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Stand By Your Plan



This week's program: *Quarterly First Responders Recognition*, presented by Steve McGraw and the Awards Committee. The award recipients represent Roanoke County Fire & Rescue, City of Roanoke Fire & Rescue, Roanoke County and City of Roanoke Police.

This week's recognitions include a police officer who calmed a distraught and defiant teenage girl who was being taken into custody, thus defusing a potentially volatile situation; a firefighter who saved a person's life while transporting her to a nearby hospital; an off-duty firefighter's response to a person experiencing a heart attack at a local shopping center, preventing greater damage to the victim's heart; and a police detective's diligence in pursuing a child sexual predator, even into another Virginia city, preventing certain harm to a local teenage girl.

We are particularly grateful for the sponsorship of **ServPro of Roanoke County**. They are the presenting sponsor for all for recognition luncheons for the 2017-2018 year. With their generosity, our award recipients are able to invite family members to participate in the ceremony.

Next Meeting – January 10

Opening Bell – President Don Witt

Welcome Table – Sherry Dillon

Invocation – JC Taylor

Song Leader – Chris Head

Pledge of Allegiance – Jackie Bledsoe

Introduction of Guests – Sherry Dillon



Bumper Sticker of the Week!

Important Kiwanis Dates . . .

January 10, 2018 – Quarterly First Responders Awards

February 17, 2018 – Key Club Dance Marathon to benefit Children’s Miracle Network

March 2-4, 2018 – Capital District Key Club Convention in Baltimore, MD

March 7, 2018 – Haley Toyota KPAD Kick Off

May 5, 2018 – Haley Toyota KPAD

May 30, 2018 – Memorial Day No Meeting

July 4, 2018 – Independence Day No Meeting

So far this year we have raised \$810 for the Foundation; our goal is to beat last year’s total of \$2,936. Who would like to make a \$2 brag (or more) today?

Up-Coming Programs

- ✓ **January 17** – Celebrating 10 Years of Public Art in Roanoke – Susan Jennings
- ✓ **January 24** – Its First Four Years and the Future of the Moss Arts Center – Ruth Waalkes
- ✓ **January 31**- Higher Ed, Higher Expectations at Roanoke College – Michael Maxey

Welcome! Suzanne Williams, Martin Travel (Andy Stone); Tyler Godsey, 5 Points Music Foundation, (Ken Briggs); Joanna Kimmel, EEE Consulting (Jamie Bailey); Hi Nicely, Botetourt Kiwanis; and Captain Andy Seiler, the Salvation Army (Monica Seiler).



Salvation Army Bell Ringers Recognition: a total of \$315,000 raised throughout the community!