



THE FLASH

April 8, 2025

President Bill Pfeifer called the meeting to order & led us in the Pledge of Allegiance

Rod Booker – God Bless America

Marcus Ragland - Invocation

Mark Barnhart – Attendance was 28 members and two visitors: David Glad was with Rosalie Bell and Terry O'Halloran was with Bill Pfeifer.

Happy Bucks- Tom Katonka (\$21 was collected)

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW AWARDS: were presented to Marcus Ragland and Dan Galbraith by fellow Rotarians. Congratulations to both of you!

TODAY'S PROGRAM:

Marcus Ragland was our speaker today. His topic was "Exploring AI's Role in Everyday Life." He gave some very valuable information regarding AI, in which many of us may be a little unsure or overwhelmed with the subject.

He provided a plethora of "pros" for utilizing AI. Some of these include:

Enhancing productivity, personal assistants, healthcare support, and financial management. He also spoke about the value for non-profits, such as Rotary. Additionally, AI can help companies gain an advantage over their competitors.

Marcus was able to demonstrate how quickly AI can produce a poem using the 4 ideas given by each of our tables. Who knew that we could read a poem about Bigfoot, woodworking, Mt Everest and a lightbulb in about 20 seconds?

Thank you Marcus for enlightening the group on this growing technology tool.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS:

April 9th: Rotary social gathering at The Boulevard at 5pm.

The District conference will be held in June at Seven Springs. You will continue to receive emails every day until you respond as attending or not.

Our Happy Bucks is being used to support a therapy dog, "Hollywood Star" for 6 months. Our logo will be on her collar during that timeframe, which is a great way for our club to be recognized.

Walk a Mile will take place on April 26th at St. Clair Park. It will be begin at 9am. Let Yvonne know if you plan to attend.

We need volunteers for speakers in June. If you would like to present or if you have someone in mind that would like to present, please let leadership know.

We do not currently have a Vice-President. If you are interested, please let leadership know.

