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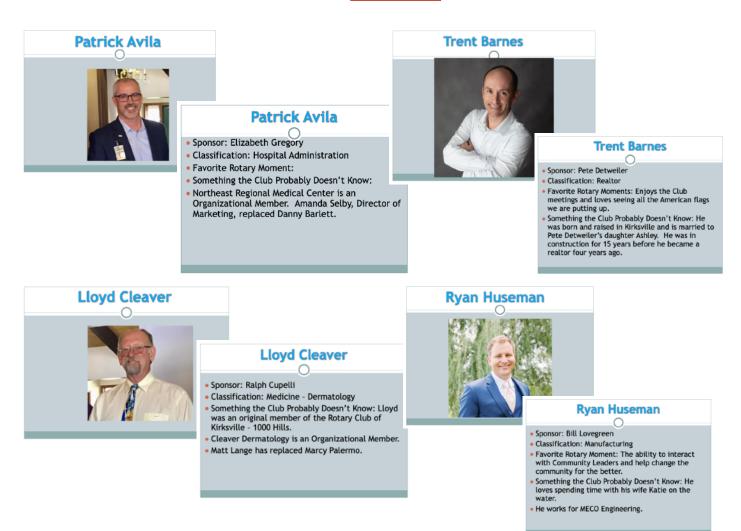
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ROTARY CLUB OF KIRKSVILLE SERVICE RECOGNITION 2023-2024

New Members



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50-50 Drawing: Kevin Butner did not pull the ace of spades; pot now at \$408. Happy Bucks: \$32

Guests:

Matt Lange (Cleaver Dermatology)
Angie Findling (prospective member)
Michele Lemmon (guest of Brett Lemmon)
Gina Shorten (guest of Chade Shorten)
Dane Riggenbach (guest of Stacie Riley)
Tyler Miller (prospective org. Member)

Upcoming Programs:

Sept. 25: Sara Williams/KHS Athletics

Oct 2: Classification Talks

Oct. 9: Club Assembly/Committee Reports
Oct 16: PDG Kent Shelman/Polio Plus

Oct. 23: Admin. Lori Guffey/Adair Co Health Dept.

Oct. 30: TBA; Nov. 6: DG Erik McGuire Club Visit

New Members (cont'd)

Brett Lemmon



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- Sponsor: Ruth Bowers
- Classification: Landscaping
- Favorite Rotary Moment: When he and his family attended the Soup Social. The food and fellowship were great and everyone was very welcoming.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Finished 7th out of 50 contestants in a national collegiate competition for backing up a trailer.
- He and wife Michelle are expecting their third daughter Lucy in two weeks!

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- Sponsor: Uyilawa Okhuaihesuyi
- Classification: Dental Academics
- Favorite Rotary Moment:
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know:

Stacie Riley



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- Sponsor: Jonna Lovenduski
- Classification: Banking
- Classification: banking Favorite Rotary Moments: Although she hasn't been a member very long she enjoys helping Randy set up the room and doing Bingo at the Whiskey Turkey Fest.

 Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: She has four children and eight grandchildren ages 3 months to 14 years old. She enjoys crafting and her new favorite is Sublimation.
- She is the Alliant Bank Organizational member.

Aaron Thomas



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- Sponsor: Elizabeth Gregory
 Classification: Clinic Nursing
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Drawing the winning card in the 50-50 drawing at his second meeting. Also likes networking with a great group of people.

 Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: He knows how to wakeboard, kneeboard, water ski and slatom ski. He grew up on Long Branch Lake every summer.
- Currently working twelve-hour Emergency Room shifts at the Scotland County Hospital.

Five Years

Kevin Butner



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- Sponsor: Ralph Cupelli
- Classification: Bank Executive
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Cooking hundreds of pounds of shrimp each October at the Rotary Club of Macon's Shrimp Fest.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Kevin's hobbies are boating, motor cycles, and collecting John Deere memorabilia.
- Kevin was a member of the Macon Rotary Club from 1999-2018. He and wife Mary, of 41 years, have two daughters, Rebecca and Rachelle.

Ernie Hughes

- Sponsor: Amanda Langendoerfer Brand
- Classification: Higher Education Fund
- Favorite Rotary Moment: When he became the President of the West End Rotary Club in Atlanta, Georgia.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: He loves history trivia.



Five Years (cont'd)

Marty Jayne O



Marty Jayne

- Sponsor: Matt Eichor
- Classification: Universities Justice Systems
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Sitting with his mother at a Rotary meeting while she talked about her memories of her father, a charter member of our club.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Marty's an Admissions Liaison Officer for the Air Force Academy. In that role he mentors high school students applying for admission to the Academy.
- Today is the United States Air Force's 77th Anniversary.

