

Rotary



Club of Crestwood-Sunset Hills



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Speakers

July 27, 2022

Dan Farrell, Senior VP - STL Cardinals

August 03, 2022

"Know Your Rotarian" Katelyn

The Crestwood Sunset Hills Rotary Club met in person and via zoom at noon on the 20th day of July, 2022. There were 22 members in attendance. The meeting was chaired by our president, David Dilthey, and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Sweetie Gandhi.

Announcements:

- The next parking lot clean-up is scheduled for 8:00 am – August 6, 2022 at the commuter parking lot at I-270 and Gravois Rd.
- The July 29, 2022 Breakfast meeting will be at 7:30 a.m. at Yokelore Cafe .
- We are saddened by the recent passing of our friend and immediate past president Bob Sanders. We are not aware of the funeral arrangements at this time.
- Speakers for future meetings are always needed. If anyone knows of someone who would like to speak at one of our weekly luncheons please contact Bob Brandewiede.
- We celebrated Sweetie Gandhi's birthday with a boisterous rendition of "Happy Birthday". Sweetie endured the singing with a brave face. Sweetie brought a variety of cookies for everyone and shared that she is really looking forward to a nine day vacation in Colorado. Hopefully it will be cooler there than here.

Social media moment: Beth Rogers led us in a social media moment and all those who are technologically able "liked" and "shared" a great picture of Bob Sanders laughing and smiling. That is how we will remember Bob: laughing, smiling, teasing certain members about not buying a Happy Bucks card, and being a great example of what it means to live out Rotary in our lives.

Happy Bucks: Beth Rogers (sharing that her son passed the P.E. test on the first try – Wow!), George, Jr. (expressing an interest in joining the FTK committee and possibly becoming the media chairman?), Jim Simpson (expressing an interesting in becoming the Club's assistant historian and archivist), and Dave Dilthey (sharing his happiness in winning a golf pool for the British Open).

Announcements: FTK will be hosting a combined golf tournament and auction next Spring. Details to follow. There has been a change in management at the local Simmons Bank. Dave Dilthey is following up to confirm the Bank's continued sponsorship and member. Alex's grant has been approved and we will now move to implement the grant.

Guest Speaker: No guest speaker today was scheduled. However, we were treated to presentations by Bob Brandewiede and Dave Dilthey.

Bob is our resident traveler and we learned today that he is not a fan of penguins and seafaring trips. It is unclear how anyone could not love penguins but we accept that Bob is not willing to travel to the ends of the Earth to see one in the Wild. He is planning an exciting trip next month to England and France, where there are no penguins and hopefully the weather will be mild. His lucky number is 40, and that is the number of years he has been in Rotary and worked in financial planning. 40 is also the number worn by pitcher Rick Sutcliffe, who once went 16-1 for the Chicago Cubs in 20 starts, which is note-worthy on many levels We thank Bob for his decades of leadership and enthusiastic support of our Rotary Club. Bob always makes everyone feel welcome in our Club!

Dave was born in California, but made his way as a child to Missouri. Upon landing in St. Louis, he attended Affton and Lindbergh Schools. Despite not excelling in sports as a child, he is an excellent golfer (the undersigned has witnessed the same) and enjoys spending time golfing in his retirement. He reads a book every week, and is waiting for a U.S. publisher to start a line of Romance Novels "just for men." As a child, he was subjected to piano lessons, and he is just now thanking his parents for that joy. He enjoys playing the clavino, which is a portmanteau of the two words **clavier** meaning "keyboard instrument" and **nova** meaning "new." It is similar in function to an acoustic piano, but also includes many features common to various keyboards (ability to save/load songs, play demo songs, and add different voices). Perhaps he and Jim Simpson can create a combo act and entertain us at a future Club meeting. We thank Dave for joining our Club and taking on leadership roles from the start. His background and experience in marketing and business

[Fitzgerald & John Czaicki](#)

August 10, 2022

[Officer Dion Olson, Crestwood PD](#)

August 17, 2022

[A Day Out at Beaumont Scout Camp \(High Ridge\)](#)

Events

No Events found

are invaluable assets to our Club's future.

Raffle Diana Lineberger won \$20 in the raffle but did not select the red marble.

We ended our meeting with the Four Way Test.

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