

Rotary Club of Arlington



Hubcap

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In this edition: [Zoom Link](#), many big Rotary milestones, and more...

Kurt's Korner

By Kurt Bartley



Last week I shared some of our goals for the 2021-22 President's Citation. The first one is a goal of ten additional members for the year, going from 141 to 151. With your support and leadership, we can do this. And this week especially, congratulations to our first new member. Join me in welcoming Jeanne DeKyne to the Rotary Club of Arlington.

In addition, we can work together on the goal of having fifteen members participate in leadership development programs or activities. Our prime opportunity is the Vibrant Club Workshop on August 14th in Abilene. Regardless of your interest area, you will not only learn some great things about Rotary, you will be guaranteed to meet some new Rotarians from District 5790 and have a FUN time! Please contact Joyce Stanton (jstanton@dterry.com or 817-437-3932) for registration and travel information. Remember, your registration of \$25 will be reimbursed upon your attendance. Come join me, Peter Scott, Randy Hendricks, Victoria Farrar-Myers, Joyce Stanton, Sally Hopper, Scott Hendricks, and others for a day of learning and camaraderie!

As for our new member goal, Rotary International President Shekhar Mehta promotes, "Each one, bring one!"

-Kurt Bartley,
President, 2021-22

THIS WEEK AT ROTARY



Karin Morris

"Texas Rangers Foundation"

August 5 [Dr. Kimberly Mayer](#) Center for Entrepreneurship & Economic Innovation, UTA

August 12 [RYLA Participants](#) Leadership Camp 2021

IT HAPPENED LAST THURSDAY

By Heather Kipker

The Rotary Club of Arlington meeting held on July 22nd was called to order by President, Kurt Bartley. Heather Kipker opened the meeting up with prayer, reciting of the "Pledge of Allegiance" and "God Bless America." Heather also welcomed our guests, Ken Cox & Kyle Myers. We did not have any visiting Rotarians in attendance.

Clete McAlister announced on behalf of Arlington Field of Honor. They are still needing volunteers, sponsors and flags purchased. For more information, go to arlingtonfoh.org

Joyce Stanton encouraged Rotarians to attend the District Assembly on Saturday, August 14th in Abilene. There is a \$25 fee to register, however that cost will be reimbursed by the Club.

Vera McKissic is recruiting singers to add to singing rotation.

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Opportunity to Serve

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

FOOD DRIVE

Bowie Highschool Food Pantry



JULY 31ST
9AM TO NOON
BOWIE HIGH SCHOOL PARKING LOT
2101 Highbank Drive
ARLINGTON, TEXAS

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Sally Hopper wished a Happy Birthday to Mary Jean Moloney, Brian Anderson, Stephen Zimmer & Jennifer Cathcart. Sally also congratulated the following Rotarians on their anniversary; Carolyn Mebus, Konstantin Maslenikov & Graham Schadt – with 52 years of service!

President Elect Victoria Farrar Myers introduced the program, Jennifer Savage Hurley of Arlington Foodies. Jennifer is a 4th generation Arlington native, growing up in her grandparents Christian Book Center in downtown Arlington. Her grandfather, affectionately named Poppy became one of her biggest influences. Teaching her three powerful life skills; one, food is beautiful and spiritual. Two, helping others is essential and lastly, support small, local business.

Seven years ago, Jennifer recognized that Arlington's small business restaurants needed help. In 2016, Jennifer asked herself "How do you promote restaurants/small businesses" her response was in the form of 501c3 nonprofit organization, Arlington Foodies (Foodies). Foodies is a community designed to support local, small restaurants. Main goal is to build a better community, building relationships between restaurants, consumers and the community all while promoting positivity. Per Webster's Dictionary, Foodies is defined as a person who enjoys and cares about food very much, Jennifer assures everyone they take on the literal word!

Foodies hosts Swarm Events; per their website this is a "reward" system for the restaurant for whom we hold in high regard. With three types of Swarms; Value Swarm, Swarm Choice Award and Best of Swarm. Then they "blow up" their social media by leaving pictures and reviews. Foodies has also started a monthly Farmers Market held at Centennial Park; hosting up to 95 vendors.

