



Rotary | Club of Lebanon, Tennessee · Noon

CEDAR LOG



APR 23
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We'd love for everyone to "check-in" on Facebook at each meeting - or like our page if you haven't already!
www.facebook.com/lebanonrotary

CLUB OFFICERS & APPOINTMENTS

2023-2024 Rotary Officers

- President: Andy White
- President Elect: Susan Shaw
- Secretary: Elaine Nawiesniak
- Treasurer: Rusty Richardson
- Sergeant-at-Arms: Scotty Ricketts
- Board Members:
 - Christi Griffin
 - Tom Keifer
 - Colette Lanham-Stoffel
 - Jason Lawson
 - Cynthia Seifert
 - Lyn Williams

- Membership Chair: Bob Daniel
- Public Image Chair: Whitney Simpson
- Cedar Log Editor: Colette Lanham-Stoffel
- Service Projects Chair: Ryan Bennett
- Rotary Fdn. Chair: John Pope
- Club Fdn. President: Enslay Hagan
- Immed. Past President: Tim Leeper
- Asst. District Governor: John Cheney

ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST

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?

LAST MONTH'S PROGRAMS

- 03/19 Angie Dee, Dir. of Audience of One Musical Productions at Captial Theatre
- 03/26 Club Day / Community Service Proj. Fill Easter Baskets for Seniors
- 04/02 John Pope and David Penuel Rotary Golf Tournament History
- 04/09 Heather Bennett - Biomimicry
- 04/09 Darrel Bernd - TWRA

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- 04/23 Det. Jennifer Edwards and Hunter Jordan - Protecting our Vulnerable
- 04/30 Ryan Bennett Cast Iron Cooking Team
- 05/07 Sharon Jolly - TN Nurse Guard Program honoring Military Nurses when they pass.
- 05/14 Dr. Marc Feeley, ENT, VWCH Ear, Nose and Throat Health Issues
- 05/21 Beth Petty, LSSD Family Resource Ctr. Report on Success Grant

UPCOMING EVENT

36th Annual ROTARY CLUB OF LEBANON FOUNDATION

ROTARY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, May 6th, 2024 - Tee Time 1PM

Tennessee Grasslands Golf & Country Club
Foxland Links Course • 1445 Foxland Blvd., Gallatin, Tennessee

**18 Hole Scramble • Flighted Field • Free Range Balls before Tee Time
Hole-In-One, Putting and Skills Contests • Pre-Tournament Lunch
Post-Tournament Snacks • Complimentary Beer, Water, & Soft Drinks**

It's time to register for teams and sponsorships!

Learn more and register as a player/sponsor - scan the QR code or visit: vdgm.in/rotarygolf2024

GOLF TOURNAMENT



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

These are times that cry out for peace. The Middle East is in its most volatile condition in years. The war in Ukraine is the largest in Europe since World War II, and there are armed conflicts in Sudan and parts of Central Africa. Nearly every continent is experiencing a major armed conflict. In Rotary International President Gordon McNally's April message, he reminds us that Rotary plays a vital role in advancing the cause of peace. He often says "Rotary needs to work toward peace as aggressively as those who wish to wage war. It is up to us to model peacebuilding behavior among each other. That together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change - across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves."

It is up to us to model peacebuilding behavior. If we wish to be a beacon to the world, let us start by being so to one another. Our club can help each other find greater understanding and productive alternatives to words that may cause hurt and distrust and continue to stick to our principles, but never doubt the sincerity of each other to end conflicts, not inflame them. In times of crisis and despair we need empathy most of all. Empathy is the most powerful tool of peace, and it is vital if we are to continue to take the brave, humble steps to create hope in the world, and to be the "hopedealers" that we are. May God continue to bless our Rotary Club.

