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Stand By Your Plan



This week's program is The Business of Doing Good: The Economic Upside to "charitable giving" in the Roanoke Valley— presented by **Afira DeVries**, CEO of United Way Roanoke Valley.

United Way of Roanoke Valley has dedicated 94 years to improving lives in the community, serving throughout the Roanoke region. In 2017 United Way of Franklin County merged with UWRV to serve local families in a more efficient, coordinated way, bringing better access to services across the region.

Over the past year, UWRV reviewed local data and listened to hundreds of families' stories to help shape the future of UWRV in their goal to lead families to self-sufficiency. This approach will be facilitated through a cradle-to-career continuum of support that will help break the cycle of generational poverty.

Announcement: Our Club President, Don Witt, will launch the new weekly 50/50 raffle event at our September 19 lunch meeting. It will be exciting to see who wins the Rubber Chicken. See Ticket Purchase Information elsewhere in this newsletter.

Next Meeting – September 19

Opening Bell – President Don Witt

Welcome Table – Don Wilson

Invocation – Bill Logan

Song Leader – Don Chichester

Pledge of Allegiance – Bill Logan

Introduction of Guests – Don Wilson



Last Week's Speaker, Beth Macy, Signing Her Book

Important Kiwanis Dates . . .

September 21, 2018 – Kiwanis Fun Club @ Valhalla Vineyard @6pm, bring a dish

September 26, 2018 – Installation of Officers & Directors @Charter Hall @530pm

September, 29, 2018 – Key Club service project at National D-Day Memorial, Bedford VA

October 3, 2018 – Blood Drive @ St. John's Episcopal 12-6pm

October 4, 2018 – Kiwanis Social - West Side Story @ Mill Mountain Theatre @6pm (reception) show starts 730pm, \$40 pp

October 20, 2018 – Bocce Ball Tournament @1030am at River's Edge

October 24, 2018 – First Responders Recognition

January 28, 2020 – Kiwanis Club of Roanoke's 100th Anniversary

We have surpassed our goal of last year's total of \$2,936 for the Foundation! Who would like to make a \$2 brag (or more) today?

We have several social events in the coming months. Please invite prospective club members to these events – they are a great way to introduce people to the club in a fun and relaxed atmosphere!

We have two social events coming up: On Friday, **Sept 21 at 6pm** we'll be at Valhalla Vineyard. Bring a dish to share (buy your own wine), bring your chair, and wear your favorite sports team gear! On **Thursday, October 4** we'll be at Mill Mountain Theatre for *West Side Story*. Reception at 6pm in Harrison Museum, show starts at 730pm. Tickets are \$40 per person, contact **Larry Kufel** to sign up.

Headshots – anyone who would like a new headshot for the Kiwanis Directory, please make arrangements with Gary Powers either before or after a lunch meeting.

Looking for new Kiwanis gear? Check out this website <https://www.aplusimages.com/kiwanis> 25% of all sales to Kiwanis Club members located in the Capital District get donated back to the Capital District Foundation, so anybody who orders an item should mention that our Roanoke Club is in the Capital District

Up-Coming Programs

- ✓ **Sept 26** – Installation of Officers & Directors
- ✓ **Oct 3** – City of Roanoke – Bob Cowell
- ✓ **Oct 10** – Opera Roanoke

**RUBBER
CHICKEN**

Roanoke Kiwanis 50/50 Fundraiser Raffle Ticket Purchase Information Sheet



1. Event at weekly Club meetings; participation is entirely optional:
 - Fun way to showcase member adventures and raise funds for administrative budget.
2. Approach:
 - Raffle tickets offered for sale to Club attendees immediately prior to each lunch meeting.
 - Winner randomly selected at lunch meeting; must be present to win.
 - Club receives 50% of funds collected; winner receives and keeps 50% of funds collected.
 - Winner receives the rubber chicken.
 - Winner keeps rubber chicken or immediately gives it to another club member.
 - Holder of rubber chicken is encouraged to have it accompany him/her during following week.
 - Holder is encouraged to temporarily adorn and/or be photographed with the rubber chicken.
 - Holder returns rubber chicken; provides one-minute report at following weekly meeting.
 - One-minute report summarizes their adventures together and may include photos.
 - Holder draws from raffle tickets sold at following weekly meeting to determine next winner.
 - Raffle tickets priced at \$1 each, 4 for \$3, and 8 for \$5.
3. Questions/comments to 50/50 Fundraiser Raffle Chair Mike O'Brochta:
 - (540) 343-1883 home or (540) 931-5342 cell
 - mobrochta@zozerinc.com

Welcome Guests!

Ellen Witt (Don Witt); **Tiffany Jordan** (Joe Cobb); **Diane Phillips, Bob Rider, & Tom Spurlock** (Dan Chitwood); **Brad Mullins**, Virginia Trust Co (Donna Lynch); **Chris Bohannon** (Betsy Bohannon); **Sara Swanson** (Bruce Swanson); **Ann Marie Wood and Virginia Hutson** (Reggie Wood); **Collette Mak** (Judy Clark); **Susan Cromer** (Paige Darby); **Julia Akers** (Barry Akers); **Parveen Riaz** (Wendy Mellenthin); **Linda Shiner, Donna Littlepage, Pat Young, John Reburn, Jordan Hertz, Pastor Kyle Allen, Beth Allen, Afira DeVries & Abby Hamilton**, United Way Roanoke Valley, **Lara Thompson, Dr. Maureen Guelzow, Doloris Vest, Book No Further, Jim O'Hare, Gwen Mason, Dr. Eric Vance & Jen Vance, Dr. 'Wink' Weaver & Fayette Weaver, Libba Wolfe, Deb Landgraf, Katherine Wilson, Sandra Friedlander, Lindsey Dove** (Dave & Cherie Hartman).

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BOCCE BALL TOURNAMENT



breaking
balls

EARLY BIRD GETS THE WORM!
LIMITED TO 50 TEAMS, SO SIGN UP EARLY!

**IN HONOR OF THE KIWANIS CLUB'S 100TH YEAR ANNIVERSARY,
ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS BENEFITING AN ALL-INCLUSIVE
PLAYGROUND AROUND THE HORTON PARK AREA**

Location: Rivers Edge Park
Date: Saturday, October 20th
Registration: 10:30 am
Game Time: 11:00 am

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