Rotary Club of Blacksburg The Bulletin

<mark>This Week's Program:</mark> 5th Thursday Social

WHAT IS A RIVE

Rotary 💮 District 7570 Club 5753

Sep 30, 2021 | Basic Education and Literacy Month

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

NO NOON MEETING. Club Social at 5:30 PM at Iron Tree Brewery. 5 Roanoke St, Christiansburg, VA.

Green Beans !!

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We still need 650 cans of green beans before October 20. If you have not contributed your cans yet, please bring them to this week's meeting. You can also drop them off at the Law Office of Arthur Shaheen at 1997 S. Main St., Suite 702 Blacksburg. Our club should provide them with 1000 cans of green beans. That's approximately 10 cans a member. This is the perfect hunger initiative project!



Kroger Community Awards Program

Our Club has earned \$796.58 from the Kroger Community Rewards program for the past three quarters ending August 31. We owe many thanks to our twenty-nine households who have enrolled in the program. The Kroger Community Awards Program is, I believe, the easiest fund raising available to our Club as it doesn't require any additional effort of our members or corporate sponsorship.

Enrollment in the program is very easy for those of you who have not already done so. To enroll your Kroger Plus card, go to <u>www.krogercommunityrewards.com</u>, log in to your account, scroll to the bottom of the page until you see Kroger Community Rewards. Enter our organization's account number, which is now CK877 or Blacksburg Rotary Club, and enter the requested info. Happy Krogering!! If youou don't already have a Kroger Plus card,

one can be obtained quickly at any Kroger customer service desk.





In thanks to all those in the medical community for their efforts and sacrifices over the past year.

The Bulletin is published weekly by the Public Relations committee. For suggestions, comments, or to add an announcement to the bulletin, send your request to Chris French at chris.french@gmail.com or 347-306-4740 by Tuesday of the week you want the announcement to appear. Please include "Rotary" in the subject of your email.



Local News

Do Less Work in your Yard this Autumn

Advice from your Environmental Committee

Many species of butterflies and other beneficial insects could overwinter in your yard if you allow them to do so. They do so in leaf litter or on vegetation. They overwinter as eggs, caterpillars, chrysalises, or even as adult butterflies.

All you have to do is don't rake all of your yard; and, if you have a garden, resist cleaning

it all up until May. As naturalist Debra Graf says: Don't create a desert during a time of year that beneficial insects need shelter and protection." "Tolerate a bit of messiness." As your bonus, the leaves will be useful much mulch by Spring.



Club Leadership

President: Ken D'Amato President-Elect: Phil Araman President-Nominee: Tom Ryan Secretary: L. Jester / R. Spencer Treasurer: Fred Meyers



Club: Phil Araman Vocational: Eric Johnsen Local: Tom Ryan International: Peter Weimerskirch Youth: Karen Stemen

District and Global

RI President: Shekhar Mehta District Governor: Tara Ellis Area 9 Governor: Cora Gnegy District Secretary: Tim Carter District Treasurer: Jacob Higginbotham



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The Four-Way Test

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

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

Is it <u>Fair</u> to all concerned?

Will it build <u>Goodwill</u> and <u>Better Friendships</u>?

Will it be <u>Beneficial</u> to all concerned?



5th Thursday Social





Join us for fellowship and friendship at the Iron Tree Brewery. Located behind the Courthouse.; there is paking on the left.Bring your better half, and invite a guest or two.



September 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 Page Warner	4 Nancy Morehouse
5	6	7 Satellite Club	8	9 Tommy Loflin	10	11
12	13	14 Brian Wheeler	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Satellite Club	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 MICAH'S	29 Chuck Burress	30		

Upcoming Programs and Events

- Oct 7 VT Women's Basketball
- Oct 14 Chocolate Festival Bagging
- **Oct 17 Chocolate Festival**
- Oct 21 National Alliance on Mental illness
- Oct 28 Chili Cookoff for Polio Plus
- Nov 4 Immigration Law

Nov 6 - Building beds with Sleep in Heavenly Peace, 9:00 a.m. 3275 N. Franklin, Cburg

- Nov 11 Rotary Foundation Jeopardy
- Nov 18 Condor Recovery Program

Need a Make-Up?

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