

Rotary



Club of Franklin Daybreak

Innovate Clubs

By George David Monday, February 22, 2021
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It's fun to play with the ICA

Throughout the COVID-19 pandemic, we, as Rotarians, have come to the call of our communities during one of the most challenging times in Rotary's history. It has forced us to move outside of our Rotary Box by making us truly flex our ability to adapt. I will be the first to admit, that if you had asked me what we would need to do to get Rotarians to engage virtually, I would have said an act of God. Well, I wasn't far off. COVID-19 forced us to re-examine why we are Rotarians and to dive deep to continue to find ways to connect and get our service fix. But, as usual, Rotarians responded with resilience and outside-of-the-box-thinking.

The Innovative Club Advocate (ICA) Team is asking you to continue this trend, and here is why. Across our communities, we are seeing a lack interest and engagement in Rotary from Generation X, Millennials, and others. But we now have an opportunity, with our newly found flexibility, to offer options to those who are desperately looking for ways to join leaders, to exchange ideas and most importantly, to TAKE ACTION. This is where you come in! The ICA team is asking clubs to consider how they can get involved with fostering new and innovative clubs this year, using the various new club models (caused-base, e-clubs, satellite, and passport). All organizations must, from time to time, adapt their messaging and their product (the club experience) offerings; and now is Rotary's time.

We have an organization with the infrastructure and resources to make real, meaningful, and lasting change in the communities that we serve. But, as time marches on, our numbers dwindle. Yet, the demographics that we fawn over are asking for our help to become engaged in service. So, let's give them that opportunity. The ICA team is asking current clubs to help mentor new clubs, to serve as guides to new leaders as new clubs form, and to even fiscally assist with membership and organizational costs as new clubs develop in their infancy year(s). The list of ways you can assist is only limited by your imagination.

We all have a responsibility to pass the gift of Rotary on, so let's build a bigger and brighter Rotary in District 7670 together. For more information contact

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Club Leaders

Fred Jones
President

The CART Fund and Bill Shilito

By Angela Dills on Wednesday, March 24, 2021



PDG Bill Shilito, National Director of the CART Fund, spoke to the club about the history of CART, the power of an individual, and advances in Alzheimer's research. You can donate here: <http://www.cartfund.org/cart/donations/>. Next board meeting is on May 3 at 5:30 pm.

Dessert Auction for PolioPlus

By Angela Dills on Wednesday, March 24, 2021

Join us on Tuesday, March 30 at 6 pm for a dessert auction for PolioPlus. We will meet at Big Bear pavilion for a boxed dinner courtesy of Luke and Kristy Smith followed by the auction.



Upcoming Meeting Schedule



Angela Dills
President - Elect
Club Admin Chair



Dana Murray
Secretary



Rick VanGilder
Service Projects Chair
International Service Chair



Dale B. West
Membership Chair



Ronald F. Winecoff
Rotary Foundation Chair



Vicki Lawrence
RYLA Point of Contact
Treasurer
Youth Services Chair



Tiffani G. Tallent
Youth Services Chair



Eric Haggart
Club Public Image Chair



Teresa Murray
iPast President



Kenneth Nicholson
Assistant Governor



Updated Safer-at-home guidance raised in-person gatherings to a max of 25. We will meet in the hall of FUMC beginning on Tuesday, March 2, for those who want to meet in person. You may also join us via Zoom at the regular link: <https://wcu.zoom.us/j/98420426> 924

March: Water & Sanitation

March 30: NO MORNING MEETING!!

Fifth Tuesday social and dessert auction. 6-8 pm. Family welcome. RSVP to Luke and Kristy who are providing boxed dinners.

April: Maternal & Child Health

April 6:
Program: Chuck Sutton; Greeter: Bill Meyers; Invocation: Rick VanGilder; 50/50: Angela Dills

April 7: Board meeting 8 am

April 13
Club Assembly: Greeter: Dale West; Invocation: Hunter Strickland

April 20
Program: Rick Van Gilder; Greeter: Aaron Garrett; Invocation: Beverly Mason; 50/50: Rachel Hoskins

April 27
Program: Bryson Burt; Greeter: Mike Martone; Invoation: Tiffani Tallent

The Rotary Foundation

By Angela Dills on Wednesday, October 21, 2020



OUR ROTARY SUCCESS WITH THE POLIO PLUS CAMPAIGN

Because of Rotarian support, more than 2.5 billion children have received polio vaccines and have been protected against this crippling disease for life. There are currently only two countries that are endemic: Afghanistan and Pakistan. We must not stop our efforts until we give the children a Polio Free world!

Will you help The Rotary Foundation make history by eradicating Polio from our planet? Give today at endpolio.org.

Events

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Birthdays



Beverly Mason
March 28th



Rick VanGilder
March 31st



Emily West
April 10th



Kristy Firkins Smith
April 14th



Edward R. Shatley
April 19th

Wedding Anniversaries

Jeffrey Eagin Butler
March 27th

Arthur I. Phalo
March 30th



Years of Service



[Roger Plemens](#)
23 Years



[Charles Sutton](#)
23 Years



[Teresa Murray](#)
6 Years



[Ward Collins](#)
3 Years



[David E. Hood](#)
0 Years



[GREGORY L. MULLINS](#)
0 Years