

Rotary District 7210 College of Governors

Referred to as District 255

1949-50	Thomas McDermott**, Nyack	
1950-51	The Rev. Gary Germann**, Glens Falls	
1951-52	John T. Kaemmerien**, Hudson	
1952-53	Samuel J. Hickman**, Lake Mahopac/Carmel	
1953-54	Edward J. Trimby**, Glen Falls	
1954-55	George Bagley**, Catskill	"Glean from the Past & Act"
1955-56	Wendell Phillips**, Port Jervis	"Develop Our Resources"
1956-57	Hugo Mellion**, Spring Valley	"3 Targets - 1. Keep Rotary Simple 2. More Rotary in Rotarians 3. Learn more about each other."

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1957-58	Samuel Scudder**, Kingston	"Serve"
1958-59	The Rev. Edward Buller**, Pearl River	"Help Share the Future"
1959-60	Harris E. Dexter, Poughkeepsie	"Build Bridges of Friendship"
1960-61	Dr. Jefferson J. Weishaar Jr., Nyack	"You Are Rotary"
1961-62	Edwin A. Ulrich**, Arlington	"Act"
1962-63	Samuel B. Ross**, Brewster	"Kindle the Spark Within"
1963-64	Dr. Walter J. Geiger**, Poughkeepsie	"Guidelines for Rotary in the Spaceage"
1964-65	Robert Kristeller**, Carmel	"Live Rotary"
1965-66	Walter Markovits**, Port Jervis	"Action, Consolidation & Continuity"
1966-67	Rabbi Norman Kahan, Newburgh	"A Better World Through Rotary"
1967-68	William J. Nicholas**, Hyde Park	"Make Your Rotary Membership Effective"
1968-69	Samuel Y. Gliner**, Nanuet	"Participate"
1969-70	Walter S. VanWagenen**, Woodstock	"Review and Renew"
1970-71	W. Wendell Hellmen**, Poughkeepsie	"Bridge the Gap"
1971-72	William E. Miele, Jr.**, Suffern	"Good Will Begins with You"
1972-73	Herbert K. Harder**, Philmont	"Let's Take a New Look and Act"
1973-74	Dr. Russell B. Scobie**, Newburgh	"A Time For Action"
1974-75	Franklyn B. Million**, Spring Valley	"Renew the Spirit of Rotary"
1975-76	Martin J. Rubin**, Phoenicia	"To Dignify the Human Being"
1976-77	Lionel W. Norick**, Monticello	"I Believe in Rotary"
1977-78	Radcliffe W. Hall**, Nyack	"Serve to Unite Mankind"
1978-79	Walter R. Neidhardt**, Arlington	"Reach Out"
1979-80	Edison F. Whitney**, Port Jervis	"Let Service Light the Way"
1980-81	Bernard H. Weaver**, Hudson	"Take Time to Serve"
1981-82	Eugene W. Erickson, Spring Valley	"World Understanding & Peace through Rotary"
1982-83	Herman Harmelink III, Poughkeepsie	"Mankind is One-Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"
1983-84	Gus F. Pappas**, Pearl River	"Share Rotary-Serve People"
1984-85	Ronald H. Duncan**, Lake Mahopac	"Discover a New World of Service"
1985-86	George H. Pelote, Hyde Park	"You Are The Key"
1986-87	William E. Vines, West Nyack	"Rotary Bridges Hope"
1987-88	David A. Pedersen, New City	"Unite in Service-Dedicated to Peace"
1988-89	H. Pete Lazier, Middletown	"Put Life Into Rotary-Your Life"
1989-90	Alistair Barrett, Fishkill	"Enjoy Rotary"
1990-91	Chester J. Sawyer**, New Windsor/Cornwall	"Honor Rotary with Faith & Enthusiasm"

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1991-92	Joseph F. Abate, Ramapo Valley	"Look Beyond Yourself"
1992-93	Richard H. Perkins**, Poughkeepsie	"Real Happiness is Helping Others"
1993-94	Kenneth Obremski, Goshen	"Believe In What You Do-Do What You Believe In"
1994-95	Thomas C. France, Suffern	"Be A Friend"
1995-96	John D. Tartamella, Poughkeepsie South	"Act with Integrity, Serve with Love, Work or Peace"
1996-97	Kenneth G. Rumsey, Plattekill	"Build the Future with Action and Vision"
1997-98	Joseph Salmonese, Arlington	"Show Rotary Cares"
1998-99	Joseph P. Seller, Putnam Valley	"Follow Your Rotary Dream"
1999-00	Tamton Mustapha, Hudson	"Act with Consistency, Credibility, Continuity"
2000-01	Bernice Webb**, Tappan Zee/Piermont	"Create Awareness-Take Action"
2001-02	Betsy Kopstein, Poughkeepsie South	"Mankind Is Our Business"
2002-03	William E. Herrmann, Walkill East	"Sow the Seeds of Love"
2003-04	Knut J. Johnsen, Jr., New Windsor	"Lend A Hand"
2004-05	Bridget A. Auer, Mamakating	"Celebrate Rotary 100 Years"
2005-06	Doris Obremski, Goshen	"Service Above Self"
2006-07	Carole Tjoa, North Rockland	"LeadThe Way"
2007-08	James J. Yarmus, New City	"Rotary Shares"
2008-09	Jeffrey Keahon**, Pearl River	"Make Dreams Real"
2009-10	David Green, New Windsor	"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"
2010-11	Phil Schunk, Southern Ulster	"Building Communities,Bridging Continents"
2011-12	Tansukh Dorawala** Poughkeepsie-Arlington	"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"
2012-13	William Bassett, Walkill East	"Peace Through Service"
2013-14	Drew Kessler, North Rockland	"Embrace Rotary, Change Lives"
2014-15	Penny Byron, Patterson	"Light Up Rotary"
2015-16	Nick Constantino, Walkill East	"Be a Gift to the World"
2016-17	J. Louis Turpin, Rhinebeck	"Rotary Serving Humanity"