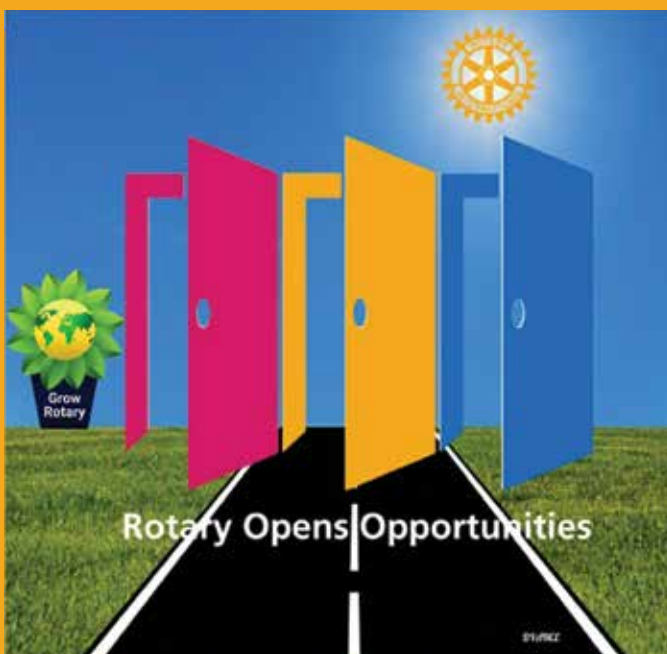


# DISTRICT DIRECTORY

**Rotary District 7490**

***Carl Hassett***

**District Governor  
2020-2021**



**Serving Northeastern New Jersey, U.S.A.  
Bergen, Hudson, and Passaic Counties**

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RI Website: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)**



**The Power of Rotarians in action....**



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Rotary Club of District 7490

## **Congratulations DG Carl Hassett**

**Wishing Our Own Rotary Zone 32 Disaster Aid Director the Best in 2020-2021!**

### **Domestic Disaster Response Americans Helping Americans**



**There are 17 Disaster Aid USA Response Trailers now in the U.S.A.**



### **Disaster Aid USA's Domestic Mission**

**Provides immediate Disaster Relief and Humanitarian Aid to those victims who have and continue to suffer from the effects of a disaster, natural or man-made.**

## **DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S GREETING**

To My Rotarian Family,

I am very happy and honored to be given the opportunity to serve as your District Governor for our Rotary year 2020-2021! I am looking forward to move out of our Covid-19 Lock Down and to help us step out in front of our clubs and communities to find ways to **Open Opportunities** this year!

With everything that is going on in our world today, this is really our moment, if there ever was a time, for us as Rotarians to **Open Opportunities**. We can make a difference in people's lives. We can bring people together without bias to politics, religion, race or creed. **We can get anything done if we want to!** As our Rotary International President, Holger Knaack said, "Everything we do opens another opportunity for someone, somewhere."

Now is the perfect time for us to stand out and show who we are in this brand new world. I encourage all of you to be proud to wear your Rotary pins, shirts and hats, when you can, and not just when you are doing a service project. When you are walking your dog or grocery shopping, show off who you are and this great and prestigious service organization to which you belong!

Many Presidents received a "Proud To Be A Rotarian" bumper sticker that I put in their binders. No worries. The bumper stickers will not mar your vehicle's paint. Please put them on the back of your vehicle, and yes, be proud to be a leader! Let me know if you would like more stickers to give out to your club.

As I share with you my District goals please know that I look forward to visiting all of our clubs either in person; outdoors, social distancing or by Zoom. However, instead of this traditional Governor's visit, I also look forward to attending and participating in your clubs' service projects! Our Assistant Governors will assist in coordinating my Governor's visit along with attending your community service projects so please communicate with them.

### **Some of my goals for the year are:**

#### **Increase Membership:**

We all agree we need to grow Rotary but sometimes we get lost in the numbers game and lose sight of the bigger picture. We need to make sure we have quality members that will help grow our clubs and have our clubs be able to Open Opportunities for our new members to grow and become Rotary leaders.

#### **Retention:**

What is the purpose of bringing in new members only to then lose them?

Rotary International has about 100,000 new members to join every year. At the end of the year, Rotary loses about 100,000 members. My goal is to not only increase membership but retain membership. I would like to have a 90% retention rate. After all, an increase in our District's membership is meaningless if at the end of our Rotary year, we lose members. In conjunction with our Membership Trophy, we will also have a Retention Award.

#### **District Environment Projects:**

Rotary International recently added a 7th Avenue of Focus called Environment.

I would like to see our District participate in our New Avenue of Focus. Much more information will come on these partnerships!

### **Disaster Relief:**

I would like to have those interested in our District membership to have the opportunity to be trained as a Disaster Aid USA Response Team (DART) member. The training will include how to respond to local natural or manmade disasters. You will learn how to give humanitarian aid and help rebuild our local communities when a disaster strikes. Our District #7490 Disaster Response Trailer is now being retrofitted with the assistance of the Rutherford Eagle Scouts.

### **New Types of Clubs:**

I will be supporting new club types that are no longer just Rotary experiments but now a real part of Rotary International today. Along with our traditional clubs; I would like to have several E-Clubs, Passport Clubs, Cause Based, Rotaract and Community Based Clubs.

### **Food Program:**

We will be partnering up with the other New Jersey Rotary Districts to work with Outreach and FEMA to end hunger in the State of New Jersey.

### **Increase Our Polio Giving:**

We will implement a new giving program with rewards.

### **Foundation:**

We will be able to increase our District's giving by implementing "Every Rotarian Every Year."

Yes, these are challenging and sometimes difficult times we will all be experiencing. However, our communities need and are looking for **our leadership** now more than ever! We Rotarians are **People Of Action** who are always creating and innovating and we will continue to find new ways to open those opportunities. Last year our Rotary theme was; "Rotary Connects The World". This year, let's "**Open Opportunities**" to grow Rotary and connect our world!

Please come join me for an exciting New Rotary year!!

"Service Above Self"

Carl Hassett

District Governor 2020-2021



## **Holger Knaack**

Rotary International President 2020-2021  
Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln,  
Germany



### **A Rotary Partnership**

Holger Knaack, a member of the Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany, has been selected to serve as President of Rotary International in 2020-2021.

Holger Knack is a 27 year Rotary member of the Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln. He and his wife Susanne, are married for 43 years. Holger joined Rotary in 1992, the club had Holger help with their short term Youth Exchange camp in northern Germany and he said "I was immediately hooked!"

He is RI's first German president and he came to this position in an untraditional fashion unlike many past predecessors. He didn't rise up the ranks of the RI offices. President of his club and then DG of District 1940 in 2006-2007, next became Chair of the German Multi-District Youth Exchange, an RI Training Leader then was made an RI Director in 2013 and now RI President for 2020-2021.

As a young man, Holger was a driver for The Holger Bakery, a family bakery business since 1868. Upon attending college for Business Administration, he first met his wife to be, Susanne Horst, who also worked in her family business called The Horst Shop who were sausage makers. There were 94 men and only 3 women at this college student assembly but Holger made sure they got acquainted and they began driving home together on the weekends. On Sunday's, they drove back to school with their family's breads and sausages to give to their college friends. The year after they graduated in 1975, they married.

Having no children of their own, they began opening their home and their hearts to dozens of Youth Exchange students. Holger said this experience helped him from just being a member of a Rotary Club to being a true Rotarian. Hosting Roteractors and Youth Exchange Students became a family tradition. They've hosted 43 students over 24 years.

Susanne then became a Charter Member of Rotary E-Club Hamburg Connect. She assists and supports Holger in any way she can. They are Major Donors to The Rotary Foundation, member of the Paul Harris Society and Bequest Society.

## **Valarie K. Wafer**

Rotary International Director 2020-2022

Zones 28 and 32

Rotary Club of Collingwood-South Georgian Bay  
Ontario, Canada



### **A Rotary Partnership**

Valarie Wafer and her husband Mark of 33 years had a 27-year career as restaurant owners of a Canadian iconic franchise called Tim Hortons in Toronto. Valarie, at first worked in the Tim Hortons corporate offices as a financial accountant when Mark decided to buy their first Tim Hortons franchise. She shifted positions, they eventually owned, and both ran seven Tim Hortons and were widely recognized for their inclusive hiring practices for employees with disabilities. They had employed over 200 employees who were given meaningful and competitive paid positions. “Rotary clubs are like our franchises in the community; innovation happens at the grassroots level.” Wafer says, “When you are inclusive and innovate, people come, and when they identify with you, they are likely to stay.”

Valarie joined the Whitby Rotary Club in 2005 in order to fuel her passion for making an impact that matters. When she became President, she asked her husband Mark to join. In 2013/14, she became Governor of District 7070 in the Greater Toronto area. As PDG, she continued to serve Rotary in international roles such as; RI Training Leader, 2018 Toronto Convention Host Committee, RI President’s Representative and was elected to serve now on RI’s Board of Directors for 2020-2022.

