

Connect and Serve

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DECEMBER 17, 2024

LANE CUSTER will be the greeter, MARY KAY DAVIS will be the money taker, DAN HEMAN will be the money counter, and RITA ZAWISZA will provide the moment of inspiration.

PROGRAM:

During our annual business meetings, the following slates were elected:

FOR CLUB BOARD, 2025-2026

President: Pris Gerde
 President-Elect: Arvid Olson
 Vice President and President-Nominee: Lane Custer
 (to be President 2027-2028)
 Secretary: Renee Figueroa
 Treasurer: Kathy Meeks

Continuing as Directors: Zarjon Baha, Mary Kay Davis, Richard Gibbs, Katie Nielsen, and Christy Preston
 Steve Pennell will serve as the Board Chair.

FOR FOUNDATION BOARD, 2025-2026

President: Rhonda Overman
 Vice President: Marti Gutwein
 Secretary: Renee Figueroa
 Treasurer: Paul Ziemer

New Director: Bob Stolz
 Continuing as Director: Elaine Todd
 Club Representative: Arvid Olson

The remainder of the meeting time was spent discussing some strengths of our club and areas of possible improvement.



THANKS FOR YOUR HELP:

ZARJON BAHA served as greeter, JACK KELLEY was the money taker, CHRISTY PRESTON was the money counter, and PHIL KLINGER provided the moment of inspiration.

GOLDEN SERVICE PLUS:

Last week two Rotarians received certificates for reaching the Golden Service Plus level of giving to Lafayette Rotary Club Foundation. TIM LUZADER and STEVE PENNELL were thanked by Foundation president, RHONDA OVERMAN.



PROGRAM SPEAKERS SCHEDULE:

December 17 – Holiday music program featuring professional performer, Audrey Johnson.

December 24, December 31, January 7 –
NO ROTARY MEETINGS

January 14 – David Anders, The Rotary Foundation

January 21 – David Byers, County Commissioner

January 28 – Tony Roswarski, Lafayette Mayor

UPCOMING EVENTS:

December 11 – Backpacking at Miami School 4:00 pm.
Pub Club at Bistro 501 in Lafayette at 5:30 pm.

December 12 – Annual Holiday Jingle and Mingle Party at the Habitat Junction House, 215 Smith St, Lafayette. 5:30 pm
Spouses and guests are welcome.



December 19 – Truck unloading at Miami School 8:15 am



No Rotary meetings on Dec 24th or 31st or Jan 7th

January 14 – Major New Project committee meeting after Rotary

DID YOU KNOW?

That we'll be attending a Purdue women's basketball game on Sunday, February 2, 2025 at 2 pm? Tickets will be only \$5 each. Spouses and guests are invited. Mark your calendars now. Stay tuned for more details.

LISTEN TO PAST ROTARY MEETINGS:

Each week an audio recording of the Rotary meeting is saved so that members can listen at any time. Click on the link below to listen to a recent meeting.

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BEHIND THE SCENES:

Each year the club board does some long-range planning for ways to make improvements to our club. This takes place during an extended board meeting in March. The responses to today's table discussions will help direct that planning session. Thanks to all who offered their ideas.

Donating to Lafayette Rotary

To donate to our Club's international projects:
Make check payable to: District 6560 Foundation with "Lafayette Rotary International Pass-Through Fund" in the memo.

To donate to our Club's international endowment:
Make check payable to:
Community Foundation of Greater Lafayette with "Lafayette Rotary International Endowment Fund" in the memo.

To donate to our Club's local projects:
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