

## August 7, 2024

*"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time."*

### Today's Program

Lora McDonald — Skyhawk Palooza

**July 24<sup>th</sup> Meeting:** UNITED IN BRINGING EXCITEMENT AND LEARNING TO ALL—Jason Stout (left, back row) and Legon Roberson (center) presented a program about Frazier's Book Bus for the July 24 meeting of Kiwanis. Stout, professor of art at UT Martin, described the efforts of approximately 20 students in the League of Striving Artists as they worked on art to be considered for Frazier's Book Bus, the new mobile library that will serve Weakley, Carroll, and Henry counties in northwest Tennessee. Legon Roberson (center), director of grants management and special projects at United Way of West Tennessee, described how the bus was made possible and the collaboration and support of numerous partners. Others pictured are (l-r) Kiwanian Jennifer Medford, who will soon be working with United Way; Suzanne Pelren, children's library assistant at Martin Public Library (MPL); Laura Taylor, Kiwanis president-elect; Jenny Claiborne, MPL youth and children's librarian; and Katie Parr, Kiwanian and director of Martin Public Library. United Way of West Tennessee is a nonprofit organization based in Jackson that advocates for equity through uniting agencies in ways that improve each person's access to health, education, and financial stability.



## Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- Aug. 8 — Board Meeting, Martin Public Library, 12 noon
- Aug. 14 — Jeremy Shulman —New Skyhawks Men's Basketball coach
- Aug. 21 — Brad Thompson — Soybean Festival Lowdown
- Aug. 28 — Emily Anne Sparks—Co-Executive Director of the Miss Tennessee Volunteer Pageant

### August Birthdays

Clinton Smith  
Otha Britton  
Jamie Summers  
Katie Parr

### August Anniversaries

Anna Clark  
Jim Clark  
Earl Wright

**Fifth Wednesday Social:** Eleven members and 8 guests indulged themselves with Italian fare at Dolce Rosso on the July 31. It was especially good to see Steve Lemond out and about after his recent surgery and old friend Frank Black was there too!



## Active Members

Jamie Anita Airee  
Richa Airee  
Bill Austin  
Mary Elizabeth Bell  
Otha Britton  
Anna Clark  
Jim Clark  
Danelle Fabianich  
Olivia Fernandez  
Wayne Fields  
Ann Gathers  
Bettye Giles  
Vickie Hazlewood  
Steve Lemond  
Linda Luther  
Jennifer Medford  
Mary Morgan  
Katie Parr  
Jayne Parrish  
Robertta Peacock  
Vincent Politte  
Linda Ramsey  
Sara Sieber  
Clinton Smith  
David Sudberry  
Jamie Summers  
Laura Taylor  
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