

Rotary Meeting: Monday, May 13, 2019

Shawn Joseph

President, Joseph and Associates LLC

Moving the Equity Conversation Forward:
How Urban School Districts Can Help All Children Succeed

Dr. Joseph, President, Joseph and Associates LLC, will share his thoughts on the current state of urban education in America and what is needed from cities to move an urban school district forward for all children.

During his 20 year career, Dr. Shawn Joseph has won numerous awards for his work and service, including Ambassador Andrew Young Certificate of Distinguished Services (2016), American Educational Research Association's Outstanding Dissertation Award (2010), and Middle Level Principal of the Year, Maryland Association of Secondary School Principals (2009).

In addition to publishing articles in top, peer-reviewed journals of education, Dr. Joseph published in 2012 the book, *The Principal's Guide to the First 100 Days of the School Year: Creating Instructional Momentum*. He holds three degrees from Lincoln University, Johns Hopkins University and The George Washington University.

New Member Proposals: The following applicants have moved through the application process and been approved for publication and consideration by the general membership. If no objections are filed in writing within 10 days, the applicants shall be declared elected to membership. Until notified by the Rotary Office, the applicants HAVE NOT completed the membership process.

Andrea Arnold, Sr. VP of Public Affairs

Nashville Convention and Visitors Corp.

Sponsor: Terry Clements

Angie Boyd-Chambers, Founder & President

Boyd-Chambers Communications

Sponsor: Susan Huggins

 **Rotary Reminders**

NASHVILLE ROTARY SERVICE TRUST - If you have not made your annual contribution to the NRST Annual Footprint Fund, please do so now. Your contributions enable our Club to fund grants to several nonprofit organizations with whom we partner for volunteer opportunities. **Contribute** on line at: www.nashvillerotary.org, click on the GIVE icon or send a check to the Nashville Rotary Service Trust to 3401 West End Avenue, Suite 318, Nashville, TN 37203.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION Every Rotarian Every Year - Rotarians worldwide are asked to contribute \$100 to the Rotary International Foundation to continue their global humanitarian efforts. **Contribute** on line at: www.rotary.org, click on the DONATE icon or send your check payable to the Rotary International Foundation to 3401 West End Avenue, Suite 318, Nashville, TN 37203 for processing. Your contribution will be sent on to the Rotary International Foundation in Evanston, IL.

ASSISTING AT ROTARY THIS WEEK

Invocation: **MARK THOMPSON**

Registration: **MILLER HUNT**

Greeters: **RANDY BROTHERS / HOWARD KITTELL**

Scanners: **ANGIE ADAMS / REGGIE MUDD**

Parking Vouchers: **KELLY O'CONNOR**

THANK YOU ROTARY VOLUNTEERS

On behalf of our staff at Inspiritus MT Regional Director (Formerly Lutheran Services in Tennessee/ Georgia) and all our gardeners in Cheatham Place, we just wanted to say THANK YOU so much for all your work yesterday!! Thanks for braving the rain showers (and the cold in March). We did not have the best weather for either day but you all were so wonderful to get the job done! We could not have done it without you!

The Rotary's contribution this year has been so helpful for us to be able to continue to supply plants, seeds, soil and education for our gardeners in Cheatham and we hope the Rotary will continue to consider our project in the future. I know I have felt blessed to have the three of you in our corner this year!!

Again, Thank You!

Janet Arning, Director, Inspiritus





REGISTER NOW

2019 District Conference
May 17-18
Embassy Suites
Franklin, TN

**BE THE
INSPIRATION**

JOIN US at the 2019 District Conference –

The Annual Rotary District 6760 District Conference will be held on **Friday, May 17, and Saturday, May 18, at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Franklin.**

The conference provides opportunities for networking, being inspired by, and exchanging ideas with other community leaders.

The conference is free, meal prices are on the registration site.

Register NOW for **Be the Inspiration: Rotary District Conference:** <http://www.rotary6760.org/district-conference/>

Friday, May 17th –

- **Chris Hope** – Former Tennessee Titan, Super Bowl Champion, Pro Bowler, business owner, and author, is our Keynote Speaker on leadership for the opening luncheon.
- **Dr. Joseph Walker, III** – Pastor of one of the nation’s largest churches will share with us how he led the strategy for membership growth from 175 members to over 30,000 over the last 27 years. There are some relevant lessons for our Rotary clubs that are challenged with growing, and growing with diversity.
- **Janet Miller** – CEO and Market Leader of Colliers International (one of the nation’s largest commercial real estate companies), former Chief Economic Development Officer for the Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce, and Past President of the Rotary Club of Nashville, will talk about her success and challenges working in a male-dominated profession.
- Enjoy a relaxing evening and dinner either by joining the Franklin Rotary Club at the **70th Annual Franklin Rodeo** or participating in a Dine-Around with other Rotarians.

Saturday, May 18th –

- **Greg Yank** – Rotary Zone 30/31 Director will provide an update from Rotary International, share our progress on eradicating polio and supporting The Rotary Foundation.
- **Millennial Panel Discussion** – You think you understand millennials? Think again! Millennials are the next generation of Rotarians, and the key to our growth and existence. We will gain insight from the perspectives of millennials and dispel some preconceived notions and stereotypes.
- **Robert Sherrill** – (From Convict to CEO) will provide an inspirational story about his troubled upbringing and childhood, serving time in prison, becoming an entrepreneur and owning several businesses, and being pardoned by Governor Bill Haslam. You don’t want to miss this! Mr. Sherrill is a Member of the Rotary Club of Nashville.
- **Four-Way Test Speech Contest Finals** – Each year, we host high school students who present speeches around the Four-Way Test and compete to win scholarship money. This contest and several District 6760 awards will take place during lunch.
- **Cheryl Braun** – with End Slavery Tennessee will provide insight and information about the human trafficking epidemic that is happening in our country, in our state, and in most of our communities.
- **Service Project** – This year, we will work with local Rotaractors and Interactors to build 14 wagons to be donated to children’s hospitals and women’s shelters.
- **Governor’s Banquet, Saturday, May 18, 6:30 pm, Cocktail Reception, 6:30 pm / Dinner, 7:00 pm**
Nashville Rotary Club Members are encouraged to join us for the Governor’s Banquet . This is the last official district meeting of the District Governor’s term. We want to support and say thank you to our own, Rotary Club of Nashville Past President (2014-15), District Governor Laquita Stribling. Laquita has represented our Club well, and has led a very successful year for District 6760. Please join me and other Rotarians as we our gratitude and congratulations.



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