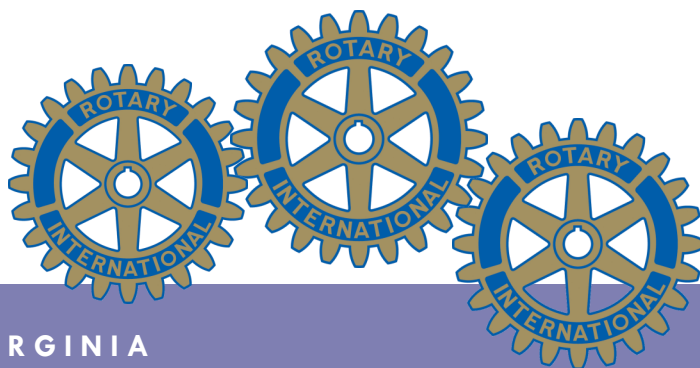


The Hub



ROTARY CLUB OF ASHBURN, VIRGINIA

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Raising Awareness of the Rotary Foundation.



January is Rotary Awareness Month!

Awareness is an important part of The Rotary Foundation's work. It is important that members are aware of The Rotary Foundation Goals 2010-11: polio eradication; the Future Vision Plan; Every Rotarian, Every Year; and the Permanent Fund.

We must also be aware of the Rotary Centers Major Gifts Initiative in support of our Rotary Centers for International Studies in peace and conflict resolution and our USD 200 Million Challenge.

It is important to know that we are 1.2 million Rotarians in approximately 200 countries or geographical regions. Also that we are divided in geographical zones, each of which has one or more regional Rotary Foundation coordinators, assistant regional Rotary Foundation coordinators, and Rotary Foundation alumni coordinators. Furthermore, that The Rotary Foundation finances are totally separate from those of Rotary International and that The Rotary Foundation has its own board of 15 Trustees, headed by a trustee chair. And there are seven regional offices in Argentina, Australia, Brazil, India, Japan, Korea, and Switzerland. Together with the headquarters in the United States, they are available to serve not only Rotary International but also The Rotary Foundation.

Another part of The Rotary Foundation awareness is the sharing of information outside our organization. We are a group of leaders with a superb network. It is time for us to let the world know about all good things that we have accomplished over so many years. Rotarians have the opportunity to create – and must create – awareness regarding world problems and how they can be solved by *Building Communities – Bridging Continents* through Service Above Self.

Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar
Foundation Trustee Chair

Source: <http://www.rotary.org/en/AboutUs/RotaryLeadership/Announcements/Pages/dec07trusteemessageanc.aspx>

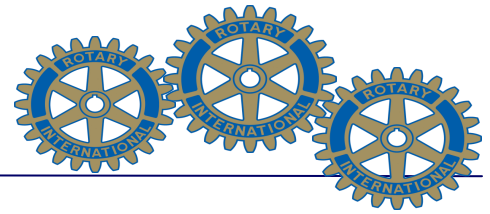
Agenda:

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Invocation
3. Lunch
4. Introduction of Guests
5. Club Announcements
6. Guest Speaker Presentation
7. Upcoming Events
8. 50:50 Drawing/Happy Talk
9. Four Way Test
10. Adjourn 1:15 PM
11. BOD Meeting – following Club Meeting when scheduled.

The Four-Way Test

“Of the things we think say or do:

- 1) Is it the TRUTH?
- 2) Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?”



Weller Elementary to Participate in Book Project

We received word that the Weller Elementary School would like to partner with our Club to help out with our book project. Jay, working with Janet Platenburg, Principal and Meredith McCarthy, Reading Specialist, has made arrangements with the school to collect books that can be used for our project. More to come on this project!

"A Rotary club gives us an opportunity that no social, political, or specialized business club can do. It is strong on the human side; it stands for the individual, unfetters him, appeals to his originality, brings out his latent powers, and puts him at his best by extending him the full measure of his confidence and appealing to the best that is in him — 'service not self.' "

-- 1912-13 RI President Glenn C. Mead in *The National Rotarian* , January 1912

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Upcoming Meetings & Special Events

Jan. 6: New Year's Meeting

Jan. 13: Classification Talk – Nancy Pav

Jan. 20: Craig Durosco – President, Sun Design Re-modeling

Jan. 27: Club Business Meeting

Note: All Meetings, unless otherwise noted, will be held at the 1757 Golf Club from 12:00 to 1:15 PM.