



President Lizzy Martin

I hope everyone is having as much fun as I am! Fall is my favorite time of year, and all of our fun and meaningful work together just adds to that. Last month we had a blast pressing cider at Mic's house, enjoyed another club in a pub, got inspired by members who presented on topics like life coaching and the Rescue Mission, and we launched our new membership contest. Plus, we welcomed our newest members from the YMCA - Lisa, Tess and Peter. We have more new members lined up to join us and hopefully meet some more from the contest. I hope you are thinking about who you will invite to visit Rotary and feel inspired to tell your Rotary story more often. It really makes a difference when describing Rotary if you share your personal experiences! We aren't slowing down just yet and have a lot going on this month. Please be sure to read through the following pages so you

are in the loop on some location changes for meetings, our Pride of Workmanship dinner, District Conference, Pints for Polio and all that October will bring. Many thanks to Don for managing my programs these couple of months and to all that are stepping up to get involved!

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SAVE THESE DATES

OCT 19:
DISTRICT CONFERENCE
OCT 22:
PINTS FOR POLIO
NOV 2:
CHARTER NIGHT
DEC 6-7:
OLD NEWSBOYS
DEC 7:
CHRISTMAS PARTY

PLUS THE FULL OCTOBER & NOVEMBER
MEETING SCHEDULES

Pride of Workmanship Dinner

All Rotarians and guests are invited to join us at this special evening where we will honor members of the community for their hard work. In Rotary, we believe that all professions contribute to the well-being of our community. What better way to support that than recognizing some of the hardest working employees in Baldwinsville? Nominations from local businesses have been coming in and we will be giving out some well-deserved prizes. Come congratulate our winners and enjoy some fellowship with your fellow Rotarians!

Thursday, Oct 17, 2019

The Reef Restaurant
1161 Old Rte 31
Memphis, NY 13112

Members need to register
online by October 9th
\$30/person for dinner, cash bar

REGISTER NOW

CIDER SNAPSHOTS

We had an awesome time learning how to work Mic's antique cider press from the 1800's and sharing in fellowship with a great group of Rotarians, friends and family. From left to right: First, it took A LOT of apples to make several gallons of cider so we had some to sip and some to take home. Second, Doug shows Bob's grandson how to use the lever to really squeeze out the cider. Third, our former (Alli), current (Risa) and future (Abby) Youth Exchange ladies did a great job at tackling the difficult task of cranking the mechanism that crushes the apples. Mic's wife Marilyn surprised him with a birthday cake a few days early and we all got to sing. It was a fun event from start to finish! Thanks Mic and Marilyn for hosting us!



Thank You Host Families

Thanks to all the B'ville Rotarians that stepped up to host a couple of Youth Exchange kids during orientation weekend. They welcomed some kids into their home just for some quick overnight stays, but it makes a big impact. It looks like the kids had a really fun weekend! If you missed out, come meet them at District Conference!



TRACKING OUR GIVING

- \$500 for a Community Calendar
- \$1,100 pre-approved for Charity of Choice
- \$100 to RI Foundation in honor of DG Randy, presented at his visit
- \$500 to Baker Model UN Club
- Approx. \$1,000 to Senior Picnic
- \$240 to sponsor shipping a pallet for Books for the World

Check here each month for an update and running tally of charitable donations and community spending that the board has recently approved!

INSPIRATION FOR GIVING

I stated at my Changing of the Guard ceremony that one of my goals for this Rotary year would be to inspire more of our members to give to the Rotary International Foundation; not just because we are Rotarians, but because you truly want to see your dollars going to an effective and efficient charity that's making a difference.

Here's one great reason to give:

Donations to the Rotary Foundation help fund projects around the world, including some of the projects we do locally. After three years of investing our donations, half of all of the monies that came from members of our district come back to us in the form of District Grants. We utilized a grant this year to pay for the \$1,000 scholarship we will give a high school senior next June! We have utilized District Grants for many years now and also built the welcome sign along the canal with funding from this source. Many thanks to our members who have given over the years and helped make those grants possible.

If you would like to know more about your options for making a donation you can connect with Marcia Benson, our Foundation Chair or [click here](#).

BEAUTY & THE BEAST AT SYRACUSE STAGE



Be our guest for family theatre at its very best. Spectacular costumes and fantastic sets combine with beloved songs in this classic story about finding the magic in love.

JOIN OUR ROTARY GROUP - TICKETS ON SALE NOW
Sunday, November 24th at 2 pm

Adults \$38 & Youth \$30 (no purchase fees) Seats are first and second row balcony
Tickets sold first come, first served until November 1st.

