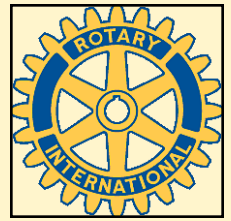




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**January 4 — Nick ONelio — Account Executive
Blue-Chip Unmanned Aerial Solutions, LLC
Topic: Look Up! The New Wave in Aviation is Here
Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs)**

In recent years, the term drone has become a household word. Most of us think of it as a device to deliver bombs or explosives to the door of the enemy in connection with a military mission. However, many practical (and peaceful) uses have been identified for drones or unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs.)

Blue-Chip Unmanned Aerial Solutions, LLC is a company which was founded in Wichita by a group of armed forces veterans with a combined total of more than 45 years of military experience. Utilizing UAVs, the company provides services in the areas of aerial survey and mapping, infrastructure inspection and aerial imaging. In addition, the company partners with aviation companies, both domestic and international, to develop state-of-the-art UAV technology.

Next Monday, Nick ONelio from Blue-Chip Unmanned Aerial Solutions, LLC will provide a first hand look at some of the applications that his company has for UAVs and will share his outlook for the future of these unmanned devices.

ONelio attended high school in Maize and earned a bachelor's degree in business administration with a minor in marketing from Friends University. Prior to joining Blue-Chip as an account executive last September, he worked in a variety of industries including Pepsi Bottling Company, AT&T and Cardinal Health.



**January 11 — Dr. Robert E. Weems, Jr.
Wichita State University
Willard W. Garvey Distinguished Professor of Business History
Topic: Genesis of African-American-owned Businesses in Wichita**

Robert E. Weems, Jr. is the Willard W. Garvey Distinguished Professor of Business History at Wichita State University. Before coming to WSU in the fall of 2011, he taught at the University of Missouri-Columbia and the University of Iowa. Born and raised in Chicago, his educational background includes a Ph.D. in history from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He

has published and spoken widely in the field of African American history with a focus on business and economic history.

Weems is the author of four books and more than three dozen smaller publications. His current projects include: working on a book-length biography of the noted early twentieth-century black entrepreneur Anthony Overton (Overton is cited by the Harvard Business School's database of "Twentieth-Century American Business Leaders" as the first African American to head a major business conglomerate); co-editing the forthcoming book, *Building The Black Metropolis: African American Entrepreneurship in Chicago* (to be published by University of Illinois Press); and gathering and processing of archival material related to the history of African American entrepreneurship in Wichita, which will ultimately be housed in Wichita State University Libraries Special Collections. He was also part of a team project that has completed the recently published book *African Americans of Wichita*.

ROTARY MEETING — DECEMBER 14, 2015



Our final program for 2015 proved to be one of the best. Luke Koch, stone mason and owner of Koch Construction Specialties, shared his background and his evolution into the restoration of stone structures in the Flint Hills of Kansas.



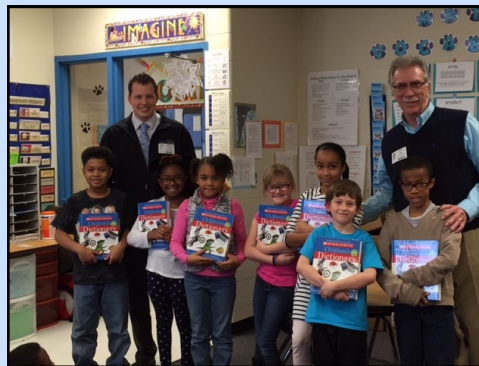
Jim Graham celebrated his 5-year anniversary with the club and Geri Appel marked her 25th year with Rotary. Both received warm wishes from President Clay.



Thanks to those who rang the bell for the Salvation Army this year! Jack Feiden and Mary Beth Jarvis are pictured here on December 11.



Our Rotaractor club, currently led by Mike Malone and Devon Rutledge, joined friends for a night of Christmas caroling at Larkfield Place and Wichita Presbyterian Manor.



Curtis Tillemans and Tom Johnson spread Christmas cheer at Jackson Elementary with the delivery of dictionaries to the third-graders just in time for winter break.

PROGRAM CALENDAR

Jan. 18 — No Meeting — MLK Holiday

Jan. 25 — Robert Mendoza — City of Derby Director of Public Works and District 5690 District Governor-Elect

Feb. 1 — Table Fireside at Botanica

Feb. 8 — Marty Cornejo — President — Cornejo & Sons

Feb. 15 — No Meeting — Presidents' Day

Feb. 22 — Ryan Baty — Owner — THE mattress HUB

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy New Year—2016! See you back at Botanica on Monday, January 4!

MEETINGS & EVENT CALENDAR

Jan. 13 — Men's Brew & Tattoo get-together at the Anchor on Douglas at 5:15 pm

Jan. 19 — Rotary Club Board of Directors Meeting, 11:45 am, Rotary Office

Jan. 25 — Club Annual Meeting — Election of Club and WRCF directors and officers at regular Rotary meeting

— WRCF Board of Directors Meeting, 1:05 pm, Botanica Fireside Room