Meeting Notes – Dec. 10, 2019

Wayne McLendon was our guest speaker at Rotary on Dec. 10, 2019. He's a fish farmer and owns 13 ponds in Beauregard, Alabama. He raises fish (catfish, blue gill, bass) to sell and stock in other people's ponds. He talked today about the Fishin Mission which he does in conjunction with Frazer Methodist Church in Montgomery. On the third Saturday of every month beginning in March and ending in September they invite groups of disadvantaged students to come and fish. They usually catch between 250 and 350 lb of fish after fishing for about an hour or an hour and a half. Some of the men of the church then clean the fish and each student goes home with a 2 lb bag of fillets. While the men are cleaning the fish somebody presents a gospel message and the kids are served pizza. The Men's Ministry at Frazer Church helps to financially support the Fishin Mission and supplies the men to help the kids one-on-one while they are fishing. Wayne has been doing this for 13 years.

Peyton Lamb, a senior at Chambers Academy, was Mr. Owen's guest today.

We will be delivering the rest of the Christmas gift bags Thursday morning to the second nursing home.

Diane Sherriff, President, Rotary Club of LaFayette