



“Where you can catch that Southside Spirit!”

Events

Club Level:

COVID Immunizations Project CANCELLED DUE TO WEATHER

Keep an eye out for an update from Monte

District Level:

Virtual Happy Hour with DG Jay Craig February 16th 6:30PM

Club Leaders



David Cobb President



Jon H Heaps President - Elect



Kathryn Diane Boyer Secretary



Jack H. Wills III President - Nominee



Larry A. Boyer Club Membership Co-Chair



Elizabeth Haller President - Nominee Nominee



Jordan Taylor Club Programs Chair iPast President



Brett J. Brough Treasurer



Scott Gaffen Public Relations Chair



Laura Tapp Bulletin Editor

Our Motto:

Having fun doing good in the community!

Our Mission:

Southside is home to the rowdiest Rotarians in Tulsa. We impact communities locally and around the world, provide leadership within our district, and mentor the next generation of Rotarians.

Rotary International Vision Statement 2020:

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves

This Week's Meeting is VIRTUAL

Join us on Zoom

Thursday at 11:45 AM

Click here to connect

-or-

Meeting ID: 981-801-851

Password: 4WayTest

Have any questions? Contact Brett (918-271-0062) or Laura (918-935-1336).

Program: Denise Burmeister

Denise Burmeister of Credit Union Student Choice serves as a Director of Strategic Partnerships. She works with credit unions throughout the Midwest, Florida and Georgia implementing and managing private student loan programs. She is frequently a presenter to students and families on preparing and paying for college. She and her husband, Scott Burmeister, have a daughter that is a senior in high school, so she personally relates to families navigating the financial aid process.

Denise is a graduate of Washington University in St. Louis. In her career, she has specialized in the area of education finance for more than 15 years and been part of the financial services industry for over 26 years.

ROD: Scott Burmeister

Scott is a graduate of the University of Central Florida with a degree in Philosophy.

He has a Masters in Divinity from Concordia Seminary in St Louis and he is the pastor at Christ the Redeemer Lutheran Church.

Scott is married to his high school sweetheart Denise and they have a 17 year old daughter Elise, who is a senior at Jenks High School.

Scott enjoys tennis, hunting, and classical guitar. He is a Paul Harris fellow and past president of the Southeast Rotary Club of Tulsa.

Future Meetings Update:

Southside will be meeting exclusively on Zoom until further notice

Please join us in our usual Zoom room - we have some great presenters coming up in the weeks ahead!

PROGRAMS 2021

The full ROD list for the rest of the year is posted at the bottom of the newsletter



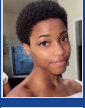
Jack Stagg  
Sergeant@Arms



Andrew Winslow  
Sergeant@Arms



Stephen P. Gray  
Club Programs Chair



Angel Harris  
Webmaster



Anthony Todd Chapman  
Director-at-Large



Jens Quilltisch  
International Service Director



Parker Ray Smith  
Membership Service Director



Catherine Bryant  
Youth Services Director



John L. Rains  
Assistant Governor

### Birthdays

- Anthony Todd Chapman  
February 27th
- Scott Gaffen  
March 5th
- Kenneth E. Osborn  
March 8th
- Robert L. Triplett Jr.  
March 10th
- Donald R. den Daas  
March 17th

### Years of Service

- Mehdi Khezri  
08-23-2007  
14 Years
- Daniel C. Stinnett  
08-17-2014  
7 Years
- Parker Ray Smith  
08-09-2018  
3 Years

Please take a look and get in touch with Steve Gray and Jordan Taylor about your program, and be sure to send Laura Tapp the info **2 weeks** in advance of your scheduled day!  
LT needs a biography for the speaker and for the ROD, as well as a photo of the speaker!  
Thank you!

