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The Rotary Club of West Wichita meets Tuesdays, 12:00 noon at Rolling Hills Country Club, 223 S. Westlink
Rotary Club of West Wichita: www.rotarywestwichita.org Rotary District 5690: www.rotary5690.org Rotary International: www.rotary.org
Executive Secretary & Bulletin Editor: Diane Walker

Today's Program

Dr. Biff Green
President
Friends University

Dr. Biff Green has served as president of Friends University since April 15, 1991. Under his leadership, Friends has doubled student enrollment and the number of faculty members, made significant improvements in facilities, landscaping and technology, added several new buildings, restored the 120-year-old Davis Administration Building, and increased the endowment by more than 53 million dollars.

During his 39 years in higher education, Dr. Green has taught and served in administration at independent universities such as the University of La Verne in La Verne, California, University of Southern California in Los Angeles, and Woodbury University in Burbank, California.

Dr. Green began his post-secondary education by earning a bachelor's degree in history from La Verne College in 1971. In 1978 he earned a master's degree in counseling from the University of La Verne, and in 1981 he obtained his doctoral degree in higher education administration from Brigham Young University.

Dr. Green is a member of the Kansas Independent College Association, the University Club of Wichita, and the Wichita Rotary Club. He serves on the board of directors of the Wichita Chamber of Commerce and has served on several task force studies for the City of Wichita. He is married to Binnie, and they have two daughters: Jenny, 33, and Heather, 30 and one grandson.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS & EVENTS

February 2 Program: RITE Teachers
February 9 NO MEETING due to our Valentine party
February 12 Valentine party with the WSC –Sunrise Rotary Club @ Airport Hilton. This also serves as our RITE Farewell
February 15 Board of Director's meeting, 5:15 p.m., Airport Hilton
February 16 Speaker: Jeremy Hill, Director of WSU Center for Economic Development and Business Research
February 20 Interact/ Rotary Casino Night

Request from Lori Taylor

REMEMBER to save Box Tops for Education!! It is an easy way to further the Rotary purpose!! Box Tops for Education can be found on the packaging of such items as General Mills cereals, some Betty Crocker baking mixes, Pillsbury Crescent Rolls and Zip Lock storage bags. Put your box tops in the box specified for that on the back table at our weekly club meetings.

Service Above Self Award

Don't forget to nominate a fellow club member for the Service Above Self Award. The purpose of this award is to recognize a fellow Rotarian for the outstanding contributions they make to the community, our club, social, religious, educational, business ethics, and/or other worthwhile activities. E-mail your nomination to me (dwalkr@sbcglobal.net). Be sure to include the name of the Rotarian you would like to nominate along with the reason.

CLUB INFORMATION

Happy Birthday!
Pat Walden ..... January 29th
Zella Newberry ..... February 1st
Visiting Rotarian
Rob Nicks ..... WSC – Sunrise Rotary
Guests
Todd Carter..... guest of Milt Pippenger
Steve Strickler ..... guest of DeAnn Sullivan
Eric Parkhurst ..... guest of Brian Turney
WELCOME NEW MEMBER – MARK ALLEN! Mark is a Business Consultant with Mark Allen Consulting. His sponsor is Roger Bowles
Attendance & Membership Report
Last meeting: 60% Membership: 73
Last year: 64% Membership: 77
Make-up raffle: Jamie Anderson's name was drawn, but no pin
Collections: Happy Basket: $13.00 **Scooter Bowl: 0**
Holiday raffle: Sharon West won money in our raffle last week.

Semi Annual Attendance Drawing at this week's meeting – qualifiers must be present to win!

WEST WICHITA ROTARY SUPER BOWL

Organized by Paul Blissett

We have a game board with 100 squares available at $10 each therefore generating $1,000. $500 will be divided by $100 being paid to the winner at the end of each quarter and $200 at the end of the game. The remaining $500 will be put in our club's foundation to use as the club decides. The squares on the game board are totally random and there is no thought process that makes one square better than another. You can purchase as many squares on the game board as you want. Bring your checkbook to the meeting to sign up for a square(s) -- cash accepted too! If paying by check, please make it payable to: The West Wichita Charitable Foundation.

Annual Rotary Valentine Dinner
Friday, February 12 - Airport Hilton
Details to follow