



PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP NOMINATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED

The Rotary Club of Utica is soliciting nominations from the community for this year's Pride of Workmanship Awards Program. Since 1990, the club has recognized outstanding contributions by employees in all businesses, industries and organizations.

The Pride of Workmanship Awards Program will be held on Friday, October 16, 2020 at 12 p.m.

Nominations are being accepted through September 17, 2020. The nomination form can be downloaded from the [Pride of Workmanship web page](#). Please spread the word!

Jennifer DePasquale awarded Paul Harris Fellowship

Congratulations to Jennifer on receiving a Paul Harris Fellowship from Linda Allen in recognition for her work and dedication to Resource



Center for Independent Living (RCIL) over the years.

This Week's Program

Woodland Farm Brewery is a locally owned and operated farm brewery with a wide range of beer styles from lagers to barrel aged beers and everything in between. The goal of Woodland Farm Brewery is to provide a great atmosphere for beer and outdoor enthusiasts alike. The brewery provides locally handcrafted beer with ingredients grown in New York State, and their kitchen offers a menu of fresh and clean food sourcing many local ingredients.



THURSDAY | Aug. 27 | 5 p.m.
Woodland Farm Brewery
6002 Trenton Rd.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, masks are required when ordering and not seated. Seating is available inside, and there is plenty of space on the lawn for social distancing. Snag a picnic table or bring a lawn chair.

Deadline for next newsletter (8/24) is Sunday, August 31 at noon;
submit to news@uticarotaryclub.org

COMMITTEE NEWS

Community Opportunity for Rotarians: Oneida County Poll Workers

Submitted by Darby O'Brien

There is a lack of poll workers for the November 3, 2020 General Election because of the current pandemic. Registered Democrats and Republicans are eligible to become poll workers. More information is available at <https://www.ocgovboe.net/poll-worker-information/>, or call (315) 798-5765 or 5729, or email BoardofElections@ocgov.net.

Hope House Collection

Norma Montagnino-Gemza extends a thank you to Rotarians for their contribution to the hygiene collection. Hundreds of items were donated from Herthum Heights Association residents and Rotarians.



Sergeant at Arms Aides

This year's Sergeant at Arms, Deb Burke, plans to have a rotating schedule of people to help with setup and cleanup at meetings. If you would like to volunteer to help, contact Deb at 315-525-2855.

Meeting Recap Contributors

Looking for persons willing to write recaps of weekly meetings on a rotating basis. If interested, please contact michelle@fillableformdesigns.com.

Rotary Club of Utica Committees

Looking to get involved? Rotary Club of Utica has several active committees. Contact a committee chair to join a committee or contact President Israel if interested in chairing a committee.

- Youth Exchange Deb Burke
- Rotoract Dom Passalacqua
- RYLA Jim Day
- Interact Jim Day
- Urban Concerns **NEED CHAIR**
- Communication Michelle Brandstadt
- Meeting Service Natalie Brown
- Membership Joe Caruso/Ken Williams
- Outstanding Educator Awards Bart Gorman
- Quiet Giver's Award Roger Breslow
- Pride of Workmanship Roxanne Mutchler
- Veteran's Outreach Mary Ann Hallak-Serwatka
- Special Needs Party **NEED CHAIR**
- RI Foundation **NEED CHAIR**

August 2020 Calendar of Events

- 8/27 Weekly Meeting – Social
THURSDAY 5 p.m. | Woodland Brewery
- 9/10 Weekly Meeting – District Governor
FRIDAY @ 12 p.m. | TBD

Note: please be sure to check the newsletter or the [club website](#) calendar for current meeting information.

August District Newsletter

The August edition of the District newsletter is available at our club website along with past District newsletters and Rotary International news: [District and International News](#).