Please do not leave empty seats between yours and what is already sold so we can fill this block of seats - it will be all Rotarians sitting together!

BUY TICKETS

Click into one of the balcony sections and then you will see our block of seats marked in blue!

CONGRATULATIONS RAY

One of our members, Ray O'Neil, was recognized last month for 58 years of service in Rotary. The award was a little late, just trying to coordinate schedules, and was presented by Immediate Past President Meg since his anniversary fell in her year (last June). Ray transferred to our club from the Eastwood Club just five years ago, but brought a lot of experience with him. If you missed the award presentation, please congratulate Ray next time you see him!



58 YEARS!

CHARITY OF CHOICE WINNER

September's Charity of Choice winner was Ann Smiley and her chosen cause was End Polio Now. Perfect timing for the upcoming World Polio Day on October 24th! Be sure to fill out a Charity of Choice slip with your name and a charity you support or are passionate about every single time you attend a meeting. Our club wants to support what matters to you!

TOPICS FOR NEXT THINK TANK DISCUSSIONS

October 1st our Think Tank will explore the impact climate change is having on our national parks with another interesting and easy read from National Geographic.

CLICK TO READ THE ARTICLE

Read this prior to our meeting and come prepared to discuss and enjoy in everyone's perspectives!

IMPORTANT: THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT MOHEGAN MANOR
Come at 6pm for a drink or bite to eat before the 7pm discussion begins!

November 5: Veteran Entrepreneurship

Click here to read an op-ed piece on local entrepreneurship and veterans. Plan to join us for a lively discussion about how we can be of service when it comes to the vocations of our men and women in the military after they come home!

HAPPY MEMBER NEWS

So many wonderful things are happening for our members that we just have to share a little with you. Have some happy news? Share with Lizzy for future newsletters!



Dona Occhipinti and Ed O'Neil got engaged!

Ted Croucher came in second place in his first ever Jiu Jitsu competition.



And we don't have a photo, but our member Beth Chetney was recently appointed to the New York State Teachers' Retirement System Board of Trustees!

MEMBERSHIP CONTEST

It's time to ask that friend, neighbor, coworker or family member that you know would make a great Rotarian to visit our club. Starting October 1, the club is split into two teams competing to see who can grow our group the most! Earn points by bringing a potential member to a meeting, and get even more points if they apply for membership and get inducted before the end of the contest. You can't bring just anyone - it has to be a potential member! Each time you do, fill out a form for your team (available at meetings) and submit to your team captain. Be ready for some competition at each meeting now through the end of the contest, which ends November 20th. The winning team will be rewarded at the Club Christmas Party on December 7th!



**Are you
TEAM GOPHER
or
TEAM GORILLA?**

**[Click here for a list
of team members
and team captains](#)**

Not comfortable asking someone to join Rotary? That's okay! You can refer leads to the membership team to have them send the invitation. Or you could consider these three tips for being prepared to talk about Rotary:

LISTEN

Have a conversation with someone about their hobbies, passions and interests to see if you can anticipate any connections to the activities we do in Rotary.

SHARE FACTS

Be ready to explain the basics of what Rotary does, including some of our club's signature projects, and simple stuff like when and where we meet. Remember that www.BaldwinsvilleRotary.org is the perfect resource for this kind of information. We have materials you can bring with you that outline all of this information - just pick up at a meeting!

SHARE YOUR STORY

When you tell someone why YOU love Rotary, it will help them better connect with the magic that is Service Above Self!

WHO WILL YOU BRING TO ROTARY?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:
DAVE HORAN - OCT 20TH

ANNIVERSARIES:
DEAN & BETSY JOHNSON - OCT 15
DAVE & ANN HORAN - OCT 28

If your birthday or anniversary is missing, contact Mary Huling or President Lizzy!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

In September we welcomed our newest corporate membership from the YMCA, bringing us members Lisa Pachmayer, Tess Kenney and Peter Cass. If you haven't met them yet, please make sure to introduce yourself at an upcoming meeting. Photos to come! We have two new members pending (Paul & Michelle) that we can't wait to induct in October, and hope that the membership contest will bring in even more. Our club continues to be a leader in our region for growth. Check us out in the District Newsletter out later this month!

