

August 18, 2022 | Membership and New Club Development

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves. – Rotary Mission Statement



# Rotary Club of Blacksburg

(Club 5753)

# Join us for Lunch!

Meets every Thursday at Noon Blacksburg Country Club

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### Join This Week's Meeting

District Governor, Kathy Kanter, will visit area 9 clubs this week. Remember, that for this week there will be **NO NOON MEETING THIS WEEK**, and instead, the meeting will be at the Country Club at **5:30 PM**.

### <u>Announcements</u>



# From Chris Belluzzo, Yard Sale Committee:

The annual Rotary Yard Sale is THIS WEEKEND on August 20th!

We are looking for those great items you no longer need that fuel our event. We also need volunteers and lots of them to make our

event work! Shifts will be 6AM – 9AM and 9AM – 12PM that day, each counts as a make-up! Sign-ups are on your tables or check your E-Mail for the information message from Chris B and respond with your available shift. Looking forward to another GREAT sale!!

This week's bulletin is sponsored by:

Knowledge is power.

Information is liberating.

Education is the premise of progress,
in every society, in every family.

Kofi Annan

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# WELCOME DISTRICT GOVERNOR KATHY





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### The Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say, or do...

Is it the <u>Truth</u>?

Is it Fair to all concerned?

Will it build Goodwill and **Better Friendships?** 

Will it be **Beneficial** to all concerned?

## Club Leadership

President: Phil Araman President-Elect: Tom Ryan President-Nominee: Eric Johnsen

Secretary: Leslie Jester Treasurer: Fred Meyers



### Club Directors

Club: Tom Ryan

Vocational: Eric Johnsen Local: Bruce Roulstone International: Chuck Burress

Youth: Karen Mary Biggs



### District and Global

RI President: Jennifer Jones District Governor: Kathy Kanter Area 9 Governor: Terri Fisher District Secretary: Nancy Whitlock District Treasurer: Jacob Higginbotham

## What are the benefits of your Rotary membership?

Becoming a Rotary member connects you with a diverse group of professionals who share your drive to give back. Through regular meetings and events, you'll:

- Discuss your community's needs and develop creative ways to meet them
- Connect with other leaders who are changing the world
- Expand your leadership and professional skills
- Catch up with good friends and meet new ones
- Other benefits of membership include:

The Rotary International Convention is our biggest event of the year. Rotary members from more than 130 countries meet at the convention each year to celebrate our successes and make plans for the future. The next convention will be held in Melbourne, Australia on May 27-31, 2023.

The District Conference is a great way to meet Rotarians from around our district and hear about our clubs and what they are doing for their communities. This year it will be modeled after the Rotary convention—we are even calling it a convention and will be held on March 3-5, 2023 at the Salem Civic Center.

Rotary Fellowships give members the chance to join a group of people who share similar interests, hobbies, or vocations. Some groups use their fellowship to make a positive difference.

Rotarian Action Groups unite Rotary members, family members, program participants and alumni who share their expertise in particular fields by collaborating with clubs and districts on projects.

Find your passion and share Rotary with your peeps. Invite them to a club meeting.

August 2022						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Charles Burress	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	T.J. Anthony	18 5:30 PM DG VISIT	19	20 Rotary Yard Sale Dan Carper
21	<b>22</b> George Miller	23 Chris French	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31		•	

# **Upcoming Programs and Events**

Aug 20 - Rotary Yard Sale - YMCA Lot

Aug 25 - Bill Roth, the Voice of the Hokies

Sep 1 – TBD

Sep 8 – TBD

Sep 15 - TBD

Sep 22 – TBD

Sep 29 – Club Social

### Need a Make-Up?

**Blacksburg Satellite Club** 

Corporate Research Center – 1st/3rd Tues 5:15pm

**Montgomery County** 

Inn at Virginia Tech – Wednesday, 7:15 AM

**Christiansburg-Blacksburg** 

Blacksburg Country Club, Monday 5:30 PM

Floyd

Floyd Country Store, Wednesday Noon

Radford

Best Western Radford Inn, Wednesday Noon Kuhn Barnett School Building, Tuesday 5:30 PM

Salem

Salem Civic Center, Thursday Noon

Pulaski

Pulaski CC of Thornsprings, Monday 12:15 PM

Giles

Giles Community Hospital, Thursday Noon