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THIS WEEK AT ROTARY . . . Monday, June 15, 2020

Progress Update onMain – Dayton's Imagination District

Speaker: Buddy LaChance

Buddy LaChance, President and CEO of onMain will join us to review the background of the long-term vision of onMain and the community-based discussions and milestones to date. He will also discuss the most recent progress at the site of the former fairgrounds and share updated renderings that will bring to life how the site will be developed for, and used by the region. Dayton Rotary members will be some of the first in the region to see these updated renderings.



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Rotary Calendar



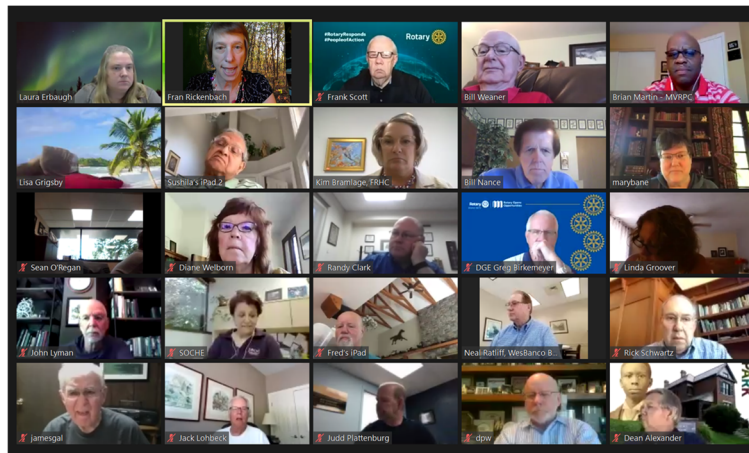
June 15	Buddy LaChance, onMain, Redeveloping The Former Fairgrounds into Dayton's "Imagination District"
June 18	Board of Directors Meeting 12 Noon
June 20-26	Rotary International Virtual Convention
June 22	Red Ribbon Take Over Meeting
June 29	Changing of the Guard
July 6	Andrew Shepherd, PhD, Sinclair Community College, Unmanned Aerial Systems
July 13	Dan Foley, Director of the Great Miami Riverway
July 20	Chris Dimmick, The Idea Collective
July 22	Foundation Trustees Meeting 4 PM
July 23	Board of Directors Meeting 12 Noon
July 27	Mike Parks, The Dayton Foundation
August 3	District Governor, Greg Birkemeyer

**PLEASE NOTE WE WILL
CONTINUE TO HOLD ZOOM
VIRTUAL MEETINGS EACH
MONDAY DURING JUNE
AT 12 NOON.**

This Happened Last Monday

President-Elect Brian Martin called the meeting to order at noon on June 8, 2020 with 70 Rotarians online. BIG NEWS – Brian married the lovely Jennifer last week in Centerville! Before turning it over to Bill Nance, Brian asked members to keep in mind the current strife and protests and think of our fellow man as we recite the 4-Way Test.

Bill Nance's invocation was on giving thanks – thanks that how we are treated or affected by others can help shape who we are in positive ways. A highlight of his news report was that younger Rotarians in Scotland made special efforts to help older Rotarians get groceries and other supplies during the pandemic. He related a story of a criminal with really bad luck – during a robbery he dropped his gun, his accomplice abandoned him when he had to stop to use an inhaler, and he got pulled over in his getaway car because he did not have his lights on. Makes you almost feel sorry for this crook!



Secretary Kim Bramlage welcomed visiting Rotarians and Mary Banes as a prospective new member. She announced that all in-person Rotary events are cancelled for the time being. This includes the banquet for the outgoing and incoming club presidents. However, golf is still on (who is really surprised by this?). Limited tee times so contact Jim Steen if interested. Reminder of the virtual breakfast on June 12th. It's BYOB (Breakfast). In-person mimosas and Bloody Marys will have to wait. Check your email for the invite and RSVP. Also, a reminder that the Red Ribbon Committee meeting is on June 11th via Zoom.

