



# Flint Rotary World

Charter No. 220 – **Rotary Club of Flint, Michigan** – Organized April 7, 1916  
Rotary theme for 2018 - 19 – “Be the Inspiration”

Barry Rassin, Rotary Club of East Nassau, New Providence, Bahamas, Rotary International President  
John Schlatman of Hanover, Ontario, Governor, District 6330

**Coming up: Dan White, Pulitzer Prize-Winning Photographer**  
**At the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan Hunger Solutions Center**

## OUR GUEST SPEAKER



President Mike with Mott Children’s Health Center volunteer Helen Philpott and Director of Child and Adolescent Health, Jeff House.

## Mott Children’s Health Center

The Rotary Club of Flint welcomed Jeff House, Director of Child and Adolescent Health, from Mott Children’s Health Center (MCHC). He began his career as a registered nurse and went back to school to become a healthcare administrator. He has been with MCHC for four months.

MCHC was established in 1939 by C.S. Mott to serve as a safety net organization for children with a variety of health needs. Currently, 94% of the children seen are Medicaid-eligible. To receive services, children between 0-19 must reside in Genesee County and be at 200% or below of the federal poverty level (or 400% or below the poverty line if living in the City of Flint proper).

Pediatric services offered through MCHC include:

- Dentistry
- Psychology
- Psychiatry
- Audiology
- Pediatrics
- Wellness center

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## VITAL STATISTICS

For the August 10<sup>th</sup> meeting:

**Fred Hinz** was our song leader, and he did triple duty with the raffle and setup/take-down. **Bill Beck** greeted us as we entered. The inspirational message was delivered by **George Wilson**. Registering and introducing our guests and visiting Rotarians was **Kimberly Roddy**. Special thanks to **Desmond Sheppard** for providing piano music in Paul Vanston’s absence.

## OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS 2018-2019

President – Mike Chaffee  
 President-Elect – George Ananich  
 Vice President – Jane O’Dell  
 Vice President – Ray Gist  
 Director – Fred Hinz  
 Director – Kyle McCree  
 Director – Elizabeth Jordan  
 Director –  
 Past President – Gerald McCarty II  
 Club Administrator – Amy van der Putte  
 Treasurer – Rebecca Millsap

### **10- Minute Rotarian**

Dave Smith stepped up this week and shared a variety of things he did this week from the “10-Minute Rotarian” list. Among them:

- Read *The Rotarian* magazine
- Thanked Steve Jadwin for his service in organizing the golf outing
- Paid his invoice
- Visited the webpage
- Invited someone to be his guest to a Rotary meeting

Who’s ready to share your 10-Minute Rotarian story on Friday?

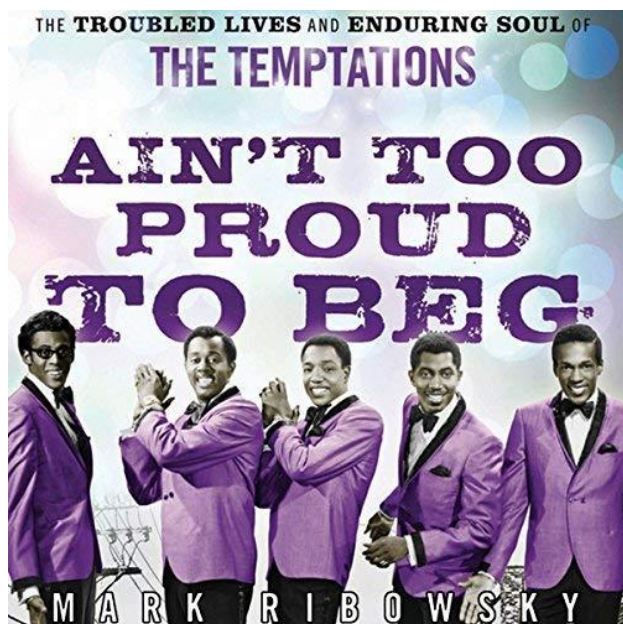
### **The Crim is Coming!**

If you are running in the Crim- best of luck to you. If you are not... President Mike will be serving Bloody Marys bright and early that day to toast the runners (3116 Hawthorne). Rotarians are welcome to stop by- but be there by 7:00 am. (And if champagne is your thing, Rob Jewell will be toasting race participants at the Champagne Corner as well.)

### **Pledge Cards Due**

As of August 10, 69 Rotarians had turned in their pledge cards (thank you). If yours is not among that number... please send your pledge card to Amy Van der Putte by August 15.

After that, a variety of creative methods might be employed to get your pledge card in...



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MCHC has several points of pride. The University of Michigan School of Dentistry named MCHC the best dental registry program in the nation. And—much to patients’ satisfaction—people using MCHC’s services have an average wait time of less than ten minutes.

Last year, MCHC provided 26,551 visits to 11,409 different patients. Dental services constitute two-thirds work, with pediatric medicine coming in second with another quarter of the services provided. Psychiatric and psychological services are the smallest component of what is offered, but the demand for these has been high. With the addition of another staff member, the volume of people seen in this area is up 150% over last year.

MCHC strives to understand the context in which it works and to serve families in the manner that is most supportive. This commitment is framed by an understanding of how Adverse Childhood Events (ACEs) such as experiences of violence, divorce, or death of a loved one can affect physical and mental well-being throughout the lifespan. The more traumas endured in childhood, the greater the risk for future health challenges. With this understanding, MCHC strives to intervene early in the lives of children.

