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Rotary



Club of Fulton, Missouri



Programs & Events:

January 30 at KACO: Midwest Transplant,
Lori Clark

February 6: Boy Scouts of America, Doug
Callahan & Jacque Cowherd

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Debbie Laughlin

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Jennifer Books

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History of the Rotary Bell:

In 1922, U.S. Rotarians organized an attendance contest; the challenge was that the losing clubs would join in giving the winning club a prize.

The Rotary Club of New York City was declared the winner and to them was awarded as a prize a bell from a popular patrol boat, which was placed on wood that came from HMS "Victory", Admiral Nelson's vessel at the battle of Trafalgar.

Since then, the bell used in Rotary meetings started to represent, as on the ships, order, discipline and the time to guide us through the weekly hour and a half meetings. The bell informs us with its sound the beginning of the Rotary meeting, at which time people present should stand, same as at the end, in order to salute the national and Rotary flags. *From a facebook post by District 6670*

Service Opportunities

We are collecting food for Our House. Because they do not have a full kitchen, please bring food that can be prepared in the microwave. Jan and Susan will deliver it to them.

Sponsor a table, buy tickets, and/or volunteer to help at the Mouse Races March 1st!

If you can't find it locally and must shop online, try **AmazonSmile.com** and get a small portion of the sale donated to the Fulton Rotary Club. Just log on and choose our club as your charity.

The Fulton Rotary Club meets at noon on Wednesdays

The Evening Satellite Club meets the third Monday of each month, 6:00 pm