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Rotary International Theme 2019-2020



Sigrid Solomon
District Governor 6670
Rotary Club of Wilmington AM

The Mission of Rotary International

To support its member clubs in fulfilling the Object of Rotary by:

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and providing a system of international administration.

The Mission of Dayton Rotary

The Rotary Club of Dayton is a fellowship of diverse business and professional leaders who commit their time and talent to staying informed and serving the club, the community and the world.

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Jean Maychack	President
Brian Martin	President-Elect
Shaun Yu	Vice-President
Kim Bramlage	Secretary
Randy Domigan	Treasurer
Rick Wegmann	Immediate Past President
Frank Scott	Director (2020)
Glenn Costie	Director (2020)
Diane Farrell	Director (2021)
Becky Benná	Director (2021)
Walt Hibner	Director (2021)
Laura E. Erbaugh	Executive Director

Birthday Wishes



Rosemary Bradley
937-223-5311
June 15



Shannon Isom
937-461-5550
June 15



Katie Klain
937-258-3506
June 15



Nora Vondrell
937-371-1858
June 16



Lisa Coker
937-986-1555
June 21



Lois Elrich
937-673-6558
June 21

Rotary Book Club

Our next book is ***Final Exam* by Pauline Chen, a surgeon.** This book is recommended by Glenn Costie who heard the speaker talk when she came to Ohio Hospice. She addresses how difficult it is for a Dr. to lose a patient since it wasn't something she learned much about in Med School. Her Asian perspective is interesting and she helps families ask better questions around end of life.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July, 14, 2020. Looking ahead we don't know if we will be meeting in person or doing a Zoom call.

Meetings in 2020 are:
7/14/2020, 9/8/2020, 12/8/2020. Any questions please contact Susan Hayes at sm.hayes@me.com 937-750-7400



or

Foundation Contributions in the Bank

Shaun Yu
Kate Vriner
Darlene Langhout
Katie Klain
Sean O'Regan
Sue Taylor

Steve Naas
Gerry Chadwick
Cassie Barlow
Wendy Lewis
Sarah Hippensteel-Hall



Thank You!

This Happened Last Monday Continued

Greg Birkemeyer advised that the Rotary Virtual Convention will be held June 20-26. There is no cost to participate but you must register. Go to riconvention.org for more info.

Back to Secretary Kim for birthday announcements. Happy Birthday to Mary Campbell, Kathy Ponitz, and Fran Rickenbach, who has been in Rotary since 1993. Sean O'Regan, who runs Woodland Cemetery, is celebrating a birthday. Sean is apparently star struck, having somehow managed to meet many celebrities over the years despite living in Dayton and not Hollywood.

On to Day-10s. Fran Rickenbach gave a Day-100 in celebration of her birthday. Suren Singhvi gave a Day-35 in honor of his 35 years of service. Bill Nance gave a Day-21 in honor of the 21st anniversary of the 100-mile bike ride to benefit the Dayton Gospel Mission. Heath MacAlpine gave a Day-25 in honor of his wife and neighbor and all those protesting the death of George Floyd. Penny Wolf gave a Day-100 in honor of her Aunt Dottie who is celebrating her 100th birthday. Brian Martin gave a Day-100 to benefit special projects in honor of his wedding and his son's graduation from Northwestern.

President-Elect Martin advised that the District conference will be hosted in Dayton and we need volunteers to serve on a committee for that event. Contact Laura Erbaugh if you wish to help plan for that conference. Brian thanked Sue Taylor for hosting the virtual wine tasting last week. He also announced that the board received two district grants related to COVID-19. We have raised funds for the Dayton Public Schools to support their printing costs, meals, and masks for the kids and staff. Feel free to make a contribution to this very worthwhile, local cause. As Ohio continues to re-open, the board will be sending out a survey to members relating to the new normal for events.

