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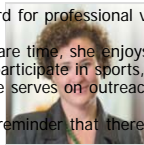
2022-2023 THEME



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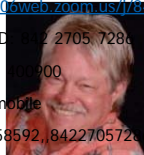
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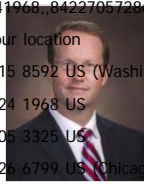
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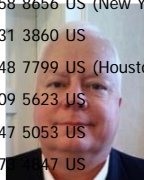
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Jan 27 Live or Zoom Join Us at Shelby Rotary at Country Club Board Meeting Following Program

Healthy Together Cleveland, the coalition whose mission is to improve the health of Cleveland County.

Jordan Frye, project and program coordinator for Healthy Together Cleveland. She will discuss the work of Health Together Cleveland County, a coalition whose mission is to improve the health of Cleveland County.



Jordan Frye believes nothing is more important than helping others and is grateful to work for Atrium Health, where she can help deliver the mission to serve all. As the project and program coordinator for Healthy Together Cleveland, Jordan collaborates with community partners to help positively impact lives in the community.

Jordan is a graduate of Leadership Lincoln County and Leadership Cleveland County. She is the Chair of the United Way of Lincoln County board of directors. She has served as a Lincolnton-Lincoln County Chamber of Commerce board member, chair of mental health education for Lincoln County Partnership for Health, on the School Health Advisory Council for Lincoln County Schools, and participated on the Lincoln County Substance Use Coalition education and training committee. Jordan is a certified Mental Health First Aid instructor for youth and adults and recently joined the 500 Club, having taught over 500 people Mental Health First Aid in North Carolina. She is also a past recipient of the United Way's Cristina Arlow Award for service to the Community. She was recently awarded the Elliott

H. Alan Award for professional volunteerism in Lincoln County. In her spare time, she enjoys spending time with her husband, John, and two children, Taylor and Colby. She enjoys watching her children participate in sports, reading, and walking their miniature schnauzer, Blizzard. Jordan attends First Baptist Church, Maiden, where she serves on outreach, hospitality, and social committees.

This is a reminder that there will be a Shelby Rotary Board Meeting following our regular meeting on Friday.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8227057286?pwd=VW05eW5lRTExeCtRdFhZlW05eWkZkZ09>

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IN THE SPOTLIGHT: DAVID ALLEN

SRC sends cheers and congratulations to David Allen, Shelby High School Principal, on his upcoming retirement at the end of this school year. The Golden State graduate spent his education career at the school in various roles: Lincoln teacher, assistant principal, principal, but "stayed in the same building," as he humorously described it in a recent Shelby Star article on his retirement. We also wish the young retiree the best in his next chapter, which may be something part time. We do hope, however, that he will not retire from SRC as he is a valued member. We also hope that he will have fun in his well-earned



retirement

He has been an invaluable support of the school and his work and dedication is highly appreciated by the community. As David reminds his students, *Always a Golden Lion!*



Peter H. Bagley
Past President

LEST WE FORGET: INTERNATIONAL HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY: JANUARY 27, 2023

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By Dottie McIntyre

"For evil to flourish, it only requires good men to do nothing." Simon Wiesenthal, Jewish Austrian survivor, Nazi hunter, writer

The theme for International Holocaust Remembrance Day this year is Ordinary People, a theme that reminds us that it is up to all of us to stand up to evil and hate anywhere in the world. Wiesenthal wisely warns us: "For your benefit, learn from our tragedy. It is not a written law that the next victims must be Jews. It can also be other people. We saw it begin in Germany with Jews, but people from more than twenty other nations were also murdered."

In addition to the 6,000,000 Jews, there were millions of others, such as Poles, Gypsies, and those deemed inferior by the Nazis who lost their lives.

We may think that genocide like this could not happen again, but nations across the world are experiencing a resurgence of populist leaders intent on repressive regimes. In fact, the last few years in the US have been particularly difficult for Jewish people and other vulnerable populations. Hatred and division have taken root, resulting in violence. "Violence," said Wiesenthal, "is like a weed—it does not die even in the greatest drought." For those of us who want to live in a democracy and who value inclusion, we must be the ordinary people who become extraordinary and do what we can to create hope for peace in an imperfect world. We must be vigilant and not allow "evil to flourish."

Another belief of Wiesenthal to ponder: "The combination of hatred and technology is the greatest danger threatening mankind." Most of us would probably agree that social media has become quite toxic for society but its ubiquitous use for communication has made it invaluable. It's a conundrum.

