

Service Above Self

NEWSLETTER

“We are a diverse, active group of Rotarians who proudly and consistently support local and global projects”
December 4, 2020

This Week Dec 4

Columbia South Meeting Via Zoom
Program: Director Missouri Dept of Conservation
Sara Parker-Pauley

Next Meeting Dec 11

Columbia South Meeting Via Zoom
Program: MU Family Impact Center, MU Extension Services
Charles Holland, Director of Operations and Engagement

Club Officers

President
Robin Calfee

President Elect
Brad Martens

Treasurer
Kelly Gilbert

Secretary
Dell Epperson

Immediate Past President
Amy Schneider

Date	Invocation and Pledge	Greeter	Quote
12/4/20	Why isn't it You	No Greeter	???
12/11/20	???	No Greeter	???

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/4090C4BA8AF2FA7F85-weekly

We really-really need those signups.

Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

Note from the Pres

To my Rotary Family,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving. My girls and I rang bells on Saturday, and it was really fun. It was really surprising to see just how generous folks were even in this pandemic environment. The weather was cool, but the sun was out which really made the day pleasant. If you have not signed up to volunteer, please consider doing so for 1 hour as it is a great opportunity to give back to our community. Our Club has really stepped up with the bell ringing and I want to also congratulate the Poinsettia committee for their outstanding fundraising campaign. The club did a fantastic job selling a LOT of plants virtually which was a challenge and while we did not raise as much as last year, we came pretty darn close. I'm proud to say our Club is "Da Bomb" and let's keep up the great work.

Next up is the Christmas Holiday so let's think about how our Club wants to serve the community. I welcome ideas. I look forward to seeing everyone this week!

Regards,

Robin

RI vision statement:

"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves."

Giving Tuesday

Giving Tuesday is December 1 this year, consider making a gift to the Foundation on Giving Tuesday



Rotary Officers and Board of Directors

Here is the proposed slate for Rotary officers and board of directors for the 2021-2022 Rotary year beginning July 1, 2021. The Club will vote in December

Officer Description	Current RY 2021-2022 Members
President	Brad Martens
President-Elect	Dell Epperson
Club Secretary	Randy <u>Thoroughman</u>
Club Treasurer	Kelly Gilbert
Current Board Members	Board Member Seats Expiring June 2022
	Susan McKarns Curtis <u>Varns</u>
	Board Member Seats Expiring June 2023
	Bill <u>Kollars</u> Patrick Lee Rebecca Nowlin
	Board Member (Elect) Seats Expiring June 2024
	B. J. Hunter Carey <u>Ruckberg Jones</u> Teri Walden

Red Kettle Bell Ringing



Now that the turkey and trimmings are a dim memory, it's time to get serious about the unprecedented needs of this Christmas season. Our club's support of the Salvation Army Red Kettle campaign really does make a difference: volunteer ringers are in short supply, and paid ringers, too, are scarce and cost the Salvation Army a significant portion of the proceeds just for reimbursements. We have three weekends under our belts, and

the response by South Rotarians has been really gratifying.

But the remaining three weekends desperately need filling. As of this morning (Monday) our Friday, December 4, roster needs ringers in every slot with only a single signup so far. We need Rotarians to step up on Saturday for 1-2, 2-3, 3-4, 4-5, 5-6, 6-7, and 7-8 p.m. That's a lot of volunteers, but we have a hundred Rotarians and only a relative handful have already participated—many more than once. Every hour is an attendance makeup and engagement credit for the club.

To review upcoming signups, open your browser and paste the following link into it:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c4ba8af2fa7f85-columbia>

Remember, we are now back to Schnucks from now on. See you there! Merry Christmas



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If you haven't already seen it, check out this video from the Salvation Army. It has great information regarding pandemic guidelines. Either of these links will open an MP-4 online video:

<https://f.io/ktqaXUbq> or

<https://app.frame.io/presentations/4c27ca56-4f72-4970-863c-0ea64178c343>

Here is the Team:

12/04/2020 (Fri. 4:00PM - 8:00PM) - Schnuck's			
4PM (2)	Name: Kee Groshong Groshong	Email: groshongk@missouri.edu	Phone: 573-999-0388
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
5 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
6 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
7 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:

We have some holes:

12/05/2020 (Sat. 10:00AM - 8:00PM) - Schnunck's			
10 AM (2)	Name: Harry Beckett	Email: h2beck@yahoo.com	Phone: 4178886775
	Name: Teri Walden	Email: woodswalden@gmail.com	Phone: 5732280218
11 AM (2)	Name: Patrick Lee (2)	Email: leenpatrick@aol.com	Phone: 6364872203
12 Noon (2)	Name: Lon Brockmeier	Email: lon.brockmeier@raymondjames.com	Phone: 5737770779
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
1 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
2 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
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3 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
4 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
5 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
6 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:
7 PM (2)	Name:	Email:	Phone:
	Name:	Email:	Phone:



Giving blood is a simple thing to do, but it can make a big difference in the lives of others. Make a blood donation appointment with the American Red Cross today.

