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Leading the Way



This week's program: Hoarding Close to Home, presented by **John Tuttle, Business Development Coordinator** with **ServPro**. At today's meeting we'll hear about hoarding. Hoarding is the persistent difficulty discarding or parting with possessions, regardless of their actual value. The behavior usually has deleterious effects—emotional, physical, social, financial, and even legal—for a hoarder and family members. For those who hoard, the quantity of their collected items sets them apart from other people. Commonly hoarded items may be newspapers, magazines, paper and plastic bags, cardboard boxes, photographs, household supplies, food, and clothing. Hoarding is a disorder that may be present on its own or as a symptom of another disorder. Those most often associated with hoarding are obsessive-compulsive personality disorder (OCPD), obsessive-compulsive disorder (OCD), attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), and depression.

Tuttle will explain hoarding and the 5 different levels of hoarding, as well as landlord obligations and concerns, and how to get help for hoarders. The presentation will include graphic images of hoarding situations, and a question and answer period.

Next Meeting – August 2

Opening Bell – President Andy Stone

Welcome Table – Gary Powers

Invocation – Bill Logan

Song Leader – Don Chichester

Pledge of Allegiance – Sherry Dillon

Introduction of Guests – Gary Powers



Jerry Jones our Regional Trustee

Important Kiwanis Dates . . .

August 4, 2017 – CHIP Backpack shopping @ Clearbrook Walmart @ 9am

August 7, 2017 – Board of Directors meeting @ 1215pm @ Tanglewood Holiday Inn

August 8, 2017 – CHIP Backpack stuffing @ CHIP @ 5pm

August 9, 2017 – Blood Drive at St. John's Episcopal

August 15, 2017 – **Grant Applications Due**

September 16, 2017 – Kiwanis Bocce Ball Tournament fundraiser @ River's Edge Park, Team Registration @ 1030am; play begins at 11am. Cost is \$100 per 2 person team

September 30, 2017 – Key Club Division Meeting @ Roanoke Catholic School

Brag Bucks: \$2,494 we met our goal to beat last year's brag bucks total of \$2,443! Now let's see how much more we can raise before the year end.

Up-Coming Programs

- ✓ **August 9** – How I Survived 16 Years as Mayor – David Bowers
- ✓ **August 16** – Kiwanis Foundation's Annual Report - Manly Aylor
- ✓ **August 23** – Salvation Army: More Than the Bell - Andy Seiler
- ✓ **August 30** - Memory Care Options at Pheasant Ridge - Debby Brauch

Welcome! John Pendleton, (David Lemon); **Jon Rife**, **Kiwanis Capital District Gov** (Andy Stone); **Bill & Virginia Magee** (Ken Briggs); **Liz Shelton**, Home Instead Senior Care (Chris & Betsy Head); **Melissa Delmenico**, Military Family Support Center (Roger Talmadge); and **Patrick Randolph**, Carilion Children's (Alex Brendel).

Last week we inducted a new member! Libby Dembski with the Boys and Girls Club of Southwest Virginia. Libby is sponsored by Scott Jenkins. She hails from Chicago, IL and came to Roanoke as a Vista Volunteer for BGCSWVA.



Jon Rife, Libby Dembski, Scott Jenkins



Steve McGraw presented his autobiography at our last meeting. Steve is a Roanoke Valley native. He attended Virginia Western Community College and Virginia Tech (Political Science) and received an MA from Lynchburg College. He has been married to Sharon for 26 years. They have two sons, Steven works in IT in Danville, VA and Bobby is a married to Bonnie, both are helicopter pilots. Steve has a long history of involvement in local and state politics. He successfully ran for Roanoke County Board of Supervisors for several terms. Other accomplishments include a SCUBA certification, 3rd degree blackbelt in Tae Kwon Do, past President of Kiwanis Club of Roanoke, and 31 years of perfect attendance in our club. Formerly a real estate broker, Steve has been Roanoke County Clerk of the Circuit Court since 1992. In his free time he enjoys boating at Smith Mountain Lake and taking motorcycle trips.

CHIP Backpacks Project: Please come on **Friday, August 4th** - this Friday -- to the Clearbrook Walmart on Rte 220 at **9 am** if you can help load up school supplies. Cheri Hartman can be reached on her cell phone at [540-798-7984](tel:540-798-7984). On Tuesday, **August 8th** we hope to see you at the CHIP agency's office building at **1201 Third St** in old Southwest (Roanoke) at **5 pm** to "stuff" the new backpacks with all the supplies a kindergartener could need! Please call Cheri if you plan to come on Tuesday evening to help.

Kiwanis Grant Opportunities Are Here! Deadline August 15

The Kiwanis Club of Roanoke is in the process of putting together its community service budget for the 2017-18 Kiwanis year. Our club prides itself in supporting more than 20 nonprofit agencies throughout the Roanoke Valley. If you are familiar with an area charity that focuses on supporting children, the elderly and/or preserving the environment, you are welcome to submit the organization's name and contact to grants committee chair John Montgomery (jmonty@cox.net). He will mail the agency an application and information that explains the program in detail.

Please note that the agency must be a 501c3 organization. Copies of their financial statements, the IRS form 990, a list of their board of directors and a detailed explanation as to how the grant request dovetails with the Kiwanis Club's mission is required. Requests that do not comply with the program's requirements will not be considered. The completed application also needs to have the signature of a sponsoring Kiwanian and explain details as to how our club can supply "sweat equity" in support of the project. Letters of invitation have already been mailed to 2016-17 Kiwanis Club of Roanoke grant recipients. **GRANT APPLICATIONS DUE AUGUST 15.**



Kiwanis Club of Roanoke First Annual Bocce Ball Tournament September 16, 2017 at Rivers Edge Park

Registration is at 1030am and Play begins at 11am

Two person team cost \$100. Ticket includes lunch and 2 drink tickets
No experience needed. Five games guaranteed.

All proceeds go to Kiwanis Roanoke River Greenway Projects

New to bocce . . . a fun family game?



The object of the sport is for a team to get as many of their balls as close to the pallino (smaller ball) as possible. The match begins with the flip of a coin between teams with the winner tossing the smaller ball on to the court.

Then, a team member rolls the first big ball (bocce ball) to get it as close to the small ball as possible. The other team follows . . . trying to get their balls closer to the smaller ball than their opponents.

When all balls have been played, one team is awarded one point for each bocce ball closer to the pallino than the opposing team. The other team scores no points.

The team that scores in one frame starts the next frame by throwing out the pallino and playing the first bocce ball. The game is won by the first team scoring 9 points. The game ends when the 9th point is scored and the other team has played all four bocce balls.

A fun day with Beer, Food Trucks & Music! Supports the Roanoke River Greenway!

Limited to 50 teams . . . sign up early.

To register or be a court sponsor @ \$100,

Team member 1) _____, email address _____

Team member 2) _____, email address _____

Court Sponsorship @ \$100 - Name of Company _____

Address of Sponsoring Company _____

Enclose check for \$100 for the team or company sponsorship and mail to:

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