

ROTARY CLUB OF YORK – EAST

District 7390 – Meetings: Tuesdays @ 7:30 a.m. Via Virtual Platform

August 2021 Newsletter

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

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Betsy Buckingham
Hunter Mink

Happy Birthday to you...

June

Cher Kondor	Aug 8
Kyle King	Aug 10
Jim Craft	Aug 14
Todd Kurl	Aug 22
Jeff Kile	Aug 28

*If your **August** birthday is not listed, please contact
Bob Elser at navman9@comcast.net or
Friedel Liebe-Elser at friedel.liebe@gmail.com

Rotary Membership Anniversaries

Steve Altland August 15, 1995
Blair Ansell August 17, 1993
Tom Pokopec..... August 21, 2008
Hunter Mink..... August 26, 2015

July Programs

8/3 Phil Lapp, Marketing Director for K2 Kinetics
8/10 Julie Wheeler, York County President
Commissioner
8/17 Yuri Estrin, Professor of Materials Science,
Monash University, Western Australia
8/24 Off-site meeting at Leg Up Farms
8/31 Nancy Manion will share her experiences in
international medical missions

York East currently meets via ZOOM VIRTUAL MEETING platform only. Instructions on how to join the virtual meeting will be sent to membership via the email meeting reminder each Monday.

YORK EAST ROTARY BOARD MEETING

Board Meeting on Thursday, August 12, 2021
7:30 a.m. VIA ZOOM Virtual Platform

WEEKLY MEMBER PARTICIPATION:

Greeters

At this time York East Secretary takes attendance through ZOOM Virtual Platform

Invocators

We are temporarily foregoing the Invocation

REMINDER: If you are unable to serve as greeter or invocator, please find a replacement and notify Bob Elser.

(If you prefer to not deliver the invocation, please let Betsy know so you will not be assigned.)

A Message from our President



Greetings Fellow Rotarians:

In last month's newsletter I outlined our club's three major goals for the upcoming year. On top of the list was Membership, which is also the focus of this month's message: the retention of current members, and the recruitment of new ones. The past eighteen months have really been a challenge for both of those initiatives. However, as we move into this new year with positive expectations, I ask your help in supporting the efforts of the Membership Committee, and our new Membership Chair, Debbie Klinedinst. First, consider asking one new person to be your guest for a meeting in the very near future. Secondly, perhaps you might give a current member, whom you may not have seen recently, a call just to say hello, and hope that all is well with them. I am confident that your time and effort will be well received by all.

In a recent meeting I mentioned that we are actively researching sound equipment for our

weekly meetings that will allow our speakers and the in-person members, along with the ZOOM participants, to be both seen and heard clearly. I ask your patience through this process. Hopefully, we can soon be meeting once again, face-to-face!

Yours in Rotary,
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Thought for the month:

"Life is like an onion; you peel it off one layer at a time, and sometimes you weep".

-Carl Sandburg

Support for the York East Golf Outing is teeing off!

The excitement is building! Sponsorships for the September 21st York East Golf Outing at Heritage Hills are coming in.

Thank you **Master Sponsors:**

- **Gem Boutique**
- **The Panaro Group at Morgan Stanley**

Beverage Sponsor:

- **Brewery Products**

For information about the event and how you can support our Golf Outing please **contact Becky Disney:** bdisney@greaterpawv.wish.org.