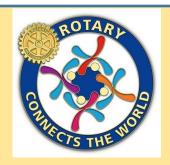
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Rotary Club OC-UT July 2nd Program - League of Women Voters, CMC

The Rotary Club of Ocean City - Upper Township online program for Thursday, July 02, 2020, will be Mary Conley, President of the League of Women Voters (LWV) of Cape May County.

In addition to her program about the local LWV Chapter, Ms. Conley will also discuss this year's 100th Anniversary commemorating the 19th Amendment for Women Suffrage in the United States.

The League's website theme title is "Making Democracy Work".

The League's mission and roles statement defines their group as ...

"a nonpartisan political organization encouraging informed and active participation in government. It influences public policy through education and advocacy. We never support or oppose any political party or candidate."

The League of Women Voters embrac-

es two separate and distinct roles.

"Voters Service/
Citizen Education: we present unbiased
nonpartisan



information about elections, the voting process, and issues."

"Action/Advocacy: we are also nonpartisan, but, after study, we use our positions to advocate for or against particular policies in the public interest." In addition, the LWV Cape May County Chapter's listed principles that guide their organization include:

"The goal of the League of Women Voters is to empower citizens to shape better communities world-

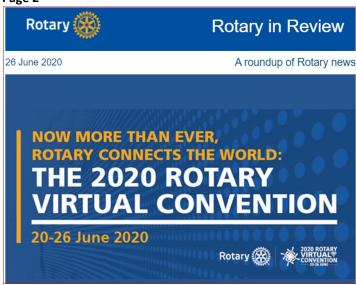
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Officer Changeover Ceremony June 25, 2020



The Rotary Club of Ocean City - Upper Township online program held Thursday, June 25, 2020, was the traditional changeover ceremony. However this year it was a totally different experience. Outgoing Rotary Club President Jim Chadwick did a virtual hand-over of the Club gavel to President Elect Randi Scheck during a Zoom meeting.

The program was a celebration of Club accomplishments as we reflected on the ongoing challenges of Covid -19; looked back on a year of hard work; acknowledged service above self by key members; planned for the year ahead; and shared the fellowship that bonds the friendship of our members. Video link of full meeting on Facebook here. Share this link with family & friends https://bit.ly/RotaryOCUTInstallation



Link for Rotary Convention Full Coverage https://convention.rotary.org/en/honolulu

This week's RI and District Stories Environment new Rotary focus area

The Rotary Foundation Trustees and RI Board of Directors both unanimously approved adding a new area of focus: supporting the environment. Creating a distinct area of focus for the environment will give Rotary members even more ways to bring about positive change in the world. Read more here.

We were built for this

While Rotary clubs have had to adapt to the challenges of COVID-19, the pandemic has also provided some opportunities. Rotary members, as leaders in their communities, are in an ideal position to assist with the rebuilding, reforming, and reshaping that will be needed in our communities. Blog contributor Paddy Rooney, a district governor, explains how Rotary was built for a crisis like this. Read more here.



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League of Women Voters Rotary's July 2nd Program

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wide.

"The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan political membership organization which:

Acts after study and member agreement to achieve solutions in the public interest on key community issues at all government levels;

Builds citizen participation in the democratic process;

Engages communities in promoting positive solutions to public policy issues through education and advocacy."

Following her presentation, Ms. Conley will answer questions that have been submitted online prior to the meeting.

RSVPs are requested and advance questions can be submitted with this link https://bit.ly/Rotary02JulyMaryConleyLWV

Program Link > http://capemay.nj.lwvnet.org
The Zoom link for the July 2nd session will be on

the Rotary Club website > http://ocutrotary.org

Rotary Inter-Clubs, quests, prospective members and the general public are always welcome to attend Rotary meetings.

Rotary Community Activities:

- Food Drive: The Rotary Club continues to support the temporary Community Food Pantry at the Star Lodge #65 in Tuckahoe, Upper Twp.

Future Rotary Online Program Highlights:

- July 16th, George Morrison, ShelterBox Ambassador
- July 30th, May Montag-McMurray, Rotary District7505 Governor

All meetings are on Thursdays @ 6:30 pm. There will be no meetings on July 9th or July 23rd

August Rotary meetings are in the planning stages and one of the programs will hopefully be the annual visit by Professor Ron Shaiko, Dartmouth College. Rotary Club of Ocean City - Upper Township: To learn more about the OC-UT Rotary Club contact Rotary Club President Randi Scheck (m) 609.412.3459. ##