

The Greensburg Rotary Club has again achieved Star Club status among the 56 clubs in the western half of Kentucky. Justine Landrum, club president, is shown accepting the award at the annual district convention May 13-14 in Bowling Green. Star Club status is awarded to clubs that have achieved an annual \$100 per member contribution to the Rotary Foundation. This is Greensburg's 7th year attaining that goal. One of the benefits is obtaining district grants. Grant recipients in the past few years have been the Dolly Parton Imagination Library and Green County High School Senior scholarships.



Rotary District 6710 Governor Nancy Stearman is shown with District Governor Elect Tom D Reed, of Springfield

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"My job is also to inspire clubs and their members to know that they can change the world," Stearman said. "I also will visit every club in the district at least once and probably twice and the district has about 2,500 members. We've already driven more than 50,000 miles this year."

Part of getting Rotarians to believe they can change the world is getting them to conthe money given locally becomes matched by Rotary and sometimes other organizations.

"I ask every Rotarian to give \$100.00 per year," Stearman said. "In our local club, some give much more than that and some give less."

Stearman went on to say that the Paducah Rotary Club averages \$2,100 per member and they have 220 members.

The local club in Greensburg has achieved Star status for eight consecutive years. Achieving Star status means that a local club is eligible for Rotary funds to come back to the club and to the community. To become a club with Star status means that Ray when he became the club must average \$100.00 giving per member. When a club has done that for two the work while I was Rotarian.



Rotary District 6710 **Governor Nancy Stearman**

tribute money so that years in a row, the dis- governor," he quipped. \$2 that is given.

> This year the disin giving to the Rotary Foundation and they have until June 30 to to serve another term increase that number. as District Governor. This is the first time in district history this has occurred.

> Women were not allowed to join Rotary heading a new mornuntil 1988 and Nancy ing Rotary club that Stearman became a is about to get off the member of the local Rotary club in 1992. Now, 34% of the Rotar- that Rotary is an orgaians in the district are females

> She soon moved into a leadership position, leadership and menbecoming president for toring and being mentwo years beginning in tored," she said. "It's a 1993.

> District Governor in the Rotary motto of July, 2019.

> trict Rotary matches "Nancy was known all that money \$3 for each over the district before she became governor."

> The Stearmans are trict is averaging just the second couple who over \$200 per member have served as governors in District 6710.

> > Nancy has no plans

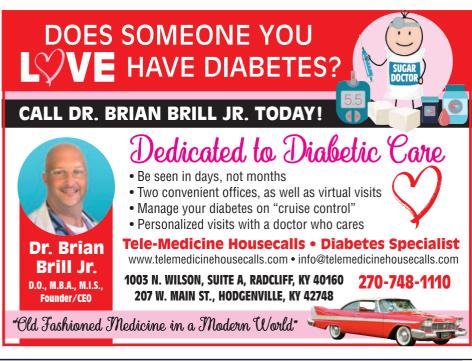
"It's exhausting," she said, "but I won't bow out of Rotary." In fact, she is spear-

ground in Greensburg. She firmly believes

nization that changes the world. "Rotary is all about

chance to change the She assisted Otha life of someone else." Stearman said that

"Service Above Self" "Nancy actually did really does define a



AAA: Gas Prices Rise in Kentucky

Gas prices in West Central Kentucky are data from the Enseven cents higher this ergy Information Adweek at \$3.238, accord-ministration (EIA),

15, 2023 during the week of 218.3 million barrels. May 23, 2022 \$4.245

low cost of oil are the lion barrels last week. main factors. Today's national average is current gas prices 13 cents less than a nationwide, state-

According to new ing to AAA East Cengas demand declined tral's Gas Price Report. from 9.30 to 8.91 mil-This week's aver- lion barrels per day age prices: Western last week. The drop Central KY Aver- has reduced pres-\$3.238 sure on pump pric-Average price dur- es. Meanwhile, total ing the week of May domestic gasoline \$3.166 stocks decreased by Average price 1.4 million barrels to

At the close of Average prices of un- Wednesday's formal leaded self-serve gaso- trading session, West line in various areas: Texas Intermediate \$3.379-BowlingGreen increased by \$1.97 to \$3.063 - Eliz- settle at \$72.83. Oil a b e t h t o w n prices rose amid grow-\$3.605- Louisville ing market optimism \$3.002- Owensboro that global energy de-\$3.142- Paducah mand is rebounding, Trend Analysis: particularly since Chi-As next week's busy na is recovering faster Memorial Day travel than originally expectweekend approaches, ed following the lifting gas prices are rela- of its COVID restrictively stable, increas- tions. Additionally, the ing a penny over the EIA reported that total past week to \$3.54 domestic commercial for a gallon of regular crude inventories inunleaded. A decline creased by 5 million in demand and the barrels to 467.6 mil-

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less than a year ago. at gasprices.aaa.com.



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