



Rotary Club of Baldwinsville Newsletter



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From President Ann...

My Fellow Rotarians

We have had a busy month and another one coming up. Many thanks to all who stepped up to help with the many projects that we had this month or that are coming up. I am happy to report that our first Spaghetti Dinner of the season was a success. We also have worked diligently to put together what we hope will be a successful race on November 1. I would be remiss if I didn't make a special thank you to Charlie Farrell's sister Mary. She stepped up to lead the team of workers for the race and a great job she has done – thank you Mary! Be sure to read the complete newsletter as there is a lot coming up in November and December...mark your calendar and be a part of this special club!

Happy Anniversary to each of us on the 42nd year of our charter.....lets celebrate!



Minute of Minutes...

The board approved the funds to replace our cabinets at the church for better, more secure storage

Lynn and Janet performed the new requirement of a home visit to the host family where Hiya is staying. and everything checked out great.

The board approved accepting one exchange student for next year. A lot of discussion about the challenge of finding host families.

Lynn Rosentel will start a long term project of collecting and documenting our club's history with Youth Exchange.

The food pantry is in need so we will reinstate bringing donations to Assembly meetings.

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Our Meeting Calendar

The FOUR WAY TEST of the things we think, say and do. 1. Is it the TRUTH? 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned? 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL for all concerned?

pumpkin
leaves **FAMILY**
turkey *together*

November

thankful **LOVE**
autumn
harvest memories

SAT NOV 1 | B-ville Rotary 5K Run/Walk for Hunger & Charter Night

TUES NOV 4 | ELECTION DAY

7pm Fellowship Night at
Muddy Waters Restaurant

WED NOV 5 | NO LUNCH MEETING

Sign up with Ann to help with the set up, service
and clean up of our second spaghetti dinner

SAT NOV 8 | Veteran's Day Parade - contact Charlie to be a parade marshall
Also be sure to check out the honor flags from the Onondaga North Club at Great
Northern Mall!

TUES NOV 11 | VETERAN'S DAY

6pm Board Meeting
7pm Assembly

WED NOV 12 | LUNCH & PROGRAM

12:15pm Speaker Missy Parkhurst with Vera
House and Assembly

TUES NOV 18

Fellowship Night TBD

WED NOV 19 | LUNCH & PROGRAM

12:15pm Speaker Dr. Leslie Kohlman with
the Upstate Cancer Center

TUES NOV 25

7pm Meeting Program TBD

WED NOV 26 | LUNCH & FUN

12:15pm Thanksgiving Eve lunch with
fellowship before the holiday weekend

PROGRAMS

*Alan Lindsey manages
the schedule and can help
you with availability for
whatever you have in
mind. Please help fill the
schedule with fun ideas!*

You can contact him at
awlsr@hotmail.com.

SAVE THE DATES

12/3 Spaghetti Dinner

12/7 Club Christmas Party

12/10 Senior Citizen
Christmas Party

12/13 Old Newsboys Fundraiser

1/7/15 Spaghetti Dinner

LOOKING AHEAD

Please note that we will not
have Wednesday meetings on
Christmas and New Year's
Eves

If you are interested in a
leadership position for the
next Rotary year, please
speak to Ann before
December elections

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

REGISTER BY 12/31
AND SAVE \$\$

April 24-26, 2015 The Lodge at Welch Allyn, Skaneateles

Registration form available online at www.rotary7150.org

Join District Governor Deb and this year's conference committee for a fun and exciting conference in a scenic lodge near beautiful Skaneateles lake. Nearby hotel rooms are available in Auburn or commute in each day for activities like a "rustic Rotary" dinner, informational break out sessions, fun area excursions and the awards, ceremony and collaboration we have at every conference. Meet Rotarians from around the district, learn more about our organization and have a great time with friends - register early & often! Let's Light Up Rotary together!

