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### NEXT MEETING

June 22, 2022

Open Space Council

Bonnie Harper

12:30 pm

### JUNE

**Jun 15** - Fun Meeting - Missouri Botanical Garden/Roundtable.

**Jun 22** - Open Space Council, Bonnie Harper.

**Jun 29** - Board/Business Meeting.

### JULY

- Jul 6** - Patriot Training Foundation, Keith Hausher  
- Lt. Gov, Bonnie Paulsmeyer, Official Visit to our club.
- Jul 13** - Oasis International, Mark Akers.
- Jul 20** - Oasis St. Louis OR Fun Meeting.
- Jul 27** - Board/Business Meeting.

Today's meeting was to be a "Fun Meeting Field Trip" to the Missouri Botanical Garden, but due to the extremely hot and humid weather, only two members took the trip. They report that they had a good time and had a personally guided tour of some of the Kemper Center Gardens by Connie's husband, Jim, who works at the Botanical Garden. For those members who didn't go on the field trip because of the heat and/or the amount of walking required, we held a "Roundtable" gathering at Frailey's. But again, only two members attended.

### Member News

No new information at this time.

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**Meetings: Wednesdays – 12:30pm - Frailey's Southtown - 4329 Butler Hill Rd. 63128 (at I-55) - 314-892-1866**

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## Feed My Starving Children

Due to the fact that there was vandalism to the air conditioning at the construction site at Queeny Park, our group could no longer be accommodated in August. However, we have some Good News because we have now secured the **St. Louis County Kennedy Recreation Complex in South County** --- 6022 Wells Rd., St. Louis, MO 63128. We also have new dates which we feel will work better for schools and churches -- New dates --- **September 8, 9, 10 and 11<sup>th</sup>**! Also, Parking is much more plentiful and more accessible. We think this will be a blessing to FMSC's outreach program. We will need up to 3500 volunteers in order to pack our goal of 1 million meals. So, we are hoping you will spread the word and possibly we can encourage many of the schools and churches to participate in this community project! Canned Goods will also be collected for Operation Food Search during this mobile pack. Please visit us at [feedtheneedstl.org](http://feedtheneedstl.org).

For you information, Feed My Starving Children has sent over 15 million meals to the Ukraine Area.

**Oakville HS Key Club News  
OHS Key Club Meetings TBD.**

**Mehlville HS Key Club New  
MHS Key Club meetings TBD.**

With school out for the summer, the Key club meeting times and days will have to be determined when school starts up again in the Fall.

## South County Kiwanis Web Page and Face Book Page

We now have a Web Page and a Face Book Page up and running. You can now follow us on either page by going to them with their addresses, or you can click a link on either of them to get to the other. We encourage you to follow us through either of them to keep abreast of our activities.

**Web Page:** <http://k11339.site.kiwanis.org/>

**Face Book Page:** [South County Kiwanis](#)

## JUNE/JULY

**Birthdays:**  
Bill Leonard - 6/18  
Linda Hoppe - 7/1  
Sherry Stevenson - 7/5

**Anniversaries:**  
Pauline and Gene Roth - 6/4/60  
Lee and Sandy Bodendieck – 7/6/57

**Kiwanis Anniversaries:**  
Sherry Stevenson - 6/27/2000  
Gerry Abeln - 7/11/2008  
John Howard – 7/13/2010



Linda Hoppe and Connie Kuchar with their personal guide, Jim Kuchar, at the Kemper Center Gardens.



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