LIZZY & JANET GET ROTARY TRAINING

Janet is our district's membership chair and Lizzy is the public image chair, so they both attended a training for district leaders in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada last month. Janet learned that our club is on the right track with our efforts to establish a satellite club, as Rotary sees new clubs as the best way to grow our organization. Lizzy enjoyed networking with other public image chairs (shown in her photo) and picked up some new tools to try out for making online video clips!



GOOD TIMES FOR A GREAT CAUSE

p!nts for polio

TUESDAY, OCT 22ND
5PM AT WT BREWS

A PORTION OF ALL BEER SALES WILL RAISE
MONEY FOR END POLIO NOW

LEARN ABOUT THE FIGHT AGAINST POLIO
RAISE MONEY FOR AN IMPORTANT CAUSE

ENJOY LOCAL BREWS

PAINT PUMPKINS (\$5 EACH)

LIL 'TWISTED FOOD TRUCK ON SITE

LEARN MORE

SHARE ON FACEBOOK

save the date
**CHARTER
NIGHT**
NOVEMBER 2

Baldwinsville
Rotary
Club



SAVE THE DATE

Club Christmas Party

Saturday, Dec 7 at 5pm

Aspen House, Radisson

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Dish to Pass Dinner
Christmas Carol Lip Sync Battle
Membership Contest Rewards

OCTOBER

Meeting Schedule



TUESDAY, OCT 1 - THINK TANK DISCUSSION WITH SALLY

Meeting will be at Mohegan Manor & discussion details on page 3



WEDNESDAY, OCT 2 - SPEAKER JIM SATALIN, RADIO ANNOUNCER FOR SU BASKETBALL

Meeting will be at Lysander Town Park



FRIDAY, OCT 4 - GHOST WALK, 6PM TOUR, DETAILS ON PAGE 2

TUESDAY, OCT 8 - STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Board meeting at 5:30pm and regular meeting starts at 7pm

WEDNESDAY, OCT 9 - SPEAKER JOAN REEVES, B'VILLE SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT



TUESDAY, OCT 15 - NO MEETING

WEDNESDAY, OCT 16 - SPEAKER DICK LASHER WITH THE ROSE BOWL PARADE

THURSDAY, OCT 17 - PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP DINNER, THE REEF

SATURDAY, OCT 19 - DISTRICT CONFERENCE IN OSWEGO - [CLICK TO REGISTER](#)

TUESDAY, OCT 22 - PINTS FOR POLIO EVENT - DETAILS ON PAGE 4

WEDNESDAY, OCT 23 - SPEAKERS JENN HOUSON & MIKE LILENTAL WITH NY DAIRY ASSOC.



TUESDAY, OCT 29 - CLUB IN A PUB - LOCATION TBD

WEDNESDAY, OCT 30 - SPEAKER CHARLENE GRATTON WITH VFW FOOD PANTRY

NOVEMBER

SATURDAY, NOV 2 - CHARTER NIGHT, 5PM AT THE WOOD, DETAILS ON PAGE 4

TUESDAY, NOV 5 - THINK TANK DISCUSSION WITH SALLY

Discussion details on page 3

WEDNESDAY, NOV 6 - MILITARY TRIVIA WITH FUTURE DISTRICT GOVERNOR DANA JERRARD

TUESDAY, NOV 12 - STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Board meeting at 5:30pm and regular meeting starts at 7pm

WEDNESDAY, NOV 13 - SPEAKER TONY BURKINSHAW WITH TOWN OF LYSANDER PARKS & REC

TUESDAY, NOV 19 - SPEAKER JIM DALE WITH THE B'VILLE CENTER FOR THE ARTS

WEDNESDAY, NOV 20 - SPEAKERS VEENA & MUKESH KOHLI, THE STORY OF THEIR LOCAL BUSINESS



SUNDAY, NOV 24 - SYRACUSE STAGE OUTING, DETAILS ON PAGE 3

TUESDAY, NOV 26 - TURKEY SHOOT COMPETITION WITH MARV, DETAILS TO COME

WEDNESDAY, NOV 27 - TURKEY SHOOT COMPETITION WITH MARV, DETAILS TO COME

ICON KEY FOR MEETING SCHEDULE



Club in a Pub - we will meet up starting at 5:30pm at a local pub TBD



Service Project - read your newsletter and email for details



No regular meeting



We are venturing out for something fun

All meetings are held at the Red Mill Inn. Tuesday meetings start at 7pm and cost \$1 to attend, coffee provided. Wednesday meetings start at noon and cost \$10 for lunch or \$1 to attend, coffee provided. Note any changes to time or location of meeting on this schedule!