In the course of running Tim Hortons, Mark, who was born deaf, wanted the opportunity to employ and give a real working wage to those with disabilities. Up to a third of his employees were disabled.

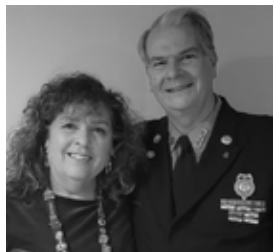
He is a member of the Canadian Federal Governments panel on labor market; he is a recipient of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Canadian Initiative for Canadians with Disabilities, helped to create Canada’s National Strategy on Disability Employment and is a keynote speaker. Between his Rotary duties, Mark is a devoted Motor Sports enthusiast, racecar driver and a sports car champion. He was an RI Training Facilitator for the International Assembly and he is now Valarie’s Travel Coordinator.

Valarie and Mark are Paul Harris Fellows, Bequest Society Members and Major Donors to the Rotary Foundation.



## **Carl Hassett**

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### **A Rotary Partnership**

Carl Hassett, born and raised in the Bronx, is very proud of his 20 year career with the New York City Fire Department. Before his career as a firefighter, he graduated from Aviation High School with a Power Plant & Air Frame License. The airlines weren't hiring so he then acquired an Associate's Degree in Automotive Technology from General Motors. Subsequently, he received a Master's Degree in Fire Science and received several Class A Medals and Citations for Life Saving. He was stationed in the South Bronx, Ladder Co. #42; one of the busiest Ladder companies in New York City that responded to over 6,000 runs per year. On his days off, he honed his "ability to fix anything" skills to working with wood and antique restoration as well as upholstery. This led him to start an upholstery, custom made furniture and drapery business. He retired from the FDNY just prior to 9/11. Since his retirement, he serves as a volunteer for the Rutherford Fire Department and has over forty years of firefighting experience.

When he met Yvonne, Carl moved to Rutherford, New Jersey and then married. He is still an Upholsterer, window treatment fabricator/designer for his business; E&S Upholstery LLC and works with Yvonne who is the owner and Decorator of Meadowlands Decorating Center LLC; located in East Rutherford New Jersey.

Yvonne was the first to join the Mid-Bergen Rotary Club in 2006, but as the business grew, she asked Carl to attend the meetings when she couldn't. Carl was immediately "hooked" and joined the Club in 2007. Believing in "Service Above Self" as a firefighter, he felt Rotary was a perfect fit for him to continue giving back to his community.

Carl became President of the Mid-Bergen Club in 2011-2012. In 2011, Carl along with fellow club member PDG Calisto Bertin, founded the Military Family Assistance Center (MFAC). Initially, the Teaneck Armory served as a food pantry for military families but funding for the program ended. They realized this left a void in the community. After collaborating, planning and networking, the Rotary District 7490 Military Family Assistance Center opened its doors. The food pantry and assistance programs for families of deployed military personnel began in the basement of Carl and Yvonne's business.

In 2012-2013, Carl served as club President again. Super Storm Sandy hit and Carl, Yvonne and PDG Calisto volunteered to assist with the distribution of donated food/goods that were delivered to the Bergen County distribution center in Paramus. They drove their vans and trucks many times delivering donations to the devastated areas of Moonachie, Teterboro and the Rockaways, New York.

In 2013-2014, Carl served as District Secretary for PDG Lenny Agrusti. Carl and Lenny, both First Responders, developed a "CPR Anytime" demonstration which they presented to the District clubs. They taught community organizations and schools which led to getting the attention of New Jersey State Educators who then had high school seniors take "CPR Anytime" as a graduation prerequisite.

**Rotary Summation:**

- 2011-2013 President Rotary Club of Mid-Bergen
- 2013-2015 Walter D. Head Foundation Trustee
- 2014-2015 Assistant Governor Coordinator
- 2015-2016 President Rotary Club of Mid-Bergen
- Assistant Governor of Administration
- 2016-2017 Chairperson, RMFAC and Disaster Relief
- 2016-2017 Recipient of the NJ Vocational Award - Rotary District 7490
- 2017-2018 Disaster Relief Committee Chairperson
- District Sergeant-at-Arms
- CPR Trainer and International Convention Chairperson Sergeant-at-Arms-Rotary International Convention, Atlanta Assigned to the Security Detail of RI President, John Germ
- 2018 -2019 Sergeant-at-Arms - Rotary International Convention, Toronto
- 2019-present Disaster Aid USA Response Team Leader
- Director of Disaster Aid Rotary Zone 32
- RLI Graduate/Facilitator Paul Harris Fellow Sustaining Member Walter D. Head Fellow+2

Carl's wife and Rotary Partner, Yvonne, nickname YVon, is from Washington, PA, south of Pittsburgh. She holds a BS Degree in Commercial Art and studied Photography and Design. During her college summers, Yvonne traveled around the country with bands as a professional singer, song writer and guitarist. She landed an offer after college to travel to New York to perform and record her original music. She performed in many venues such as; The Bitter End, The Bottom Line, Four Seasons, Tavern On The Green and The Plaza. She started an entertainment booking agency and also recorded in the studios of Steely Dan and Madonna. She continues to sing and write music.

Yvonne is a Rotarian in the Rotary Club of Hackensack, a Paul Harris Fellow, Walter D. Head Fellow, and two term club President. She has served as a Senior Assistant Governor, Assistant Governor, and Chairperson of the District's Youth Services. She is Chain Saw Certified with Disaster Aid USA and a member of the Rotary International World Choir. She now holds the position of District Club Trainer along with being Carl's right hand.

Carl and Yvonne have been married 22 years and are parents to one wonderful rescue dog named April and two fluffy rescue cats - Victoria and Venus. April is Meadowlands Decorating Center's Mascot and is affectionately called "April the Upholstery Princess" !





## **John G. Susani**

District Governor Elect  
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John G. Susani was born and raised in Paterson. He attended JFK High school where he played football, baseball, and ran track through his years at the school while developing lifelong friendships that endure to this day. He is a current resident of Totowa and became a member of Paterson Rotary Club #70 in 2003. John served as President from 2016 to 2017. During his term, he chartered two Interact Clubs in Paterson with twenty members each. As President, John initiated and developed several annual traditions, including the New York Yankee Game fund raisers and the Annual Golf Outing. The money raised each year helps purchase coats for kids in Paterson and helps provide food for the Weekend Food Boost Program. John has been Assistant Governor under three Governors and assisted PDG John Mitchell, 2019-2020. John was Vice President of the Paterson Task force from 2014 to 2016 and served on the Board of Directors for ten years. Together, Paterson Rotary and Paterson Task Force have worked to help the citizens of Paterson in many ways, such as summer camper food programs, furniture and clothing drives to help the needy.

As a member of the New Jersey Supreme Courts District Ethics Committee, John helped oversee the public practice of attorneys in the areas of accountability, legal competence and ethical conduct while serving a three year term.

John has served as a Board Member of the Aleppian Charity Society in Passaic County. He also had stints as Fundraising Chairman to aid members in his church, Sacred Heart's in Little Falls, as well as the local community. At Sacred Heart Church in Little Falls, John has been a member of the Men's Club for more than 50 plus years.

After attending college in New England, John decided to enter the real estate business to help families achieve the American Dream of Home Ownership. This has resulted in a forty year plus career as a real estate professional with most of those years as Broker / Owner of Coldwell Banker Susani Realty. In addition, he was also the owner of Benchmark Mortgage Company in Woodland Park from 2005 to 2009.

John has been married to his high school sweetheart, Dale Janet for 47 years. Together they have a son Sean and daughter-in-law Dana, who met while attending Seton Hall University. Sean works in the pharmaceutical field, and Dana teaches 6th grade English in the Clifton school system. They have two beautiful children, Connor and Juliet.

John is a Paul Harris Fellow and has been honored as a Walter D Head Award recipient. John has served on many of the Paterson Rotary Club Committees such as, Membership Committee, the Food Boost Program, and the Winter Coat, Hat, Glove for Kids Drive Committee, fund raising committee, Board of Directors and the Community Outreach Committee.

As the son of an immigrant who loved this country, John proudly served for 6 years during the Vietnam War, as a medic on the immunization team in the US. Army Reserve.

## **Raymond “Ray” Cywinski**

District Governor Nominee  
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Ray was born in Jersey City, lived in Cliffside Park through grammar school; moved to Oradell; then to Demarest in 1982, where he lives today. He attended Bergen Catholic HS and Rutgers University. Ray is truly Jersey born and bred.

Ray is married to Jane, a dialysis nurse, and has three adult children, Caitlin and Lauren (son-in-law Evan), both living in Bergen County, and a son, Michael, who lives in Wisconsin.

