

Rotary



Club of Oak Ridge-Breakfast

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Club Meeting

Oak Ridge-Breakfast
Meets at The Unitarian Universalist Church of Oak Ridge
809 Oak Ridge Turnpike
Oak Ridge, TN 37830
Time: Wednesday at 07:15 AM

Events

No Events found

Club Meeting This Week

Club Meeting - Wednesday at 7:30 a.m.!

September 6 Program - Linda Johnston: **How To Deal With All Your Stuff!**
We hope you can join us in person or on Zoom!!

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 876 6542 6094
Passcode: 911299

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2023 -2024 Programs

- Sept 13: Eddie Smith, dir of Organizational Advancement for ChildHelp.Org
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- Sept 20: Jack Dongarra, Recipient of the Turing Award. Professor at UTK
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- Sept 27: Kristen Otto, Emory Valley Center

Volunteers Needed For Upcoming RYLA Event!

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) will be held Sept. 23 at Camp Nakanawa. A total of 180 high school juniors have been nominated by their school counselors or administrators as leaders to attend RYLA.

Volunteers are still needed for the day of the event, including a couple of greeters. Their job will be to greet the Rotarian drivers who brought students to RYLA and ask them what they would like to do to help the day be a success. It could help with the registration process if they arrive early in the morning. It could be taking photos, cleaning the dining room tables between breakfast, snacks, lunch and the end of the day. It could be working at one of the Giant Swings for a shift. The more engaged the Rotarians are, the more likely they will have positive things to say when they get back to their clubs. During the closing ceremony, we need a handful of volunteers to organize the T-shirts by size and to hand out one T-shirt per student as they exit the main presentation area at the end of the day.

Parking volunteers are needed and should plan to be at Camp Nakanawa by 6:30 a.m. Pepe Perrone will provide instructions on where to park cars and buses. Student check-in opens at 7 a.m., so volunteers helping with check-in need to be in place and ready by 6:45 a.m. Camp Nakanawa staff handles the food and kitchen, but it is nice to have Rotarians picking up the little things that are always left behind in the dining hall after breakfast, snacks and lunch.



District Governor

Birthdays

- James B Roberto
September 4th
- Billy Edmonds
September 9th
- Derrick M. Hammond
September 15th
- Jerry J. Young
September 15th
- Kesha Waters
September 16th
- Lydia Birk
September 21st
- Thomas L. Clary III
September 28th
- Bonnie C. Carroll
October 4th

Years of Service

- Robert A. Weir Jr.
09-19-2001
22 Years
- John Roberts
10-04-2021
2 Years

Rotarian volunteers are needed to help students get into their harnesses for the two giant swings from 9 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. With enough volunteers at both of the swings, work can be done in shifts and no one gets too exhausted. Pepe told me one of the 100+ year old oak trees that was part of one of the giant swings is no longer standing after all the storms we have had this year. It may be that one of the giant swing areas becomes a second climbing wall. This would require helping students into harnesses and being the people that stay on the ground and keep students safe as they climb.

Please email Holly Hanson at hansonha@roanestate.edu to let her know who from your club will be available to help and with what preferred activities. If you can be with us all day – there will be plenty of ways you can help! Giving a warm greeting to the students and congratulating them on being selected for RYLA is as important as any other job.

Holly Hanson
District 6780 RYLA Chair

2022 - 2023 Rotary Citation Award - YAY AGAIN PAST PRESIDENT LYDIA!

Under Lydia's leadership was awarded the Rotary Citation, the most significant award a club can receive by Rotary International for our programs in the 2022-2023 year. Here is another great photo of her receiving this award from President Tom - Yay Lydia and Yay ORBRC!!

