



# The Fayetteville Rotary Spokes

The Weekly Newsletter of the Fayetteville Rotary Club

August 6, 2020



## Fayetteville Rotary Club Meeting

**Welcome:** Club President Stephen McDavid opened this week's Fayetteville Rotary Clubs (FRC) Zoom meeting at 1:00 PM, welcoming all to the weekly meeting.

**Meeting Prayer and Meal:** The meeting invocation was given by Bonnie Dawdy. There was no meal as the meeting was on-line.

**Rotary Song and Rotary Minute:** President Steve, after welcoming the members asked Bonnie Dawdy to give the meeting invocation.

**Attendance & Guests:** There were 13 present, 13 members of the Fayetteville Rotary Club and no guests.

**Health and Happiness:** There was one member with a birthday on 6 August, Janice McFadyen, and two members with birthdays on 7 August, Joe Running and Ed Vaughn. Janice provided a Happy Buck for her decision to move to Vermont and selling her mobile home. Magda Baggett gave a Happy Buck for the selection of Jennifer Jones as the 2022 and 2023 Rotary International President.

**Club Program:** President Steve began by reminding members the program was a club assembly and then asked members to provide ideas for fund raisers. Some ideas provided included online raffles of memorabilia and automobiles. There is a desire to hold a Golf Tournament when that is possible but is not possible this summer and fall. The status of the tennis tournament is in question for this fall. The meeting went on to discuss membership recruiting ideas. Ideas included holding small group outdoor informational gatherings and online informational meetings with prospective members. President Steve proposed corporate memberships that could serve as a method for individuals to become interested in Rotary as a means for service. Finally, the club assembly discussed the Rotary Grants the Club requested that committed the \$7762.60 available to the Club by Rotary and District 7730. The Grants included a \$1,000 Care Clinic grant for prescription drugs, a \$1,100 Better Health grant for medical supplies, a \$4,000 Habitat for Humanity Playground Project grant, and a \$1,000 Garden Children's Education grant at the Fayetteville Botanical Gardens.

## **Future Meetings and Upcoming Event.**

- Aug 13 - The FRC Zoom meeting will be held at 1PM. Program, Botanical Garden, Barbara Goldentot
- Aug 20 - The FRC Zoom meeting will be held at 1PM. Program, Cameron Simms, CCCF

**50-50 Raffle and Meeting Farewell.** There was no raffle. President Steve thanked Magda Baggett for her efforts in finalizing the Club Grant applications, club for their input at the meeting and reminded the club that there would be a Board meeting on 17 August 2020, then lead everyone in the **Four Way Test, of the things that we think, say and do**, and adjourned our on-line meeting at 2:00 PM.