



**Apr 17, 2024**

**Brew Link Brewpub, Wednesdays**

**PRESIDENT – DANIEL KINNAMON  
PAST PRESIDENT – ROYCE CARTER  
PRESIDENT ELECT – BRIAN CULP  
VICE PRESIDENT – SUSAN AMENT  
SECRETARY – JOHN BAER  
TREASURER – JOE BENNETT  
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS – SUSAN AMENT  
BOARD MEMBERS:  
DIANE BURKS BRAD DUBOIS  
BRIAN CULP MAX HANK**

# **ROTARY CLUB OF PLAINFIELD**

**www.plainfieldrotary.org**

## ***Board Meeting Summary April 10, 2024***

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**Clock:** Brian indicated the clock tower is nearly completed. The clock should be installed soon followed by a dedication ceremony. We need the wording for the plaque which is the club's cost.

**LFL:** Joe reported that everything is good with the LFL's.

**Youth:** Diane reported the Interact will be at Susie's Place for a cleanup and tour. Our club will be providing \$500 to the Interact Club as part of our matching funds for Madina Village. A check will be provided to Madina Village by the Interact Club.

**Scholarship:** The application for scholarships has been provided to the school and is on our website. Additionally, the application is referenced on Facebook to go to our website. The deadline for applications is April 13.

**Foundation:** John reported that the March Madness Fundraiser for The Rotary Foundation was another success. We will be sending \$640 to the Foundation in the names of those who participated in the fundraising. John will be providing matching points to the winning participants from his Paul Harris Fellowship Account. The winners were Royce Carter, 600 points; John Baer, 300 points; and Brian Culp, 100 points. We will be starting the Indy 500 Rotary Foundation Fundraiser on the first of May.

**Fundraising:** Golf, Carwash, and others will be discussed at the Board Retreat.

**Membership:** A membership application from Dennis Reagle, Warden of the Reception Diagnostic Center at the Plainfield Correctional Facility, and sponsored by Donnie Emerson, was approved by Board vote

**Board Retreat:** The Board Retreat will be on May 8 at Brew Link from 11:00 am 2:00 pm. Items to be discussed will be:

- Rotary Foundation Goals
- Membership Goals
- Budget Goals
- Fundraising ideas and goals.
- Communications and Marketing of our club
- Grant ideas: Reading Program through the Plainfield Schools  
PYAP participation in auction.  
Susie's Place for Body Safety Program.  
Susie's Place for flooring.

## **Charlie's \$2 Worth**

**THOMAS JEFFERSON APRIL 13, 1743—JULY 4, 1826**

***"if we can but prevent the government from wasting the labours of the people, under the pretence of taking care of them, they must become happy." - Jefferson to Thomas Cooper, Nov 29, 1802***

***"God who gave us life gave us liberty. Can the liberties of a nation be secure when we have removed a conviction that these liberties are the gift of God? Indeed I tremble for my country when I reflect that God is just, that His justice cannot sleep forever. Commerce between master and slave is despotism. Nothing is more certainly written in the book of fate than that these people are to be free."***  
**- Jefferson from multiple sources, including: "A Summary View of the Rights of British America," "Notes on the State of Virginia,"**

***"... but this momentous question, like a fire bell in the night, awakened and filled me with terror. I considered it at once as the knell of the Union. it is hushed indeed for the moment. but this is a reprieve only, not a final sentence."***  
**- Jefferson to John Holmes, (discussing slavery and the Missouri Compromise), April 22, 1820**

***"[T]heir minds were to be informed, by education, what is right & what is wrong, to be encouraged in habits of virtue, & deterred from those of vice by the dread of punishments, proportioned in-deed, but irremissible; in all cases to follow truth as the only safe guide, & to eschew error which bewilders us in one false consequence after another in endless succession. these are the inculcations necessary to render the people a sure basis for the structure of order & good government."*** - Jefferson to Adams, Dec 10, 1819

## ***Upcoming Speakers/Events***

- Apr 17 - Joe Bennett - (at Imagination Lab) Katy Cummings, Hendricks County Parks Foundation**
- Apr 24 - Brad DuBois**
- May 1 - Susan Ament - Plainfield Youth Assistance Program**
- May 8 - Board Meeting & Annual Retreat - all Club members welcome**
- May 15 - Rocky Turner**
- May 22 - Reann Poray**
- May 29 - John Graham**
- Jun 5 - John Baer - Robin Brandgard, Town Council Pres.**
- June 12 - Board Meeting - all Club members welcome**
- June 19 - Bob Sands**

