

## **Fort Oglethorpe**

The Fort Oglethorpe Kiwanis met on October 13 at Park Place Restaurant with Russel presiding with 10 members and 2 guests present

Ross did the inspirational moment.

Saddle Club event October 21. Fun day. Starts at noon and ends 6pm so short. Need help. November 4 is their awards banquet at 5:30pm. We are a sponsor so can attend free. Includes dinner. Contact Russell as have to RSVP to attend.

October 24 VFW Auxiliary i having a fundraiser. Contact Darlene for tickets. Tuesday 10/17 Backpack Blessings. We are doing a line. We need 10 people there. Technically starts at 4:30 but if there at 4, often starts early, but we will fill you in as you arrive.

Good update of Chuck, but he still has lots to recover.

Catoosa Business Expo 11/9 from 10-2. Free to attend and Amy encourages us. Lots food samples.

PR was in charge of program. Bart Brannon and Kelly Price were the speakers. Bart has been playing since 2010 and is 78 and is a national champion from Chattanooga Valley/Trenton. Kelly coordinates pickleball for

the senior Olympics in Tennessee and works for Chattanooga Parks and Recreation. She started pickleball in Chattanooga. Similar to badminton with basically a a wiffle ball looking ball. They showed indoor and outdoor balls, the outdoor has smaller holes. Kelly told how to do a tournament as\nd PR would like us to do one on the new courts Fort Oglethorpe is building now when they open. Replace the Honeycutt tournament. With 12 courts she said we could do 24 teams in 4 rounds in one day. Teams can be 1 or 2 players. They showed us paddles also. Tournaments are by age and rating. Seniors are 50 and older. All ages play.



From a previous meeting I never sent

