



The Combined Fayetteville Rotary Spoke

The Weekly Newsletter of the Newly Combining Fayetteville Rotary Clubs

December 12, 2019



Fayetteville Rotary Club Meeting

Welcome: West Fayetteville Rotary President Swayn Hamlet opened this week's Combined Fayetteville Rotary Clubs (FRC) meeting at 1:00 PM at Highland Country Club, welcoming all and leading the assembled in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Meeting Prayer and Meal: The meeting/meal invocation was given by Stephen McDavid. The meal was Pork Loin, sweet potatoes, spinach, chicken and pasta, mixed salad with choice of dressings, and rolls.

Rotary Song and Rotary Minute: There was no song. Tim Richardson update the membership on the status of the Club merger.

Attendance & Guests: There were 19 members of the combined clubs and guests present at the meeting, 9 from the Fayetteville club, 1 from the Lafayette Club, 9 from the West Fayetteville Club and 0 guests.

Health and Happiness: Dave Baggett reminded the assembled of the December 13, 2019 Rotary Youth Leadership Application deadline. The joint clubs are expected to support more than 12 candidates for the RYLA weekend. There are 8 applicants to date. The applicants will be interviewed at a date and time to be determined. RYLA weekend at Pine Knolls Shores will be held the 24-26 January 2020.

Club Program: Swayn Hamlet oversaw this week's program, a Club Assembly. Matt Smith reminded all that the Rotary Fayetteville Christmas Parade will be held this Saturday, December 14, 2019. All members will be needed to assist in controlling the parade. Report to the mobile home parked along Cool Spring Street just outside the Court House Parking Lot no later than 8:30 AM. You will be given an assignment and a Rotary Vest. Joe Running reminded members that our Holiday Party, a potluck, will be at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church beginning at 5:30 on December 19, 2019. He asked all members to sign-up on the sheet being passed around, to show how many will be in their party and to sign up to bring a side or desert. Joe Running or Magda Baggett can answer any questions or take status changes.

Future Meetings and Upcoming Event.

- December 14 – Annual Fayetteville Rotary Clubs' Christmas Parade
- December 19 - Rotary Club annual Pot Luck Christmas Party, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 5:30 PM.
- December 26 – There will be no FRC meeting because of Christmas the Day before.
- January 2 - There will be no FRC meeting because of New Year's Day before.
- January 9 - There will be no FRC meeting because Highland Country Club, meeting venue is closed.

50-50 Raffle – There was no ticket drawn this week. Joe Running's ticket was drawn last week. Joe won approximately 18 Dollars. Swayn lead everyone in the **Four Way Test, of the things that we think, say and do**, and our meeting at Highland Country Club was adjourned at 2:00 PM.