

Rotary

District 6780



Club of Cleveland



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Speakers

May 16, 2023
SERVICE PROJECT DAY
JA in a Day at Charleston
Elementary

May 23, 2023
Representative from the National
Medal of Honor Museum in
Chattanooga

May 30, 2023
Sandra Donaghy Bradley County
Criminal Court Judge
10th Judicial District Veterans
Court

June 06, 2023
Amy French Alzheimer's
Association of Chattanooga
Good news in Dementia Care and
research

June 13, 2023
New Member Forum
open discussion with new
members

Club Leaders



Michael J Griffin
Club Trainer
Past President



Bethany McCoy
President

Kevin D. Brooks
President-Elect

May 16th Program Speaker : Courtney Bledsoe Washington, administrator of new TN State Veterans' Home

Monday, May 15, 2023



Courtney Bledsoe Washington is the administrator of the new Tennessee State Veterans' Home that will be opening in Cleveland this year.

Originally from Englewood, TN., Courtney is a graduate of Central High School of McMinn County and Emory & Henry College in Emory, VA. Courtney began her career in long-term care at Life Care Centers of America in Athens, TN as an Admissions and Marketing Director.

In 2013, she entered an administrator-in-training program in Charleston, SC to become a Licensed Nursing Home Administrator. Washington then served as the Executive Director of Life Care Centers in Hilton Head, SC and Ooltewah, TN. Washington became a licensed nursing home administrator preceptor, and served on the executive committee of the Chattanooga chapter of the Tennessee Health Care Association. She is a member of the Southern Adventist University Advisory Board for the Health Services and Senior Living Administration program. In 2020, she began working as a Program Director and then Area Vice-President of Operations for Hospice of Chattanooga. In this role, Washington oversaw five hospice offices serving more than 500 patients in southeastern Tennessee and western North Carolina.



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Washington is married to Calron Washington, an educator and football coach with Cleveland City Schools. Courtney is a proud coach's wife and loves spending Friday nights cheering on the Blue Raiders. When not working, the Washington's enjoy traveling, spending time with family, and watching sports of all kinds, but specifically Alabama football and Duke basketball. They reside in Cleveland, Tennessee.

The future is certainly bright in Cleveland!

By Andrew Dinsmore on Monday, May 15, 2023



This past Tuesday we had the pleasure of meeting with Doug Berry the VP of Economic Development for Bradley County Chamber of Commerce.

He works to develop a positive public image of the Chamber's economic development activities for the community and the future is certainly bright in Cleveland.

This past year almost over 800 million dollars and 2300 jobs have been brought into our community and even more are being developed over the next 3 years.

From manufacturing to food service - new and established businesses are looking at Cleveland for its diverse workforce and economic centric mindset.

Overall it is clear that our Development team is committed to making Cleveland and Bradley County a star



Donald Leon Shahan Jr.
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iPast President



Andy B. Anderson
Assistant District Governor

on the map for Tennessee.

Courtney Washington Proposed for Membership

Monday, May 15, 2023



Courtney Washington has been proposed for membership by Rotarian Ceasar Thomas. Courtney is the administrator of the new Tennessee State Veterans' Home that will be opening in Cleveland this year. Given the fact that she has worked in skilled nursing facilities and hospice for thirteen years, she is very passionate about senior living care.

Birthdays

William J. Brown
May 21st

Kim D. Frady
May 24th

James Moore
May 28th

James Richard Cogdill
June 1st

Donald Leon Shahan Jr.
June 1st

Jonathan Cantrell
June 3rd

Jim Bilbo
June 3rd

Ross Tarver
June 4th

Nate Tucker Jr
June 5th

Zoom Info for January 2023 - May 16, 2023

Sunday, January 1, 2023

The Rotary Club of Cleveland continues to meet IN PERSON every Tuesday at the Museum Center at Five points. In the event that you cannot attend in person, please use this information to attend by Zoom:

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<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89364027036>

Meeting ID: 893 6402 7036

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Club Meeting

Cleveland
Meets at Museum Center at Five Points
200 Inman St E
Cleveland, TN 37311
Time: Tuesday at 12:00 PM