

Rotary



Club of Shades Valley

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I spent nearly twenty years with United Parcel Service (UPS), I left my management position with the company to work with historically disadvantaged families and communities in Central Alabama.

In 2007, I became the Executive Director of Mission Birmingham, a faith-based community development organization that sought to be a physical demonstration of God's love to the community. After guiding Mission Birmingham into a successful venture with ADECA and HUD, to help stabilize communities in Birmingham during the foreclosure crisis, I steered Mission Birmingham to play a significant role in Birmingham and throughout the state during the 2011 Alabama tornado outbreak disaster.

Subsequently, Governor Robert Bentley appointed me to be a Commissioner with the Alabama Service Commission (ASC). In 2011, I became Executive Director of Mission Birmingham Transformation Strategies (MBTS) in order to create strategic partnerships between the community of faith, corporate, government, and our extensive community-based networks. Today I am the Executive Director of CityServe of Alabama. Our vision is to see the local church fulfill its calling to be a stronger catalyst for healthier communities and restoration of broken lives. My wife, Treva, and I work closely together on the ministry goals of CityServe [Read More](#)

Ken Berg, Director of The Birmingham Boys Choir

On February 3, 2025, Ken Berg, Director of The Birmingham Boys Choir (501 C-3) presented SVRC members and their guests on: the tradition of training boys eight to eighteen; every odd year traveling to a chosen country from around the world; performing with other boys choirs; the fifty-year history of the Birmingham Boys Choir; and finally, on the satellite training centers located throughout the Birmingham Metro Area. If you wish to learn more about this dynamic organization that trains boys to be leaders of men and their active performance schedule, you may contact Jeff Caulk, Executive Director of the Bham Boys Choir, Jeff@birminghamboyschoir.org. (205) 568-1897. You may also view their performances on You Tube: www.birminghamboyschoir.org

Rotarian Action Groups

William Ratliff, District Administrator, addressed the SVRC about the twenty-five Rotarian Action Groups, for example, Water Purity and Hygiene that sponsor and fund a variety of individual world-wide initiatives. If you are interested in learning more or joining a specific group, please contact William at: wtr3@collateralcompanies.com

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Hurricane Helene has depleted the emergency buckets put together by Shades Valley Rotarians due to its devastating effects on several southern states. David Bell is planning a bucket assembly date in March, and he will need assistance in procuring and transporting bucket items. More information will be provided in coming Scripts. Please plan on attending this important service project.

Claude Rhea is organizing a Greenway Service Project on March 15, 2025, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Additional information will be provided in future Scripts.

Zoom Details



Via the web:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87420262528?pwd=RmhFVGpqaUJkVWxkUzduTzJ2cjFVUT09>

Meeting ID: 874 2026 2528

Passcode: Yellowbowl

Via phone:

+1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

Meeting ID: 874 2026 2528

Passcode: 9021295071

WEEKLY POLIO UPDATE

Thursday, August 24, 2017

Number of Cases as of Jan 29, 2025: 1

Total Number of Cases in 2024:98

Total Number of Cases in 2023: 12

Total Number of Cases in 2022: 30

Total Number of Cases in 2021: 6

Total Number of Cases in 2020:140

Total Number of cases in 2019:163

Total number of cases in 2018: 33

Total number of cases in 2017: 21

Total number of cases in 2016: 37

Total number of cases in 2015: 74

Total number of cases in 2014: 359

Total number of cases in 2013: 404

Total number of cases in 2012: 222(includes 5 in non-endemic countries)

Total Number of Cases in 2011: 650

Polio Country Headlines –As of Jan 29, 2025

Afghanistan

Total for 2025: 0

Total for 2024: 25

Total for 2023: 6

Total for 2022 is: 2

Total for 2021 is: 5

Total for 2020 is: 56

Total for 2019 is 29

Total for 2018 is 21

Total for 2017 is 13

Total for 2016 is 13

total for 2015 is 20

total for 2014 is 28

total for 2013 is 14

total for 2012 is: 37

Pakistan



Total for 2025: 1
Total for 2024: 73
Total for 2023: 6
Total for 2022 is: 20
Total for 2021 is: 1
Total for 2020 is: 84
Total for 2019 is 146
Total for 2018 is 12
Total for 2017 is 8
Total for 2016 is 20
total for 2015 is 54
total for 2014 is 306
total for 2013 is 93
total for 2012 is: 59

Mosambique

Total for 2023: 0
Total for 2022 is: 8

Wednesday, February 5, 2025