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Leawood Rotary



The Leawood Lowdown - Week of July 9th

"The purpose of human life is to serve, and to show compassion and the will to help others." – Albert Schweitzer

Corrected Copy - See the section, "Guess Who's Coming to Breakfast" - I updated the speaker information. You can always do one more review before hitting "SEND"!!

In the News This Week

Chief Collin Fitzgerald & Justin Ducey (Fire Marshal) from the Leawood Fire Dept & Intern program treated Leawood Rotarians to a *"very comprehensive"* and exciting presentation from the Leawood Fire Department.

The LFD provides a dizzying array of services to the community, including CPR, AED, First Aid training, and Home Fire Safety (they will make an on-site visit). They will even do truck visits to your block party or event!

The Fire Department also assists families with installing their car seats - they have certified car seat installation technicians on each shift that are happy to help!



Community Public Service Offerings

CPR, AED & First Aid Training
Leawood Fire Department offers CPR, AED, and First Aid training to the community. Training is available for individuals, groups, and businesses. Contact: 913-266-0009

Home Fire Safety
Leawood Fire Department offers home fire safety inspections and smoke detector installation. Contact: 913-266-0009

Child & Infant Car/Booster Seats
Leawood Fire Department offers child and infant car/booster seat inspections and installation. Contact: 913-266-0009

First-Aid
Leawood Fire Department offers first-aid training to the community. Contact: 913-266-0009

Tools, Tents, & More
Leawood Fire Department offers tools, tents, and more for community events. Contact: 913-266-0009

Leawood Community Connect

Register, Manage, and Update Your Profile Today

1 Create an account
Sign in for free and get started today.

2 Enter the info that matters most
Enter valuable information that can help in an emergency.

3 Help your fire department
That's a job that's never-ending.

WHAT KINDS OF INFORMATION CAN I PROVIDE?
Personal information, emergency contact information, medical information, and more.

HOW SECURE IS MY DATA AND HOW IS IT USED?
Your data is secure and only used for the purpose of helping you during an emergency situation.

Other News and Upcoming Events

- The International Committee meets on **Jul 13th**.
- Leawood Chamber Young Professionals (ages 21 - 39) meet on **Jul 27th** from 4-5 pm.
- We have an E-Recycling Event on **Jul 29th**.
- TEAM Rotary Training will be held in Lawrence on **Aug 19th**.
- The Labor Day Run is on **Sep 5th** - be sure to donate, run, or do both!
- Our club is the Title Sponsor for the 1st Annual Project Cure Pickleball Tournament on **Jul 30th** at Chicken and Pickle on 135th from 4-7 pm. As the Title Sponsor, we get to enter a two-person team in the tournament. Thirty-six teams will make up the tournament field in this tournament. There will not be any skill classifications or levels.
- Ray's Restaurant Review (RRR) - Nordstrom Marketplace Café @ Oak Park Mall - How can any restaurant with the word "Café" in its name be worth a review? Fasten your seatbelts if you've never been, the café is rated 4.4 stars, and the food and atmosphere are first-class! My favorite is the Ginger Sesame Salad (you have many proteins to choose from), and you should consider adding the Roma Tomato Basil Soup to any meal. I also highly recommend the Spicy Wild Shrimp Pomodoro, the Chicken Lemon Pesto Gnocchi, and the Penne Bolognese & Meatballs. BTW, they have the best \$20 cheeseburger around. Stop in and get a workout at Pneuma Pilates (Lorna's business) before or after lunch - it's right next door!

Join Us for the 1st Annual Pickleball Tournament Supporting Project C.U.R.E. | Franciscan Mission Warehouse

July 30, 2023, 4-7 p.m.
Chicken N Pickle - Overland Park

1st Annual Project C.U.R.E. Pickleball Tournament

Register Your Team
Team of 2 Players
\$50 Entry Fee
Guaranteed 3 games
Prizes

Event Schedule
3:30-4pm Warm Ups
4-5:30pm Round Robin
5:30-7pm Single Elimination

Fun for the Whole Family
Games
Yard Games
Face Painting

Who Are We?
Project C.U.R.E. | Franciscan Mission Warehouse is the world's largest distributor of donated medical supplies equipment and services to doctors and nurses serving the sick and dying in 135 countries.

Learn more at projectcure.org

Nordstrom Marketplace Café

Guess Who's Coming to Breakfast?

The next hybrid meeting at Hereford House is **Thursday, July 20th**
Greeters for July are: Del K, Lisa K, Roxann K-L, Tom K, Arlene or Ed L



July 20th

Speaker: Jose Leon - JoCo Tomahawk Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility



July 27th

Speaker: None Monthly Board Meeting (All are invited)

Rotarian of the Week - Gary Bussing

Gary (who slightly favors Alan Alda) has been a Leawood Rotarian since September of 2000.

Did you know that Gary did a stint in the US Navy from 1973 - 1976? Thank you for serving your country and supporting our way of life in the US!

Before retiring in 2021, Gary spent nearly half a century working with finances and currently counts, collects, and passes out Leawood Rotary's funds.

Gary, thank you for volunteering to do this vital work for the club - I can't imagine where we'd be without you guarding the gates of Leawood Rotary's financial spire!



Connect with Gary



ZOOM ACCESS

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

ALL Meetings are hybrid - being held in person and via Zoom. If you can't attend in person, [please join us on Thursdays at 7:15 am.](#)

Meeting ID: 813 1042 7816
Passcode: Rotary

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