

**Calendar of Events**

**Last Week:** 08/10 Black Lives Matter: Trent Griffin-Braaf  
**This Week:** 08/17 Club Budget Review, Town in Bloom report  
**Next Week:** 08/24 Black Lives Matter – Paul Collins-Hackett  
**Coming Up:** 08/27 Community BBQ Dinner (Thursday)  
08/29 Golf Tournament (Saturday) (9/12 rain date)  
09/07 No meeting – Labor Day  
09/17 Wolf Hollow Brewery – Pints for Polio

**Note:** Regular meetings are held Monday evenings on Zoom at 6:00 pm. The meeting ID and Password and the phone number are distributed the afternoon of the meeting by email.

*Please give suggestions for future programs to Dan Stec  
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*“Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities and in ourselves”.*  
President Greg opened the virtual meeting by reciting Rotary’s theme for this Rotary year, “Rotary Opens Opportunities.”

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THE FIVE WAY TEST:** Dan announced, “Its official! Our Four-Way-Test is now, officially The Five Way Test, approved by the district!

**APPLE PIE FEST:** The BOD has decided that until COVID-19 concerns are in the past, the Apple Pie Festival is canceled.

**COMMUNITY BBQ DINNER:** Gregg reported that the committee will do a “walk through” at the HS on Thurs. 8/20 at 3pm, Members are urged to “get the message out” to friends and families. Please let Gregg know how many dinners you plan to order! It is hoped that bottle recycling & coin drop will add to the BBQ dinner income. Credit card, cash, Venmo accepted.

**VOUCHERS:** Silas announced that he is having BBQ dinner vouchers printed. These will allow the holder of the voucher 1 free BBQ dinner. Originally planned for the folks who work at Schrader & Co, the idea was enthusiastically endorsed by the members present. Therefore, members will receive an attachment containing vouchers they can download and print to use as gifts for neighbors and friends. Gregg said that members should write their name on the backs of vouchers given away so that this information can be tracked.

*Gregg noted that the success of any and all events depends on having “personal ownership by all club members”.*

Serve with us. The world is waiting.

**PINTS FOR POLIO!**

**WOLF HOLLOW BREWERY THURSDAY, SEPT. 17, 4 – 8 PM**

Silas announced that this will be a FREE, out of doors district-wide event to benefit Polio Plus. Lots of outdoor widely separated seating. Order food from the menu at Sammy’s Food Truck and beverage from the brewery.

**VIRTUAL APPLE 5k RUN/WALK:** Jon explained that the Apple Run WILL be held this year, with a few changes. Medals and T-shirts will be ordered for participants AFTER the event, saving money on buying too many shirts. Jon says that the long sleeved shirts will be a completely “really neat” new design. People will have a longer time to register for the event, which will be held sometime in Oct. – Nov. Payment will be by check, credit card, and online payment is being explored. Watch your Rotateller for more details as they evolve.

**BUDGET REVIEW AND PLANS FOR FUTURE EVENTS**

President Gregg and Treasurer Steve presented the year’s budget to the members. A lively discussion ensued. Members can access the current revised budget on our website.

It was noted that the income from the Golf Outing is restricted to the Pennington Scholarship. Discussion about the Mary and Jack Wolf award was tabled to be discussed at the next BOD meeting. Walt Grattidge stated that he wants to continue the Bartlett Award.

Gregg noted that the Income and Charity portions of the budget need to balance, and that *this can only happen when all club members participate to make the fund raising events successful.*

Several ideas for future events were presented, with details for each to follow. Again...watch this space!

- A Second Community BBQ dinner to be held in the Spring
- Barrel of Booze – Raffle \$20/ticket
- Run 5 – Donate 5 – Nominate 5
- 50 – 50 (used by many other Rotary Clubs)

Details about these new ideas will be coming.

The tent was delivered!  
Gregg and Ken delivered the tent to be used for voter registration at green markets was delivered to Halie and Kealand, representing the group “518 Mamas for BLM”. This contribution was paid for by individual contributions from individual club members



Reported by Gini Whetten