


# Rotary

## Club of Morehead City-Noon



### Club Meeting

Morehead City-Noon  
Meets at Sanitary Fish Market  
& Restaurant  
501 Evans St.  
Morehead City, NC 28557  
Time: Tuesday at 12:00 PM

### Club Leaders



Tom Hussmann  
President



Timothy Allan  
Necaïse  
President-Elect  
Service Projects  
Chair



Pamela T. Hilbert  
President-Nominee  
Club Director  
Fund Raising Chair



Dee Marie  
Hellersperk  
Secretary



John Benjamin  
Aldredge II  
Treasurer



Steve Joseph  
Hellersperk  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Dale L. Elks  
Club Rotary  
Foundation Chair



Ryan Morris  
iPast President



John R. Scibal  
Club Membership  
Co-Chair



John M. Smith  
Club Membership  
Co-Chair



Diane Carolyn  
Warrender  
Club Public Image  
Chair



Teresa Brady  
Club Director



Jill Droze  
Club Director



Stephen K Sullivan  
Club Director

### Events

## Morehead City Rotary Noon Meeting May 21, 2024

### Morehead Noon Rotary Minutes May 21, 2024

President Tom Hussman opened the Noon Rotary Club meeting at 12:05 pm.



### Club Duties :

Greeter - Monica Blocker  
Prayer - Charlton Burns  
Pledge - Todd Sanders  
4 Way Test - Dan McMahon  
Happy Dollars - Tim Necaïse



Tom asked Diane for the Secretary report. She reported our speaker for the day was Nathaniel Toering, with the National Park Service at Cape Lookout. Other guests were Billie Totten, guest of Dale Elks, Dan & Kris McMahon and Chic & Sue McMahon, guests of Dan McMahon. There were no club anniversaries, however, it was Mark Schouse's birthday on the 21st, but he was not in attendance to be serenaded. Our attendance today was 36 Rotarians.

There were no committee reports except for Tim Necaïse for the Service Projects Committee who reported the club had received a Thank You note from the Hospice House for the Service Day work we did at their location.

President Tom reminded all of the June 25<sup>th</sup> Installation Banquet to be held at Camp Albemarle in the Pines. Teresa Brady has volunteered to head up a decoration committee for this event. Let her know if you would like to help. He passed around a sign-up sheet for the event. Also, he reminded the club members that he has raffle tickets for the cruise in October. Tickets are \$20.00.



May 28th  
**Morehead City Noon  
Weekly Club Meeting**

June 4th  
**Morehead City Noon  
Weekly Club Meeting**

June 11th  
**Morehead City Noon  
Weekly Club Meeting**

June 18th  
**Morehead City Noon  
Weekly Club Meeting**

### **Birthdays**

Charlton S. Burns  
June 5th

Charlie B Hoover Jr.  
June 10th

Todd Saunders  
June 24th



Dan McMahon introduced our speaker Nathaniel Toering, with the National Park Service at Cape Lookout. He is the Chief of Interpretation and Education for Cape Lookout. Nate is responsible for oversight of all park visitor centers, public programs, outreach and education. During his career with the NPS he has worked at the National Park at Appomattox, Va., and Moores Creek Nat'l Battlefield in Currie, NC. He started his career with the NPS in Skagway, Alaska, at Klondike Gold Rush Nat'l Historical Park. He holds a bachelor's degree in Political Sciences and is a veteran of the US Marine Corp. One of the projects he has been working on is the dredging project at Harkers Island which has now been completed. This will improve access to Bardens Inlet and around the lighthouse. Presently, there are 30,000 cubic yards of special fine sand being placed on the beach in front of the lighthouse, and when finished will look like the beach that was there in 2006. Also, sea oaks are being planted in the area to stabilize the beach. The lighthouse has been closed for some time, but they are nearing the finale stages of being able to open it. Cabins at Great Island and the north end have been refurbished or rebuilt since Hurricane Florence. The Park just finished the big Crystal Coast Star Party at the lighthouse area, and during the two night event, seven ferries transported attendees to the beach area for the Dark-Sky. Approximately 650,000 people visit the park annually. Due to the closing of the visitors center in Beaufort, the Park has a booth at the Farmer's Market each weekend to pass out information about the Park. Nate was able to answer a number of questions from the group about the activities at the Park. Very interesting program.



Happy Dollars was hosted by Tim Necaise.



Clarke Edwards was not able to win the lucky 50/50 ticket.

The meeting was adjourned and we will meet again next Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at noon.

Secretary Diane Warrender

