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Rotary Club of Springfield #2387

Established June 1, 1919

Invocation, Pledge, & Four Way Test: Ram Nayar

This Week at Rotary: Onward and Upward, Danny Perches



Danny Perches is the Assistant Director of Economic Vitality for the City of Springfield where he along with the 7-

person department are responsible for driving growth in the City of Springfield through new businesses coming to the market, the expansion of existing businesses and supporting the entrepreneurship community. Before joining the City, Danny worked for the Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce as the Economic Development Project Manager where he managed major capital investment and job creation for Springfield and the surrounding 10-county region.

Danny is a graduate of Missouri State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and a Master's Degree in Industrial and Organizational Psychology. Danny is married to his better half of 9 years, Brittany, and has a 6 year old son named Vin, a 2 year old named Sofi, and a poodle named Penelope. You can find Danny in his spare time spending time with his family, wood-working, running, **not** cheering on the Chiefs, and enjoying college football and basically any televised sport.

Coming Attractions

Next Week, Sept. 12—Update on the Darr College of Agriculture, Dr. Melissa Bledsoe

Sept. 19—CVB, Mark Hecquet

Upcoming Calendar Events:

Sept. 19—Board Meeting at Kentwood Hall, 10:30am

Proposed New Members

Kirk Wilson, Wilson Logistics, sponsored by Trudy Smith

Roseann Bentley Musical Playground Donations

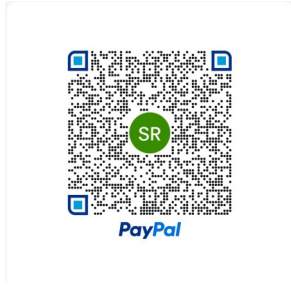
To make individual donations to the Roseann Bentley Musical Playground, visit ParkBoard.org/BentleyPlayground. Be sure to include "Downtown Rotary" under "Company/Organization".

Rotary Theme for September: Basic Education and Literacy Month

Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education, and increase adult literacy. We support education for all children and literacy for children and adults.

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September Birthdays

9/3—Michael Clarke, Keith Noble & Sam Smith
9/4—Sean Balisle
9/8—Nyla Milleson
9/9—Clif Smart
9/11—Jerry Tourville
9/13—Linda Martineau & Ram Nayar
9/16—Tamera Jahnke
9/18—Michael Bishop-Jones & Adam Kampa
9/20—John Mihalevich
9/25—Aaron Jones
9/29—Miles Sweeney

September Anniversaries

5 years—Matt Suarez
8 years—Karl Schmidt
11 years—Janet Dankert & Brigitte Marrs
12 years—Clif Smart
14 years—Shelley Evans
28 years—Bud Greve
30 years—Keith Noble & Carol Williamson
31 years—Shara Cash

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