Covid was hard on the service industry and as the service industry navigated the pandemic, Foodies stepped in beside them to support & encourage them. Foodies used their social media platforms to spread information on the small, local restaurants; which were open, which were offering curbside, take out, mask mandates, etc. Foodies also promoted family style restaurant packages that the restaurants offered to try to get them in front of more people.

"Arlington Foodies helps restaurants. They Helped

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President Kurt presents Webb library book to Jennifer Savage Hurley in appreciation for her presentation on Arlington Foodies.

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ZOOM LINK FOR OUR NEXT MEETING

Click This Link to Join Our Zoom Meeting

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spread the word during Covid and really helped us share our message. Randy Ford is definitely a fan of Arlington Foodies." Randy Ford of J. Gilligan's Bar and Grill.

Today, in 2021 Arlington Foodies is at 18.5k followers, a huge jump from their starting days of 3k followers. However, their goal is to become self-sustainable and become a Foodie Mecca! To learn more you can go to Arlingtonfoodie.com or find them on Facebook.

In closing President Kurt presented the book *Never Let a Dinosaur Scribble* to Jennifer that will be given to Webb Elementary.

Kris Landrith gave The Last Laugh.

President Elect Victoria Farrar-Myers announced next week's Program Karin Morris, Texas Rangers Foundation.

President Kurt recited this week's quote and then led Rotarians in the Four Way Test and we were adjourned. 🌞



BIRTHDAYS

Bob Cooke Birthday Fund

July 25 — July 31

July 27 Pat Conner

July 28 Barry Johnson

July 29 Mary Tom Curnutt

Our club has a tradition of writing birthday checks to the **Rotary Foundation** in the amount of the number years they are celebrating (or rounding it up a little higher if they chose). The gift sent to the **Rotary Foundation** goes into a pool that eventually funds our club grants and also earns you points toward your next Paul Harris pin. Checks can be mailed to Sally Hopper, 3409 Viscount Drive, Arlington, TX 76016. (Please note this is the **Rotary Foundation** not the Arlington Rotary Foundation. Thanks!)

Vibrant Club Workshop

[Click Here to Register](#)

EACH ONE BRING ONE



Congratulations

Rotarians celebrating their club anniversary of "Service Above Self."

Carey Walker **8 Years** **July 25, 2013**

Lynn Stavinoha **15 Years** **July 26, 2006**

Kris Landrith **32 Years** **July 27, 1989**

Bob Stoessel **44 Years** **July 28, 1977**

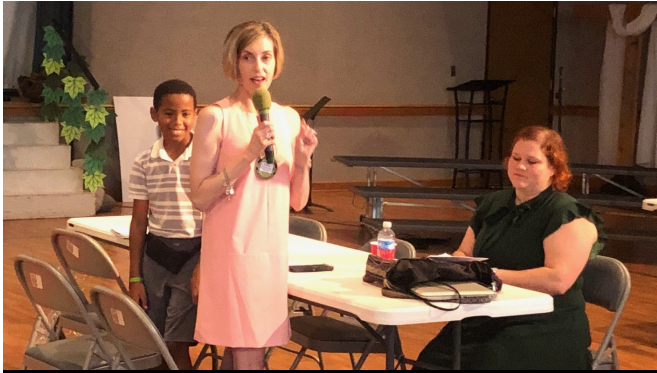
Jack Garbo **28 Years** **July 29, 1993**



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PE Victoria introduces her special guest, videographer, Kyle Myers.



Joyce Stanton gives important information to the club about the upcoming Vibrant Club Workshop on Saturday, August 14.



Just don't give up trying to do what you really want to do."

Ella Fitzgerald



Patriot Day this year, 9/11/2021, will mark 20 years since the September 11 attacks on our homeland.



Facebook: [Arlington Heroes Run by Joe Hall Roofing](#)

Website: [ArlingtonHeroesRun.com](#)



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