## CLUB NEWS COVID VACCINE DRIVE

**CANCELLED THIS WEEK DUE TO WEATHER**

**Be on the lookout for an email from Monte confirming future Vaccine Drives!**

## DISTRICT NEWS

### DG Jay Craig's February Message:



The Rotary International Theme for the month of February is **Peace and Conflict Resolution**. What a timely theme for this time in our lives. Throughout the history of the world, and certainly during the time since the inception of Rotary, there have been innumerable conflicts and breaches of peace. Most of them have been resolved by diplomacy, and/or, compromise. However, many of them have been resolved by war. We, as citizens of the world, can only hope that we never see another war. I am, and have been for much of my life, a warrior. Many of the great Rotarians in the world, and in our district, have been as well. I cannot speak for them, except to say that I would bet that most of them agree with me, that we do NOT want another war. War is an ugly word. It implies so many horrid thoughts and activities. We Rotarians, as benefactors to the world, should do everything in our power to ensure that not one more person dies in battle. That is a good cause.

It all starts right here, in our own lives, our own communities, our own neighborhoods, cities, states. We must learn to live with each other in harmony. We must strive to do so. We do not, and should not, agree on everything. Discussion, discourse, and debate are what lead us to great discoveries. However, we should have these discussions in a peaceful manner. We may not agree on every issue. But, that does not mean we should hate the person with whom we disagree. There is too much hate in the world today.

Maybe we should teach the world our wonderful Four-way Test. It is a great way to judge ourselves by the things we think, say, or do, all without malice. Let each of us replace hatred with love. We can do this. It all starts with us, and it can start now.

Join us on the third Tuesday of each month for a **District 6110 Happy Hour** with DG Jay Craig. DG Jay will provide updates from Rotary International as well as providing information about what clubs are doing in our District.

**Next Up: February 16th!**

## INTERNATIONAL NEWS

### 2021-2022 Presidential Motto



**SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES**

RI President-elect Shekhar Mehta is urging members to become more involved in service projects, saying that caring for and serving other is the best way to live because it changes not only other people's lives, but also our own.

## Social Calendar for the Year

This certainly has been a different kind of year. Your fellowship committee is still working on ways for us to gather for fun and fellowship in a safe manner. Watch this space for updates in the coming months!

### Reach Out to the Members We Miss:

*They love hearing from you!*

**Call Jerry Ramey! [918-855-7188](tel:918-855-7188)**

**Call Ray Orf! [918-344-1685](tel:918-344-1685)**

### Potential New Members

Any objection to the proposal stating the reasons must be sent to the President of the Club within seven (7) days following publication.

**Please turn in your proposals for membership to Secretary Kathy Boyer.**

#### Upcoming RODs

**\*Please note that an unknown number of future meetings will need to be held online given the restrictions in group activities set in place due to the COVID-19 virus. PLEASE CONTINUE TO FIND PROGRAMS AND GUEST SPEAKERS WHO WOULD BE WILLING TO USE ZOOM. The goal is to normalize our meetings as much as possible. If you have any questions please contact Brett or Laura\***

**If you are the ROD, you need to:**

**1) Send YOUR BIO and YOUR SPEAKER'S BIO WITH PHOTOS to Laura at [lauratapp@gmail.com](mailto:lauratapp@gmail.com) THE FRIDAY TWO WEEKS BEFORE you are ROD. If you do not have it turned in on the Monday of by 10am, John Haley has volunteered to write a bio for you, or you will not have a bio attached to your name.**

**2) Select someone to do the pledge and the prayer. Please let President David know who you've chosen in advance of the meeting.**

Date	ROD	Program	Speaker
11-Feb	Steve Haas	The United States National Guard	Glen Moore
18-Feb	Scott Burmeister	Trends in Financial Aid	Denise Burmeister
25-Feb	Larry Boyer	The Rest of the Story: Membership	Larry Boyer
4-Mar	Parker Smith	Post-Secondary Education for Students with IDD	Julie Lackey
11-Mar	Laura Tapp	C-SPAN: Mission and Introduction	Doug Hemmig
18-Mar	Bob Sullivan		
25-Mar	John Daries		
1-Apr	Jack Carney		
8-Apr			
15-Apr	Scott Gaffen		
22-Apr	Ken Osborn		
29-Apr	Jack Wills		
6-May	Andrew Winslow		
13-May	Cathy Bryant		
20-May	David Cobb		
27-May	Jens Quilitzsch		
3-Jun	Jack Stagg		

### Club Meeting

Tulsa Southside  
Meets at TiAmo Restaurant  
6024-A South Sheridan Rd.  
Tulsa, OK 74135  
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM