

Cultivating Relationships and Community Through Service

WEEKLY UPDATE

June 30, 2025



CONGRATS!

Brittany and Brett Sweeney welcomed Declan David Sweeney into the world on June 24. He weighed a whopping 10 lbs 13 oz and was 21" tall. Congratulations to the Sweeney family.

THIS WEEK
Weds, July 2

NO MEETING

First Wednesday + Independence Day Holiday

NEXT WEEK
Weds, July 9



CLUB ASSEMBLY CHANGING OF THE GUARD

**LAST WEEK
Weds, June 25**

Robert Feeney
Ringorang, Knowledge as a Service



"From Silicon Valley to Wichita: Building a Business That Builds People"

Robert Feeney is the Chief Vision Officer of Ringorang and founder of Knowledge as a Service Inc. With a background spanning entertainment, education, and enterprise tech, Robert pioneered the patented behavior-change platform now deployed across 22+ U.S. states, Fortune 500 companies, and federal programs. His "gaming" technology is an online coaching platform emphasizing human skills and how we learn through repetition and positive reinforcement. The cell-phone app sends users 1-3 notifications daily asking them to respond to various challenge questions. It takes next-to-no-time to respond and provides positive reinforcement for desired behavior. He calls it a "coach in your pocket." Robert offered a sample for club members to try out. Click on the QR code to take you to the app. If interested in more information, contact Robert at robert.feeney@kaas.guru or (316) 889-3615.



APPLE PHONE



ANDROID PHONE

Also at last week's meeting ... Scholarship Recipients

East Wichita Rotary Foundation scholarship recipients shared their academic progress to date and their goals for tomorrow. Carlos Sosa (left) is a WSU Senior who spends most of his time at Shocker Studios where he is studying to be a video technician. He said he is his Fraternity's President and active on campus in several organizations. Veronica Quijada (2nd from left) is also studying at WSU. She indicated that she is currently a Sophomore on the fast-track to graduate in only 3 years. She is involved both in the community and on-campus as a volunteer. Hudson Cahill (center) has been studying at K-State but is transferring to Pittsburg State. This summer, he is working on an internship in Kansas City. The students are joined by EWRF President Denise Hearson and RCEW President Tom Church.



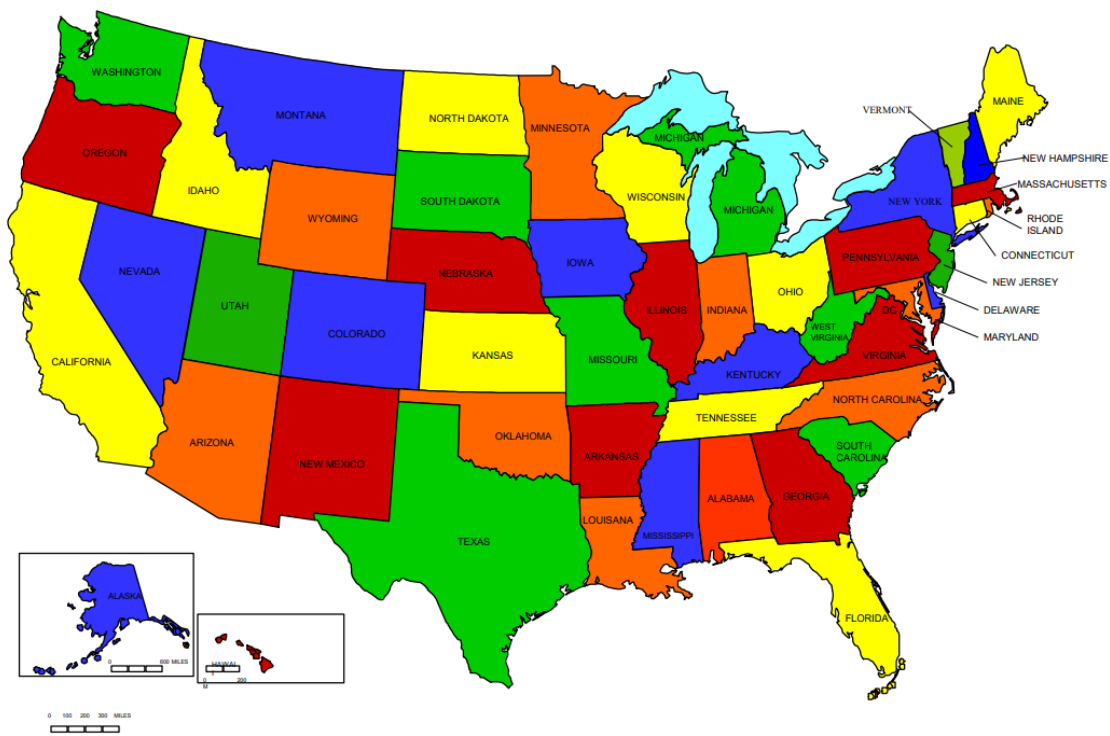
Save The Date!! SERVICE PROJECT

**Weds, August 6
Morning Time TBD**

Painting U.S. Map at Heartspring Playground

One of the more unique and fun service projects area clubs have participated in of late is painting U.S. maps on playgrounds at area schools. These maps then become a learning laboratory for students studying U.S. geography. We will utilize a template and have guidelines about how to manage the project. You'll just need to show up and be ready to paint. Plan on wearing clothes and shoes that you don't mind getting paint on. Older, responsible children are welcome to join the project and should be able to count it toward their own service projects. Please click the button below to email me your sign-up (tell me the total # in your volunteer party - spouse, kids, etc. - so I can get an accurate count), and be sure to put the date on your calendar.

**SIGN ME
UP**



UPCOMING EVENTS

July 2 - NO MEETING - 1st Wednesday and Independence Day Holiday

July 9 - CLUB ASSEMBLY - Changing of the Guard

July 16 - Adam Barlow-Thompson, Executive Director at The Neighboring Movement

July 23 - Gerald Norwood - "A Historical Look at African American Entrepreneurship in Wichita"

July 23 - BOARD MEETING - following membership luncheon

July 30 - SOCIAL - Details coming soon

August 6 - NO MEETING - 1st Wednesday

August 6 - SERVICE PROJECT - Heartspring - U.S. Map Painting at playground

August 13 - Michael Payne Jr, Medical Director at Robert A Dole VA Medical Center

August 20 - Ty Masterson, KS State Senator

For a longer list of scheduled meetings, click the "Visit Our Website" link below.

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Website

2025/2026 Club Calendar Released

Our President-Elect, Brittany Sweeney, has released the Club Calendar for the coming fiscal year July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026. Only a couple of the dates on the calendar are still tentative. So, download a copy for yourself and enter these dates into your daily planner. We hope to see you at each and every meeting.

Download



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NEEDS

Seeking New Club Members

Contact me to introduce your prospective members.

Email
Us

We Need Greeters & Inspirational Moment Leaders

Sign up at the entry table or click below.

[Sign-Up](#)

MILESTONES

(June 25-July 8, 2025)

Rotary Years Active

8 yrs - Michael Moeder

3 yrs - Scott Nelson

2 yrs - Andrew Prigmore

Member Birthdays

6/27 - Robin McGonigle

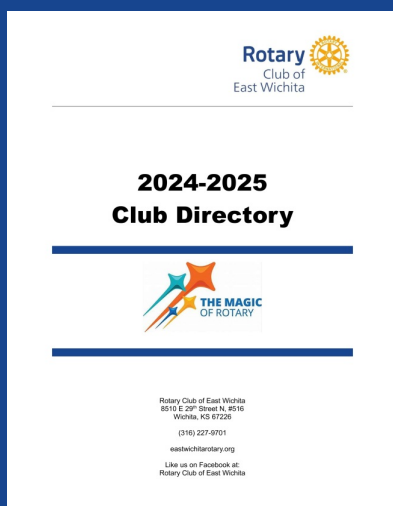
Wedding Anniversaries

48 yrs - Larry & Margy Hund

WEEKLY STATS

68 members

32 percent of our members attended last week's meeting



COMING SOON ... NEW CLUB DIRECTORY!

Please Update Your Profile Now!

I will be working on creating our new 2025-2026 Club Directory in the coming weeks.

Please ensure your member profile on Rotary.org is up-to-date. Or, complete and email back to me the form below.

[Download Profile Form](#)

Congratulations again to Brittany & Brett Sweeney on the birth of their new son!

Reminder ... we DO NOT meet this Wednesday due to it being first Wednesday and the week of our Independence Day holiday. Thus, our next meeting will be July 9 and will be our annual **Club Assembly** for *Changing of the Guard*. See you then.

Best,

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