Professionally, Ray has been employed at SUEZ Water NJ for more years than he wishes to count. There, he has been involved with many facets of natural resource issues, raw water quality, environmental programs and other initiatives at the company. A good fit with Rotary's Seventh Avenue of Focus – The Environment.

A Rotary member since 1997, Ray has served three 2-year terms as President (2000-2002, 2007-2009, 2016-2018) of Northern Valley, est. 1965 and now serving seven towns in Northeast Bergen County. He and Jane have hosted two GOL children, one from South Korea and another from Honduras. Ray was instrumental in establishing an annual Golf Raffle and Super Bowl pool that has generated over \$100,000 for charitable causes the club supports. In 2008 Ray helped establish a Rotary Donor Advised Fund, giving Northern Valley the distinction of being the only club in the District to have done so. A small club, Northern Valley has had three District Governors, one of whom passed away before taking office. Ray will be the fourth.

At the district level, Ray served as an Assistant Governor for four years. He traveled to Honduras in 2008 on a Rotary Service Grant from The Rotary Foundation with other members of the district and nearby District 7520 to study ways to expand the water supply system for the city of Comayagua. Ray attended the Centennial Rotary International Convention in 2005 in Chicago.

Ray is a Walter D. Head Fellow and a multiple Paul Harris Fellow. He and Jane are recipients of the Gift of Life Humanitarian Award. Ray has participated in most of the presentations in the 16 years of their club's Dictionary Project, Ray loves interacting with the 3rd grade students when club members give information on what Rotary is and what Rotarians do.

Outside of Rotary, Ray has a long history of public service and volunteerism. He served as President of the NJ Shade Tree Federation, President of NJ Association of Conservation Districts and is currently serving as President of the Association of NJ Environmental Commissions. In addition, Ray currently serves as a member

of the Bergen County Environmental Council, supervisor for the Bergen County Soil Conservation District, member of the NJ State Soil Conservation Committee and is the NJ representative on the Board of Directors of the National Association of Conservation Districts. Ray also served as Mayor of Demarest from 2011-2018 and previously as a Demarest council member for a total of 12 years. Ray has been honored by receiving many civic awards.

Any Northern Valley Rotary member will tell you that Ray thinks outside the box, and encourages every Rotarian in the District to do the same. He wants to hear your ideas, especially new ones, to increase membership, to make clubs, and therefore the District stronger in order to grow our capacity to serve individuals and communities in need; on local, state, national and worldwide levels!

As the saying goes..."Many hands make light work."

## **Paul P. Harris Founder of Rotary**

Paul P. Harris, a lawyer, was the founder of Rotary, the world's first and most international service club.

Born in Racine Wisconsin, USA on April 19, 1868, Paul was the second of six children to George N. Harris and Cornelia Bryan Harris. At age 3 he moved to Wallingford, Vermont where he grew up in the care of his paternal grandparents. Married to Jean Thompson Harris (1881 - 1963), they had no children. He received an



**Paul P. Harris  
1968-1947**

L.L.B. from the University of Iowa and received an honorary L.L.D. from the University of Vermont.

Paul Harris worked as a newspaper reporter, a business teacher, stock company actor, cowboy, and traveled extensively in the U.S.A. and Europe selling marble and granite. In 1896, he went to Chicago to practice law. One evening Paul visited the suburban home of a professional friend. After dinner, as they strolled through the neighborhood, Paul's friend introduced him to various tradesmen in their stores. It was here Paul conceived the idea of a club that could recapture some of the friendly spirit among businessmen in small communities.

On February 23, 1905, Paul Harris formed the first club with three other businessmen: Silvester Schiele, a coal merchant; Gustavus Loehr, a mining engineer; and Hiram Shorey, a merchant tailor. Paul Harris named the new club Rotary because members met in rotation at their various places of business. Club membership grew rapidly. Soon Paul became convinced that the Rotary club could be developed into an important service movement and strove to extend Rotary to other cities.

Paul maintained his law office for most of his life. He spent much time traveling and was invited to speak to Rotarians at annual conventions, district and regional meetings, and other functions. When President emeritus Paul Harris passed away on January 27, 1947, his dream had grown from an informal meeting of four men to some 6,000 clubs. In the past five decades, the organization has grown to more than 35,354 clubs with 1,235,669 members brought together through Paul Harris' vision of service and fellowship.

As Rotary's founder said, "We have to be revolutionary from time to time." Now is such a time. Rotary Opens Opportunities-countless ones for us to embrace change that will strengthen us even as we remain true to our core values.



## **The Rotary Foundation**

### ***Every Rotarian Every Year***

The mission of THE ROTARY FOUNDATION is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education and the alleviation of poverty. This is accomplished through projects and programs in one or more of Rotary's seven areas of focus. Which are Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution; Disease Prevention and Treatment; Water and Sanitation; Maternal and Child Health; Basic Education and Literacy; Economic and Community Development and Supporting the Environment.

The Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation supported solely by voluntary contributions from Rotarians and friends of the Foundation who share its vision of a better world.

Your support of the ANNUAL FUND is key to serving our local communities and communities worldwide. A significant portion of our donations made to the ANNUAL FUND comes back to our District to help fund club projects.

Rotary and its partners are on the brink of eradicating polio through the POLIO PLUS PROGRAM, but a strong push is needed now to end this tenacious disease once and for all. Your contributions support immunization campaigns in developing countries where polio continues to infect and paralyze children, robbing them of their futures and compounding the hardships faced by their families. As long as polio threatens even one child anywhere in the world, children everywhere remain at risk. By donating now, you can help Rotary achieve a polio-free world.

The PERMANENT FUND is the Foundation's endowment, with gifts held in perpetuity. Spendable earnings from this fund help ensure a strong future for the Foundation by supplementing the Annual Programs Fund, secure the Foundations future and enable Rotarians and friends to fulfill their philanthropic goals.

Every Person Every Year (EPEY) is an initiative that encourages each Rotary club member to contribute \$100 every year to support the Rotary Foundation. Based on District membership of 1,200 members x \$100 = \$120,000 for the Foundation. In three years, the District would then receive back \$60,000 for the District's club projects.

For more information about the Rotary Foundation please contact our District's Rotary Foundation Chairperson, Calisto J. Bertin, a member of the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club.



## **Rotary District 7490 Walter D. Head Foundation**

The Rotary District 7490 Walter D. Head Foundation is the District's charitable foundation. It was founded in 1965 by a resolution at the District Conference on Grand Bahama Island. The District Governor was Russell Armstrong and the founders were PDG Ira Mitchell and Paramus Rotarian Nick Laganella. It was named for Walter D. Head, a former member of the Teaneck Rotary Club and the first District 7490 Rotarian to become the President of Rotary International in 1939-1940.



**Walter D. Head  
Teaneck, New Jersey  
President of  
Rotary International,  
1939-1940**

Dr. Head was a renowned educator who presided as President of the college which preceded Fairleigh Dickinson University and who was also instrumental in the formation of the United Nations.

The original purpose of the District Foundation was to award one scholarship every other year in opposition to The Rotary Foundation, which at the time, was granting an Ambassadorial Scholarship every other year. The major differences between The Rotary Foundation scholarship awards and The District WDH Foundation awards are; The Rotary Foundation Scholarship is a fully funded award, which is controlled by Rotary International and is not available to Rotarians or their families. The Walter D. Head awards are for a partial scholarship, which, is controlled by our own District and is available to relatives of Rotarians as well as to all others.

The purpose of the District Foundation has evolved. In addition to providing academic scholarships, it also provides Supplemental Funding Grants for local community service projects undertaken by two or more Rotary Clubs, and services as the conduit for charitable giving for the District.

For more information, please contact Chair Gil DeLaat, a member of the Rotary Club of Mid-Bergen County.



## **The Gift of Life Foundation**

The Gift of Life is a worldwide humanitarian program intended to aid the children of the world born with congenital heart disease who are in need of the saving corrective heart surgery.

GOL International began to help a small girl from Uganda in 1975, the program has developed into a dynamic worldwide movement involving not only Rotarians, but countless other support groups. Our district's program began in 1986, and has since been responsible for saving the lives of over 1,100 children from around the world.

Children and adults have been sponsored for corrective heart surgery by the Rotarians of District 7490, coming from nations all over the globe including but not limited to Anquilla, Armenia, Bolivia, China, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Iraq, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Korea, Nigeria, Poland, Uganda, Ukraine, Vietnam and even the United States.

Essential to our worldwide effort for saving lives are our participating hospitals and medical personnel who donate so much of their time, effort and talents to our children. Special thanks go out to the administration, doctors and staff of our participating hospitals; St. Joseph's Regional Medical Center, Westchester Medical Center and Valley Hospital.

The cost for sponsorship for a child is currently \$6,000, and is ordinarily provided by Rotary Clubs or their affiliated youth clubs including Interact, Roteract and React. The Gift of Life Foundation donates this fee in its entirety to the hospital to offset the cost of disposables utilized in the surgical process.