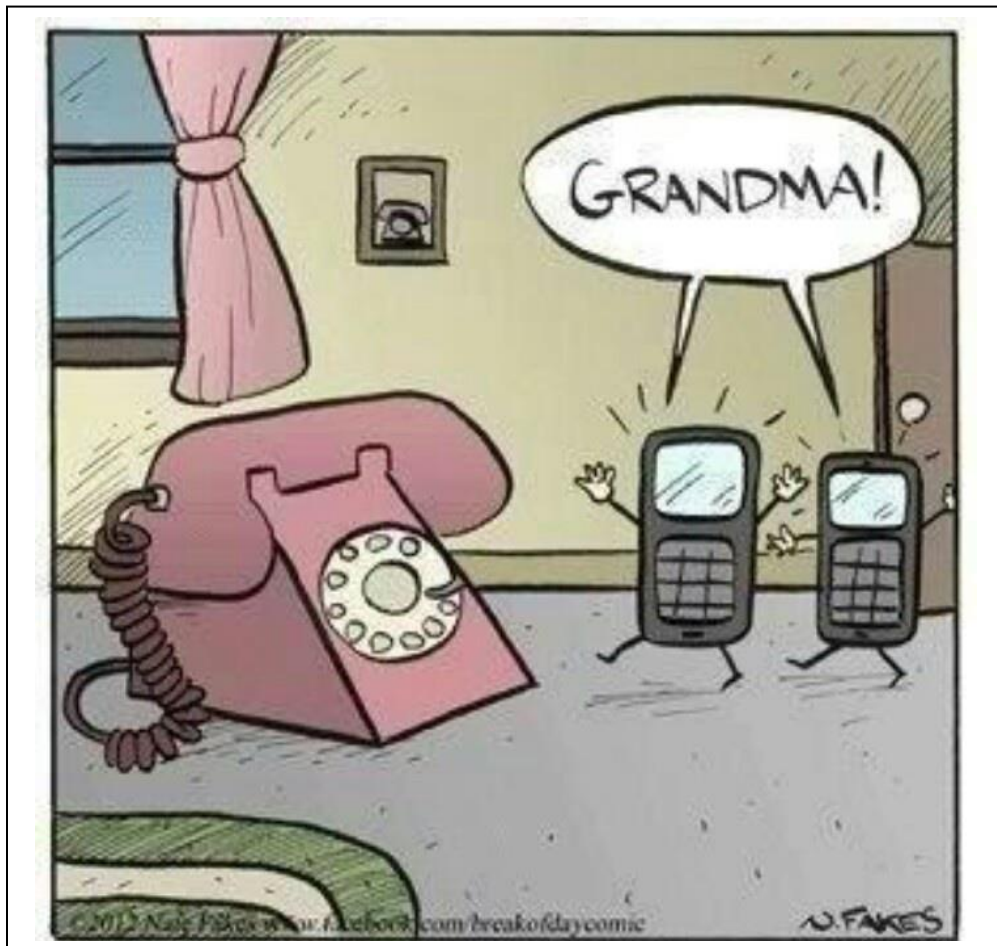
One barrier that can make it hard for families to access services is transportation. Although MCHC is on a bus line, navigating buses with small children—especially in bad weather—is a challenge. When possible, MCHC attempts to make education and other services available in the person’s home so they do not have to overcome that hurdle.

### **ABCs TO INCREASING MEMBERSHIP**

- A. Ask potential members to a Rotary meeting.
- B. Brief potential members on the club and its service to the community, explain expectations on attendance, involvement and finances.
- C. Contact Amy van der Putte for a member proposal form or download it from the website. “One does not join Rotary, one becomes a Rotarian.”

Makeup Date	Rotarian	Makeup Location
08/06/18	Donald Lada	Grand Blanc

Guest/ Visiting Rotarian	Employer/ Home Club	Guest of
Glenn Kaiser	Prospective Member	Hal Flynn
Desmond Sheppard	UM-Flint Alumnus	Substitute Pianist



## Where to make up:

<b>Monday</b>	
Saginaw Valley	7:15 AM
<i>Saginaw Valley Heritage Center</i>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	
Clio	7:30 AM
<i>Roger's Lodge</i>	
Columbiaville	6:30 PM
<i>Rotary Building</i>	
Durand	11:30 AM
<i>Durand City Hall Basement</i>	
Fenton	7:15 AM
<i>Spring Meadows Country Club</i>	
Genesee Valley (Flint)	12:00 PM
<i>Redwood Lodge, Hill Rd.</i>	
Grand Blanc	12:00 PM
<i>Little Joe's</i>	
Lapeer	12:10 PM
<i>Lapeer County Center Building</i>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	
Davisburg (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday)	7:00 PM
<i>4H Fair Grounds Community Room</i>	
Greater Flint Sunrise	7:00 AM
<i>Academic Resource Center at Baker College</i>	
Owosso	12:15 PM
<i>Owosso Memorial Hosp. Annex</i>	
Saginaw	12:00 PM
<i>Saginaw Club</i>	
<b>Thursday</b>	
Burton	12:10 PM
<i>IMA Brookwood Golf Club</i>	
Corunna	12:00 PM
<i>Pleasant Valley</i>	
Flushing	7:00 AM
<i>Sorrento's Restaurant</i>	
Frankenmuth	12:10 PM
<i>Zehnder's Restaurant</i>	

## Future Programs

Aug 24, 2018- An Afternoon Lunch and a Glass Blowing Demonstration - **OFFSITE MTG @ FIA!**

Aug 31, 2018- **NO MEETING** Labor Day Holiday- Join us at noon at the White Horse!

Sep 07, 2018- Kathryn Boles, President/CEO, Valley Area Agency on Aging

Sep 14, 2018- Michael J. Thorp, Broadcaster and Author, Michigan Trivia is More than Trivia

Sep 21, 2018- Kevin Kirbitz, Operations Manager, Durant-Dort Factory One

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## The Rotary 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?"