

Rotary



Club of Franklin Daybreak

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DG Sean Gibson makes official visit

By Keith E. Bowers on Wednesday, August 16, 2023



Rotary District 7670 District Governor Sean Gibson visited the Rotary Club of Franklin-Daybreak on 8/15/2023. Mr. Gibson is currently a member of the Rotary Club of Franklin (Noon Club), but has also been a member of our Club in years past. During his visit, DG Gibson spoke about his time and experiences throughout the years serving others, his plans for his tenure as DG, and how Rotary has shaped him. DG Gibson also spoke about this year's theme of "Create Hope in the World" and how all Rotarians can join in the mission of improving the lives of others through understanding the Mental Health challenges facing our world. DG Gibson encouraged members to visit the Rotary Action Group (<https://ragonmentalhealth.org/>) website in order to learn more about what we can all do to help others. We truly appreciated his visit and look forward to the coming Rotary Year.



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Teacher treats: Daybreak collects gifts for goody bags

The Rotary Club of Franklin Daybreak is collecting supplies for the Staff of Iotla Valley Elementary School as a welcome back gift bag in partnership with their Student Lighthouse Team, which we as a club support. Our work on this will allow the students to have their first service project of the new school year. Please see below for important dates -

- Our Club will be collecting the supplies for this project and also packing the gift bags at our **Tuesday, Sept. 5** meeting.
- Due to the packing meeting being the day after Labor Day, we are shooting to collect all of the supplies ahead of time and are asking that you drop those off at Wayah Insurance (295 East Palmer Street) for Emily West to store. Please do this by **Friday, Sept. 1, especially if you will not be at the following meeting.**
- The packed bags will then be delivered to Iotla Valley where the Student Lighthouse Team / RotaKids will be delivered to all staff of the school.
- Here is the link to the Sign Up Genius, where you can choose which item you would like to contribute to the bag. We can use multiples of things if you wish to sign up and something is already full - just let Emily know by email or you can make a cash donation toward purchasing items.
- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4AA8A82BA5FFC61-welcome>

Also, special thanks to Chick-Fil-A who is donating a gift card for a meal for each bag!

We did it!

Thursday, August 17, 2023



2022-23 ROTARY CITATION

Awarded to the Rotary Club of

Franklin Daybreak

for helping **imagine Rotary** in the lives of people all over the world.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jennifer Jones'.

Jennifer Jones
President, Rotary International

The Rotary Club of Franklin Daybreak should give themselves a pat on the back as we have received the 2022-2023 Rotary Citation. This is one of the most significant awards a Rotary club can achieve. This past year, we demonstrated a commitment to achieve our goals, which ultimately helps strengthen Rotary and shape the future. I wanted each of you to see this and be proud of what our club has done over the past year! Congratulations, it could not have happened without you!

– Immediate Past President Vicki Lawrence

Upcoming meeting

The Rotary Club of Franklin Daybreak will meet Tuesday, Aug. 15 , at 7:30 a.m., at Angel Medical Center cafeteria.

Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86712037998?pwd=NlVYb0g2SmhCUWp3cHh3VnkzTDlvZz09>

Upcoming events:

Spaghetti Dinner - Sept. 11 @ First United Methodist Church
Dessert Auction - Oct. 10

Events

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Birthdays

[Angela Dills](#)
August 29th



[Ronnie D. Beale](#)
September 10th



[Rachel Hoskins](#)
September 13th



[Teresa Murray](#)
September 16th



Wedding Anniversaries



[Charles E. Thun Jr.](#)
August 21st



[Edward R. Shatley](#)
September 2nd

Years of Service



[Roger Plemens](#)
25 Years



[Charles Sutton](#)
25 Years



[Teresa Murray](#)
8 Years



[Ward Collins](#)
5 Years



[Gregory L. Mullins](#)
2 Years



[Keith E. Bowers](#)
0 Years



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0 Years