Our District Gift of Life program includes a Foundation Board consisting of appointed trustee and district officers serving as trustees by virtue of their office, who raise and oversee the funds with which the program is carried out by the District Gift of Life Committee, consisting of both Rotarians and non-Rotarian volunteers from throughout the district. Anyone interested is more than welcome to be a part of this committee.

The Gift of Life program not only brings children and young adults in need to the United States for surgery, we have also sponsored surgeries overseas in surgical centers we have helped to establish, specifically in Ukraine with our partner the Ukrainian Gift of Life. In addition, we have also sent teams of surgeons, medical personnel and volunteers to perform surgeries on 10 cardiac medical missions including to Hue, Vietnam in 2006, and 2009, Hanoi, Vietnam in 2015, San Pedro Sula, Honduras in 2007, Quito, Ecuador in 2010 and 2012. Kampala, Uganda in 2012, Nicaragua in 2013 and to the Philippines in 2014. For more information about the Gift of Life program please contact Committee Chair Ruth Nebiar, of the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club. If you wish to make a donation, please contact the Gift of Life Foundation Chair Bob Klingen, a member of the Allendale/Saddle River Rotary Club.



## **Reaching Out into the Community**

### **Public Relations/Image for Clubs and District 7490**

**Contact: Anupama B. Kinatukara**  
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District 7490 offers five ways for your club to communicate with members of other Rotary Clubs in our district and advertise any club functions where you may want fellow Rotarians to participate.

**Social Media:** All Rotarians are encouraged to follow the District on Social Media and to send any information to Anupama for events that they would like shared on our District Social Media accounts.

Facebook Group: Rotary District 7490

Twitter: @7490Rtoary

Instagram: rotary\_district\_7490

**Our District Website:** You are encouraged to share your projects and upcoming events with the rest of the world through our District Website. Send your information to our Information Technology Coordinator, Jay Delgado from the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club, at bsa@usa.com for posting. A copy should be sent to Anupama Kinatukara, the District's Public Image Coordinator at abkinatukara@gmail.com.

**AG Distribution:** Clubs that wish to have their event flyers distributed by the District AGs should send them to our Chief of Staff, Steven Hopper at stevenbhopper07656@gmail.com no later than one week prior to the scheduled Staff Meeting.

**District Newsletter:** Is in the capable hands of Newsletter Editor Steve Stamos from the Bayonne Rotary Club. The District Newsletter is published online monthly (but can also be mailed to those who do not have e-mail.) This newsletter focuses on the District Governor's message of the month, membership issues, the monthly theme, and District meetings. Please send photos and brief captions or stories to Steve Stamos at sstamos@optonline.net no later than the second Monday of every month.

**District Trailer:** The trailer is always available for any club. Please reach out to PDG Dominic Jengo at dominicj@gmail.com to check on the availability. Just drive to your site, and post your message for all to see.

**And of course,** you should publicize your club's events in your local newspapers, not necessarily the Bergen Record or the Herald News, but in the smaller, weekly newspapers (which are often read cover to cover by recipients.) Find out who the editor is of your local paper, and invite him/her to your meetings and encourage him/her to become a Rotarian. Send all information at least three weeks in advance to the newspaper editor.



## **Rotary International's New 7th Area of Focus Supporting the Environment**

### **A Project to Save our Environment Trex Company and District 7490**



**A Win-Win Re-Cycling Partnership.** We will be partnering with the Trex Company to provide our clubs with a Re-Cycling Plastic Program which will provide the opportunity for each club to receive 1 plastic bin from the District to place in a community area of their choice which will be used to collect plastic. This plastic will then be given to the Trex Company to re-cycle for their decking products. Each club that meets

certain criteria will then be able to receive an award from Trex that can be given back to the community. Saving the Earth and Giving Back!

### **End Hunger Project: Food Packaging**

Coordinated by DG Carl Hassett of the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club, this project packages and collects food for local food pantries in the three counties District 7490 serves. Nearly 300 volunteers work for two-hour shifts to put together boil-in-bag packets of macaroni & cheese, rice and beans and/or oatmeal. The project is under the aegis of Outreach, Inc., an organization in the mid-west that supervises these food-packaging operations throughout the country and Canada. On our first food-packaging day held on Martin Luther King Day in 2014, our 330 volunteers packaged 46,000 meals; we increased this amount each year holding our event on Halloween through 2018. In past years, this event benefited the Center for Food Action in Englewood, Ringwood, and Paterson and, our own Military Family Assistance Centers. We will once again ask clubs to participate in raising the funds necessary to “purchase” the food supplies. For more information on how to participate, please contact Chairperson DG Carl Hassett at [governor7490@gmail.com](mailto:governor7490@gmail.com).



## **District 7490 Military Family Assistance Center**



The Teaneck Armory closed its food pantry for military families in 2011, creating a gap in assistance for military families in need. PDG Calisto J. Bertin and DG Carl Hassett gathered a group of Rotarians to form the Rotary Military Family Assistance Center to fill that gap. In the beginning, the Rotary MFAC was a regional food pantry that supported the families of active-duty reservists and military members, veterans with a medical discharge, and the families of military personnel that lost their lives during active service. The food pantry originally opened at DG Carl Hassett's warehouse in Rutherford, NJ and now resides at the Veterans Center located at 110A Meadowlands Parkway in Secaucus, NJ.

Recognizing the greater need to serve all currently service military members, veterans, recognized military organizations and the immediate family of our military, MFAC expanded its charter to provide other types of assistance.

MFAC is a resource to those who are currently serving or have served our country. The committee evaluates every request and is addressed in a timely manner. All requests for assistance should be directed to the Committee Chair.

Clubs are encouraged to sponsor food drives to help stock the MFAC pantry or designate the proceeds of a fundraiser to assist the MFAC in granting requests and, report to the MFAC on any project your club is doing or plans to do to assist the military community.

Please contact DG Carl Hassett or PDG Calisto Bertin on how you can make a difference or to schedule a program at your club.

## **Rotary District 7490 Speakers' Bureau**



Looking for information on great speakers and programs that have spoken at other clubs? Want to share information on a terrific speaker who has shared their expertise with your club?

Rotary District 7490 has a speakers' bureau on our district's website ([www.rotary7490.org](http://www.rotary7490.org)) that lists and evaluates speakers and provides information on interesting, professional and high-quality programs for your club.

For more information, contact the District Speakers' Bureau program Chair John Devol of the Englewood Rotary Club at [jdevol37@gmail.com](mailto:jdevol37@gmail.com) or call 201-888-0488.

## **Disaster Aid**

Disaster Aid USA is a Rotary Club Project managed and run by American Rotarians.

There are 17 Disaster Aid Response Trailers now throughout the United States, which includes our own District 7490 Response Trailer.

When a disaster strikes, donations provide the needed funds for DAUSA to deploy to that disaster along with the Disaster Aid Response trailers a team of trained volunteers (DART's.) Disaster Aid Response Team Members consists of Rotarians and non-Rotarians. They receive training so they are able to learn how to provide humanitarian aid and assistance to those victims suffering in desperate need after a natural or man-made disaster. The team also continues to assist those who suffer from the after effects of a disaster. Disaster Aid USA can also deliver that aid in our donor's behalf.

With the high ethical standards we bring as Rotarians along with our adhering to the 4 Way Test, we bring much more than just needed supplies along with our one on one assistance to help our fellow American's when they become a victim of a disaster.

For more information, training opportunities and donations, please contact DG Carl Hassett at [governor7490@gmail.com](mailto:governor7490@gmail.com) or at 201-296-1797.



## **Wheelchair Foundation UK**



Wheelchair  
Foundation UK

**Mission Statement:** Wheelchair Foundation UK is a non-profit organization leading an international effort to create awareness of the needs and abilities of people with physical disabilities, to promote joy of giving, create global friendship and to deliver a wheelchair to every child, teen, and adult in the world who needs one, but cannot afford one. For those people, Wheelchair Foundation UK delivers Hope, Mobility, Freedom, Dignity and Independence. For more information or an application, please contact PDG Dominic Jengo at [dominicj@gmail.com](mailto:dominicj@gmail.com).



## **Alliance for Smiles**

Alliance for Smiles is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization with a mission "To repair children's broken smiles by providing free comprehensive treatment for cleft lip and palate anomalies in under-served areas of the world."

The organization founded in October 2004, by six members of the Rotary Club of San Francisco who had been involved previously with other cleft lip and palate organizations. The desire on the part of the Founders was to create a two-tiered program to not only send medical teams to sites to perform corrective surgeries, but also to create Treatment Centers where the protocols of cleft treatment in the USA could be replicated. Alliance for Smiles also helps to establish and maintain permanent centers to provide follow-up treatment and continuing care to children who have received surgery. For more information, contact Chairperson Pat LaRocco at [patL602mor@gmail.com](mailto:patL602mor@gmail.com)



## **Peace and Conflict Resolution**



As a humanitarian organization, peace is a cornerstone of Rotary International's mission. Rotarians believe when people work to create peace in their communities, that change can have a global effect. The 2020-2021 Peace Project for Rotary District 7490 is...

