

**Rotary Leadership Team
2017-2018**

President - Jerry S. Boyd

President Elect - Chad McDonald

Vice President - Ahmed Elsayw

Secretary - Jim Gray

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Membership Chair - Anne-Marie Ooten

Sergeant At-Arms - Chelsea Rose

Chaplain - Ryan Morris

Club Service Chair - Brandon Parrish

Community Service Chair - David York

International Service Chair - Mike Glass

Immediate Past President - Jason Lankford

Past President - Shelly Christian

Rotary Four Way Test

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and
better friendships?

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

**ROTARY CLUB
OF COOKEVILLE
THE HUB BUB**



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Club meets each Wednesday

12:00 Noon

Leslie Town Centre

One West First Street

Chartered November 2nd, 1935

Rotary District 6780

CookevilleRotary.org

Speakers

May 16 - Students of the Month and Buffy Key - CRMC Patient Safety

May 23 - Rick Woods - Rotary Exchange Students

May 30 - Dr. Kim Hanna - Whitson-Hester School of Nursing

Monthly Program Coordinators

May - Barbara Fleming

June - Ahmed El Sawy

Miscellaneous Rotary Information:

DacDB membership database: log in and check your profile and upload a picture. Find other club member contact information. <https://www.directory-online.com/Rotary/SecLogin.cfm> Contact the club secretary for your password if you do not have one.

Cookeville Rotary Club App for phones and tablets: Need to find a Rotary Club friend? Try downloading the “Cookeville Rotary Club” app from our website.

<http://www.cookevillerotary.org/> and log in to DACdb to see the club member list and contact information.

Cookeville Rotary Club Website:

<http://www.cookevillerotary.org/home>

Hub-Bub Announcements /Weekly E-Mail Announcements to Melissa Parks melissa@pchabitat.org

Online Meeting Make-Ups go to

<http://www.rotary.org/en/members/generalinformation/makeupmissedmeetings/pages/ridefault.aspx>

Information on DAC DB Membership Info go to

<http://www.cookevillerotary.org/home>

To request your access code to our Rotary Club database, contact James Gray at jcg1jim@hotmail.com

Outstanding Rising Seniors

Joy Tiebout	Homeschool
Carson Vaughn	Homeschool
Taylor McWilliams	HRA
Lily Oakley	HRA
Lily Chaffin	CHS
Catelyn Elizabeth Stephens	CHS
Elijah Paul Anderson	CHS
John Clay Massengille	CHS
Adelyn Adams	UHS
Lane Pippin	UHS
Addie Harris	MHS
Cherokee Parker	MHS

Relief for first responders

It’s hard to say exactly when firefighter Dionisio Mitchell started experiencing symptoms of post-traumatic stress disorder – the anger, the impulsivity, the lashing out. Maybe it was after the on-the-job vehicle rollover that could have taken his life. Or after he responded to a call and saw a two-year-old boy die after being hit by a car.

Regardless, “it all came to a point of, ‘I need to talk about it,’” says Mitchell, who has served in the Kern County Fire Department in California for 14 years.

He found help at the Rotary House Retreat, a short-term intensive program for first responders dealing with PTSD. Supported and organized by the six Rotary clubs of Bakersfield, with crucial early support from District 5240, the twice-yearly program gives firefighters, police officers, paramedics, and other first responders the opportunity to learn and practice healthy ways of coping with the constant stresses of their jobs.

Over six days, trained mental health professionals, peers, and volunteer chaplains work with six first-responder guests on common issues such as substance abuse, anger management, anxiety, depression, and sleep problems. The program is held at a secluded ranch in Kern County. Each guest is asked to pay at least \$500 of the \$3,000 cost; the Rotary clubs of Bakersfield provide scholarships to cover the rest, with aid from other Rotarians, nonprofits, churches, and employee associations such as police unions. [Read More](#)