



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER/MEETING NOTES

AUGUST 4, 2022



Club Service, Birthdays and Anniversaries:

Anniversaries:

Birthdays:

Chris Lambert - August 4

Vicky Smith- August 10

Wedding Anniversaries:

Peggy and David Grigg - August 4 (60 years)

David and Lauren Cooper - August 11

Weekly Program - Guardian Ad Litem Supervisor, Jon Michael Hammond

Jon described the Guardian Ad Litem history: in 1977, in Seattle WA, a 3-year-old girl showed up with unexplained injuries. The attending physician determined the injuries were non-accidental. After a court case, the judge recognized the need for a spokesperson for the child.

The program started as a pilot program in NC in 1983. There is now a Guardian Ad Litem program in every NC county.

Jon trains new Guardians, who are volunteers and advocates for the wellbeing of the child they represent - one of whom joined him and spoke about her experience.

Greeter:

Invocation: Dee Pankey Thompson

Song: The Gambler, Kenny Rogers

Announcements:

- The Stanly Co Chamber is presenting Dinner on Main on September 17 - can buy tickets online
- The Little House on The Prairies performance by The Uwharrie Players is currently playing
- Big Truck Day at the History Center on August 8
- Sensory Lab at The Library - Open House will be held on August 19
- Sadly, Melanie Hollis is leaving the club due to a job change and a new Secretary is needed
- The Chamber and the Rotary Club will hold another Reverse Raffle this year at The Senior Center in Albemarle

Health and Happiness: Dr Johnsen - born on this day: Nicolas-Jacques Conté (4 August 1755 - 6 December 1805) was a French painter, balloonist, army officer, and inventor of the modern pencil.

CLUB INFO:

Albemarle Club #6051 web site:

<http://albemarlencrotaryclub.org/>

Find us on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/Albemarle-Rotary-Club-128519389623/>

Rotary District 7680 web site:

<http://rotary7680.org>

Upcoming programs:

- August 11 - Travis Morehead, Three Rivers Land Conservancy
- August 18 - Jay Almond - Badin Update
- August 25 - Scott Fisher PA - Pfeiffer
- September 1 - Atrium Health Facility Update

WEEKLY PROGRAM: John Williams - Historic Hall House

Angela Mills sponsored and introduced today's guest, John Williams, who taught in Stanly County Schools. He is married to Nicole and they have two grown sons.

John discussed the Cyber security hygiene encompasses best practices by computer users and organizations' security personnel - much like your own health.

Cyber threats include:
Social Engineering (ex: Cryptocurrency attacks),
Third Party Breaches (ex: FaceBook, Instagram)
Poor Cyber Hygiene (ex: unprotected wi-fi, using public wi-fi, not implementing VPN and 2FA)

Cyber threats may happen with:
Weak passwords
Unprotected home networks
Ransomware
Mobile device vulnerabilities

Examples of recent corporate cyber attaches include:
Colonial Pipeline (paid 4.4 Million in Bitcoin)
Steamship Authority of Massachusetts
JBS (the worlds largest meat packer)
Washington DC Metropolitan Police Department

UPCOMING PROGRAMMING

April 14 - Mike Causey - Insurance
Commissioner - Sponsor is Bob Remsburg

April 21 - Melanie Holmes - Stanly County
Library

April 28 - John Williams - Historic Homes of
Albemarle - Sponsor is Angela Mills

May 5 - Beth Olivieri - Group Homes for the
Autistic - Sponsor is Angela Mills/Dawn
Allen

May 12 - Sandy Carelock - Stanly Adult Care
Center - Sponsor is Emma Moore



A Project of the Rotary Clubs of North America

- CART bucket contributions support Alzheimer's research.
- The 50/50 drawing also supports CART Alzheimer's research.
- Support CART when you play 50/50!!

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