### **Champions of Peace**

The project will launch on November 11, 2020. This is a historic date as WWI ended on November 11, 1918. Each club will identify and celebrate a member of their respective community as their **Champion of Peace**. The project will culminate with a District wide event honoring the 2020-2021 Rotary District 7490 Champions of Peace. For information on the program, contact the Peace and Conflict Resolution Committee Chair Charlotte Bennett Schoen at [charlotte3377@gmail.com](mailto:charlotte3377@gmail.com).

## **District 7490 Special Needs & Mental Health Program**

The Mission of the District 7490 Special Needs and Mental Health Committee is to help improve the lives of persons with special needs and mental illness, applying the time, talent, and resources of individual Rotarian's and Clubs. The Committee will have two subcommittees, a Mental Health subcommittee, and Special Needs subcommittee. While there is overlap in the types of assistance needed by persons with special needs and mental illness, use of separate subcommittees will allow each subcommittee to focus on the unique needs of those persons whom they are dedicated to help. Each subcommittee will develop its own projects and work on some of the initiatives that have been already implemented. The subcommittees will also work together to develop ideas and share resources. For more information or how your club can contribute to the Special Needs and Mental Health Program contact Ray Falcon of the Park Ridge Rotary Club at [rfalcon@falconsinger.com](mailto:rfalcon@falconsinger.com) or 201-307-0074.

## **CPR Anytime Hands Only CPR**

CPR Anytime, Hands-only, is an extremely important training that can be easily taught and done by anyone to save a life. According to the American Heart Association, approximately 400,000 people go into cardiac arrest each year in the United State and only 8 percent survive outside of the hospital! Those who survive only do so because a bystander immediately started this Hands-Only CPR. Many of our clubs in our District along with schools and community groups were given instruction and taught this life saving technique.

Research has shown chest compressions alone are as effective as standard CPR in sustaining cardiac-arrest victims until emergency help arrives. Because of this training that was introduced into our District in 2014, it was eventually recognized by the State to have a bill signed by Lt. Governor Guadagno requiring public high school students to learn this CPR. According to PDG Lenny Agrusti, a 40+ year member of the Wayne Memorial Volunteer First Aid Squad, "the more people we can teach this CPR to, the more people will be able to survive cardiac arrest in our communities!"

For information and to set up virtual instruction, please contact PDG Lenny Agrusti at e-mail [mealen26@gmail.com](mailto:mealen26@gmail.com) or at 973-907-8500.



## **Rotary Leadership Institute**

The Rotary Leadership Institute is a world-wide, grassroots, multi-district Leadership development program whose mission is to strengthen Rotary clubs through quality leadership education. Rotary Leadership Institute was founded to assist in improving the Rotary knowledge and leadership skills of the future leaders of our Rotary clubs. Although not an official program of Rotary International, more than 390 Rotary districts now offer it to their members. Participants in RLI, no matter whether they are experienced members, club Presidents, District Staff or new to Rotary, participate in a three-level curriculum involving open discussion, problem solving and creative role-playing. Trained volunteer facilitators lead interactive workshops held generally on Saturday for six to seven hours each day. Participants at each level discuss leadership development, expand their Rotary knowledge, learn about The Rotary Foundation, attraction and engagement of members, and specialized topics such as public relations and diverse Rotary programs such as Rotary Fellowships and Rotarian Action Groups.



District 7490 is part of RLI Northeast America, the founder of the program world-wide. Rotary District 7490 continues to offer a BOGO – if a club sends one Rotarian to RLI (often just level1), then the District will reimburse the club for sending a second participant. For more information, or to sign up please contact Chairperson Wendy Paul of the Jersey City Golden Door Rotary Club at [wspaul@gmail.com](mailto:wspaul@gmail.com).



## **Vocational Assembly**

The New Jersey Vocational Assembly brings all three Rotary Districts in New Jersey together to celebrate and to learn about the second avenue of Rotary service-vocational service. The Vocational Assembly will now be held during the month of January, the session focuses on how Rotarians can use their own vocations and passions to provide service, on various service organizations throughout the State of New Jersey and most importantly, on ethics and the Four Way Test. Started by PG Bob Pityo in District 7470 and Past RI Treasurer Carmine Torsiello in 1981, the New Jersey Vocational Assembly is the only one of its kind throughout the Rotary World.

At the Vocational Assembly, each District also honors one special Rotarian nominated by one of their clubs who has exemplified Service Above Self and a commitment to the Four Way Test.

Speakers at the Vocational Assembly often include the incoming Rotary International President, and have also included such luminaries as Norman Vincent Peale, Author Kenneth Blanchard, Mary French (Founder of the Dictionary Project), CBS Radio's Joes Connelly, and NJ's Lieutenant Governor Kim Guadano.

For information about the Vocational Service Award and the application please contact DGE John Susani from the Paterson Rotary Club at [jgsusani7490@gmail.com](mailto:jgsusani7490@gmail.com).

## **YOUTH PROGRAMS**

For information on any of the District Youth Programs, contact Gina Getrajdman the Youth Services Chair, from the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club at [gina.getrajdman@lodik12.nj.us](mailto:gina.getrajdman@lodik12.nj.us). You may also directly contact any of the Coordinators or Youth Committee Members.

### **Interact/React**



Interact is Rotary International's service club for young people ages 12 to 18. Interact clubs are sponsored by individual Rotary clubs, which provide support and guidance, but they are self-governing and self-supporting. Our Rotary District currently has over 30 Interact Clubs in local public and parochial high schools, as well as 12 "React" Clubs in middle schools. We want to increase the number of Interact Clubs to at least 50! As one of the most significant and fastest-growing programs of Rotary service, with more than 10,700 clubs in 109 countries and geographical areas, Interact has become a worldwide phenomenon. Almost 200,000 young people are involved worldwide in Interact. Each year, Interact Clubs complete at least two community service projects, one of which furthers international understanding and goodwill. Through these efforts, Interactors develop a network of friendships with local and overseas clubs and learn the importance of developing leadership skills and personal integrity, demonstrating helpfulness and respect for others, advancing international understanding and goodwill and understanding the value of individual responsibility and hard work.

Each year, Interact and React students in District 7490 meet for a special conference which stresses development of leadership skills, acquaints the students with opportunities for community service, and allows them to network with more than 250 other students who share their passion for changing the world.

District 7490 is proud to have founded the first Interact Club in the world especially devoted to assisting children with developmental disabilities. Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Northern Valley, this club has already completed its fourth year at the Bergen Center for Child Development. The District is currently working to establish additional Rotary Clubs for children with special needs.

For more information about Interact/React, contact the District Interact Coordinator, Gina Getrajdman of the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club at [gina.getrajdman@lodik12.nj.us](mailto:gina.getrajdman@lodik12.nj.us).



### **Rotaract**

Rotaract Clubs throughout the world geared towards students attending colleges as well as younger potential Rotarians up through age 25 in their home communities who do not wish to join a local Rotary Club. District 7490 has sponsored Rotaract Clubs – at Stephen's Technical Institute in Hoboken, Saint Peter's University in Jersey City, Fairleigh Dickenson University in Teaneck, and New York University (although this is not in our District, it was founded by one of our Rotarians.) We have a special goal of revitalizing these Clubs and establishing a Club at Ramapo College and the 3 Community Colleges. Similar to Interact Clubs, Rotaract Clubs perform public service for their communities, meet bi-weekly about issues important to students or younger people, and work together with their sponsoring Rotary Clubs.

For more information about Rotaract, contact the District Rotaract Coordinator, Jean Jordan of the Passaic Valley/Little Falls Rotary Club at [justijtj@gmail.com](mailto:justijtj@gmail.com).

## Youth Exchange

Sponsored by Rotary International, Youth exchange gives students an opportunity to live and to learn in other countries throughout the world. In recent years, students (mostly juniors in high school) have come to our District from Thailand, Belgium, Brazil, Sweden and France. They stay at the homes of host families in the District; those families act as the students' surrogate families. Incoming students attend school in the community that has adopted them for the entire academic year. At the same time, teens in our District have the opportunity to travel to other countries around the world to attend school there and to live with host families who are Rotarians in other countries. The program also offers a short-term stay for three months, often during the summer. In general, the host family abroad will send their son or daughter to the town of the local Rotary-sponsored teenager, and vice versa. This is a very competitive program, but students are always welcomed to apply.



For more information, please contact our Youth Exchange Coordinator, Larry Bogert of the Northern Valley Rotary Club at [LarryBogert@aim.com](mailto:LarryBogert@aim.com).



RYLA stands for Rotary Youth Leadership Award, a program sponsored by our District for students entering their junior year of high school, RYLA participants attend an all-expense paid, six day workshop focusing on leadership, team building and professional development topics.