YOUTH EXCHANGE UPDATE

Hiya did her Rotary presentation last month at a lunch meeting, sharing more about her life. She also brought us a banner from her host club in India!



POLIO UPDATE

New Vaccine!

While still in the trial phase, researchers are close to approval on a patch form of the polio vaccine. This patch will not require refrigeration, making it easier to get it to the few polio stricken areas left in Pakistan and easier to follow through on all vaccination efforts in the future!

COMMUNITY NEEDS

Calendars: Please bring in your extra 2015 calendars to Dee Petta as she is collecting them for Syracuse Home Residents

Toiletries: Jenny Doane is looking for travel size toiletries and cosmetic bags to give to Vera House. Please bring to any meeting!



Club Visit Benefit #19: Make new friends or business contacts.

Visiting other Rotary Clubs counts as attendance for the week and is strongly encouraged for a well-rounded Rotarian!

Auburn: Tuesdays at 11:45am
Holiday Inn, Route 5

Skaneateles: Thursdays at 6:30pm
Sherwood Inn, W. Genesee Street

You can get the full list on the district web site www.rotary7150.org, including contact information for each club.

OUR NEW WEB SITE

www.baldwinsvillerotary.org

Please bookmark this important page and plan on visiting it whenever you need a new member application, to see what is coming up on our meeting schedule, to find a flyer for spaghetti dinners and more!

If you have suggestions on what you would like to see on the web site, contact Lizzy.

DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

Nov 2nd

District Foundation Brunch
& Auburn Rotary's Pancake
Breakfast

Nov 22nd

New Hartford Rotary's Pancake
Breakfast

*Find out what else is happening on the
district site: www.rotary7150.org*

FACEBOOK STATS

Top Post:

A photo & info about our
banner exchange tradition
reached 527 people!

Most Likes/Shares:

Spaghetti Dinner photo of Lynn
& Janet got 34 likes & shares

*In the last week of October we
reached 1,098 people!*

BOOKS FOR THE WORLD

CONGRATS ON 6 YEARS!

This program continues
sharing the gift of reading
with African communities
thanks to the work of local
Rotary Clubs to gather books
and sponsor shipping.

www.cnybooksfortheworld.org

FOUNDATION FACTS

*When donating to the Rotary International Foundation you will receive
recognition for your contributions. Here is one goal you could work
towards:*

Paul Harris Fellow | When you give \$1,000 or more to the Annual Fund,
PolioPlus, or an approved Foundation grant. To recognize someone else
as a Paul Harris Fellow, you can give that amount in their name. You are
recognized as a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow with each additional gift of
\$1,000.

For help with making your donation contact Foundation
Chairperson Janet Joslyn at jmjoslyn83@hotmail.com

**Consider utilizing Rotary Direct to have donations automatically
charged
to your credit or debit card - makes giving easy!**

AMAZON SMILE

A CHARITABLE WAY TO SHOP YEAR-ROUND

Like to shop online for the
holidays? Birthdays? For
whatever you need? If you
shop on Amazon you have
an opportunity to raise
money for our Rotary Club!
Visit smile.amazon.com and
use your regular
Amazon log in
information to
access your
account. There
you can choose
the charity of
your choice

(Rotary Club of Baldwinsville
Foundation) and in the
future all your Smile
program eligible purchases
will donate a percentage of
your cost to our club. Any
time you shop on Amazon it
will remind you to use Smile
and you can share this with
everyone you know. It's free
to sign up for and use, it
does not effect the price of
items you buy and you have
access to all Amazon
products.



HAPPY NEWS



Lizzy's sister welcomed daughter number
three on October 12, 2014 at 11:30pm.
Luciana weighed 7lbs 13oz and is in perfect
health!



Our 10/29 lunch meeting was a packed
crowd, featuring speaker Wayne Mahar.
The program was so interesting everyone
stayed until 2pm to ask questions and visit
with Wayne for photos!

PLEASE SHARE!!