Secretary Kim welcomed and thanked Rotarians who were online for the first time in a while. She introduced the guest speaker, Rajeev Bhansali, who she met in January in India. Rajeev joined his club in 2005 in Delhi, and he is a board member and director of his club's scholarship committee, among other service. He is President of Indlak Group, global strategic consultants and investors. They have offices in India and the U.S. Rajeev received his undergraduate degree from Miami University in Ohio and spends 3-4 months a year in Chicago. Rajeev explained that India is a completely different world. It is a country of contradictions – the very wealthy and tremendous poverty. The challenge is how to help those on the weaker side and raise their standard of living. A dollar goes a long way in India. For example, he donates \$100 a month for a student to attend an excellent school in Delhi. 85% of the population relies on agriculture. The projects for his Rotary are designed around improving the lives of the poor and encouraging them to think outside the box. His club – Delhi Midtown – is one of the oldest, dating back to 1975. Some of the projects they support are:

Clubfoot Disability Clinic- 50,000 children suffer from this a year. It costs \$1500 to treat.

Dakshinpuri Health Clinic – in practice since 1994, treats 15,000 patients a year with free services and medicine including x-rays, orthopedic, physiotherapy, and dental.

Mobile Dental Clinic – free services and treats 5,000+ patients per year

Education on Wheels – program to spread literacy

RCDM Diagnostic Center – implemented with \$190,000. All diagnostic services are available

Polio Corrective Surgery – a collaboration with St. Stephens Hospital. They support a full ward and state of the art equipment.

Other programs they support are distinguished service awards, scholarships to underprivileged children, scholarships for persons with disabilities, and special programs for the poor affected by COVID-19.

Rajeev introduced his club secretary, Yatin Wadhwana.

There are 1.3 billion people in India. This was an inspiring presentation on the impact an international club is having in the world.

RED RIBBON

FUNDRAISING PROJECT 2020



Help us donate **60,000** meals to the
Dayton VA Foodbank

Background on the Dayton VA Foodbank

- Ohio has the 6th largest population of Veterans in the Country, with the Dayton region being the 2nd largest population in the state
- largest need of Veterans in the region is **FOOD**
- started by our own Dayton Rotarian - Jill Dietrich - in 2018
- since opening, has served **3,686** families and **7,821** individuals
- over 44% of individuals served are over 60 years old

1. Monetary Gift (with potential company match) - **PREFERRED**

\$20 = 120 meals \$50 = 300 meals \$100 = 600 meals

- go to **www.thefoodbankdayton.org/donate** and contribute NOW!
 (be sure to click Dayton Rotary VA Foodbank Fundraiser)
- or bring your donation to the June 22nd Dayton Rotary meeting

Rotary International 2020 Virtual Convention

Sign Up for The Virtual Convention—The event is free and open to all members and participants of Rotary. Sign up now and invite a friend to connect with the family of Rotary. <https://www.riconvention.org/en>

General Sessions: Watch inspiring speakers, panelists, videos and entertainment and witness the power of Rotary connections. Celebrate our connection with speeches from Rotary International President Mark Maloney, Convention Chair Celia Giay, Foundation Trustee Chair-elect K.R. Ravindran, and Foundation Trustee Chair Gary C.K. Huang. Witness how the world of Rotary has come together in an unprecedented way during an unprecedented time. See how our Rotary family is connecting across the globe to support each other and the fight against COVID19, and find out how we can continue to support these efforts. Learn from an expert panel of global disease prevention and treatment and humanitarian aid organizations how lessons from the COVID-19 pandemic response can help strengthen our communities against similar events in the future. Honor those members impacted by and lost to COVID19 with a musical tribute.

Featured Breakout Sessions: Connect with the family of Rotary to discover inventive ways to engage, increase our ability to adapt, and learn new skills that will strengthen your club and community. Three sessions each day at 8 AM, 12 Noon and 6 PM (Chicago Time unless noted). For a list of session topics visit the RI Convention Site.

July Breakouts: Inspiring breakout sessions will continue into July, after the virtual convention, to help you start the Rotary year off right. For a list of sessions and timing visit the Ri Convention Site.