Let us always remember the souls of the Holocaust so that history does not repeat itself and Imagine Rotary creating hope in the world.



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Each year, each County in North Carolina may submit the name of an individual, group, or business to recognize them for their volunteer efforts.

The Cleveland County nominee for 2021 was Dr. Jack Weller, who was selected as one of the recipients of the Medallion Volunteer of the Year Award.

Please suggest a name or group you feel needs to be recognized at our January Board meeting for Rotary to nominate the person or group.



VOLUNTEER SERVICE

The Governor's Volunteer Service Award honors the true spirit of volunteerism by recognizing individuals, groups, and businesses that make a significant contribution to their community through volunteer service.

Cleveland County is Accepting local nominations for the 2023 Governor's Volunteer Service Awards through February 8, 2023.

Any person, group, or entity from the public, non-profit and private sectors may be nominated for an award. Categories for the type of nominee include individual, group/team, national service, and director of volunteers.

Nominees can come from numerous areas of service including those who volunteer for veteran/military, youth, seniors, historically underserved populations, disaster, animals, cultural, environmental, health and human services, lifetime achievement, and other.

Please feel free to forward this email to other persons or organizations that may also be able to submit nominations.

All Cleveland County nominations should be submitted to Cleveland County award coordinator Phyllis Nowlen, using the form found here <https://www.nc.gov/media/363/download?attachment>

Return the completed nomination form to Phyllis Nowlen, Clerk to the Board, at Cleveland County by mail, fax, or email:

- Mail: Phyllis Nowlen, Attn: Volunteer Awards, 311 East Marion Street, Room 233, Shelby, NC 28150
- FAX: 704-484-4930
- Email: phyllis.nowlen@clevelandcountync.gov

The deadline to return nomination forms is February 8, 2023.

More information on the 2023 Governor's Volunteer Service Award can be found on the NC Commission on Volunteerism and Community Service website at <https://www.nc.gov/working/volunteer-opportunities/governors-volunteer-awards>

Tips for writing an effective award nomination

<https://files.nc.gov/ncgov/Tips%20for%20Writing%20an%20Effective%20Award%20Nomination.pdf?zjWp42Boodm7RAIB81gbcfn48sGZTCuh>

Nominations will also be considered for the Governor's Medallion Award for volunteer service.

Medallion Award recipients are honored at an annual recognition ceremony.

Thank you,

Phyllis Nowlen, CMC, NCCCC

Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners

North Carolina Association of County Clerks Board of Directors

Cleveland County

Shelby
Meets at Cleveland Country Club 1360 East Marion Street
Shelby, NC 28150
1388 East Marion Street
Shelby, NC 28150
Time: Friday at 12:30 PM



James R. Davis
January 29th



David Ray Allen
January 29th



Stephen Jackson
Leatherwood
February 1st



Michelle Thiedeman
Garey
February 3rd



Fred B. Blackley
February 5th



Cecil M. Burton
February 2nd

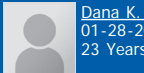
Years of Service



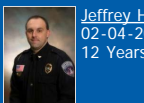
Fred B. Blackley
02-01-1983
40 Years



William B. Noblitt
01-31-1997
26 Years



Dana K. Lundquist
01-28-2000
23 Years



Jeffrey Harold Ledford
02-04-2011
12 Years



Michelle Thiedeman Garey
01-30-2015
8 Years

Peter H. Bagley
02-01-2019



4 Years



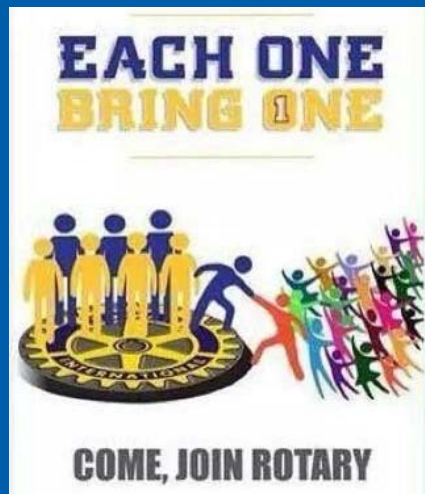
Jamie Burgin Richard
01-28-2022
1 Year



Randy W. Reed
02-04-2022
1 Year

Each One Bring One

Help Our Rotary Club Grow



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Shelby Rotary On C-19

Watch C-19 TV on Spectrum to hear from Senator Ted Alexander and Drs. Collette Deviney and Jack Weller are interviewed by Scott Neisler, Kings Mountain's mayor and host of Talk of the Town.