They join other talented young people selected and sponsored by the Rotary Clubs of District 7490. Rotary clubs pay approximately \$500 for each participant.

For more information, please contact the RYLA Coordinator, Sonia Roman of the Passaic Valley/Little Falls Rotary Club at [soniaroman1313@gmail.com](mailto:soniaroman1313@gmail.com).



## Scouting



The District and the Clubs support both the Girl Scouts and Scouts USA in a number of programs. In particular, the District and the Clubs assist the Scouts in the Eagle and Gold projects, and honor them with a special recognition at their Courts of Honor.

To assist in these efforts, contact our Scouts USA (Boy Scouts) Liaison Jay Delgado of the Mid-Bergen County Rotary Club at [bsa@usa.com](mailto:bsa@usa.com) or the Girl Scouts Liaison GinaVerdibello of the Jersey City Rotary Club at [ginaverdibello@gmail.com](mailto:ginaverdibello@gmail.com).



## Past District Governors



**William G. Fiedler**

1957-1958 Union City

*RI Theme: Enlist-Extend-Explore-Serve*

Conference: Asbury Park, NJ



**Edward C. Syder**

1958-1959 Bergen Highlands

*RI Theme: Help Shape The Future!*

Conference: Asbury Park, NJ



**Thomas Hansen**

1959-1960 Paramus

*RI Theme: Vitalize! Personalize!*

*Build Bridges of Friendship!*

Conference: Atlantic City, NJ



**Godfrey Budlin**

1960-1961 Teaneck

*RI Theme: You are Rotary! Live It!*

*Express It! Expand It!*

Conference: Atlantic City, NJ



**James C. Hayes**

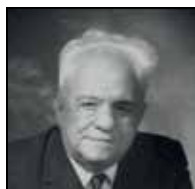
1961-1962 Rochelle Park

*RI Theme: ACT—Aim for Action*

*Communicate for Understanding*

*Test for leadership*

Conference: Atlantic City, NJ



**V. Joseph Grassey**

1962-1963 Paterson

*RI Theme: The Spark Within*

Conference: Atlantic City, NJ



**Walter Steinmann**

1963-1964 Secaucus

*RI Theme: Meeting Rotary's Challenge in  
the Space Age*

Conference: Lake Kiemisha, NY



**Russell Armstrong**

1964-1965 Englewood

*RI Theme: Live Rotary*

Conference: Grand Bahama Island

## **Past District Governors**



**Samuel B. Reich, M.D.**

1965-1966 Hackensack

*RI Theme: Action, Consolidation  
& Continuity*

Conference: Atlantic City



**Ira C. Mitchell**

1966-1967 Fair Lawn

*RI Theme: Better World Through Rotary  
Conference: Lake Kiemisha, NY*



**G. Gerson Isenberg**

1967-1968 Pompton Lakes

*RI Theme: Make Your Rotary  
Membership Effective*  
Conference: Lancaster, PA



**George J. Berdolt**

1968-1969 Union City

*RI Theme: Participate!*  
Conference: Freeport, Bahamas



**James J. Rodgers**

1969-1970 Hackensack

*RI Theme: Review & Renew*  
Conference: Poconos, PA



**Milton L. Johnson**

1970-1971 Clifton

*RI Theme: Bridge the Gaps*  
Conference: Norfolk, VA



**Robert Spaulding**

1971-1972 Paterson

*RI Theme: Goodwill Begins With You*  
Conference: Poconos, PA



**C. Bedford Delano**

1972-1973 Englewood Cliffs

*RI Theme: Let's Take A New Look  
& ACT!*  
Conference: Poconos, PA

## **Past District Governors**



**Anthony Purpose**  
1973-1974 Fair Lawn  
*RI Theme: A Time For Action*  
Conference: Nassau, Bahamas



**Carmine L. Torsiello**  
(Mary)  
1974-1975 North Arlington  
RI Theme: Renew The Spirit of Rotary



**Raymond R. Wells**  
(Betty)  
1975-1976 Paramus  
*RI Theme: To Dignify The Human Being*  
Conference: Lancaster, PA



**John C. Eppler**  
1976-1977 Closter  
*RI Theme: I Believe in Rotary*  
Conference: Bermuda



**Vincent P. McCorry**  
(Ann)  
1977-1978 Cliffside Park  
*RI Theme: Serve To Unite Mankind*  
Conference: Atlantic City



**Anthony J. Marino**  
(Maureen)  
1978-1979 River Edge  
*RI Theme: Reach Out*  
Conference: Marbella, Spain



**Harold W. Spaeth**  
(Shirley)  
1979-1980 Cresskill-Demarest  
*RI Theme: Let Service Light The Way*  
Conference: Acapulco, Mexico



**Joseph E. Gibbs**  
(Rosemarie)  
1980-1981 Rutherford  
*RI Theme: Take Time To Serve*  
Conference: Freeport, Bahamas

## **Past District Governors**



**David H. Mundy  
(Lois)**

1981-1982 Wayne

*RI Theme: World Understanding & Peace  
Through Rotary*



**Morris D. Glotzer  
(Sara)**

1982-1983 Paramus

*RI Theme: Mankind is One—Build Bridges  
of Friendship Throughout the World*



**Harvey N. Weinberg  
(Mitzi)**

1983-1984 Oakland-Franklin Lakes

*RI Theme: Share Rotary-Serve People*



**Robert J. Dalzell, Jr.  
(Patricia)**

1984-1985 Wayne

*RI Theme: Discover A New World  
of Service*  
Conference: Torremolinos, Spain



**Robert Benowitz  
(Arlene)**

1985-1986 Meadowlands

*RI Theme: YOU Are The Key*  
Conference: Williamsburg, PA



**Arthur M. Scialla  
(Patricia)**

1986-1987 Paterson

*RI Theme: Rotary Brings Hope*  
Conference: Bermuda



**Robert S. Kleinberg  
(Doris)**

1987-1988 Park Ridge

*RI Theme: Rotarians - United in Service  
Dedicated to Peace*  
Conference: Acapulco, Mexico



**John Hartmann  
(Terry)**

1988-1989 Wyckoff-Midland Park  
*RI Theme: Put Life in Rotary - Your Life*  
Conference: San Juan, Puerto Rico

## Past District Governors



**Ronald Verblauw  
(Carol)**

1989-1990 Rutherford  
*RI Theme: Enjoy Rotary*  
Conference: Orlando, Florida



**Jack Rosen  
(Edyth)**

1990-1991 Fair Lawn Sunrise  
*RI Theme: Honor Rotary with Faith and  
Enthusiasm*  
Conference: Athens, Greece



**Raymond Janovic  
(Patricia)**

1991-1992 Park Ridge  
*RI Theme: Look Beyond Yourself*  
Conference: Caribbean Cruise



**William Gates  
(Joyce)**

1992-1993 Paterson  
*RI Theme: Real Happiness is Help Other:*  
Conference: Cape Cod, MA



**Victor F. Schwarz  
(Jane)**

1993-1994 Teaneck  
*RI Theme: Believe In what You Can Do - Do  
what You Believe In*  
Conference: Baltimore, MD



**William F. Rupp**  
1994-1995 Maywood  
*RI Theme: Be A Friend*  
Conference: Newport, RI



**Paul V. Rutigliano  
(Maureen)**

1995-1996 Cresskill-Demarest  
*RI Theme: Act with Integrity - Serve with  
Love - Work for Peace*



**Dick Oakley  
(Niki)**

1996-1997 Cresskill-Demarest  
*RI Theme: Build the Future with Action  
and Vision*

## **Past District Governors**



**Kent L. Aldershof  
(Kiki)**

1997-1998 Meadowlands  
*RI Theme: Show Rotary Cares*



**Honey S. Kleinberg**  
1998-1999 Fair Lawn Sunrise  
*RI Theme: Follow Your Rotary Dream*  
Conference: Marbella, Spain



**Kenneth Ruskin  
(Ruth)**

1999-2000 Jersey City  
*RI Theme: Act with Consistency,  
Credibility, Continuity*  
Conference: Las Vegas, NV



**Bernard Finkel  
(Fay)**

2000-2001 Elmwood Park  
*RI Theme: Create Awareness...Take Action*  
Conference: Caribbean Cruise



**Raymond B. Strauss, M.D.  
(Lois)**

2001-2002 Englewood  
*RI Theme: Mankind is Our Business*  
Conference: Punta Cana, DR

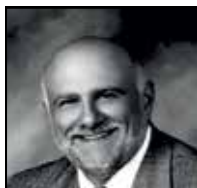


**Peter Lefkowitz  
(Donna)**

2002-2003 Pompton Lakes  
*RI Theme: Sow the Seeds of Love*  
Conference: New Orleans, LA



