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Programs

This Week's Program: Olga McKissic,
Neblett Center

Upcoming Programs:

Jul 25 Western Kentucky Botanical
Gardens

Aug 1 Honor Flight Luncheon

July Program Chair: Karen Goedde

Fellowship Table

Help needed!!!

See **Steve Crone** to sign up.
He's looking for volunteers!



Jeff Ebelhar welcomes two new Paul
Harris Fellows, **Steve Ford** and
Rachel Foster



Meeting Notes from July 11, 2018

PRAYER, PLEDGE & 4-WAY TEST: Patty Ray

FELLOWSHIP REPORT: **Patty** reported 26 members and 2 guests in attendance. Guests included Hannah Foster, guest of **Rachel Foster**, and Peggy Kilgore, guest of **Fred May**. **Roger Coomes** reported a make-up at the Daviess County club.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS:

- **President Scott Williams** presented immediate **Past President Rachel Foster** a plaque and charm in recognition of her service and leadership as 2017-18 club president.
- As club foundation treasurer, **Jeff Ebelhar** recognized **Rachel Foster** and **Steve Ford** as Paul Harris Fellows, presenting each with a Paul Harris pin and certificate. Jeff explained the significance of the designation and that the club has donated \$1,000 to the Rotary International Foundation in the name of each.



*Thank you, Rachel, for your
service as club president in
2017-18!*

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Scott** thanked **Past President Tish Correa-Osborne** for her service on the Board of Directors. She rolls off the board this year.
- The club's website has been revised. Members are invited to check it out at owensbororotary.org.
- **Fred May** reminded the club of the Habitat for Humanity framing event Saturday, July 14, 8:00am at the Owensboro Convention Center.

PROGRAM: July program chair **Karen Goedde** introduced Vicki Quisenberry, Executive Director of the Daviess County Public Schools Foundation, as program speaker. Vicki provided a statistical snapshot of the Daviess County Schools – 11,800 students, 67% on free and reduced lunch, 2,200 employees. She described her role at the Foundation as that of a connection broker, raising money for at risk students by matching people with their passion. A recent project resulting from such a connection is a fundraiser featuring a sneak preview of the film "Black in Blue," a documentary by award winning filmmaker Paul Wagner about the four athletes who broke the race barrier at the University of Kentucky. Vicki explained that the idea for the fundraiser originated with members of the Daviess County High School Class of 1967 and their desire to honor a classmate, Houston Hogg, who happens to be one of these athletes.

Vicki said the event will take place Saturday, July 28 at RiverPark Center. Jagoe Homes and Owensboro Health are title sponsors. The evening includes a VIP reception at 5:00pm, dinner at 6:00pm and movie screening at 7:30pm. Tickets are available at OwensboroTickets.com or from the Foundation.



2018/19 Theme

The 4-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

- *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?*

Rotary Reminders

Don't forget to make up your missed meetings at the Daviess County Rotary Club
on Tuesdays at 7:00am at Moonlite

*Please send questions, suggestions, or comments regarding the Impetus to
Pat McFarling, Editor, patmc@kwc.edu*

Meeting Information

Meeting Time:

Every Wednesday at 12:00 noon

Meeting Location:

Owensboro Country Club
400 E. Byers Avenue
Owensboro, Kentucky 42303

2018/19 Club Officers

President: Scott Williams
President Elect: Steve Crone
Past President: Rachel Foster
Secretary: Karen Goedde
Treasurer: Jason Hess

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