



# The Skantarian

Skaneateles Rotary Club, Skaneateles NY, U.S.A.

Rotary District 7150

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Oct 22, 2015

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## Birthdays & Anniversaries

*Member Birthdays*

**Bill Rosbrook**

October 8

**Suzette Grinnals**

October 12

**Rob Cooper**

October 16

**Brad McLennan**

October 22

**Peter Adams**

**NOTICE of NOTE - Time to visit the pumpkin patch!**  
State Street School, Oct. 31st.



**October 29th is Rotary Polio Eradication Day**

Honor the day by making a contribution to Polio Plus. Only 50 new cases of Polio this year and it is estimated to be zero by 2018.

**STATE STREET SCHOOL ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY & ZOMBIELAND**

Mark your calendar for Halloween Night, Saturday, Oct. 31st.

**Costume Judging with Cider & Donuts** At 6

pm our club's Rotarians will host the annual costume judging with cider and donuts for the children of our village. Amy Tormey is looking for lots of volunteers to make this a memorable event. She would like to have an idea of who is coming, so please drop her an email at:



[tormeyesl@verizon.net](mailto:tormeyesl@verizon.net) or call her at: 559-1549.

**Join Alice in Zombieland!!** Last year, a wonderful crew of Rotarians also helped with setup at Haunted Hallways ... beginning at about 3:15 (one hour is great ... and we could also keep you for more!!! Any amount is good). This involved helping to blanket the hallways and lockers with sturdy black plastic sheets ... and helping with some structural things as well as lighting before and while the kids start decorating. Set up is; Friday, 4-6 PM and Saturday, Noon -?. A shout out to those of you who did it last year. Can we have you back?? :) Anyone willing to help, please contact Lori Ruhlman at [loriruhlman@msn.com](mailto:loriruhlman@msn.com) (or 729-2831) OR Karen Price at [kprice@skanschools.org](mailto:kprice@skanschools.org) (729-1852).

If we have overflow volunteers at the Rotary event in the cafeteria and gym, we would always welcome Rotarians to help greet the masses in the lobby and at the front doors ... Our theme this year is: Alice in Zombieland!!! *fun stuff. come dressed if you want. :)*

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

**Cardinal Fan honors Clubs Fan** - In response to a friendly bet, President Bill, an avid St Louis Cardinal fan, opened the meeting by donning a Chicago Cubs cap given to him by John Moran to celebrate the recent Cub victory in the playoffs.

**President Bill reminded** members of the following:

1. **Marcellus Pancake Breakfast** on Sunday October 25th in the Marcellus Fire Department from 8AM to 12:30PM
2. **Rotary Leadership Institute RLI** on Saturday October 24<sup>th</sup> in VVS High School
3. **CNY Veterans Day Dinner** on Nov 11<sup>th</sup> at the Welch Allyn

October 27

**Al Coates**  
October 31

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## Links

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## Executives & Directors

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[Bill Blessing](#)

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Lodge

4. **Rotary Christmas Dinner**, December 3<sup>rd</sup> in the SCC.

5. **Pancake Breakfast Summary & Recognition** - Outgoing Pancake Breakfast Chair reviewed the results of our 2015 Breakfast. Robin thanked the many club members & volunteers who worked so effectively to make this year's breakfast the most successful breakfasts in recent memory. Robin cited this year's increased advanced sales as a major factor in our successful outcome. This year we served almost 2,800 people. Heavy rains soaked our parking fields & held down our attendance a bit. Robin said this year, because of everybody pitching in, everything from the set-up to the take down went very smoothly. As a result this year's net profit was a record \$14,718. Robin pointed out that all of this money is promptly given to local food pantries & local charities. After Robin's report President Bill presented Robin with a beautifully engraved commemorative clock from our club members and Jim McQuiggan presented Robin with a "golden spatula" in honor of his 12 years of outstanding leadership as our club Pancake Breakfast Chair. Robin received a standing ovation for a **Job Well Done!**



