





### Brochure Attached

### 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."

### Clean Up Columbia

Thinking of "Spring Cleaning"? Think Big! During the month of April, volunteers (Rotarians) can work with Volunteer Columbia to pick up trash along a street, stream or trail or in a City park. No matter if you do it with another group or as a family or individually, be sure to send in your date, hours and list of who participated (family and friends) to Columbia South Secretary Dell Epperson to receive credit for your service hours AND a Make-up!

### Rotarian of the Year

Do you have a candidate for the Rotarian of the Year? Someone who has exemplified "Service Above Self" your nomination to Susan McKarns. [McKarnsS@health.missouri.edu](mailto:McKarnsS@health.missouri.edu)

### Show your Rotary Colors!

Wear a Columbia South Rotary t-shirt with pride. Only a few left, in sizes Large (1), Medium (1) and XL (2). \$15 each. Contact Dell Epperson to get yours today.



### 2021 Rotary Convention

#### Rotary Opens Opportunities

The Rotary International Convention, scheduled for 12-16 June 2021, in Taipei, Taiwan, will now be a virtual event in response to the ongoing threat of COVID-19.

Registration is open! Don't miss your chance to connect with Rotary members at the [2021 Virtual Convention: Rotary Opens Opportunities](#) which will take place from 12 through 16 June 2021.

Enjoy a special rate of \$49 through 7 May 2021. After that, the registration fee is \$65.

## Country Club of Missouri (CCMO)

1) CCMO has published social distancing guidelines. These include masks (except when eating), distance between attendees, and servers at the buffet lines.

2) Two options for payment will be:

a) pay in advance (\$11 per breakfast, \$3 Coffee Only),  
which the Treasurer will track for remaining balance.

b) pay in arrears, with the Treasurer billing periodically (probably monthly).

There will be no collections at the door. Those with credits remaining from previous payments will be debited accordingly. Information on balances will be posted in DACdb "Club Files/Secure Files". Some now should be sending checks for meals to the Treasurer.

Checks should be sent to Kelly Gilbert at  
Columbia South Treasurer  
PO Box 1699  
Columbia, MO 65205

## Rotary Youth Leadership Award Academy

We have fantastic news! RYLA 2021 is confirmed! We have some information that we need you to take note of so that we can assure our students and families have the best information possible!

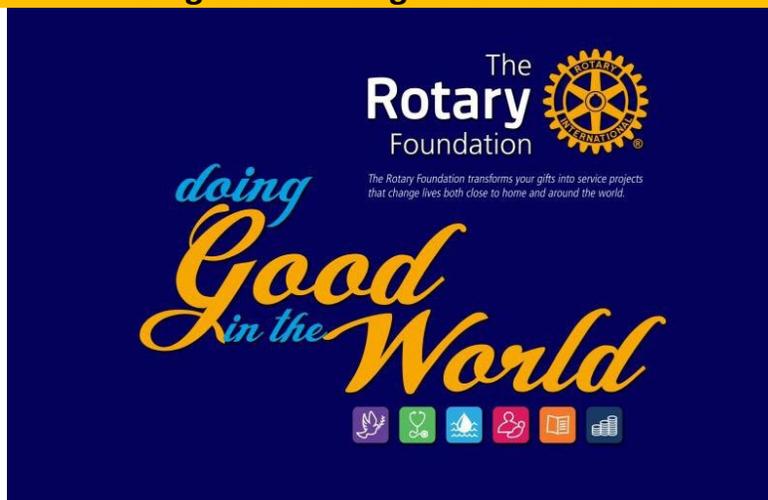
Most importantly, a VENUE CHANGE. This year, we will be holding RYLA at the University of Central Missouri in Warrensburg! Covid protocols are strictly in place, in compliance with the CDC, UCM, Rotary International and RYLA. We have extended the registration deadline to May 31st, 2021!

Our club will now accept applications from students who will be entering their sophomore or junior year in the 2021 - 22 school year. The RYLA organization is planning on having the academy in two separate occasions; June 27 - 30 and then on July 11 - 14, 2021.

Complete the application form and please submit to [ericjohnlorenz@gmail.com](mailto:ericjohnlorenz@gmail.com) prior to mid-May. The board will select two individuals to attend this leadership building event.

For more detailed information on RYLA, visit [www.missouriryala.com](http://www.missouriryala.com) or contact Eric at [ericjohnlorenz@gmail.com](mailto:ericjohnlorenz@gmail.com) or 573-823-9083.

## Doing Good through the World Fund



The Rotary Foundation World Fund enables Rotary members to act for lasting change in their communities and around the world. Last year, our Foundation funded 1,359 global grants totaling more than \$95 million. Since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, Rotarians have responded with hundreds of service projects to help our communities through this crisis. Our decades of efforts to eradicate polio helped lead the entire African region to be certified free of wild polio in August 2020.

## 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.

## Family of Rotary

Bill Regan is 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 can assist Bill, give him a call.

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



## Shrimp Boil



### LOW-COUNTRY BOIL FUNDRAISER

**MAY 2, 2021**

**3 - 7 P.M.**

**LOGBOAT BREWING**

**\$15 TO-GO MEALS  
(OVER ONE POUND OF FOOD)  
LIVE MUSIC**

**PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT ROTARY CLUB OF  
COLUMBIA'S CHARITABLE WORK**

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