

The Rotozark

Greeter: Stephanie Shadwick

Rotary Club of Springfield #2387

Established June 1, 1919

Invocation, Pledge, & Four Way Test: Nick Nelson

This Week at Rotary:

Harnessing AI: Strategies for Success in Life and Work, Paige Oxendine



Paige Oxendine is a Consultant with Habitat Communication & Culture, where she helps organizations train managers on essential skills, develop strategic plans, install performance management systems, and conduct customized research. She previously spent 8+ years in economic development

and workforce development roles in southwest Missouri, working with the efactory at Missouri State University and Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce. She is a graduate of Missouri State University where she earned degrees in Public Relations and Socio-Political Communication.

Coming Attractions

Next Week, Mar. 5—RYLA—Elif Koroglu/Experience in RYLA

Mar. 12—Rotary on the Road at OTC Plaster Manufacturing Center

Upcoming Calendar Events:

Feb. 27—Board Meeting at Kentwood Hall, 10:30am

Apr. 19-21—Rotary District 6080 Conference at Margaritaville, Osage Beach

Rotary on the Road, March 12th

Our Rotary meeting on March 12th will be held offsite at the OTC Plaster Center for Advanced Manufacturing. If you plan on attending, please follow the RSVP link sent out in the weekly email or sign-up at your table.

Upcoming Rotary District Conference

Rotary Districts 6040, 6060, and 6080 will celebrate together to hold a Rotary Funvention at Margaritaville, in Osage Beach, April 19-21. The fun will include Shoes for Orphan Souls Collections, Breakfast/Brunch, Dinner, Dinner Cruise, Margaritaville Perks, Family Fun Time, and Experiential Rock Start Keynote Speaker from Las Vegas, Marvelless Mark.

Want to suggest a program? Or propose a new member?

Program Committee Chair, Ben Jones,
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Membership Chair, Trudy Smith,
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Check out some of the area clubs!

SPRINGFIELD NORTH

Tuesdays, 7AM, DoubleTree Hotel

SPRINGFIELD METRO

Tuesdays, 5 PM, 425 Event Center

SPRINGFIELD SOUTHEAST

Thursdays, Noon, Ocean Zen

SPRINGFIELD SUNRISE

Wednesdays, 7 AM, Twin Oaks Country Club

ROTARACT CLUB OF SPRINGFIELD

2nd & 4th Wednesdays, Noon, 425 Event Center

OZARK

Wednesdays, Noon, Ozark Community Center

NIXA

Thursdays, Noon, Nixa Area Chamber of Commerce

February Birthdays

2/8—Joe Driscoll

2/20—Denise Baumann

2/24—Eric Atkinson & Kim Reser

2/29—Syd Tippie

February Anniversaries

2 years—Ram Nayar

4 years—Kara Turner

8 years—Tiffany Brunner & Matt Hudson

40 years—John Moore

42 years—George Freeman

43 years—Steven Atwood

48 years—Allen Casey



Board Members: President, Matt Suarez; President-Elect, Lisa Bakerink; Secretary, Melissa Briggs; Past-President, Gail Noggle; Treasurer, Steve Bach; Director, Michael Bishop-Jones; Director, Abby Glen ; Director, Steve Shanholtzer; Director: Trudy Smith; Executive Secretary, Kimberly Pittman

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