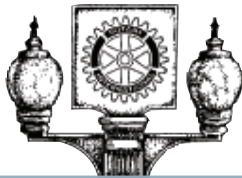




The Skantarian

Skaneateles Rotary Club Newsletter

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Skaneateles Rotary Club

Chartered Feb. 23rd, 1927

SRC's Officers - 2013-14:

President: [Bill Conole](#)
 President Elect: [Cheryl Silvestrini](#)
 Past President: [Peter Adams](#)
 Vice President: TBD
 Treasurer: [Duane Weaver](#)
 Corr. & Rec Secretary: [Skip Plank](#)
 Exec-Secretary: [Ward Vuillemot](#)
 Sgt at Arms: [Chuck Williams](#)

Committee Chairs

Administration: [Bill Conole](#)
 Fund Raising: [Guido van der Ven](#)
 Membership: [Doug Rutan](#)
 Mbr Retention: [Roberta Williams](#)
 Public Relations: TBD
 Rotary Foundation: [Bill Buterbaugh](#)
 Programs: [Jim McQuiggen](#)
 Interact: [Karen Price](#)
 Service Projs: [Peter Adams](#)
 Youth Exchange: [Lee Bennett](#)

Board of Directors

2012-14 Term
[Steve Schwartz](#)
[Doug Rutan](#)
[Roberta Williams](#)
[Ward Vuillemot](#)
 2013 - 15 Term
[Bill Huba](#)
[Jim McQuiggen](#)
[Jean Sardino](#)
[Guido van der Ven](#)

Foundation Board

Chair: [Robin Jowaisas](#)
 Vice Chair: [Chuck O'Neil](#)
 Secretary: [Doug Rutan](#)
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 Gifting: [Gard Lorey](#)

District 7150 Contacts

Governor: [Dennis Schoneewetter](#)
 Asst. Governor: [Ed Helinsk](#)



CONDOLENCES- It is with sadness to report that fellow Rotarian Dan Roche's son Ken passed away unexpectedly last week. Ken lived in Steamboat Springs, Colorado and was a master plumber and fly fisherman like his Dad. Our condolences to Dan and Linda. Memorial services are pending.

LAST WEEK: Our Club presented Paul Harris Fellowships to Jacque McConnaghy & Pat Snyder in appreciation of the tangible & significant contributions they have made by serving our community's most needy as Coordinators of the Skaneateles Outreach Office. Bill Conole congratulated Jacque & Pat for their commitment to Rotary's primary goal of "service above self"



Additionally, two of our exchange students, *Fabiana Zedeno* from Ecuador & *BamBam* from Thailand presented programs on their families & countries. Fabiana has received many awards in Ecuador for ballet dancing & her beautiful soprano voice. Fabiana's family live in a scenic coastal city on the Pacific Ocean. Fabiana promised to sing for us in a future meeting. *BamBam* started her program by asking everyone to join her in celebrating the beginning of Chinese New Year. Throughout Asia & in Thailand New Year's is celebrated for fifteen days. BamBam showed lovely pictures of her family & of Thailand. BamBam described many of Thailand's holidays & it's vast variety of food. by *Bill Conole*

THIS WEEK: Signature Music - A Holistic Education for Teen Musicians - Dick Ford

**** Board of Directors meeting at 5PM**

NEXT WEEK: Valentine party (guests invited) - Details on venue, cost and menu to follow via separate communications this week.

BamBam Featured - Read all about it! BamBam, our Youth Exchange student from Thailand is featured in the Today's CNY Women publication, February issue. You will want to read all about it in the article on their Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/cnyitgirls>



SAVE THE DATE- While our Annual Fathers Day Pancake Breakfast is still a long way off all Rotarians are asked to mark Sunday June 15th in their calendars as a day of service to support our biggest fund raiser of the year. As in the past, we will be setting up Friday and Saturday AM the 13th and 14th and tearing down on Monday the 16th. *Please reserve these dates on your calendar.*

Slate of Club Officers and Board Members - 2014-15

The following officers & BOD members were recommended by the Board of Directors and approved by the membership at meetings, on the dates indicated.

2014-15 Officers (approved on 1/30/14)

- President - Cheryl Sivestrini
- Vice Pres. - TBD
- Treasurer: Duane Weaver
- Corr/Rec Secretary: Skip Plank
- Exec-Sec: Ward Vuillemot
- Sgt at Arms: Chuck Williams

Board Members

2014-16 Term (approved on 1/16/14)

- Roy McDonald
- Charlie McElroy
- John Moran
- Amy Torney

2013-2015 Term (approved in Jan 2013)

- Bill Huba
- Jim McQuiggan
- Jean Sardino
- Guido van der Ven

Plugged into Rotary Happenings

Other Rotary Calendar of Events

- ✓ Feb 27 - [Presidents Elect Training Part II](#)
Baldwinsville Library, 6:00 - 8:00 PM
- ✓ Mar 14~15 - Presidents-Elect Training Seminar,
Doubletree Hotel, E. Syracuse
- ✓ Mar 22 - Rotary Leadership Inst., Owego NY
<http://www.rlinea.com>
- ✓ Mar 29 - District 7150 Assembly
- ✓ Apr 25~27 - District Conference - Vernon Downs
- ✓ Jun 15th - Skaneateles Pancake breakfast.
- ✓ Jun 26, '14 - District Changing of the Guard

District 7150 Website <http://www.rotary7150.org>



Celebrate 109 Years

Plan now to mark Rotary's birthday

Rotary will celebrate its 109th birthday on 23 February. The day also marks the anniversary of the first mass polio vaccinations, which started in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA, in 1954 and expanded across the United States. Begin planning events to commemorate the day by discussing Rotary's history and accomplishments.



How about a Birthday Cake at our Feb 20th Meeting ??

MAKEUPS: Remember to report your "make ups" to Skip Plank ASAP. You can email him at fplank@verizon.net It is important to report the work you are doing and the time you are putting in.

CELEBRATIONS:

Rotary Anniversaries in January: Gary Caldwell (2nd), Dan Roche (11th), John Shannon (13th), Dave Lee (19th), Jack Emmer (21st), Bob Holloway (23rd) & John Moran (23rd)

Rotary Birthdays in January: Karen Price (12th)

OUR ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENTS & HOST FAMILIES:

Inbound Students: Soeren Heyber - Germany, Hosted by Mark & Lisa Leesman; Fabiana Zedeno Proano Valentina (Fabiana) - Ecuador, Hosted by Todd & Jill Marshall; Natnicha Padungpattanom (Bam Bam) - Thailand, Hosted by Vernon & Diana Wetmore

Outbound Students: Meghan Dwyer - Italy; Ella DeFalco - Netherlands; Ty Winkelman - France; Ryan Barbour - Thailand; Mariah MaCarron - Finland



To see pictures of these students, go to the website webpage -
http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org/Skan_Rotary/Youth_Exchange.html

Week's Setup Assignments: *Be courteous & get a replacement if you won't be available for your assignment*

Feb. 6th	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Gard Lorey & Roy MacDonal
	Pledge of Allegiance	Todd May
	Invocation	Charlie McElroy
Feb. 13th	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Brad McLennen & Jim McQuiggan
	Pledge of Allegiance	John Moran
	Invocation	Chuck O'Neil