**Rotary Club of Tallahassee-Southside**

# General Meeting Minutes

# November 15, 2021

## Attendees

Christic H., Ray M., Betty S., Frank W., Teresa N., Doreen K., Shannel F., Jennifer R., Perry B., Michelle G., Mal’Lica B., Peter O., Kacy D., Rod M., Maria P., Dexter B., Nadeje P., Monica H., Darryl J., Anita F., Brian W.

Excused: Alisha B., Brandi K.

Guest: Dionte Gaven (Leon County Tourism/Visit Tallahassee)

## Opening

The General Member Meeting of Rotary Club of Tallahassee-Southside was called to order at 7:31am on November 15, 2021, via Zoom by President Christic H.

**Rotary Procedure**

Ray M., iPast President, led the group in the opening Invocation, the Pledge of Allegiance, and the Rotary Four-Way Test.

**Club Donations**

*Happy Dollars: $215* *Foundation:* $365

## Minutes

*President’s Report*

* Club documents should be reviewed by members no later than October 23rd
* World Polio Day activities did not happen. The club will work with Mark O’Bryant from Tallahassee Memorial Healthcare to facilitate a Community Health Forum in tribute to World Polio Day.
* Interact Club Charter Ceremony and Paul Harris pinning was postponed because the District Governor and Rep were unavailable.
* Comcast awarded the club an additional $10,000 because another organization declined the funds. This brings the total grant award amount to $17,500 for the Apalachee Ridge Tech Center.
	+ Additional potential funding sources have been recognized to support the efforts at the tech center.
* Community Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on November 22, 2021, at Catering with Care, 1431 S. Monroe St.
	+ Set up: 4:30p
	+ Food distribution: 5:30-7:30p
	+ Clean up: 7:30-8:30p
* Southside Rotary partnered with Bethel Medical Mobile Unit to provide vaccines to residents of Madison County (total of 150). The next event will be held in December in preparation for the holidays.
* Guest Dionte Gavin shared information about tourism in Tallahassee and upcoming events that the Rotary Club may be part of.
* December 11 and 18 – support Rotarian Darryl Jones Toy Drive to support families in Section 8 housing at the Plaza on Thomasville Rd in the plaza across from Whole Foods.

**Committee Updates**

*Treasurer*

* Treasurer reviewed the year-to-date contributions and balance for the operational account.

*Secretary*

* No updates provided.

*Council of Presidents*

* No updated provided.

*Membership*

* No updates provided.

*Training*

* Members are required to complete at least one course by 12/31/21.

*Service*

* No updates provided.

*Public Relations*

* No updates provided.

*Health*

* No updates provided.

## Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 8:32am by President Christic Henry. The next general club meeting will be held at 7:30am on December 6, 2021, via Zoom.

**Meeting Recording**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/Sonha4lnUO0JpCqmQEKAJr4HNqQUS8FgtI1Fq9vlbnV25kJtulaktVdi0OQ0J1iM.Z_3PFRGmfNjeok_S>