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Club News

Monday October 7th, 2024

Today's Speaker - Richard Averitte

Today, our own <u>Richard Averitte</u> who serves as Executive Director of the American Cancer Society of Central and Eastern NC will be our speaker. Richard is a North Carolina native and believes community service is essential. He has volunteered with several nonprofits, including Activate Good, Me Fine Foundation, Not in the Pocket, A Place at the Table, and many more! In his spare time, Richard enjoys movies and sports. He is a lifelong Chicago Cubs fan. He resides in Raleigh with his wife, Lisa, and two children, Lucy and Felix.



Western NC Relief Efforts - Opportunity Today

Raleigh Rotarian Charles King, a resident of the high country, and a friend, Julian, have arranged to have a trailer to take supplies west where they will be distributed by a Church that has a process for doing this kind of thing. Last week, President Eric, Charles King, Nathan Thomas, and Charle's friend, Julian loaded a trailer with waters from our Rotary storage unit. There is plenty of room left in the trailer, and we will be collecting supplies at today's meeting. Today, Julian will be at our Rotary meeting with the trailer and we are asking folks to bring items to the meeting for us to send west. He will be heading out tomorrow (10/08).

Items being requested are:

Events

Birthdays

Shaun Olynick October 7th Caroline Suffern October 7th R. Michael Condrey October 7th Mark L. Hackett October 12th

Wedding Anniversaries

Shaun Olynick October 10th John Cates October 10th Harryson Turner October 13th

- Toilet Paper
- Paper Towels
- Paper Plates
- Cups
- Large heavy duty trash bags
- Red Bull (for the rescue workers)
- Baby Formula
- Baby Food
- Diapers
- Cleaning Supplies
- Hand Sanitizer
- Stable food
- · Ramen Noodles
- Feminine hygiene products

In addition to today's efforts, there are two other contact points within the RCOR, which will be utilized to determine best ways we can help in the upcoming weeks. These are:

- 1) DG Jeff Blass and PDG Nathan Thomas who are in contact with the DG in western NC.
- 2) Our Club's Service Chair, Richard Averitte is also working with people to transport and deliver supplies to some of the most remote areas of western NC.

Keep an eye out for more ways you can help. The photo below shows the trailer loaded with water bottles. There's still plenty of room for more items!



Democratic Republic Trip Meeting

There will be a meeting for everyone who is interested in going on the 2025 DR Project trip

The trip is scheduled for March 22 to March 29, 2025 and will be held on Wednesday November 20th at the Cary Chamber of Commerce office (307 N. Academy St. Cary). It will start at 6pm. We will have pizza and drinks. Please bring \$5 per person to help cover the cost. Let Rick Carnuga (rlcarnagua@gmail.com) know if you plan to attend the meeting. Our own Kevin Sommers and wife Judy went on the DR trip last year. Reach out to Kevin if you have questions.

'A Taste of Fall' Fundraiser

Watch your email for an Evite for our 'Taste of Fall' Fundraiser on Saturday, November 23, 2024. Tickets are \$30 and include food, music, and a tasting of 5 honey varieties. You can also purchase a ticket for \$50 to add a whiskey tasting! Kids under 18 are free. See the notice below for more information and how to become a sponsor.



Save the Date - Rotary Club of Raleigh Gala, March 8, 2025

Mark your calendars for March 8, 2025 for the Rotary Club of Raleigh gala! If you'd like to join the planning team, reach out to John Cates.





Gala Committee Leadership Includes: Sponsorships & Donors- Mike Brennan Auction- TBD



vveicoming- Linda ivionagnan
Decorating- Brandi Gerew
Volunteers (Set up/ Tear down)- Peter Gourri
Media Relations- Leslie Oliver

Remember to Pay Your Dues

Now that Back to School is in the rearview mirror, here's a friendly reminder that quarterly club dues are overdue. If you've paid, great and thank you for supporting our club and our community.

If you haven't paid, we're sure it is an oversight and you've probably gotten a phone call, email, or letter and forgotten to put pen to check or process your online payment. We need your payment to provide critical support to our community.

If you'd like to pay more frequently than quarterly, please reach out to Linda to schedule monthly payments at RaleighRotary@gmail.com

No Meeting Next Week 10/14 - Columbus Day

We will be back in person on Monday 10/21.

RCOR 7-Day Forecast

We will have a very seasonable and pleasant week across central NC. Today will be the warmest of the work week with high temperatures around 80F. We'll see an almost 30 degree difference between today's daytime high and overnight low. We could wake up to temperatures in the upper 40s tomorrow morning! The rest of the week also looks dry and sunny. Workweek daytime highs will hover around 70F with overnight lows around 50F. A warmup is expected this coming weekend with temperatures climbing back to around 80F. Skies will be mostly clear all week.

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