**Dan Shiver**  
2003-2004 Paterson AM  
*RI Theme: Lend A Hand*  
Conference: Caribbean Cruise



**Joseph Dino, Jr.  
(Marion)**  
2004-2005 Paterson  
*RI Theme: Celebrate Rotary*  
Conference: Cancun, Mexico

## **Past District Governors**



**Dennis Miskewicz  
(Rita)**

2005-2006 Wayne  
*RI Theme: Service Above Self*  
Conference: Williamsburg, PA



**Gloria Counsellor**

2006-2007 Hawthorne  
*RI Theme: Lead the Way*  
Conference: Bermuda Cruise



**Robert A. Tedesco (Honorary)**

2006-2007 D7260  
*RI Theme: Lead The Way*  
Conference: Gettysburg, PA



**Joseph Lauren  
(Sonia)**

2007-2008 Mid Bergen County  
*RI Theme: Rotary Shares*  
Conference: San Juan, PR



**Dominic Jengo  
(Nancy)**

2008-2009 Maywood  
*RI Theme: Make Dreams Real*  
Conference: Montreal, Canada



**Suraj Bhatia**

2009-2010 Northern Valley  
*RI Theme: The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands*  
Conference: Long Branch, NJ



**Adele Miller  
(Bill)**

2010-2011 Jersey City  
*RI Theme: Building Communities --  
Bridging Continents*  
Conference: Philadelphia, PA



**Emil Geering  
(Linda Port)**

2011-2012 Paramus  
*RI Theme: Reach Within to Embrace  
Humanity*  
Conference: Washington, DC

## ***Past District Governors***



**Bonnie Sirower  
(Martin)**

2012-2013 Paterson  
RI Theme: Peace Through Service  
Conference: Mystic, CT



**Lenny Agrusti  
(Mary Ellen)**

2013-2014 Wayne  
*RI Theme: Engage Rotary Change Lives*  
Conference: Cruise to Bermuda



**Calisto Bertin  
(Lisa)**

2014-2015 Mid-Bergen County  
RI Theme: Light up Rotary  
Conference: Tres Rios, Rivera Maya,  
Mexico



**Peter Wells  
(Linda)**

2015-2016 Park Ridge  
RI Theme: Be a Gift to the World  
Conference: Baltimore, MD



**Stephen V Jarahian**

2016-2017 Bergenfield-Dumont  
RI Theme: Rotary Serving Humanity  
Conference: Cambridge, Maryland



**James "JamBoy" Boyer**

2017-2018 Northern Valley  
RI Theme: Rotary Making A Difference  
Conference: Punta Cana, DR



**Niurka "Nikki" Mederos  
(Manny)**

2018-2019 North Hudson  
RI Theme: Be The Inspiration  
Conference: Gettysburg, PA



**John Mitchell**

2019-2020 Fort Lee  
RI Theme: Rotary Connects The World  
Conference: Sagamore Resort,  
Lake George, NY



## **Awards**

### **Arthur Fenniman Award**

<b><u>Year</u></b>	<b><u>Recipient</u></b>	<b><u>Club</u></b>	<b><u>Governor</u></b>
1996-1997	Joseph Martucci	Pompton Lakes	Dick Oakley
1997-1998	Robert Thompson	Tenaflly	Kent L. Aldershof
1998-1999	Bernard Finkel	Elmwood Park	Honey Morgenstern
1999-2000	John Hartman	Wyckoff/Midland Park	M. Kenneth Ruskin
2000-2001	Any Topp	Ridgewood AM	Bernard Finkel
2001-2002	Art Scialla	Paterson	Raymond B. Strauss
2002-2003	William Kelly	Bergen Highlands/Ramsey	Peter Lefkowitz
2003-2004	Meike Venino	North Hudson	Dan Shiver
2004-2005	Adele Miller	Jersey City	Joseph Dino Jr.
2005-2006	Tim Eustace	Maywood	Dennis Miskewicz
2006-2007	Patricia LaRocco, MD	Fair Lawn	Gloria Counsellor
2007-2008	Raymond Hough	Paramus	Joseph Lauren
2008-2009	Joseph Dino Jr.	Paterson	Dominic L. Jengo
2009-2010	Peter Kikot	Ridgewood AM	Suraj P. "Raj" Bhatia
2010-2011	James Castellanos	Paterson Great Falls	Adele Miller
2011-2012	Paul Platek	Teaneck	Emil Geering
2012-2013	Peter Wells	Park Ridge	Bonnie Sirower
2013-2014	Ann Kilmartin	Park Ridge	Lenny Agrusti
2014-2015	Anthony Pecci	Paterson	Calisto Bertin
2015-2016	Betty Weist	Ridgewood AM	Peter Wells
2016-2017	Bonnie Sirower	Paterson	Stephen V. Jarahian
2017-2018	William Rupp	Maywood	James Boyer
2018-2019			Nikki Mederos
2019-2020	Dr. George Ngo	Garfield	John Mitchell

### **Florie Scialla Community Service Award**

<b><u>Year</u></b>	<b><u>Recipient</u></b>	<b><u>Club</u></b>	<b><u>Governor</u></b>
2000-2001	Children Aids Picnic	Maywood	Bernard Finkel
2001-2002			Raymond Strauss
2002-2003	Hooray for Helmets/ Project REAL	Fair Lawn	Peter Lefkowitz
2003-2004	Playground Restoration	Paterson	Dan Shiver
2004-2005			Joseph Dino Jr.
2005-2006		Jersey City Daybreak	Dennis Miskewicz
2006-2007		Sunset-Central Bergen	Gloria Counsellor
2007-2008	School 14, Refurbishing	Paterson	Joseph Lauren
2008-2009	Community Food Drive	Maywood	Dominic Jengo
2009-2010	Christmas In July	Wayne	Suraj P "Raj" Bhatia
2010-2011	Veteran's Awards Breakfast	Paterson Great Falls	Adele Miller
2011-2012	Weekend Snack Pack Program	The Palisades	Emil Geering
2012-2013	Hurricane Sandy Project	South Bergen	Bonnie Sirower
2013-2014	Senior Thanksgiving Dinner	Garfield	Lenny Agrusti
2014-2015			Calisto Berlin
2015-2016	Service Above Elf	Paterson	Peter Wells
2016-2017	Halfway Hounds 5K Run	Park Ridge	Stephen V. Jarahian
2017-2018			James Boyer
2018-2019	Veterans Assistance Program	Paterson Great Falls	Nikki Mederos
2019-2020	Library Kiosks	Fair Lawn	John Mitchell

### **Service Above Self Award**

<u><b>Year</b></u>	<u><b>Recipient</b></u>	<u><b>Club</b></u>	<u><b>Governor</b></u>
1992-1993	Dr. Pierre Guibor		William Gates
1993-1994			Victor F. Schwarz
1994-1995	Kent L. Aldershof	Carlstadt-East Rutherford	William F. Rupp
1995-1996			Paul V. Rutigliano
1996-1997			Dick Oakley
1997-1998			Kent L. Aldershof
1998-1999	Yung Soo Yoo	Clifton	Honey Morgenstern
1999-2000	Florizel Glenda Campaniolo	Paramus	Kenneth Ruskin
2000-2001	Sharon Weiss-Ellinsky	Jersey City-Daybreak	Bernard Finkel
2001-2002			Raymond B. Strauss
2002-2003			Peter Lefkowitz
2003-2004			Dan Shiver
2004-2005			Joseph Dino, Jr.
2005-2006			Dennis Miskewicz
2006-2007			Gloria Counsellor
2007-2008			Joseph Laureni
2008-2009			Dominic Jengo
2009-2010	Bonnie Sirower	Paterson	Suraj P. "Raj" Bhatia
2010-2011	Joseph Laureni	Mid-Bergen County	Adele Miller
2011-2012	Dr. Patricia LaRocco	Fair Lawn	Emil Geering
2012-2013	Raymond R. Hough	Paramus	Bonnie Sirower
2013-2014	Dr. James R. Cole	Englewood	Lenny Agrusti
2014-2015	Dr. Timothy Eustace	Maywood	Calisto J. Bertin
2015-2016	Suraj P. "Raj" Bhatia	Northern Valley	Peter Wells
2016-2017			Stephen V. Jarahian
2017-2018			James Boyer
2018-2019			Nikki Mederos
2019-2020			John Mitchell

### **Governor's Membership Trophy Cup**

<u><b>Year</b></u>	<u><b>Recipient</b></u>	<u><b>Club</b></u>	<u><b>Governor</b></u>
2008-2009	Laura Brayton	Hoboken	Dominic L. Jengo
2009-2010	Scott Reddin	Englewood	Suraj P. "Raj" Bhatia
2010-2011	Edward Torres	Maywood	Adele Miller
2011-2012	Claire Salviano	Paterson Great Falls	Emil Geering
2012-2013	Robert Olsen, Jr.	South Bergen	Bonnie Sirower
2013-2014	Julie Minicozzi	Hawthorne	Lenny Agrusti
2014-2015	Dolly Kaur	Secaucus	Calisto Bertin
2015-2016	Mario Gonzalez	Passaic	Peter Wells
2016-2017	Bill Abbott	Rutherford	Stephen V. Jarahian
2017-2018	Jennifer Aitken	Jersey City	James Boyer
2018-2019	John Cosgrove	Fair Lawn Sunrise	Nikki Mederos
2019-2020	JoEllen Knie	Englewood	John Mitchell

