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Skaneateles Rotary Club, Skaneateles NY, U.S.A.
 Rotary District 7150
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Skantarian Newsletter

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Birthdays & Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Bill Conole

November 1

Gary Caldwell

November 1

Lee Overstrom

November 27

Join Date

John O'Sullivan

November 6, 2008

NOTICE of NOTE - Mark your Calendars for Nov. 12th, DG MacDonald's Official Visit & Message.

From The Prez - The Rotary Foundation Brunch & Awards

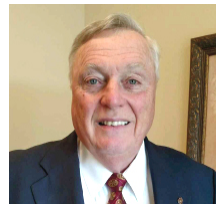
My Dear Friends and Fellow Rotarians. On Sunday November 1st I was honored to receive two awards on behalf of our club from the Rotary District 1750. At our Foundation brunch the Skaneateles Rotary Club was recognized for being third in per capita giving to the Foundation and first in total dollars given to the Polio Plus foundation, congratulations to all the members of our club. These achievements were accomplished in the 2014-15 Rotarian year under the leadership of *Cheryl Silvestrini*. **Job well done!** ... *Bill Blessing*.

NEW DISTRICT NEWSLETTER by *Ward*



Our District has a new and exciting on-line newsletter, which can be accessed from District's home-page at: <http://rotary7150.org> Tis packed with District information, happenings and upcoming club events. Access from the banner in the header. Try it, you'll like!

WELCOME MARV JOSLYN, DGND



DG Mac

The district is pleased to introduce the District Governor Nominee Designate, to lead us in the 2018/2019 Rotary year. Marv and his wife Janet are active members of the Baldwinsville Rotary Club. He has served as club president, club treasurer, Area 5 Assistant Governor and is classified as a retired insurance auditor. ... *by*

2014-15 Rotary Foundation Global Grants roundup

We've closed the door on a second full year of the new grant model and there's a lot of good news to report: We awarded 1,078 global grants in 2014-15, up 24 percent from the previous year's total. The dollar value of global grants totaled \$64.9 million. The most popular area of focus was disease prevention and treatment, followed closely by water and sanitation. We also awarded 487 district grants, totaling \$23.8 million. And we awarded 16 scholarships, totaling about \$500,000, for study at UNESCO-IHE in the Netherlands. ... *from RF*



LAST WEEK: Club Assembly ... by *Bill Conole*

Christmas Benefit - *Jack Hyatt* reminded everyone that our Christmas Benefit is scheduled for Thursday December 3rd in the

7 years

Upcoming Events

[Rotary Leadership Institute - Canadagua](#)

Nov 07, 2015

[Christmas Basket Fund Raiser at SCC](#)

Dec 03, 2015

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SCC. Tickets are moving briskly so Jack urged everyone to get their tickets now.

Inland Port - *John O'Sullivan*

introduced his friend & associate, *Rich Roche* by noting that for the past 21 years Rich has worked in the inter modal business moving international containers to & from the Syracuse region. In the early 2000's Rich was instrumental in bringing containerized rail service from the West Coast to Syracuse. Rich opened his presentation by describing ocean container ships . With modern technology today's container ships are much larger & can move large amounts of freight efficiently & at low cost. Because of the new ships enormous size many canals & harbors are being broadened & dredged to accommodate these new wider container ship & their 40'-50' drafts. Rich pointed out the many benefits of developing a new, state of the art, inland port to CNY. Properly implemented it will provide our region with the economic & environmental efficiencies of rail transport, much needed jobs & many other economic opportunities. Rich explained in detail how the inland port will operate in Jamesville. Rich stressed that this inland port proposes to bring 2,000 well paying jobs to Syracuse with a low barrier to entry. This inland port is an exciting project that can have a profound effect on Syracuse & the CNY region for many years.



Our Guests - Girard Purdy (Sue's husband) and Dale Drake

Our 50/50 Winner - 50-50 –won by *Amy Tormey*—now only 8 cards left.

Active Members - 60

Percent attendance - last week - 57%

THIS WEEK: Rotary Foundation - *Bill Buterbaugh & Chuck O'Neil*

NEXT WEEK: RDG Mac MacDonald's official visit and message

FUTURE SPEAKERS & EVENTS: *See listing below*

MEETING SETUP

ASSIGNMENTS

Set-up 50/50

Ticket Sales

Pledge

Invocation

Nov 05

John Moran

Chuck O'Neil

John O'Sullivan

Umesh Patil

Nov 12

David Piper

Skip Plank

Mary Popovich

Doug Powell

Be courteous & please get a replacement if you won't be available for your assignment!

D7150 and RI 2015-16 Future Events

- Nov 07 - Rotary International UN Day - [Info & Registration](#)
- Nov 07 - Rotary Leadership Inst., Canandaigua, NY. [Info & Registration](#)
- Jan 23, 2016 - D7150 Membership & Communications, and District Grant Seminar. No Charge. [Info & Registration](#)



QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

"Three grand essentials to happiness in this life are something to do, something to love and something to hope for." ...Joseph Addison (1672-1719)

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OUR 2015-16 ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE LONG TERM EXCHANGE PROGRAM



Outbound - The 2015-16 Rotary Youth Exchange Outbound students have departed for a year as exchange students abroad. **Sofia Darovskikh**, to *Finland*, and **Zach Driscoll** to *Germany*. We wish them all the best on their "adventure of a lifetime".

Inbound - students have arrived: **Daniela**, from Chile, hosted by *Cecillia & Rod Stabile*, and **Vincent Lambert** from France, hosted by *Charley & Kim Driscoll*.

SHORT TERM EXCHANGE PROGRAM (STEP)

Hope Glowacki has spent a few weeks in Sicily, Italy and her host sister, Irene returned with her to Skaneateles for a few weeks.

Adrianna Marshall traveled to Thuringia, Germany and his host sister, Constanze, returned to Skaneateles for an exchange.



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MAKE UPS: Remember to report your "make ups" to David Piper ASAP. You can email him at piper97j@yahoo.com **It is important to report the date**, the work you are doing and the time you are putting in. To learn more on make-ups and procedures, visit: [CLICK HERE](#)

Speakers

Nov 12, 2015

[DG Mac MacDonald](#)

District Governor's official visit and message

Nov 19, 2015

[Karen Price](#)

S.T.E.P. - Short Term Exchange Program (YE) TBC

Nov 26, 2015

[Thanksgiving](#)

NO MEETING

Dec 03, 2015

[SCC-Christmas Fundraiser](#)

Skaneateles Country Club

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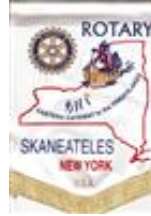
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We meet Thursdays at 6:30 PM

The Sherwood Inn
26 W. Genesee St
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