

ROTARY LAKESHORE IN ACTION

ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE AT NO FRILLS! (FRIDAY SEPT 22 FROM 1-5 PM)

The Club will hold its annual food drive in support of Food4Kids at Mark's NOFRILLS at Lake and Lakeshore and what was formerly Ryan's on Welland Ave as in previous years.

In order to man this properly, Marlene is looking for 10 volunteers to run the event: 8 to be at the grocery stores to greet customers and encourage donations, and 2 to help sort and unpack at Food4kids. Available shifts are as follows:

- 2 volunteers at Lake St from 1-3
- 2 volunteers at Lake St from 3-5
- 2 volunteers at Welland Ave from 1-3
- 2 volunteers at Welland Ave from 3-5
- 2 volunteers to unpack at Food4kids on Cushman Rd from 3:30 to 5:30+

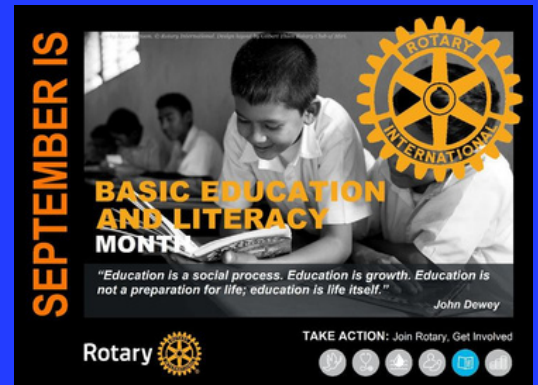
Please email Marlene at marlene_mader@hotmail.com with your preferred task, time slot and location.



UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Sept 13, 2023
Clarice Garden Grand Opening.
Hospital and Mr Mikes.

Sep 27, 2023
Club Assembly



BINGO VOLUNTEERS IN SEPTEMBER

We have 2 Thursdays and one Monday, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Thurs Sept 7 - Annette & Angela
Mon Sept 11 - Bruce & Coral
Thurs Sept 28 - TBD & TBD

We now need two volunteers per session.

Reminder: you must come in your blue rotary shirt and black pants

WEEDING TEAM “CLEANS UP” AT CLARICE WEST-HOBBS CONTEMPLATIVE GARDEN!



Part of the Team – ready to go!



Taking advantage of a Sitting Rock.



Hard at it!



The reward at Mr. Mike's

Rotary Medalists and Vocational Service Award Winners Join Club for Dinner!

At our July 26th Meeting, Youth Services Chair Al Scales welcomed six students who joined us from our sponsored high schools. Members were able to meet the students as they enjoyed dinner together and hear about their exciting future plans for the summer, further education and beyond. Following dinner, Al presented the Rotary medalists on hand with their long-delayed (*by the supplier, not Al*) framed certificates and medals.



WORLD & COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

Club Supports St. George's Church Breakfast Program

The World & Community Committee was pleased to issue a cheque in support of St. George's Anglican Church breakfast program. Last year the program fed more than 30,000 people and recently up to 100 or more each day. For 28 years, the program has provided breakfast to people from all walks of life and relies entirely on gifts and donations.



Elaine presents cheque to Duncan Moffett.



Charles Ansell Park A Popular Location

The McKellar propeller placed in Charles Ansell Park by the Rotary Club of St. Catharines Lakeshore is attracting attention.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Make sure to mark these future club events on your calendars. You don't want to miss out on all the action and fun!

**Clarice Garden Grand Opening at Hospital (4 p.m.) and Mr Mikes (5 p.m.)
September 13**

**Whole Blood Donation
September 25**

CLUB MEETING INFO BOX

When:

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month at 6:00 PM

Board Meeting 4th Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Where:

In-person for dinner at Holiday Inn Suites

NOVEMBER TRIVIA NIGHT LAUNCHED!

- Tables of up to 8 people
- Cost per table \$225. Early Bird Special \$200 (buy before September 30, 2023)
- 100 General Trivia questions, written by our own Quizmasters, over 7 rounds.
- Doors open at 6. Questions start at 7:00 p.m. sharp
- Drinks will be available to purchase including water, wine, beer, pop and mixed drinks. Sorry NO outside drinks
- FREE hot dogs, popcorn, chips mix, tea and coffee supplied. You are welcome to bring your own food as well.



Club Golf Social Swings!

August 16th saw 23 Rotary Lakeshore members and friends tee off at Legends on the Niagara for the annual Club Golf Social. Following their games, everyone gathered for Pizza and Wings.



Next Blood Donation Date (Sept 25 - Whole Blood)

The last group Whole Blood donation was held June 26 with 25 donors. Anne Lanthier helped with welcoming donors while Patricia and Gary Snider donated from the club. The first group Blood Plasma donation at the new clinic was held on July 13 with 10 donors. Two Rotarians participated from other clubs with Beth the only donor from Lakeshore.

The next donations date is Sept 25 for Whole Blood with 25 spots available. The goal is to organize a monthly plasma donation and increase the number of donors.

