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## The Leawood Lowdown - Week of May 14th

*"I slept and dreamt that life was joy. I awoke and saw that life was service. I acted and behold, service was joy."* Rabindranath Tagore

### In the News This Week

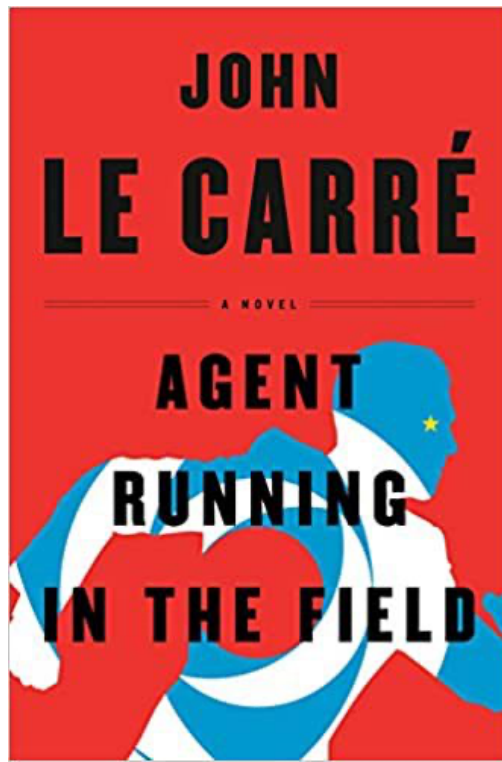
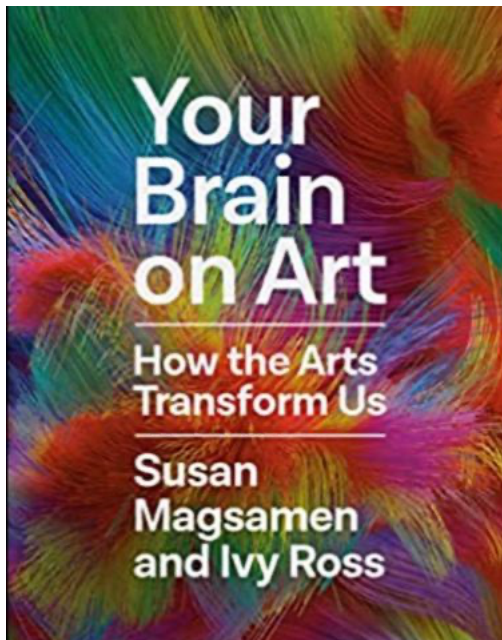
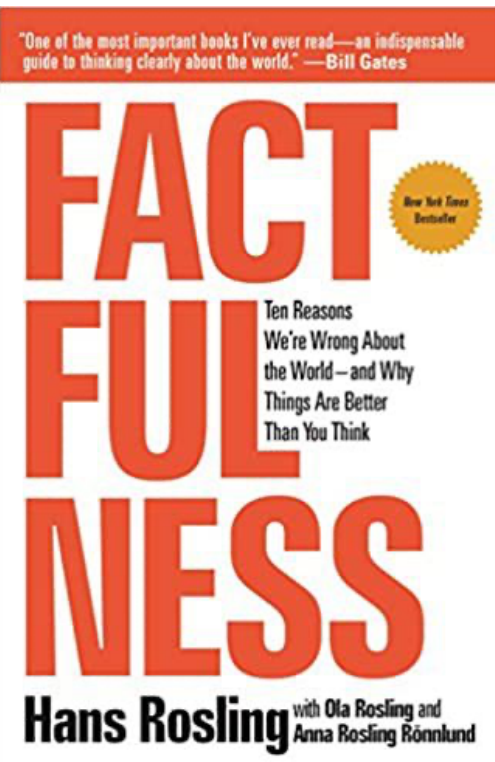
Talk about fun...this week was a blast. At Thursday's meeting, we heard an update on Tusonge Children's Ministries from Bill and Kathy Musgrave. *Tusonge* means "moving forward" in the Ugandan language.

