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 CHARTERED MARCH 11, 1991 - CHARTER YEAR (91/92) PRESIDENT - ROY FREUND - 2020-21 PRESIDENT - LAURIE DELANO  
 FRIDAY MORNINGS, 6:45 A.M. - HILTON GARDEN INN, JOPLIN, MISSOURI  
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"Service Above Self"

Friday, January 15, 2021

## Today's Daybreaker

**Bruce Secrist**

## Today's Program

**NO PROGRAM**  
*Will dismiss by 7:30 a.m.  
 due to Hilton Garden Inn  
 scheduled event*

## Upcoming Events

### January

- 1/22 Daybreaker: Dale Jansen
- 1/26 Board & Committee Chair Planning Meeting - Noon
- 1/29 Annual Meeting at Granny Shaffer's Banquet Center

### February

- 2/3 Board Meeting (Virtual - 7:00)

## Birthdays

David Sweeney.....	1/03
Alex Cawood .....	1/14
Tom Jensen .....	1/26
Larry Johnson.....	1/28
Adam Maggard.....	2/1
Dale Janssen.....	2/14
Bob Heiniger.....	2/22

## IMPORTANT ITEMS

- Please remember to check your name on the attendance at the door & if eating or not.
- Please put cell phones on silent before the meeting.
- We understand that a member may sometimes need to leave the meeting early. If you do, please leave before the speaker begins his/her program.
- eCLUB ONE (electronic make-up). You have the opportunity to process your make-ups on-line. Go to the website: [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org) and click on "make-up info" to complete the short form, or just go to our website and click on "electronic make-up."

## January 15 Meeting at Hilton Garden Inn

Please Wear Your Face Coverings at all times  
 except when eating or drinking.

## 30th ANNIVERSARY UPDATE

Due to the ongoing COVID pandemic, we will celebrate our club's 30th anniversary at our March 12 morning meeting, instead of having an evening celebration. It will be held at Granny Shaffer's at our regular time. So, MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! (We will look at having a special social and / or service project in the spring or summer).



Jeff Koch awards Vanessa Williams a Paul Harris Fellow. Brenda Reynolds, the winner of the World Series Raffle, gifted her Paul Harris Fellow award to Vanessa!

## SUPER BOWL FUNDRAISER!

Get ready to buy a square for \$10 to make a contribution to the Rotary International Foundation and win a Paul Harris award! Buy at the meeting or contact Jeff Koch!



Welcome to new members Sandy Hughes and Alex Cawood. And thank you to their sponsors, Chad Hook and Kerry Sachetta!

# Nigeria conference celebrates youth, collaboration

By Christian Stephen, Elemenwo Rotaract Club, Nigeria

Recently, a friend asked me what Rotaract was all about, and what benefit it provided. It gave me a moment to reflect. Having been a Rotaractor for more than six years, I can boldly say that there has never been a better time than now to embrace the responsibility that Rotaract offers, and to use it to create innovative solutions to some of the world's most pressing challenges.

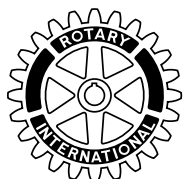
Rotaract is a call to serve. And that call will be on display during January's virtual presidential conference in Nigeria.

RI President Holger Knaack has instituted three Presidential Conferences this year to highlight the power of Rotary and Rotaract working together as partners in service. On 22-24 January, Knaack will be connecting virtually with my colleagues in Nigeria to talk about how important service is for Rotaractors. And the best part is: you are all invited! Join us to learn what it means to serve and collaborate.

The event will harness and integrate the rich culture and tradition of Nigeria through tours, dinners, online seminars, breakouts sessions, and networking galas (in person or virtual for participants in Nigeria and virtual for others). Register today at <https://rotarydistrict9141.org/presidentialconference>

## SMILE!

- The proper way to use a stress ball is to throw it at the last person to upset you.
- There is a new trend in our office; everyone is putting names on their food. I saw it today, while I was eating a sandwich named Kevin.
- My annual performance review says I lack "passion and intensity." I guess management hasn't seen me alone with a Big Mac.
- How do construction workers party? They raise the roof.
- If every day is a gift, I'd like a receipt for Monday. I want to exchange it for another Friday.
- Feeling stressed out? Make a nice cup of hot tea and then spill it in the lap of whoever's bugging you.
- I use artificial sweetener at work. I add it to everything I say to my boss.
- A clean desk is a sign of a cluttered desk drawer.
- The only thing worse than seeing something done wrong is seeing it done slowly.
- If at first you don't succeed, redefine success.
- Give me ambiguity or give me something else.
- We have enough youth. How about a fountain of "Smart"?
- I started out with nothing and I still have most of it.
- The boss frowns on anyone yelling: "Hey Weirdo!" He says too many people look up from their work.



### THE ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

- Is it the **TRUTH**?
- Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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### WHERE YOU CAN MAKE UP NEAR "DAYBREAK"

*Makeup meeting must be made up to 28 days prior or after a regularly scheduled meeting. LOCATIONS & DATES MAY CHANGE DUE TO COVID-19*

#### TUESDAY

Miami, OK - noon Paul Thomas Family Center  
 Pittsburg, KS - noon Via Christi Hospital  
 Springfield, MO Kentwood Hall

#### WEDNESDAY

Bentonville, AR noon Does Eat Place  
 Frontenac, KS 1st & 3rd noon Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
 Grove, OK noon First Methodist Church  
 Neosho, MO noon The Civic  
 Rogers, AR noon Embassy Suites  
 Webb City/Carl Junction noon Granny Shaffer's Banquet Center

#### THURSDAY

Carthage 1st & 3rd 6:30 pm Cherry's on the Square  
 Joplin Club noon Twin Hills  
 Springfield SE noon Ocean Zen