

# Rotary



## Club of West Little Rock

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Meets at St. Vincent  
Infirmary in the Terrace  
Room  
[Two St. Vincent Circle  
Little Rock, AR 72205](#)  
Meetings: Wednesday at  
12:00 PM

Club 2535, District 6150  
[www.westlittlerockrotary.org](http://www.westlittlerockrotary.org)

Chartered November 18,  
1958

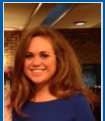
#### Club Leaders



[Douglas J.  
Shackelford](#)  
President



[Gina Newman](#)  
President - Elect



[Ali Miller](#)  
Secretary-Elect  
Youth Services  
Chair



[Dana Patterson  
Sims](#)  
Secretary



[Bobby Joiner](#)  
Treasurer  
Treasurer-Elect



[Shannon Gwinn](#)  
Bulletin Editor



[Annie Lankford](#)  
President -  
Nominee  
Public Image  
Chair



[James Arbuckle  
Sr.](#)  
Rotary  
Foundation  
Chair

### This Week's Program April 14, 2021



**Wayne M. Miller**  
**Executive Director, The Venture Center**

Wayne Miller is the Executive Director of The Venture Center, a globally recognized non-profit entrepreneur support organization producing award-winning, revenue-generating financial technology accelerator programs for the world's biggest financial services organizations. Bringing over four decades of experience in a variety of industries and leadership roles, Miller's combination of entrepreneurial achievement and his "Fortune 100" experience makes for an executive who is comfortable in start-up and mature business environments.

Before joining The Venture Center in 2017, Wayne spearheaded the growth and development of several businesses including a private-equity-backed medical device manufacturer, two start-up technology companies in the healthcare and cybersecurity verticals, and was COO of a \$45 million transportation and logistics company. He served as CEO of start-up internet advertising company Admine.com, as Director of Business Development for Proxicom (PXCM), an Internet consulting and development company, and as the National Director of Business Development for the "big five" professional services firm Deloitte.

Under Miller's leadership, The Venture Center has been recognized by globally renowned fintech industry leader, Finovate, as 2020's Best Fintech Accelerator, and as Arkansas Business' 2021 Non-Profit of the Year.

Wayne currently resides in Little Rock, Arkansas, with his wife, Toni, and enjoys serving on several boards. Wayne attended the University of Pittsburgh in his hometown of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

### Mark Your Calendars

April 14th - Wayne Miller - Venture Center

April 21st - Kristi Tucker - Turning Up the Heat During a Pandemic for Maximum Impact

April 22nd - Earth Day



Rae Ann Fields  
Membership  
Chair



Scott Morgan  
Sergeant-at-  
Arms



Stacy Robinson  
Service Projects  
Chair



Roy Patterson  
Smith  
Club Admin  
Chair



Teri Cox  
Club Programs  
Chair



Jai Lambert  
iPast President



Nancy Leonhardt  
Club Executive  
Secretary



Jai Lambert  
Assistant  
Governor

## Birthdays



Sandra Joe  
Maxwell Smith  
April 9th



Shannon Gwinn  
April 23rd



Bob Barnes  
April 30th

## Years of Service

John A Bennett  
04-29-1979  
42 Years

Marc Sherman  
04-17-1996  
25 Years

Chris Fleischmann  
04-26-2010  
11 Years

Jennifer Dillaha

04-14-2011  
10 Years  
Edith Bowman  
04-04-2012  
9 Years

## Four-Way Test

The Four Way Test of the things we think, say, or do...

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?