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The club meets Tuesdays, 12:15 p.m.  
at The Delaney House, north on Rte. 5, Holyoke

### MAKE UP LOCATIONS

#### MONDAY

Chicopee 12:15 pm Hu-Ke Lau Restaurant, Rte. 33  
Westfield 12:00 p.m. Genesis Spiritual Life & Conference Center  
Northampton 5:00 pm The Deck at Union Station

#### TUESDAY

West Springfield 12:15 pm Storowtown Tavern  
Easthampton 6:10 pm Amy's Place  
Broad Brook, CT 6:30 pm Sky Diner

#### WEDNESDAY

Ludlow 12:00 pm Villa Rose, 1428 Center Street  
Agawam 12:15 pm Storowtown Tavern  
Enfield 12:15 pm Holiday Inn-Brightmeadow Plaza  
Franklin Cnty/Grnfield 6:00 pm Buckley Health Care Ctr.  
Southwick 6:15 pm Nora's Restaurant  
Wilbraham-Hampden 6:15 pm Country Club of Wilbraham

#### THURSDAY

Amherst 12:15 pm Amherst Brewing Company  
East Longmeadow 12:15 pm Twin Hills Country Club

#### FRIDAY

Springfield 12:15 pm Basketball Hall of Fame, Mass Mutual Room



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PARTICIPANTS THIS MONTH

DATE: August 4, 2015  
INVOCATION: Danielle Lord  
PROGRAM CHAIR: Margaret Mantoni  
PROGRAM SPEAKER: Carol Constant,  
Director of Community Engagement for the  
Loomis Communities, will speak about the  
South Hadley Dementia Friendly Coalition.

DATE: August 11, 2015  
INVOCATION: Peggy Woods  
PROGRAM CHAIR: John McAndrew  
PROGRAM SPEAKER: Jackie Sears, author of  
the book *Legendary Locals of Holyoke*.

DATE: August 18, 2015  
INVOCATION: John Knowles  
PROGRAM CHAIR: Edward McCarron  
PROGRAM SPEAKER: Amy Pierno, director  
of the Holyoke Medical Center Wound Care  
Center, due to open in September.

DATE: August 25, 2015  
INVOCATION: Karen Blanchard  
PROGRAM CHAIR: Robert McKay  
PROGRAM SPEAKER: Karen Motyka,  
Director of Development for Shriners  
Hospitals for Children - Springfield.

Issue: August 2015  
June 2015 Membership: 71 members  
June 2015 Attendance: 80%

CLUB NEWS

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Member Birthdays

Hoey, Lasca	Aug 08
Fitzpatrick, William	Aug 15
Rigali, Clare	Aug 18
Robinson, Venus	Aug 25
Oldershaw, Louis	Aug 30
Soja, Janet	Aug 30

Spouse Birthdays

Glica, Ed (Cappie)	Aug 21
Lumbra, Pattie (Jon)	Aug 27

Anniversaries

Vacon, Linda & Vacon, John	Aug 18
Rigali, Clare & Rigali, Lou	Aug 22
Fowler, Bob & Fowler, Susana	Aug 25

Rotary Anniversaries in June

Brennan, Pat	2 years
Lumbra, Jon	5 years

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Eat Drink & Be Holyoke...  
will be held on Thursday, October 8 at Gateway  
City Arts. Committee meetings will be held on  
the first Monday of every month, 5pm at Slainte.  
Sponsorships available.

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ROTARY'S WORK COMMEMORATED IN STAMPS

For more than 80 years, countries around the  
world have honored the work of Rotary with  
commemorative stamps.  
  
The first appeared in 1931, when Austria created  
an overprint -- a later printing over an officially  
issued stamp -- in honor of the RI Convention in  
Vienna.

Other RI conventions have been commemorated  
with stamps, including those held in 1940, in  
Havana, Cuba; 1961 and 1978, in Tokyo; 1981,  
in São Paulo, Brazil; and 1987, in Munich,  
Germany.

For Rotary's 50th anniversary in 1955, 27  
nations issued commemorative stamps. Many  
featured familiar Rotary imagery such as the  
gearwheel, which a Greek stamp incorporated  
along with the number 50. Images of Paul Harris  
and common scenes from the issuing country  
also were popular.

Rotary's 75th anniversary was honored with  
commemorative stamps from Benin, Cyprus,  
Djibouti, Dominica, Ghana, Iran, and others.  
The postal service of the Netherlands Antilles  
issued several postcards and stamps as well as a  
postage cancellation stamp in the shape of the  
Rotary emblem. The Maldives issued a series of  
stamps based on Health, Hunger and Humanity  
Grants.

In 2005, Rotary's centennial inspired stamps  
from nations including France, Ghana, Peru, and  
Togo.

Stamps have also marked the anniversary of  
Rotary in individual countries and depicted  
projects and humanitarian activities. A 1960  
Bolivian stamp bears the Rotary emblem and  
commemorates a children's hospital sponsored  
by the Rotary Club of La Paz. A 1976 stamp  
honors 40 years of Rotary in Fiji by highlighting  
a club project that raised money to purchase an  
ambulance.

Many Rotarians collect commemorative Rotary  
stamps. Since 1955, a group now known as the  
International Fellowship of Rotary on Stamps  
has collected and researched Rotary-related  
philatelic material.



Postcard featuring the U.S. commemorative stamp for Rotary's 50th anniversary -- the only Rotary stamp ever issued by the United States.



Left: Stamp issued by Australia in 1955 in honor of Rotary's 50th anniversary. Right: One of five stamps issued by Austria in 1931 in honor of the Rotary convention held there that year.



Members and guests of the Rotary Club of Havana, Cuba, at the printing of the commemorative stamp issued by Cuba for the 1940 Rotary convention in Havana.



Left: Stamp issued by Brazil on the occasion of the 1948 Rotary convention in Rio de Janeiro. Right: Stamp issued by Japan in honor of the 1961 Rotary convention in Tokyo.