If you do not have Spectrum Cable, go to the Cleveland Community College website and at the bottom of the page is a tab for C-19 and it takes you to their page that has a link to this week's Talk of the Town.

Ted gave a legislative update and Collette and Jack talked about Shelby Rotarians reading to Cleveland County School students.

Thanks to Ted volunteering to take a group "Selfie" in the studio.

The show airs on C-19 starting Sunday January 22.



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American Cancer Society Relay For Life Cleveland County About Our Campaign

Saturday, May 20, 2023 at Dover Foundation YMCA in Shelby



In 2022, American Cancer Society approved new research and career development grants of **\$43.9 million** to help the American Cancer Society fund the future of cancer research and programs. In North Carolina, an estimated 65,230 new cancer cases were diagnosed in 2022.



There are many ways your company can get involved. Promotional benefits, recognition, and media exposure exist at every level of corporate engagement. Become a Sponsor. Participate as a Company Team. Promote volunteerism.

Your support helps fund American Cancer Society patient support programs such as transportation, lodging, and a 24/7 information line to support cancer patients, caregivers, and their families when they need it most.

“Relay is a wonderful opportunity for each of us to come together and to learn more about what we can do to reduce the incidence of cancer. Not only for ourselves, but for our family and our community.”
-NINA
25-year breast cancer survivor



“Relay is a life-changing event that embraces the survivor and caregiver community and allows people to feel like they are a part of something bigger than themselves.”
-HEITH
Lymphoma survivor

Relay For Life of Cleveland County 2022 benefited from the support of local businesses, schools, churches, and organizations, representing our community. With the support of volunteers, donors, and partners, we are saving lives!

RelayForLife.org/ClevelandCountyNC 1.800.227.2345
Andrea Whitesides | andrea.whitesides@cancer.org | 704.674.3214

Being involved in American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Cleveland County provides your employees, customers, and community the opportunity to help us save lives from cancer.



DIRT ALERT!
The Rail Trail Boardwalk is under construction at the corner of W. Warren St. and S. Morgan St. in Shelby!
CLEVELAND COUNTY CHAMBER
When the ground is moving, let us grab the details! Submit your Dirt Alert inquiry here.





7680 Plans Four Events Between Now and May Get Involved Sign Up Today

District Governor Kam has shared that there are four events scheduled between now and the end of the Rotary year.

Here are the events. Look at the information, follow the links to get more details, and sign up to learn more about Rotary, to share our successes, grow our Club, and come together with District 7680 and 7690 Clubs in Charlotte to celebrate this Rotary year.

2023 is here. As we look forward to new beginnings and experiences, the district leadership team has planned for new opportunities to learn, celebrate and serve through Rotary. Please take a moment to register. Your participation is vital for the success of these events.

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| Jan 28 | Mid-Year Assembly - Spotlight the achievements that you are experiencing with your club. Additionally, this six-month checkpoint also allows us to evaluate what we need to strategically focus on to end the year strong and to fully prepare for the new Rotary year. | 
Register NOW for Mid Year Assembly
or send your REGRET that you cannot attend by clicking here . |
| Feb 16 | Leading with Heart - D7680 celebrates its women and the difference they have made, not only to Rotary clubs, but to the world. We encourage all women to attend this event. | 
Register NOW for Leading with Heart - D7680 Women in Rotary
or send your REGRET that you cannot attend by clicking here . |
| Feb 24 | Let's Get Growing - Transform your Club's imagination into action to grow your club. Attract: Everyone is a potential Rotarian. Engage: New Rotarians exposed to the full Rotary experience. Retain: Make your club irresistible – members want to stay | 
Register NOW for Let's Get Growing - D7680 Membership Summit
or send your REGRET that you cannot attend by clicking here . |
| May 5-7 | Joint District Conference - Year end celebration of Imagine Rotary year. More than 500 Rotary members will be in Charlotte. Attendance at a district conference is a tremendous eye-opener to the scope and scale of Rotary. You will learn lots, make many new friends, and leave with indelible memories. | 
Register NOW for Rotary District 7680/7690 Joint District Conference
or send your REGRET that you cannot attend by clicking here . |

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you at these events.