Yours in Service,
Andy

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL WORLD IMMUNIZATION WEEK 2024

Visit EndPolio.org

Immunization is a cornerstone of public health, saving millions of lives each year and preventing the spread of infectious diseases, like polio. Rotary International has spent over 40 years making sure children receive life-saving polio vaccines, beginning with our first immunization campaign in the Philippines in 1979. As a Rotary member, you are a part of this historic legacy, and we need your help to keep our promise to give children around the world a polio-free future. Here are three things you can do to support our #EndPolio efforts during World Immunization Week 24-30 April:

Spread the word: Use the World Immunization Week Toolkit for graphics and sample posts to share on social media with the hashtags #EndPolio and #VaccinesWork. You can also use the "Letter to the Editor" template to craft a letter for your local newspaper. **Organize an event:** Host a fundraiser that educates community members on Rotary's polio eradication efforts. **Support vaccination campaigns:** Partner with local healthcare organizations to encourage routine immunizations in your community.

Don't forget! You can donate District Designated Funds (DDF) to PolioPlus to help meet our goal of raising \$50 million each year to eradicate polio. Every dollar is matched 2-to-1.



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Member Spotlight *We want to know more about you!*

All of our members (yes you...) are encouraged to take just a couple of minutes to fill out our simple form so we can share with the club and on social media. **Just scan the QR code or visit:**

<https://forms.gle/NU9ibRdXkExvBJHD8>



Gaye Lynn Wilson

Occupation:
Executive Director - Wilson Rides Inc

Why Rotary:
Service, Community, Integrity, Educational

Favorite Rotary Activities:
Fair Booth, Golf Tournament, Service Days, Speakers.

Fun Fact About You:
I played the trumpet in the Holly Hill Jr. High School Marching Band in Holly Hill, Florida. Can't play a lick now.

Hobbies:
Listening to all types of music - love jazz, most anything outdoors like gardening, outdoor sports, being on the water, traveling, walking my two yorkies and attending pro tennis tournaments.

Favorite Holiday/Season:
I love the entire Fall Season leading up to Christmas! Christmas is THE BEST!



Dr. Paul Stumb

Occupation:
Cumberland University - President

Why Rotary:
The community focused work & mission, along with fellowship and camaraderie.

Favorite Rotary Activities:
Weekly meetings, working at the Fair Booth, & the Dictionary Project.

Fun Fact About You:
He played bridge with Bill Gates & Warren Buffett.

Hobbies:
Fly airplanes & play bridge.

Favorite Holiday/Season:
Thanksgiving



Price Thompson

Occupation:
General Counsel of Wilson Bank & Trust

Why Rotary:
To make friendships & be more involved in the community.

Favorite Rotary Activities:
Lunch!

Fun Fact About You:
He grew 8 inches after high school graduation.

Hobbies:
Listening to live music & attending local sporting events.

Favorite Holiday/Season:
Christmas



Lyn Williams

Occupation:
Financial Advisor

Why Rotary:
I love being part of an organization that actively serves and gives back to the community.

Favorite Rotary Activities:
Serving at Compassionate Hands, Joseph's Storehouse, and delivering Christmas baskets.

Fun Fact About You:
I am the ongoing Monopoly champion in my family, and I have the Championship socks to prove it!

Hobbies:
Socializing with family and friends and quick weekend getaways.

Favorite Holiday/Season:
Thanksgiving... family and friend time is the best!

APRIL & MAY BIRTHDAYS

Robert Carver Bone - April 1
Susan Shaw - April 3
Bill McKee - April 23
Mark Pody - April 23
Kaileigh Dunn - April 25
Melissa Acton - April 25

Darlene Webb - May 1
Cynthia Seifert - May 12
Zabrina Sea - May 14
Tom Keifer - May 19
Nancy Willis - May 25
Karen Rudzinski - May 30

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Paul Harris Fellow Awarded

Pat Asp and Susan Shaw received their Paul Harris Fellow acknowledgement and pin for the first time. They are shown with Rusty and Andy in the photo.



Join us every Tuesday at noon!

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PEOPLE OF ACTION

ROTARY IS WHERE NEIGHBORS, FRIENDS, AND PROBLEM-SOLVERS SHARE IDEAS, JOIN LEADERS, AND TAKE ACTION TO CREATE LASTING CHANGE.

Learn more about Rotary International online at: www.Rotary.org