.

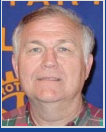
We continue to be **seeking a volunteer to chair the Fundraising Committee**. This position is **of vital importance to our club**, because it enables us to serve our community of Jackson County through funding of various projects. We're **also seeking volunteers to serve on the committee**. We envision having a "champion (lead)" for each fundraising event so that all responsibility will not fall on the Fundraising Committee chair.

Thanks to each of you for supporting Rotary and its mission.

Yours in Rotary service,



Roy Warren Burnette
Club Chair District Conference
Club Public Image Chair



Vance Davidson
Rotary Foundation Chair



Kenneth Nicholson
Sergeant-at-Arms



Matt Saenger
Club Admin Chair



James M. Spiro
Membership Chair



Scott Baker
Webmaster



Eddie Wells
Club Service Chair



Susan Scarlet-Macaw
Diversity Equity & Inclusion



Robert D. Carpenter
Youth Services Chair



Peggy Wike
Youth Services Chair



Joe Rigdon
iPast President



William Swift
Assistant Governor