## Club Meeting Attendance

Plainfield (3417)

Monthly Attendance Detail

Mar 01, 2024 through Mar 31, 2024

Member Name	Mar 6 2024	Mar 13 2024	Mar 20 2024	Mar 27 2024	%
Ament, Susan Beth	Y		Y	Y	75
Baer, Janet S	Y	Y	Y	Y	100
Baer, John M	Y	Y	Y	Y	100
Bennett, Joseph D	Y	Y	M	Y	100
Burks, Diane Arnold	M	Y	Y	Y	100
Carter, Royce	M	Y	Y	M	100
Culp, Brian N	Y	Y	Y	Y	100
DuBois, Brad	Y	Y	Y	M	100
Emerson, Donnie				Y	25
Graham, John	Y	Y	Y		75
Hank, Max C		Y	Y	Y	75
Kinnamon, Daniel L					0
Klinger, Andrew					0
Lewis, Selina J					0
Olinger, Scott			Y	Y	50
Poray, Reann			Y		25
Rash, Ryan Allen					0
Sands, Robert L II					0
Sichting, Sherry D	Y	Y	Y	Y	100
Turner, Dean F Jr.	Y		Y		50

LEGEND: Y or Yes=Attended, X=Excused Absence, M=Make-Up



## UPCOMING SPEAKER ASSIGNMENTS

Please carefully examine the schedule below and let Max Hank know who you have obtained as a speaker for your date.

Jan 3	Brian Culp	Jun 26	Donnie Emerson
Jan 17	Max Hank	Jul 17	Andrew Klinger
Jan 24	Bob Sands	Jul 24	Royce Carter
Jan 31	Andrew Klinger	Jul 31	Ryan Rash
Feb 7		Aug 7	Sherry Sichting
Feb 21	Scott Olinger	Aug 21	Brad DuBois
Feb 28	Ryan Rash	Aug 28	Reann Poray
Mar 6	Donnie Emerson	Sep 4	Diane Burks
Mar 20	Royce Carter	Sep 18	Scott Olinger
Mar 27	Diane Burks	Sep 25	Max Hank
Apr 3	Joe Bennett	Oct 2	Susan Ament
Apr 17	Sherry Sichting	Oct 16	John Graham
Apr 24	Brad DuBois	Oct 23	Rocky Turner
May 1	Susan Ament	Oct 30	Daniel Kinnamon
May 15	Rocky Turner	Nov 6	Joe Bennett
May 22	Reann Poray	Nov 20	John Baer
May 29	John Graham	Dec 4	Jan Baer
Jun 5	John Baer	Dec 18	Bob Sands
Jun 19	Bob Sands		

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY! APRIL

**Jan Baer - Apr 18**  
**Max Hank - Apr 30**

### Little Free Library Maintenance Schedule

Mar 20-Apr 2 - Max Hank  
Apr 3-9 - Brad DuBois  
Apr 10-16 - Max Hank  
Apr 17-23 - Joe Bennett  
Apr 24-30 - Brian Culp  
May 1-7 - Brad DuBois  
May 8-14 - Susan Ament  
May 15-21 - John Graham  
May 22-28 - Brian Culp

Please check supply, refill as needed.  
Report any damage to Joe Bennett.  
Books are available at the Library.

SPEED BUMP



### Committees and Chairs

**Bulletin:** Max Hank

**Finance:** Joe Bennett

**Foundation:** John Baer

**Fundraising :**

**Golf Outing:** John Baer, Brad Dubois

**Crew Car Wash:** Sherry Sichting

**Membership:** Daniel Kinnamon

**Orientation:** John Baer & Diane Burks

**Programs:** Daniel Kinnamon

**PR & Website:** John Baer

**Quaker Day Parade & Picnic:** TBD

**Service Committees:** Royce Carter

**Literacy/LFL:** Joe Bennett

**Teacher of the Year:** Max Hank

**Youth:** Diane Burks

**Interact and RYLA:** Diane Burks

**Scholarships:** Max Hank

**Straight-A Salute:** Sherry Sichting

**The Imagination & Idea Labs:** Diane Burks

## 4-Way Test

OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY AND 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?
- (5. IS IT FUN?)