**Our Guests** - Dale Drake

**Our 50/50 Winner** - 50-50 -won by *Bill Blessing*—now only 10 cards left.

**Active Members** - 60

**Percent attendance - last week** - 37%

**THIS WEEK:** Status of Auburn - 2015 Mayor Mike Quill of Auburn

**NEXT WEEK:** Ron Roche - CNY Inland Port

**FUTURE SPEAKERS & EVENTS:** See listing below

## MEETING SETUP

### ASSIGNMENTS

**Set-up 50/50**

**Ticket Sales**

**Pledge**

**Invocation**

**Oct 22**

Suzanne Hutchinson

Jack Hyatt

Robin Jowaisas

Ralph Jurgensen

**Oct 29**

David Lee

Gard Lorey

Roy MacDonald

Jim McQuiggan

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

## D7150 Rotary Foundation Brunch

Nov 1, at 1:00 to 3:00 PM, at Traditions at the

Links, No. Syracuse. Fee \$25 per person. Hear

reports from recipients of District Grants

and discover ideas for future District Grants. Honor

our district's Rotary Foundation Donors. Clubs will be

recognized with RF Annual Fund banners & certificates. To to the

D7150 website, or [Click Here](#) for more information and

registration.



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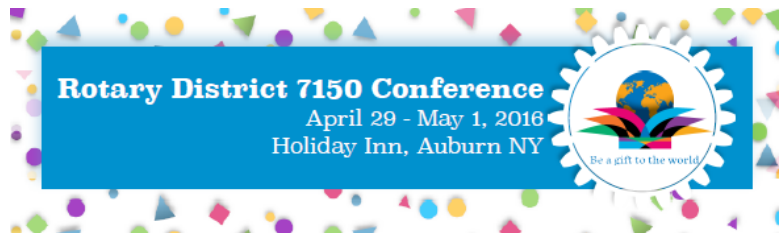
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## REGISTER EARLY & SAVE

Discounted registration through December 31st only!

### More Affordable

This year's conference is as light on the wallet as a weekend-long event can get! It is less than \$500 for a couple to attend and eat the whole weekend.

### More Valuable

Plan on lectures and facilitated discussion featuring Rotary and non-Rotary topics that you will find interesting and fun. The first 100 to sign up get a beautiful theme tote bag!

### More Learning

With more classes to choose from, pick the topics that are right for you. Plan on taking home new information that can help your club!

### More Online

Follow the [Rotary District 7150 Facebook](#) page, join the [conference group page on Facebook](#) and check out the [district web site](#) for the latest information about conference.

- See more at: <http://rotary7150.org/Page/district-conference-2016>

## D7150 and RI 2014-15 Future Events

- Oct 24 - Rotary Leadership Inst., VVS HS, Verona NY. [Info & Registration](#)
- Nov 01 - Rotary Foundation Brunch -1 PM - Tradition at the Links, N. Syracuse. [Info & Registration](#)
- Nov 07 - Rotary International UN Day - [Info & Registration](#)
- Nov 07 - Rotary Leadership Inst., Canandaigua, NY. [Info & Registration](#)



### QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

"People who think they know everything are a great annoyance to those of us who do..." ... Isaac Asimov

## 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



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**MAKE UPS:** Remember to report your "make ups" to David Piper ASAP. You can email him at [piper97j@yahoo.com](mailto: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

Oct 22, 2015

[Mike Quill, 2015 Mayor of Auburn](#)

*Status of Auburn*

Oct 29, 2015

[Ron Roche](#)

*CNY Inland Port*

Nov 05, 2015

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*The Rotary Foundation*

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*District Governor's official visit and message*

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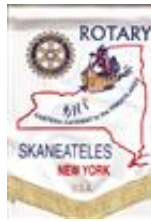
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## Welcome to our Club!

### Service Above Self

We meet Thursdays at 6:30 PM

The Sherwood Inn  
26 W. Genesee St  
Skaneateles, NY 13152  
United States



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*"Service Above Self"*