Jonna Lovenduski



Jonna Lovenduski

- Sponsor: Randy Smith
- · Classification: Banking
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Really enjoyed helping with Bingo at the NEMO Fair. It was fun watching everyone working together.
 She especially enjoyed watching new members working with older members to achieve a goal.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Thanks to Randy Smith she recently made her first tandem sky dive in Kansas City. She also moves furniture a lot.

Marie Murphree



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- Sponsor: Ralph Cupelli
- Classification: Business Services Non-Profit
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Her trip to the Rotary International Convention in Houston, Texas, in 2022. She really felt the power of Rotary there plus she
- made many new Rotary friends.

 Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: She used to write radio jingles.
- She has two daughters, Jackie 42 and Meredith 25.
 They talk almost daily.

Rodney Sadler



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- Sponsor: Ron Gaber
- Classification: City Government
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Annual Bell Ringing at HyVee with Larry Lamberson.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Rodney recently started coaching competitive Third Grade Girls Basketball.

Chade Shorten



Chade Shorten

- Sponsor: Ralph Cupelli
- Classification: Club Management
- Favorite Rotary Moment: When the United Way (UW) of Northeast Missouri hosted their annual celebration two years ago at the beginning of her UW Presidency the number of Rotarians who attended this event, in which our club was not featured, was outstanding. It showed how Rotarians show up for worthy causes in our community and live the ideal of Service Above Self. It was very special to have her club involved in showing what true service looks like.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: She was a delegate representing the 6th Missouri Congressional District at the Democratic National Convention participating in caucus meetings, press events and convention proceedings every evening.

15 Years

Erick Hanson

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- Sponsor: Annette Sweet
- Classification: Real Estate
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Hosting Victor Guillot, Rotary High School Exchange Student from France, during the 2013-14 school year.

Erick Hanson (con't)

Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: He and his wife Trish helped start Our Safe Harbor Church with friends in November 2020. They are based out of Franklin, TN, and he serves on the Board of Governors. They currently have viewership in all 50 states and over 35 countries.

20 Years



Randy Smith

- Sponsor: David Nichols
- · Classification: Universities Fine Arts
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 Favorite Rotary Moments: FINDING THE YELLOW

 WASHER! Also bringing new members into the Club,
 receiving the Ray Klinginsmith Distinguished Service
 Award and the Club's 100th Anniversary Celebration.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: He can adjust to any situation as he has moved 26 times, lived in 13 cities, and attended 10 public schools from kindergarten through 12th grade.

25 Years





Ruth Bowers

- Sponsor: Ralph Cupelli
- Classification: Real Estate Leasing
- Favorite Rotary Moment: When a polio survivor in South Korea got all excited when he saw our Rotary tour group. Our legacy is that we as Rotarians have so much impact on the lives of people we'll never meet.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: She was able to get out of taking a professional headshot until she was about 50 and then was tricked into taking this photo.

35 Years

Bill Lovegreen



Bill Lovegreen

- Sponsor: David Webster
- Classification: Automotive Dealer
- Favorite Rotary Moments: Social Committee Meetings. Bill was honored to receive the Ruby Green/Frank Baldwin Free Enterprise Award from the club in 2018.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Bill was three blocks from the White House on 9/11/2001 when the Twin Towers and Pentagon were hit by the jetliners.

40 Years

Ron Winkler



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- Classification: Communication Services
- Sponsor: Paul Collins
- Favorite Rotary Moment: Getting his son Tim a Paul Harris Fellow Recognition.
- Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: He is married to Rama Christ.



LARRY WHITNEY

Longest Serving Member 53 Years of Service (54 years on August 1)





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- Sponsor: Ralph Shain
- Classification: Real Estate
- Favorite Rotary Moments: Being Club President in 1974-75; attending the Rotary International (RI) Convention and Ray Klinginsmith's Coronation in New Orleans; Visiting Ray and Judie Klinginsmith at RI International Headquarters; and, Polio Plus Work.

Larry Whitney (Con't)

Something the Club Probably Doesn't Know: Larry was the club's Sergeant-at-Arms and Social Chairman for umpteen years. He was fired as Social Chair by Ray Klinginsmith for spending too much money.

Larry is married to Alta and has a son Mark in Kirksville and a son Mike in Scottsdale, Arizona. He has twin granddaughters.