## ***Vocational Service Award***

<b><u>Year</u></b>	<b><u>Recipient</u></b>	<b><u>Club</u></b>	<b><u>Governor</u></b>
1980-1981			Joseph Gibbs
1981-1982			David Mundy
1982-1983			Morris Glotzer
1983-1984			Harvey Weinberg
1984-1985			Robert Dalzell, Jr.
1985-1986	Stan Mesavage	Meadowlands	Robert Benowitz
1986-1987			Art Scialla
1987-1988			Robert Klienberg
1988-1989			John Hartman
1989-1990	Peter Wells	Paramus	Ron Verblauw
1990-1991			Jack Rosen
1991-1992			Raymond Janovic
1992-1993			William Gates
1993-1994			Victor Schwarz
1994-1995			Bill Rupp
1995-1996			Paul Rutigliano
1996-1997	Raymond Salim	Englewood	Dick Oakley
1997-1998			Kent Aldershof
1998-1999			Honey Morgenstern
1999-2000			Kenneth Ruskin
2000-2001			Bernard Finkel
2001-2002	Adele E. Miller	Jersey City	Raymond B. Strauss
2002-2003	Dr. Janice Dime	Paramus	Peter F. Lefkowitz
2003-2004	Dianne Vasquez	Jersey City	Dan Shiver
2004-2005	Norma Jean Stepherson	Paterson	Joseph Dino Jr.
2005-2006	Raymond R. Hough	Paramus	Dennis Miskewicz
2006-2007	Gina Boesch	Paramus	Gloria Counsellor
2007-2008	Kenneth Schwinn	Englewood	Joseph Lauren
2008-2009	Calisto Bertin	Mid-Bergen	Dominic L. Jengo
2009-2010	Karen Fisher	Paterson	Suraj P. "Raj" Bhatia
2010-2011	Brent Edmonds	Bergen Highlands/Ramsey	Adele Miller
2011-2012	Sheri Ferreira	Paterson	Emil Geering
2012-2013	Roy Blumenthal	Pascack Valley	Bonnie Sirower
2013-2014	Giacomo "Jack" DeStefano	Paterson Great Falls	Lenny Agrusti
2014-2015	Lois D. Horowitz	Paramus	Calisto Bertin
2015-2016	Linda Hanlon	Park Ridge	Peter Wells
2016-2017	Carl Hassett	Mid-Bergen	Stephen V. Jarahian
2017-2018	Steve Stamos	Jersey City	James Boyer
2018-2019	Nikki Mederos	North Hudson	Nikki Mederos
2019-2020	Raymond M. Falcon	Park Ridge	John Mitchell

## **District 7490 District Calendar 2020-2021**

### **July 2020**

#### ***Transition Month***

District Assembly  
Assistant Governors' Assembly  
Club President, Secretary, Treasurer Assembly  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

### **August 2020**

#### ***Membership & Extension***

District Assembly  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting

### **September 2020**

#### ***Basic Education and Literacy***

Assistant Governors' Assembly  
Education Series - My Rotary Part 1  
Education Series - Rotary Foundation Part 1  
Education Series - Public Image Part 1  
Governor's Installation & Banner Exchange  
Rotary Zones 28 & 32 Virtual Summit 9/23-9/25  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

### **October 2020**

#### ***Economic & Community Development***

World Polio Day - District Virtual Recognition  
Assistant Governors' Assembly  
College of Governors' Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Education Series - Rotary Foundation Part 2  
Education Series - My Rotary Part 2  
Education Series - Supporting the Environment  
Education Series - Disaster Aid USA

### **November 2020**

#### ***Rotary Foundation***

District Staff Meeting  
Rotary Day at the United Nations  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Recognition  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Education Series - Public Image Part 2  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

### **December 2020**

#### ***Disease Prevention & Treatment***

Assistant Governors' Assembly  
District Holiday Celebration  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting

**January 2021**

***Vocational Service***

New Jersey Vocational Service Assembly (TBA)  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Rev. Dr. Martin L. King Day of Service  
College of Governors' Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

**February 2021**

***Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution***

Rotary International Birthday 2/23/21  
District Staff Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Celebration  
Pre-PETS  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting

**March 2021**

***Water, Sanitation and Hygiene***

Multi-District PETS  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Assistant Governors' Assembly  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

**April 2021**

***Maternal and Child Health***

District Staff Meeting  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
District Conference (TBA)

**May 2021**

***Youth Service***

District Assembly and Leadership Training  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Interact Virtual Summit  
Gift of Life Foundation Meeting

**June 2021**

***Rotary Fellowship***

District Staff Meeting  
College of Governors' Meeting  
Walter D. Head Foundation Meeting  
Rotary International Convention (TBA)  
Rotary International Foundation Committee Meeting  
Gift of Life Committee Meeting  
Governor's Installation & Banner Exchange (TBA)

## **District Governor's Club & Service Projects Visits**

Given the public health and safety concerns related to COVID-19, the District Governor's club visits will be modified. Rotarians are a People of Action. To that end, the District Governor will meet with clubs at a scheduled Board/Club meeting (virtually/in person). He will also participate with clubs during scheduled service projects (virtually/in person). The date, location, and time of the meetings/service projects will be based on the designated schedules expressed by the clubs.

Thank you, in advance, for your support in this regard.

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2020-2021**

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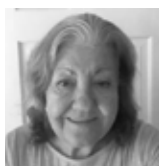
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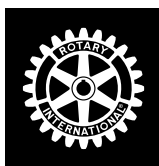
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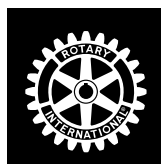
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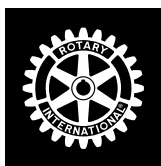
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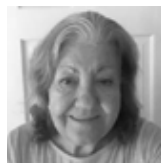
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**Rotary District 7490  
Service Conference  
Let's make a difference!**



This year DG Carl and First Lady Rotarian Yvonne invite you to join in on a district plan to travel to a place in great need of hands on service. We propose to mix some fun, lots of fellowship, with a little sweat and determination sometime in April 2021. A five day conference, six for those that opt for more, will include 15 hours of needed work. Can you imagine what we can do with 500 hours? 60 volunteers can do 750 hours!

Location and information to follow. Please visit the district website at [www.rotary7490.org](http://www.rotary7490.org) for updated information.



**Rotary International Convention**

Taipei, Taiwan

June 12-16, 2021

For more information: [www.rotaryinternational.org](http://www.rotaryinternational.org)

**Club meeting  
location, day and  
time are subject  
to change due  
to COVID-19  
restrictions.**

**Please check with  
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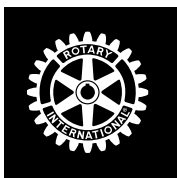
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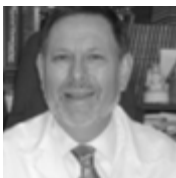
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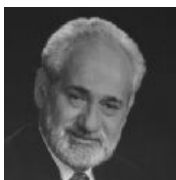
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Club # 5579

1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month, 12:15

PM Hawthorne Library

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Club # 5580

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at 12:15 for one hour

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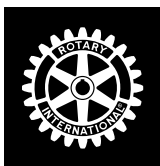
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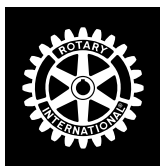
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Except for 3rd week of the month

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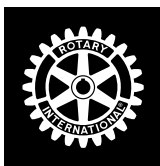
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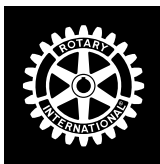
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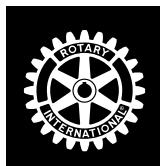
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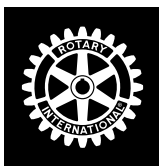
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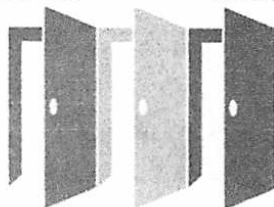
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**Dolly Kaur**

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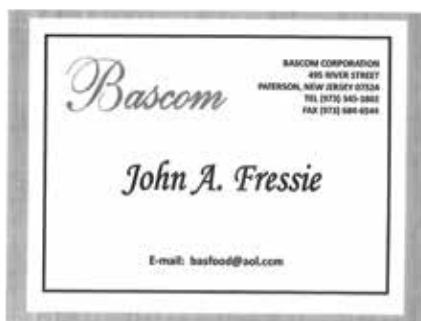
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