



The Metro Memo



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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE COLUMBIA METRO ROTARY CLUB

JANUARY 18, 2017

Thank you . . .

to **Pat Hostetler** for providing today's invocation, leading us in the Pledge of Allegiance and for providing us with a fundraising opportunity.

to **Susan Hart** for greeting members and guests as they arrived at today's meeting.



Members with Guests

Rotarian	Guest
Sarah Read.....	Jenny Flatt
Sarah Read.....	Bruce Sommer
Sarah Read.....	Byron Bundy
Sarah Read.....	Cedric Ganaway
Bill Costello	Stephany Schler

Susan Hart will celebrate 23 years as a Metro Rotarian tomorrow!

Charlene Boyes will celebrate 4 years as a Metro Rotarian on January 23.



President Sarah's son-in-law is half-way through his scheduled chemotherapy, but he is experiencing some complications. Please keep her family in your thoughts and prayers.



DUES NOTICE: Dues for the second half of the Rotary fiscal year are now due. If you did not pay your Rotary dues for the year in full last summer, your second installment is now due. Please remit timely payment to **Don Ludwig**.

An official kick-off for the Youth Mentoring District Simplified Grant will be **January 24** from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at the Family Impact Center. Please plan to attend.

Metro's 10th Annual Trivia Night fundraiser will be **February 3** at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Volunteers are needed for event setup and tear down. Please see page three of this newsletter for details.

Metro's Partner in Education Committee is asking for your assistance with a Book Drive for our Title I partners. Please bring any gently used books that you may be willing to part with from your personal library to be donated to the students. Reading materials should be geared towards students 3-5 years of age. Books will be collected at our weekly meetings.

NEW MEMBER WELCOMED



Metro welcomed **Beth Lammers** as a new member during today's meeting. Beth is the National Marketing Director for Juice Plus+. Her classification is Sales. Beth is sponsored by **Jean Leonatti**.

At your earliest convenience, please take time to welcome Beth to Metro.

*Congratulations to **Rob Christensen!** He won a \$40 gift certificate to Hoss's Market & Rotisserie donated by **Pat Hostetler**. We raised \$60 for Metro charities.*

INCLEMENT WEATHER REMINDER: Metro bylaws state that if the Columbia Public Schools cancel classes due to inclement weather, Metro Rotary will not meet. Please keep this in mind as winter weather continues.





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MY ROTARY



One requirement of the Presidential Citation is that membership data on My Rotary is updated and accurate. Members were encouraged to update their personal profile information on the **My Rotary** website. The process is simple:

1. Login to www.rotary.org.
2. Select the **Sign in/Register** button.
3. Use your email address as your login.
4. If you do not remember your password, it can be easily reset.
5. Your personal Profile information is located halfway down the page on the left. Select **Go To Profile** to update your information.
6. Several categories are listed where you can enter your personal information as you deem appropriate.

NEW MEMBERS PROPOSED

J.J. Musgrove has been proposed for membership in Metro Rotary. J.J. is the Director of the Office of Cultural Affairs for the City of Columbia. His proposed classification is Government-City-Arts. J.J.'s proposal was submitted by **Victoria Brees**.

Jenny Flatt has been proposed for membership in Metro Rotary. Jenny is the Director of MU Family Impact Center. Her proposed classification is Non-Profit-Administration. Jenny's proposal was submitted by **Sarah Read**.

Please contact **President Sarah** if you have any questions or concerns about either proposal.

NEXT WEEK @ METRO . . .

Program

Robin Calfee, U.S. Geological Survey

Greeter

Anna Drake

Invocation/Pledge/Fundraiser

Victoria Brees

Adult Learning Center Serves Local Citizens

Stephany Schler (right) is the Coordinator of the Adult Learning Center (ALC). The ALC provides many activities to support non-native English speakers in improving their English language skills. They also help individuals prepare for and secure employment, as well as provide referrals to community resources. Last year, the ALC assisted over 500 individuals.



The ALC can also help individuals obtain their high school equivalency certificate. Classes are free and open to the public. Students can enrich their reading comprehension skills, sharpen their math skills and learn critical thinking strategies.

The ALC also offers assistance with life skills training to help students cope with everyday activities and situations. They also practice good communication, and instruct everyone how to "say what you mean, get what you want, and listen to others."

The ALC has four locations in Columbia: the Columbia Area Career Center, J.W. "Blind" Boone Center, Family Impact Center and Missouri Resource Center. They also serve people at the Fayette High School Library and at the Advanced Technology Center in Mexico. The ALC is supported by funding from the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

If you wish to learn more about the ALC, volunteer to assist or apply to be a substitute teacher, please visit <http://career-center.org/pce/alc/>.

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10th Annual Metro Rotary Trivia Night

- What:** Trivia night with dinner buffet catered by Sam Bennett
Beer, soft drinks and set-ups provided and "Share the Pot" raffle
- When:** Friday, **February 3, 2017**; Doors open at 5:45 p.m.; Dinner buffet will begin at 6:00 p.m.
Trivia begins at 7:00 p.m.
- Where:** Knights of Columbus Hall (2525 North Stadium Blvd.)
- Why:** Fundraiser to benefit EnCircle Technologies and other Metro Rotary charities
- Tickets:** \$35 per person or \$250 per table of eight (includes buffet and refreshments)
Share the Pot Cash Raffle Tickets: \$5 each or 3 for \$10
- Who:** All friends, business associates, family members and other Rotarians are invited to join in the fun. Trivia night tickets and raffle tickets will be available at each Metro Rotary meeting through the night of the event.



Special thanks to our Sponsors

*(Please contact **Laura Kogut** or **Victoria Brees** if you would like to be a sponsor.)*

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