

How to make up meetings online

- Go to www.Rotary7670.org and click on *Makeup On Line* (this takes you to the eClub One web site)
- Click on the tutorial on the left, or listen to the helpful Rotarian who pops up on the screen, for instructions. Spend 30 minutes on the site reading articles or watching videos, all of which can be found at top under *Makeup Programs* (be sure to record the titles of the programs you read or watched – you'll need those later)
- When you have completed your 30 minutes, click on *Request Makeup* (also at top) and donate if so inclined (recommended amount is what you might normally pay for lunch at your club and simply helps to maintain the site)
- Click on *Request Makeup Form* button, answer questions on form, including the program titles
- Give them Leslie Middleton's email address: lferrell@catawbacountync.gov . . . You're done!
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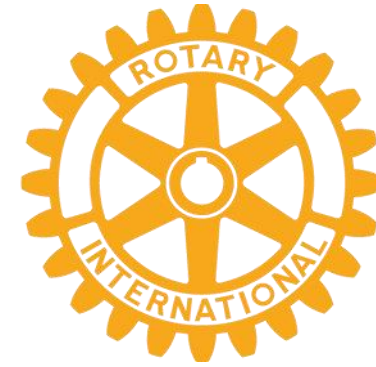
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Jan Shields is beginning his second season as Head Football Coach at Lenoir-Rhyne University. Hired in January of 2014, Shields became the 20th coach in school history. In his first season with the Bears in 2014, Shields kept the program's recent tradition of excellence going as Lenoir-Rhyne finished the year with an 11-1 record and a perfect 7-0 mark in South Atlantic Conference play. In addition, the Bears won their fourth straight league championship and earned the top seed in region for the second consecutive year.



Lenoir-Rhyne also finished the year ranked No. 8 in the nation while being ranked as high as third in the country. The Bears produced seven All-Americans and set an NCAA Division II single-season rushing record (416.2 ypg) thanks to their vaunted triple-option offense. Shields came to Lenoir-Rhyne after serving five years as Associate Head Coach and Offensive Coordinator at Army (2009-13) where the Black Knights led the nation

in rushing offense in both 2011 and 2012.

Under Shields, the United States Military Academy also set school records in rushing yards (4,438) and rushing yards per game (369.8 ypg) and gained over 5,000 yards of total offense (5,235) for the first time in school history in 2012.

Shields' coaching stops also include Eastern Oregon (1997-99), St. Mary's (2000-02), Bucknell (2003) and California Polytechnic State (2004-05, 2008) as Offensive Coordinator and Head Coach at Eastern Oregon for two years (2006-07).

Shields, a 1994 graduate of Oregon State, played three years of football and two seasons of baseball with the Beavers and served as Team Captain during his senior year on the gridiron. Shields and his wife, Norma, a former collegiate volleyball player at Eastern Oregon, are the proud parents of three sons: Beau, Jonah and Jordan.

Neill McGeachy is in charge of the program.



Cliff Moone

My arms were sore, my back was aching, and my legs were tired. On the other hand, my heart and soul were feeling deeply satisfied. For four days, along with eight other members of our First Presbyterian Church adult mission team, I had been shoveling dirt, rocks and sand, mixing concrete and helping pour several concrete sidewalks at a mission church in Chiapas, Mexico. It was tiring work but exceptionally gratifying.

I expect many of my fellow Rotarians have had similar experiences either through your churches or through some activity of service through Rotary. A number of times last week, while I was on this mission trip, I was reminded of and reflected on our Rotary motto: "Service Above Self." In those hours and days of muscle-aching, labor of love work in Chiapas, the meaning

of that motto came alive in the "doing" of service. That's the way it is in Rotary, too.

While it is good that we remember the motto, and good to remind ourselves weekly of the "Four Way Test" of Rotary, we all know that it is when we actually work on a service project, help on a committee, write an article for the Spoke, or in some other way sacrifice time, talent and treasure for the betterment of our community and the world, that the words we speak find their way beyond our mouths into our souls. That's how we not only find meaning in what Rotary is all about, it is how we become committed to the ideals of Rotary—by working out the words we say. It is how "Service Above Self" becomes not only a motto; it becomes a way of life. And when it does, we become passionate about passing it on.

The game of life is a lot like football. You have to tackle your problems, block your fears, and score your points when you get the opportunity.
— Lewis Grizzard

IN 1945, THE WRITTEN OBJECTIVE FOR THE ROTARY FOUNDATION WAS:

The Promotion of The Rotary Foundation Fellowships for advanced study; The fostering of any tangible and effective projects which have as their purpose the furthering of better understanding and friendly relations between the peoples of different nations; and

The providing of emergency relief for Rotarians and their families wherever war or other disaster has brought general destruction and suffering.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CONTINUES TO DO "GOOD WORK" TODAY!



With 'Flight,' Rotary Club aims for Kardashian-level recognition

Not too long ago, members of the Rotary Club of Colorado Springs took to the streets, armed with video cameras, a pop quiz and a vision of updating their century-old service club. The Rotary Club of Colorado Springs' Eighth Annual Flight Gala and Auction is Oct. 24 at Cheyenne Mountain Resort. For information and tickets, available soon: csflight.org



"We asked people three different questions. One, 'Are you able to name the Kardashian sisters?' A high percentage knew that. Two, 'Could you name the governor of Colorado?' That was probably about 50-50," Rotary member Jason Aguilar said.

The third question - "What is Rotary?" - was a stumper.

"Probably less than 5 percent were able to tell us anything about Rotary," said Aguilar, an engineer and owner of StealthCom Solutions. Before he joined Rotary two years ago, Aguilar was similarly murky about the role of the organization, which brings together business people and professionals to support humanitarian projects in the community. "I thought it was a car club," he said.

The butterflies transformed all of that for Aguilar, and he's hoping they'll do the same for everyone else.

Read more at <http://goo.gl/Ud1qgg>.

Last week . . .

President Mark introduced his friend, Jason Howard, owner of Howard Brewing in Lenoir, who educated the club on the art of making craft beer. Visit startabrewmance.com for more information.



Club Assignments

Date	6-Aug	13-Aug	20-Aug	27-Aug
Program	Neill McGeachy	Mark Seaman		
Speaker	Ian Fields	Billie Black	Jim Meade	
Topic	LRU Football	District 7670	FBI	
Rotary Moment	Clarence Pugh	Bob Warmuth		
Raffle	Ernie Mache	Linda Lutz	Robert Locke	Lindsay Lawhon
Visitors	Susan Vincent	Mark Teague	Dean Doucette	Linda Lutz
Greeter	David Myers	Beth Meadlock	Jennifer Clark	Cliff Goddard
Message	Cliff Moone			
Invocation	Cliff Moone	Anne Williams	Dan Duke	John Bates
Video Camera				



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The Rotary Four Way Test

- Is it the truth?
- Is it fair to all concerned?
- Will it build good will and better friendships?
- Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

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