



The Fayetteville Rotary Spokes

The Weekly Newsletter of the Fayetteville Rotary Club

December 3, 2020

Fayetteville Rotary Club Meeting

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

Meeting Prayer and Meal: The meeting invocation was given by President Steve. There was no meal for the 10 members and 1 guest as we were on Zoom.

Rotary Song and Rotary Minute: President Steve, after welcoming members and guests and giving the meeting invocation, gave the secretary the opportunity to announce member birthdays and anniversaries as well as remind members of upcoming meetings. President Steve reminded the club that there would be no club meetings on Christmas eve 24 December & New Year's eve 31 December.

Attendance & Guests: There were 11 present via zoom, 10 members and 1 guests; Sandy Ammons, Executive Director of the Fayetteville Technical Community College Foundation, and our guest speaker.

Health and Happiness: There are 5 Club member birthdays in December with one, John Hermann, on 5 December. Steve welcomed Shawn Johnson and Brandon Price as new members to the Club.

Club Program: Charles Koonce introduced Sandy Ammons as the Guest Speaker and meeting program. Sandy Ammons, recognizing the many members she knew, said hello to all. She then began by recognizing the club for its gift cards donation to the newly opened FTCC Food Pantry. She thanked the club for its gift and the many things the Club does in the community. She said that she is pleased to have been made Executive Director of the FTCC Foundation in March just before FTCC went to remote learning. She said the annual recognition banquet for donors was her first event and last in person event for the College before lock-down, so she was able to meet many important FTCC supporters as she came onboard. Director Ammons said that the Foundation does much in support of the College and its student and faculty and staff. The newly reopened Food Pantry located in the recently Closed Early Child Development Program building is just one thing the Foundation supports. She then spoke about the importance of the Nursing program and how the College was going to be able to redesignate and renovate the relatively new Early Childhood Development Program Building for the Nursing Program.

Future Meetings and Upcoming Event.

- Dec 10 The FRC will meet Via Zoom at 1:00 PM. Program, Ron Gunter of Habitat for Humanity
- Dec 17 The FRC will meet via Zoom at 1:00 PM. Program TBD.

50-50 Raffle and Meeting Farewell. No 50/50 Raffle was held because of the Zoom meeting. President Steve again thanked all for attending and then lead everyone in the **Four Way Test**, *of the things that we think, say and do*, adjourning the meeting at 2:00 PM.