



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

December 31, 2021

Next Meeting Jan 7

**Columbia Golf Foundation
John Weston**

Next Meeting Jan 14

TBD

Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

Note from the Pres!

Fellow Rotarians,

Wishing everyone a Safe & Happy New Year!

No YOURPIE or club meeting this week due to Holidays.

Please consider taking a few minutes to pay your Rotary dues prior to end of year – we have to update membership to Rotary International before 12/31.

Brad

DATE	Invocation and Pledge	Greeter	Quote
1/7/2022	Susan McKarns	Susan McKarns	Susan McKarns
1/14/2022	Volunteer Needed	Patrick Lee	Steven McBee

Welcome our newest member Chris Adejo



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."

Salvation Army Support



We did a great job. Thanks to All.



Poinsettias



A note from Mel West

RAYMOND

*PLEASE EXPRESS OUR DEEP GRATITUDE
FOR THE LOVELY PLANT WHICH GRACES OUR
FRONT WINDOW.*

*WHEN VISITORS EXCLAIM "WHERE DID
YOU GET THAT LOVELY POINSETTIA?" - I AM
PROUD TO SAY, "FROM MY ROTARY CLUB!"*

BEST WISHES TO ALL IN 2022.

IN HIS LOVE, PEACE & GRACE -

Mel & Barbara West

CHECK PRESENTATION TO VAC

On Dec 16, a check was presented to the Voluntary Action Center for \$2,094 raised during our "pass the hat" a few weeks back.



2022 Rotary International Convention 4-8 June



Columbia South has again requested an Exhibition Space in House of Friendship For Mobility Worldwide to promote the Gift of Mobility for all people in need.

New Officers and Board Members for Rotary Year 2022-2023

President: Dell Epperson

President-elect: Randy Thoroughman

Club Secretary: Teri Walden

Club Treasurer: Kelly Gilbert

Board of Directors Seat Expiring 2023: Bill Kollars, Patrick Lee, Rebecca Nowlin

Board of Directors Seat Expiring 2024: BJ Hunter, Carey Jones, Bruce Young

Board of Directors Seat Expiring 2025: Curtis Varns, Harry Beckett, Beth Thompson



Global health experts and Rotary polio eradication leaders delivered encouraging news on World Polio Day in the 2021 global update, “Delivering on Our Promise of a Polio-Free World.” With historically low numbers of wild poliovirus cases reported in Afghanistan and Pakistan in 2021, Dr. Hamid Jafari, director of polio eradication for the World Health Organization’s Eastern Mediterranean Region, noted that we have an excellent opportunity to intensify our eradication efforts and stop transmission of polio in the two last countries where it is endemic.

The Food Bank for Central & Northeast MO



The New Year is just around the corner! As we prepare for 2022, we want to encourage you to continue to serve your community. Many experiencing food insecurity now will continue to need resources in the New Year, so The Food Bank needs continued support at Central Pantry and in our Volunteer Room to address those needs. Sign up to volunteer with us in January using the links below:

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

Volunteers sort through food donations, prepare products for distribution and clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces. [Volunteers at Central Pantry interact with shoppers.](#)

- Tuesday-Friday (8 volunteers per shift): 9:30-11:30 a.m.; 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.; 2-4 p.m.
- Saturday (8 volunteers per shift): 9:30-11:30 a.m.; and 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.
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[Serve in the Volunteer Room](#) (2101 Vandiver Dr.)

Volunteers sort through food donations, repack and relabel food and assemble boxes of food, including VIP Veteran Boxes, Senior Boxes and Produce Boxes.

- Monday (50 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.
- Tuesday-Friday (50 volunteers per shift): 8:30-10:30 a.m.; 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; 1:30-3:30 p.m.; 3:30-5:30 p.m.; and 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Saturday (50 volunteers per shift): 8:30-10:30 a.m.; 11 a.m.-1 p.m.; and 1-3 p.m.

Family of Rotary

Prayers for Gary Tatlow

Fellow Rotarian Gary Tatlow had a procedure at Boone Hospital. He joined us via Zoom for our Christmas Party and is looking over the Tiger. Please keep Gary in your thoughts & prayers to provide strength and healing for a speedy recovery.

Bill Regan

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.



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.

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?**