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Meetings held at
"Buffalos" - Zebulon Rd.
monthly on the
"1st" & "3rd" Thursdays

"Repetitive Club News"

* **Walter Arnett** has conferred with the management of **Meadows Gun Club** and our **Annual Sporting Clay Shoot** has been re-scheduled for August 22nd. The club will need "shooters", door prizes, sponsors, and raffle ticket sales for the Beretta Shotgun as we move forward with the event. Please contact **Walter** to donate, turn in any raffle ticket monies, sponsor names & dollars, and door prizes, or to volunteer for the day of the event. Great **"team"** effort!

* The Board has arranged future regular Club Meetings for the 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM at **"Buffalos"**, Zebulon Road. The General Manager, **Joel Neal** approved use of a special room for meetings. The Club needs to embrace the **"changes"** & the **"new normalcy"**.

ALL MEMBERS ARE URGED TO MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND!

Be prepared to practice **"social distancing"** and bring your **masks**. The meeting agenda will include welcoming of members, opening prayer, and the **"Pledge of Allegiance"** – we will not be singing. The luncheon meal will be ordered individually from **"Buffalos"** menu. We are working on having our annual **"Book of Golden Deeds"**, and **"Proudly We Hail"** awards presentations arranged for our next couple of meetings. August meetings will be **August 6th** and **August 20th**. Mark your calendars!

"New Club News"

* Next week, **August 6th**, **Dr. Allen Justice** will be our 1st Guest Speaker as we attempt to gain a semblance of Club Meeting normalcy. **Dr. Justice** will present information on COVID-19 that will be beneficial to all. You are urged to attend.

* At the **August 20th** meeting, current **District Attorney David Cooke** will address the membership. We have left the topic open for **David**. July was typically when we presented the "Book of Golden Deeds" award, so the Club will be presenting our **"2020/21 Book of Golden Deeds"** award to "catch up".

* **September 10th** meeting, **George Codone, Sr., Director of Operations** for **Chic Fil A** will speak on **"What his Company Has Done Answering OVID-19 Guidelines"**. We will also be presenting the **"2020/21 Proudly We Hail"** award.

* **September 24th**, former member **Mark Stevens** will speak to members on **"Banking Today"**. Also we will present a **"Friend of Exchange"** award.

* September is **"Baby Safety Month"** - we will be presenting a **"baby Safety Car Seat"** to **"Caring Solutions"** in meeting our commitments to Exchange in Middle Georgia.

* **Debbi McCreary** will be arranging a special presentation to our **"Youth of The Year"** and our **"ACE"** recipients in October.

* October is “*Fire and Crime Prevention Month*” so we will be working on presentations for the “*Firefighter of the Year*” award and the “*Law Enforcement Officer of the Year*” award. Particulars for the presentations TBA.

As you can see we still are and will be active in maintaining the commitments of the Exchange Club of Macon.

“Saddened”

Pearl Johnson, former member of the Macon Exchangittes and Wife of former member **Gene Johnson** passed away earlier today dune to complications from Alzheimers and Parkinsons. **Gene & Pearl** were staunch supporters of Exchange and the Georgia State Fair. Condolences to family and friends.



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