

# Rotary



# Club of Smyrna

## Events

February 23rd

### [Smyrna Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Smyrna West

**Subject:** Come to our PTO meeting for Smyrna West!

March 9th

### [Smyrna Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Jared Mcleod

**Subject:** Springs-Empower Academy, which is a new public charter school approved by the Rutherford County School Board in July 2022. Springs-Empower Academy plans to open to students in the fall of 2024.

March 23rd

### [Smyrna Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Robert Huffman

**Subject:** Youth Services and the synergetic nature of Interact, RYLA and Rotary's Youth Exchange

March 2nd

### [Smyrna Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Dana Smith

**Subject:** Journeys in community living.

March 14th

### [Smyrna Monthly Board Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Jason Surratt

**Subject:** Come hear the club's board discuss topics of interest and direction of the club. Get a make up too! Brian Hercules is providing lunch.

## President's Note

By Jason M Surratt on Wednesday, February 22, 2023

**Join us tomorrow at the Smyrna Event Center for our weekly meeting! We will also have our meeting via Zoom so that you can attend virtually (link at the bottom).**

**If you are attending tomorrow in person, please be safe as there is some questionable weather coming our way.**

### **Program: Smyrna West**

Come to our PTO meeting for Smyrna West!

### **\*\*\* ANNOUNCEMENTS \*\*\***

**ROTARY PANEL BUILD** - Thank you to everyone that attended the Panel Build this past Saturday. Your volunteerism is truly appreciated and our Club was VERY well represented! Thanks again!

**ROTARY 4-WAY SPEECH CONTEST** - We are reworking on the details for this year's Rotary 4-Way Speech Contest. For those that are newer to the Club, we have a contest at our Club level from each of the three high schools. That winner then goes on to participate in the District level. There are cash prize awards along the way as well. Judy King has done a fantastic job over the years with this program and it is great to see the students participate. Thank you, Judy, for all you do. More details to come in the next couple weeks.

**ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS (RYLA)** - RYLA is a youth camp held at Austin Peay State University from June 14-17. This is for current Interact students. This camp is for rising Sophomores or juniors and those that will be holding leadership roles within their interact club. This is a great camp to help develop and improve youth leadership skills. Our club covers the cost. Over the next couple of months we will talk more about this as we get ready to approve and pay for our students.

### **Thursday Meeting Zoom Info**

Topic: Smyrna Rotary's Zoom Meeting

Time: This is a recurring meeting

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4358977751?pwd=VEhybmxRaE4waHNRcy9FYnpwWmVOQT09>

Meeting ID: [435 897 7751](#)

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