



# The Serving Tray

Rotary Club of Kirksville -- Charter 371 -- District 6040

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**FLAGS:** Jeff Romine said flags should come down this Saturday, after Flag Day on Friday. We need to be careful in removal since the pole might be full of dirty water. We will have at least 475 flags for the Fourth of July, plus 10 more from Amanda Brand and possibly others.

**FIRST HOST FAMILY STILL NEEDED FOR THAI BOY.** Contact Annette <[acsweet12@gmail.com](mailto:acsweet12@gmail.com)>.

**KURT KLINGINSMITH'S BIRTHDAY IS JULY 10:** Ruth said she thought it was June 10. Still time to send him a card for his 50th birthday. His address is 34 Grim Drive in Kirksville.

**BOARD MEETING 6/13, 6:30 PM**

**MEMBERSHIP:** Ralph reported that he has three more in addition to the two noted today.



**NEMO FAIR VICE PRESIDENT RAYBURN SNELL** spoke about the NEMO Fair which runs from July 16-20 with paid admission. (There will be free admission on Monday June 15 for events beginning at 5 PM.) The fair features 4H and FFA exhibits (with over 100 kids participating last year), 20 food vendors, shopping, a carnival and “the best entertainment in northeast Missouri.” On Tuesday a full rodeo will be provided by Outlaw Rodeo at 7 PM. There will be a truck and tractor pull on Wednesday, July 17 at 7 PM. Entertainment on Thursday, July 18 at 8 PM will be Jordan Isakson, Friday, July 19th, Ned Ledoux at 8 PM and on Saturday, July 20, Gin Blossoms, featuring 90’s music with special guest Riker at 8 PM.

Matt Eichor, who is pictured above on the left, introduced the speaker. Matt said Rotary became involved in the NEMO Fair in the 50’s when it built barns for the NEMO Fair that operated in the Walmart area. Barns were later rededicated at the current NEMO fairgrounds. Rayburn said it will cost \$20,000 to put on the NEMO Fair this year. Rayburn encouraged us to attend the Fair!

For more information, visit [NEMOFAIR.NET](http://NEMOFAIR.NET), Facebook, or call 660-665-8800.

**50-50 Drawing:** Larry Whitney did not pull the ace of spades or joker; pot now up to \$1357.  
Happy Bucks: \$36

## Guests:

- Jackie Collett** (prospective member)
- Nate Fajkus** (prospective member)
- Ian Yost** (g/o Aron Barwick)
- Elsie. Gaber** (Thousand Hills club)

## Upcoming Programs:

- June 19:** President Melissa/Year in Review
- June 26:** **NO NOON MEETING - EVENING**  
INSTALLATION/5:30 PM/Rotary Park
- July 3:** Red White and Blue Festival Update
- July 10:** President Ruth’s Goals for the Year
- July 17:** Jason Scempp/Air Evac Program