



A Letter from President Staley —

Dear Exchangites,

Well fall is almost here. Hope everyone had a great summer. I trust that this letter arrives finding everyone and your families in good health and doing well.

Meetings: Our September 18th meeting was held at Legacy Wealth Management on English Tavern Road. Lynchburg Police Chief, Ryan Zuidema was our speaker and spoke about the challenges that the law enforcement community are facing and the community activities that the police department is participating in.

We will be having our next meeting this Friday, October 2nd at our regular meeting place, Charley's Restaurant. You will have a choice of three entrees for your meal, chicken fingers, chicken salad platter or the prime rib open face sandwich, along with sides. The cost will be \$15.00/person and you will pay Joan Silver. Our speaker will be Deputy Fire Chief, Jonathan Wright. Jon is going to speak about fire safety since October is Fire Safety month.

Red Cross Blood Drive: The Red Cross Blood Drive on September 18th from 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. was a huge success. We had a goal of 29 units and we met that goal. Thanks to club volunteers that helped with the event and special thanks to Lynne Creasy for organizing and working the event.

Golf Tournament: The golf tournament fundraiser will be on May 7, 2021 at London Downs Golf Course. I know it's a ways out, but be thinking about business/individuals that would be interested in sponsoring a hole or putting a team together. The cost for sponsoring a hole will be \$100.00/hole. The tournament will be a Captain's Choice event with lunch at 12:30 p.m. and a 1:30 p.m. starting time. Lunch will be hamburgers and hot dogs, condiments, potato salad, baked beans and drink. Cost will be \$75.00/person to play, or \$300.00/team of four.

This is our only fundraiser for the 2020-2021 year, so we need to hit it out of the park, getting a lot of teams signed up and hole sponsors. We will need everyone's help to make this a success!!!

Child ID Event: The club will participate in an event sponsored by the Campbell County Sheriff's Office on November 7th from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.. We will be conducting our Child ID program so we will need a number of volunteers to help with this project. Contact Dave Burch or myself if you can volunteer for the event.

Board Meeting: The October Board meeting will be held on October 27th, 2020 at 5:30PM at the Grace Church on Timberlake Road. All members are welcome to attend.

As we continue to move forward as a club during these somewhat uncertain time, I will continue to keep everyone as informed as possible concerning club activities. Please stay safe and hope that you can join us at the October 2nd meeting.

Sincerely,

Mike Staley