



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

May 28, 2021

### This Week May 28

**MO Symphony Society**  
**Trent Rash, Executive Director**

### Next Meeting June 4

**City of Refuge**  
**Garrett Pearson**

### Youth Service Month

### Note from the Pres!

#### Club Officers

President  
Robin Calfee

President Elect  
Brad Martens

Treasurer  
Kelly Gilbert

Secretary  
Dell Epperson

Immediate Past President  
Amy Schneider

To my Rotary Family,

As we are winding down the month of May, I’m gearing up for my last month as your Club President. Attendance is slowly increasing week to week as we meet back at CCMO and I’m seeing faces I haven’t seen in a long time. This week our program will be from Trent Rash, Executive Director for the Missouri Symphony Society. Also, plan on attending the Annual Banquet set for June 24<sup>th</sup> for the end of the Rotary year celebration, and we have a lot of things to celebrate. Let’s get back to friendship and fellowship, I look forward to seeing more members this Friday!

Yours in Rotary service,

Robin

DATE	Invocation and Pledge	Greeter	Quote
5/28/2021	Mark Palmer	Joe Weston	Need a Volunteer
6/4/2021	Need a Volunteer	Need a Volunteer	Need a Volunteer

### Upcoming Events

**Rotary International Convention, scheduled for 12-16 June**  
**Club Annual Banquet for Thursday, June 24th**

### 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.”

### 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.

## DUES

Membership Dues for July-December 2021 are now being collected. **Semi Annual Dues are \$100.** If you do not plan to retain your membership in Rotary, please advise by June 15. Dues are due no later than July 1, 2021.

To renew, please make your check payable to Columbia South Rotary and return by mail to PO Box 1699  
Columbia, MO 65205. You may also use PayPal through the club

website: <http://columbiarotarysouth.org/new-dues-page/>.

## 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

## 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.

The registration fee is \$65.

## 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.



## 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.

## Volunteer at Food Bank

### Volunteers Needed as Food Bank Switches to Summer Hours

Every summer, The Food Bank sees a decrease in volunteers. This year, we need people to help break that trend so we can continue our operation without issues. To make that possible, the **Volunteer Room** will be adjusting our hours to be open on Mondays and serve earlier on Saturdays. And **Central Pantry** is introducing a new volunteer shift!

**Central Pantry** will now host a Hunger Hero shift! These shifts offer more flexibility and provide you with a chance to work on special projects that we usually do not have time for on a normal shift. Volunteers who sign up for a hunger hero shift will need to indicate the time they plan to come in. We ask that you serve for a minimum of one hour during this shift.

#### [Serve at Central Pantry during June \(1007 Big Bear Blvd.\)](#)

Volunteers will help check in shoppers, sort through food donations, pack food boxes, and help clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces. Volunteers at the Central Pantry will interact with shoppers.

Tuesday-Friday (10 volunteers per shift): 9:30-11:30 a.m.; 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.; 2-4 p.m.; and Hunger Hero shift (1-hour minimum from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.)

Saturday (10 volunteers per shift): 9:-11:30 a.m.; and 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

#### [Serve in the Volunteer Room during June \(2101 Vandiver Dr.\)](#)

Volunteers are needed to sort through food donations, repack and relabel food, and help assemble boxes of food.

Monday (35 volunteers per shift): 8:30-10:30 a.m.; 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; 1:30-3:30 p.m.; and 3:30-5 p.m.

Tuesday-Friday (35 volunteers per shift): 8:30-10:30 a.m.; 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; 1:30-3:30 p.m.; and 3:30-5:30 p.m.; \*5:30-7:30 p.m. available upon request.\*

Saturday (35 volunteers per shift): 8:30-11:30 a.m.; and 12:30-2:30 p.m.

## 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.

## 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?