Afterward, Lisa Harrison coordinated a book "show-and-tell." Members shared stories about their favorite books and we all got an opportunity to add some gems to the list. Lisa, we must do this again! Here are three with the best ratings!

I have also included a picture proving that Rotarians are everywhere - does anyone remember who this fellow is? We now serve together on the same Board of Directors! Small world...

Last but not least, Rotarians were spotted in the woods volunteering their time cleaning up at Youth Camp. Love the hat, Lisa!

[Learn More About Tusonge](#)



### Other News and Upcoming Events

- It's hard to believe the Rotary year is almost over! With one month left and our **Annual Dinner coming up on Jun 15th**, we need to get your vote for the Club Champion Award. Send your votes to Chuck by clicking here => [Chuck Sipple](#).
- Unite KC is hosting its annual "Walk For Unity." Let's all show up on June 10th. Register for the walk at this [link](#).
- The next Wine Affinity Group meeting will be Wednesday, May 24th, at 5:30 PM. Mary and John Reed will host the meeting at their home, and the wine theme will be red and white wines from any country touching the Mediterranean Sea. The Reed's address is 12357 Long St, Overland Park, KS. [RSVP here](#) to [Rick Robinson](#).
- Ray's Restaurant Review (RRR) - Tanin Wine Bar and Kitchen. Ok, I know you all have been everywhere, but you **MUST** go here if you want to call yourself a Kansas Citian, a foodie, and a Leawood Rotarian! This place has an exclusive and eclectic choice of wines and a chef who specializes on a scaled down menu of DELIGHTFUL entrees. It normally opens at 4:00pm during the week, and 2:00pm on the weekends. Perfect place to take out of town family and guests, or to impress clients.



**May 25th is our Monthly Board Meeting.**  
**The next hybrid meeting at Hereford House is Thursday, June 1st.**

DATE	SPEAKER	INVOCATION	VOCATIONAL	GREETERS ALL MONTH	TECH CREW
May 25	Monthly Board Meeting	N/A	N/A	Stephen B, John B, Leigh B, Kathy D, Scott E	N/A
June 1	Hold for Just Like You Films (Betty) (Stu S)	S Nyland		Phil G, Mel H, Rob H, Mary H, Ray or Lorna J	Andrew Catherswood
June 8	Hold for Just Like You Films (Betty) (Stu S)	R Pemberton		Phil G, Mel H, Rob H, Mary H, Ray or Lorna J	Sara Nyland
June 15	(c) FBI guy (Kurt)	S Powell		Phil G, Mel H, Rob H, Mary H, Ray or Lorna J	David Bell
June 22	Monthly Board Meeting	N/A	N/A	Phil G, Mel H, Rob H, Mary H, Ray or Lorna J	N/A
June 29	5 <sup>th</sup> Thursday—No Meeting	N/A	N/A	Phil G, Mel H, Rob H, Mary H, Ray or Lorna J	N/A

### Rotarian in the Spotlight! Roxann Kerr Lindsey

Here are some facts about Roxann:

- Roxann is a Vice President at CBIZ Benefits and Insurance Services where she specializes in Employee Benefit Consulting.
- Roxann attended the University of Northern Iowa and the finest school in the nation, Kansas University (School of Business)!!!
- Here is a nice tidbit - Roxann is a past president of the Leawood Rotary and actually **wore a tiara during her coronation**. I think every new president should follow suit!
- Roxann has a dashing husband, two wonderful daughters, and graduated from John R Mott High School back in...(I'll never tell!)



[Connect with Roxann](#)

Roxann has been a faithful member of Rotary for a number of years and we are fortunate to have her in the club!



### ZOOM ACCESS

Can't make it to the in-person meetings? Join Via ZOOM and keep up to date!

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