

The Nerve



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This Week, April 30, 2013 Amy Grinstead with the Tuscaloosa Community Soup Bowl



Amy Grinstead is the Director of the The Community Soup Bowl in Tuscaloosa . It is a cooperative effort to help alleviate problems associated with poverty. They open their doors seven days a week to welcome and feed the hungry. They also seek to provide volunteer opportunities for the Christian community of Tuscaloosa as they act as the hands and feet of Christ.

Last Week, April 23

Last week the Rotary Club welcomed University of Alabama President Dr. Judy Bonner.



Announcements

- Tuscaloosa Rotary Honor Flight will be making its 4th flight on May 18th and we will be taking both WWII and Korean War Veterans to see their memorials in Washington, D. C. More information will be posted on the Club's Website, and anyone interested in helping out with this year's flight or knows a potential veteran or guardian can e-mail Rotarian Jordan Plaster at james_plasterjr@mlc



News from the Foundation:

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW INCENTIVE PROGRAM ENDS THIS TUESDAY!

The Club is making a limited number of Foundation Recognition Points available for Rotarians wishing to contribute to the Rotary Foundation to become a Paul Harris Fellow. This matching plan is a one-time only offer for Rotarians to help Rotarians in good standing complete their initial Paul Harris Fellow giving. A maximum of 250 Recognition points and a minimum of 100 Recognition points per individual will be available on a first come basis from the club until all points allocated have been used. Recognition points are equivalent to dollars that have been contributed to the Foundation but not yet used for recognition. The program is only for Rotarians who are interested in becoming first time Paul Harris Fellows. The total of Rotarian contribution and club contribution must equal \$1,000. The club contribution will match the Rotarian's on a one-to-one basis. For example, if a Rotarian has a current contribution balance of \$500, they may request 250 Recognition points from the club to go with a \$250 contribution for a \$1,000 total and Paul Harris recognition. If you are interested please see J. G. Brazil, Chairman, Club

Foundation Committee, for further details. This offer is good for the month of April only.

The Rotary Foundation encourages all Rotarians to become Paul Harris Fellows and to continue to make annual contribution to the Foundation so that Rotary may carry on its vital humanitarian programs around the world. This incentive program recognizes this worthy goal and encourages all eligible members to consider taking this opportunity to step up to Paul Harris Fellow.



Guests April 23

Guests at the April 23rd meeting of the Club included:

Bruce Roche, guest of Frank Deaver (retired UA); **Lucy Sikes**, guest of Karen Baldwin (UA); **Debbie Lane** guest of Karen Baldwin (UA); **David Pass**, guest of James Leitner (Sealy Realty) **Chris McCune** (Cadence Bank), guest of Drew Kyle; **Kayla Fields**, guest of Lucas Hayes (UA); **Gay Burrows** and **Beth Springer**; **Carman Atchison**, guest of Matt Hood (Hotel Capstone); **Matt Calderone**, guest of Lowell Davis (Student); **Teresa Wise**, guest of **Margret King** (UA); **M.E. Harper**, guest of Carol Wright (Library Director)

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

May 7
Dr. Robert Witt

May 14
Gina Simpson with
The EDGE

May 21
Lauren Ballard
Angel Flight Soars

“If there is any one particular in which I would have Rotary distinguished from other organizations, it is in the quality of character which results in the doing of things.”

— Paul Harris

ABSENT? MAKING UP ATTENDANCE IS EASY...

- Visit with the Morning Rotary Club every Thursday at 7 AM at Indian Hills Country Club.
- Attend another club’s meeting within two weeks before or after an absence.
- Participate in a Rotary event, such as a committee meeting, social function, Interact event, etc.
- Make up at E-club online: www.rotaryclubone.org.

REPORT ALL MAKEUPS TO CLUB SECRETARY NANCY JONES