



Rotary

Club of Joplin

Chartered 1916



Speakers

November 07, 2024

Debi Koelkebeck
Jasper County CASA

November 14, 2024

Shawn Winiger
Aspire Scholarship Program

November 21, 2024

Justin Thomas
Wildflower-
Thanksgiving Table
Decorating

November 21, 2024

NO MEETING

Birthdays

Teddy Ann Steen
November 23rd

Years of Service

Peter B. Ramsour
11-01-1971
53 Years

Charles W. Keeter
11-01-1974
50 Years

Gary D. Duncan
11-01-1986
38 Years

Robin McAlester
11-02-2004
20 Years

Matthew Clinton
Stuckey
11-04-2022
2 Years

Jessica R Pommert

This Week At Rotary

Rotary Club of Joplin
November 7th
Location: Elks Lodge

Our Presentation this week:



Kelly Hartley, Development Director
Jasper County CASA

There are over 400 children in foster care in Jasper County every night. We recruit and train volunteers who help these children navigate the chaos of foster care. Children often experience trauma when removed from their home and family. Along with changing foster homes, case workers, schools, and more, it can be very stressful. With a CASA there to lean on, talk to, show consistent support, it is proven that the child will have a better outcome.



WANT TO DOUBLE YOUR DONATION?

If you do not currently participate in Rotary Direct to automatically make your monthly, quarterly, OR annual donation, you have the opportunity to double your donation by signing up in the month of **NOVEMBER** only!

We will match in Foundation Recognition Points, up to 500 points, the amount that you will give in one year. For example, if you sign to for \$10 per month, we will transfer 120 recognition points to you at the time you sign up. If you sign to for \$84 per month, we will transfer 500 points to you. This will assist you in reaching the next Paul Harris Fellow level more quickly. You can sign up by <https://my.rotary.org/en/rotary-direct> (**select Annual Fund SHARE**) or via telephone: 1-866-976-8279. Sarah also has the forms available at every meeting.

Why is Foundation Giving Important?

Charity Navigator has given The Rotary Foundation the highest rating for the past fifteen years. Touching lives in our local communities through District Grants and throughout the world through Global Grants is possible only through contributions by Rotarians each year to Annual Fund SHARE. These donations come back to us after three years in the form of District Designated Funds (DDF). Through these donations we are

Club Leaders



Jennifer Shotwell
President



Robert Chadwick Brueckner
President-Elect
Club Admin Chair
Rotaract Chair
Interact Club Sponsor
Vice President
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iPast President



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Club Service Chair



Robert Michael Headlee
New Member Chair

Audie Dennis



Make sure to join us:

November 7th- Adopt A School Lunch at 11:30am (See Nathan Hicks)

November 7th- Building Bridges Dinner at 5:30pm (See Stephanie Brady)

November 14th- Board Meeting

November 28th- NO MEETING- HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Please watch your weekly CHATS for more details and email reminders will be sent those weeks.

HELP NEEDED!



Volunteers Needed Monthly!
(You may volunteer one time or every month!)
Next opportunity is November 7th!

Adopt-A-School Lunch is the first Thursday of every month from 11:30am to 12:30pm. The project provides 12- 14 students selected by the school's counseling staff who need a good role model with a free lunch and a chance to build bonds with Rotarians in our Community.

Your attendance at the project does count as your weekly attendance for our Club meeting on Thursday.

If you would like to participate this next month, please email Nathan Hicks at Nathan.Hicks@usc.salvationarmy.org.

Project Location: Jefferson Elementary School is at 130 S. McKinley Ave, Joplin, MO 64801.



TRF Chair



Board Meeting Schedule

Rotary Club Board Meetings are held every other month. Please remember that every member is welcome to attend. Meetings are held immediately following the weekly club meeting.

2024-2025 Board Meeting dates (remaining):

- November 14
- January 16 (moved back 1 week due to holiday schedule)
- March 13
- May 8

CLUB FUNDRAISER!

Wreaths will be delivered at the meeting November 21st! Please plan to attend and pick up for you to deliver before Thanksgiving!

Wreath Fundraiser

- Distribute program materials – **October 10**
- Sale window – **October 10 thru October 24**
- Orders due – **October 24**
- Wreath pick up – **November 21**
- Money must be collected and turned in on/before – **December 13**

Goal – Every member sell 10 wreaths or donate \$100



Unable to join in person? Use the link below to join us via Zoom!

***Zoom meetings are offered for meetings held at Elks Lodge. Offsite meetings will not be offered on Zoom at this time. ***

THIS LINK IS GOOD FOR 6/6/24 - 7/17/25

Meeting link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81704892918?pwd=WHHuJvLBKySWnheQqzqe4MGawZbCit.1>

Meeting ID: 817 0489 2918

Passcode: 072025

A special Thank You to Wally Bloss and Bob Headlee who are diligent in getting Zoom set up and connected each week.

UPCOMING DUTIES

GREETER

November 7: Craig Tankersley
November 14: Chad Brueckner
November 21: Lori Smith

ROTARIAN OF THE DAY

November 7: Doug Doll
November 14: Fred Osborn
November 21: Jenn Berry

RAFFLE PARTNERS

November 7: Sarah Coyne and Robin Standridge
November 14: Chad Brown and Dan Shields
November 21: Teddy Steen and Nancy Bettasso



Don't forget to purchase your raffle tickets each week!
Money raised provides our annual community grants in June.



November 7th: Brisket, pork, baked potato, corn, green beans, salad, rolls and dessert

Remember that special dietary needs can be accommodated if RSVP'd in advance with Sarah.

Please RSVP by Noon on Wednesday if you would like a meal each week for the meeting. Meals are \$15. Cash, check, and cards will be taken at the door for payment or meals can be paid in advance at https://swipesimple.com/links/lnk_8ca89c24
