

Rotary



Club of Crestwood-Sunset Hills



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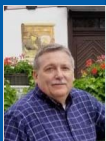
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Speakers

September 14, 2022
[Bar-B-Que at Minnie Ha Ha Park](#)

September 21, 2022
[Dr. Emily Johnson, Chiropractor](#)

September 28, 2022
[Ron Jacober & Bob Tiemann -
Authors "64 Cardinals"](#)

October 05, 2022
["Know Your Rotarian" -](#)

September 14, 2022 Bulletin

The Crestwood Sunset Hills Rotary Club met in person at noon on the 14th day of September, 2022, at Minnie Ha Ha Park. There were 20 members in attendance and two guests (speaker Kathy Schrenk and Emma, our exchange student.) The meeting was chaired by our president, David Diltthey, and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Karen Baudendistel shared a Moment of Gratitude for the beautiful Fall day we were gifted for our outside meeting.

Announcements:

- The next parking lot clean-up is scheduled for 8:00 am, October 1, 2022 at the commuter parking lot at I-270 and Gravois Rd.
- The September 30, 2022 Breakfast meeting will be at 7:30 a.m. at Karen Baudendistel's home, 9301 Fox Glen Dr. St. Louis, MO 63126. Cost is \$5 per person for pancakes, sausage, bacon, eggs, waffles, orange juice and milk. Please bring your own coffee. Please let Karen know if you are coming.
- The next FTK unpacking will be at 4:00 on September 30, 2022 and the packing will take place at 9:00 a.m. on October 1, 2022 at Truman Middle School.
- The next FTK committee meeting is at 11:00 a.m. on September 21, 2022 at Jubilee Church (before our regular meeting).
- Speakers for future meetings are always needed. If anyone knows of someone who would like to speak at one of our weekly meetings, please contact Randy Martin.
- Two additional drivers are needed to support the FTK program. Please contact Karen Schuster if you can help.
- A special thank you to Gerald Brown for hosting the BBQ and serving up burgers, brats, chips, potato salad and soda.
- In a move to promote additional transparency, the Club will be posting Board Meeting Minutes and Board Finance Reports on the Club's DacDB site under Club Files. The site will be updated monthly as soon as the Club Secretary masters this new skill.

Happy Bucks: Don Bee shared his glee at bumping into the Club Secretary at the Cardinal game last week (Odds: 32,000 -1) and learning that the cameraman loves to put middle-aged redheaded ladies on the KissCam; John Higdon shared his excitement on Albert Pujol's quest for 700 homers; and Karen shared the inside scoop on being on the KissCam.

Social Media Moment

Beth routed us to a Social Media Moment depicting our Club enjoying the beautiful weather at Minnie Ha Ha park.

Guest Speaker

Kathy Schrenk is a local author who gave a very insightful presentation today on the history of Kirkwood. She recently published a new book titled "Kirkwood – A Walk Through the Streets." The Kirkwood community was founded in the 1850s, triggered by the installation of the Pacific Railroad depot. James Kirkwood was the engineer who routed the railroad through the area and decided to place a station there. The Kirkwood community developed around the station. St. Louis City dwellers purchased "bedroom homes" in the area and rode the train from downtown to the "country." The Kirkwood community is a microcosm of the United States: its transition from a "bedroom community" for City residents to an independent, thriving City, its annexation of the Meacham Park community in the 1990s, and its population growth. Kathy described the former Meramec Highlands Complex, complete with a hotel, dance hall and beach. Records reflect nine trains coming from Downtown St. Louis to the Complex each day. We really enjoyed listening to Kathy's talk and thank her for coming to our meeting.

[Members TBD](#)

October 12, 2022

[Dan Martin, St. Louis Post-Dispatch Cartoonist](#)

Events

No Events found

Raffle Beth Rogers won \$36.00 in the raffle today but did not find the red marble.

We ended our meeting with the Four Way Test.

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