Columbia Donation Center. Get Directions. 1511 S. Providence Rd. Columbia, MO 65203. Phone: 1-800-RED CROSS.

Rotary for Life

Our interest in working with Organ Donations began with the late Tom Thomas, our club's charter president and recipient of a donated heart at St. Luke's.

Columbia Rotary South has carried the local education and awareness effort forward since Tom died in 2016

It's Poinsettia Season: Pick-Up Info



Poinsettia Pick up location

The former US Rents building at
1600 Old 63 South,
 on the SE corner of Stadium and Old 63.

Pick-up times

Thursday and Friday Dec 3 & 4
 From 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM

For a hands free pick up text or call 573-356-8786
 and we will bring your order to your car.



For Questions Call: Bob Smith 573-356-8786

2020 Poinsettia Site & Delivery Volunteer Work List				
Site Location: 1600 Old 63 South				
Work Task Assignments	Tuesday Dec. 1	Wednesday Dec. 2	Thursday Dec. 3	Friday Dec. 4
Unload Truck / Stage Orders / Load Deliveries and pickups / make calls for pick up orders	Joe Weston (2-5)	Joe Weston (10-6)	Joe Weston (10-6)	Joe Weston (10-6)
	Bob Smith (2-5)	Bob Smith (11-6)	Bob Smith (11-6)	Bob Smith (11-6)
	Patrick Lee (2-5)	Patrick Lee (10-4)	Patrick Lee (10-6)	Patrick Lee (10-6)
	Mike Happ (2-5)	Mike Happ	Mike Happ	Eric Lorenz (10-5)
	Eric Lorenz (2-5)	Eric Lorenz (10-5)	Eric Lorenz (10-5)	Brad Miller (2-6)
		Rebecca Johnson (10-2)	Brian Harrison (1-5)	
		Verlin Beam (10-2)		
Make Deliveries		Bill Kollars (11-4)	Rebecca Johnson (10-2)	Greg Jones (11-4)
		Ted Groshon (12-4)	Harry Beckett (10-2)	
		Bill Boston (1-4)	Dell Epperson (10-2)	
		Teri Walden (2-4)	Bill Kollars (11-4)	
		Curtiss Hartley (2-6)	Curtiss Hartley (11-4)	
		Tom Boren (3:30-6)	Teri Walden (1-4)	

We are accepting volunteers for offloading, Contact Patrick Lee to Volunteer

Mobility Worldwide and Columbia Rotaract Amazing

Hey Everyone! Mobility Worldwide and Columbia Rotaract team have finished our 2020 Craft Beer and Carts wrap up!

It's OFFICIAL! We raised and donated \$19,160 to Mobility Worldwide! All but \$200 of it has been delivered! We increased our fundraiser this year by a total of more than 47% gross! We didn't have an event this year, so we weren't able to raise money the day of, like last year, but because we didn't have a day of event there were no expenses! Last year we raised a net of \$10,350. So, our net donation to Mobility worldwide increased by \$8,810 or an increase of 88%.

Just in a two-year mark we have come from making an awesome \$1,900 impact to MWW and BGC, to an outstanding \$19,160 at this year's event! That's a 1000% return on our 2-year effort! That's \$29,510 over 2 events!!!

Register for the 2021 Rotary Convention

Feel the Energy in Taipei. Experience the energy of Rotary like never before in a city filled with tradition and infused with ingenuity. Join us at the 2021 Rotary International Convention in Taipei, Taiwan, 12-16 June.

Family of Rotary

Bill Regan is back in Columbia and working on becoming self-sufficient.

He is living at 3850 Bethel Rd Apt 101 in Building 2 (West Bldg). You can contact him at 573-476-3400

He does need some transportation support.

If you are in a position to assist Bill, give him a call.

Make sure that you take credit for your support by recording Engagement in DACdb



Interact

Take action, build international understanding, and make new friends around the world.

Interact clubs bring together young people ages 12-18 to develop leadership skills while discovering the power of **Service Above Self**. Find out how serious leadership can be seriously fun.

President: Shruti Gautam

For more information: Contact us

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<http://columbiarotarysouth.org/interact-at-rockbridge/>

Member Orientation

We ask new members to do the following: How many have you done?

Be a Greeter; Give your Classification Talk; Attend a Board Meeting

Attend a Committee Meeting and Join One; Make up at another Rotary meeting

Invite a guest to Rotary; Attend a Fellowship event; Participate in a Club Service Project;

Attend a District Seminar or Conference; Get involved and enjoy Rotary

Interested in becoming a mentor for a new member. Contact Glen Erhardt or Joe Weston

Four Way Test

The Four-Way Test

OF THE THINGS we think, say, or do:

- 1) Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2) Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4) Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?