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Rotary District 7910 Newsletter - March 21, 2016



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Upcoming Events

You may submit event information per the [District 7910 Promotional Guidelines](#). If your club does not use ClubRunner, please send your event information to [Rotary District 7910 Newsletter](#). And make sure to add jim.fusco2@gmail.com to your club's distribution list.

2016 District Conference: Plymouth Rocks!



by District 7910

Conference Committee

May 20, 21 and 22

Hotel 1620 At Plymouth Harbor, Plymouth

[Click here](#) to Register Now!

[Click here](#) to download the 11-page, 'everything you need to know' District Conference Booklet, which contains:

- Schedule
- Pricing
- Hospitality 'Sweets' Request Form
- Cruise Registration Form
- Golf Registration Form
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Facebook 'Like' Contest



Conference Booklet

Welcome to your District Conference 2016 'Everything-You-Need-To-Know' Conference Booklet.

Pages:
 2. Schedule
 3. Prices
 4.5. Hospitality 'Sweets' Registration Form



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Governor's Message

I Still Have Plenty To Do

By Jim Fusco



As I prepare to write my 37th newsletter, I realize how much I still have to do and how little time I have to do it. Before I talk about what I did last week and what I plan to do this week, I want to discuss the District Conference in Plymouth, which is only 60 days away!

District Conference: We will be celebrating *your* year on May 20-22 in Plymouth and there are a bunch of things that you should know to make this an unforgettable experience. So here you go:

- [Package deals](#) are available to save you money, [so register now](#).
- Saturday afternoon will be free time: Either take a harbor cruise on the Pilgrim Belle and enjoy a [lobster roll](#) lunch or a [deli](#) lunch; or play a round of golf at Squirrel Run, [click here to register](#).
- Business Meeting on Friday, and every club should send a delegate.
- House of Friendship on Friday and Saturday, and every club should have a display.
- Silent Auction on Friday and Saturday, and every club should donate an auction item.
- Hospitality "Sweets" on Friday and Saturday, and every attendee should enjoy the fellowship.
- Reception for New Members/Presidents/President-Elects on Saturday
- Reception for Past District Governors as well as Major Donors on Friday.
- Paul Harris Dinner on Friday, with keynote speakers from Plymouth Plantation.
- And much, much more!

[Read more](#)


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Archive

[Click here](#) for past issues.

Rotary District 7910
 Download or print the meeting minutes for 2016 District Conference Committee
 (Rotary member login is required)

- [September 2015](#)
- [December 2015](#)

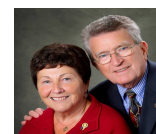


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Committee Spotlight



Post-PETS Team Training
 (formerly District Assembly)

By Pat and Skip Doyle

April 8, 2016
4:00-8:00 p.m.
Holiday Inn, Boxborough



District Governors-Elect Pat and Skip Doyle invite you to attend Post-PETS Team Training 2016-2017.

Who attends?

- Presidents-Elect, Presidents-Nominee, and Board Members
- 2016-2017 Treasurers
- 2016-2017 Secretaries
- 2016-2017 Public Image Chairs
- 2016-2017 Membership Chairs
- Members new to Rotary
- And all other interested Rotarians!

Post-Pets Training registration starts at 3:30. Opening session begins at 4:00 sharp - and ends at 8:00. At 5:00, we break for hors d'oeuvres, and resume with breakout sessions at 6:00.

The cost is \$20 per person and may be reimbursed by your club.

Register now, and pay with credit card or check.

To register, contact District Governors-Elect Pat and Skip

6. Cruise Registration Form
7. Golf Registration Form
- 8, 9, 10. Frequently Asked Questions
11. Facebook "Like" Contest

[Click here](#) to watch the three-minute promo video, produced by Assistant Governor Richard Simon



RYLA: Student online registration is now open



registration for Rotary Youth Leadership Awards is now open.

[Click here](#), for online registration.



Invite District Governor Jim Fusco to your club's special events!

[Just Ask!](#)



If you have any special club events that you would like me to attend or any inductions or presentations that you would like me to make, please let me know.

DG Jim

jim.fusco2@gmail.com



Monday, March 21-Monday, April 11

[Area #1 Team Meeting](#)

Tuesday, March 22

4:00-5:30 p.m.

Rollingstone Bank & Trust, Leominster

[Rotary Leadership Institute](#)

Saturday, March 26



Welcome, New Members

Please welcome the newest Rotarians in our district (*alphabetical order by last name*):

- Denis Mezheritskiy, [Concord](#)
- David O'Doherty, [Worcester](#)



Rotarians In Memoriam



[Robert A. Mosher Sr.](#), Weston & Wayland



District & Club Rounds

2015-2016 Presidential Citations

This year's Presidential Citation is somewhat different from previous ones.



"In developing this program," Rotary International President K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran (*shown, left*) states, "I put a lot of thought into selecting goals that, if achieved, would be measurable by all of us and make Rotary demonstrably stronger, more effective at delivering service, and more widely known and respected by the general public."



[Click here](#) for Presidential Citation brochure (*shown, right*), in PDF format

Interact Clubs

How does your Interact club make a difference? Use the information, below, to make a plan for your club, and then report your accomplishments for the 2015-2016 Rotary year.



To qualify for the Presidential Citation, your Interact club must:

1. Have an active status with Rotary International. Ask the president of your sponsor Rotary club to confirm this by checking the New Generations Clubs report in Rotary Club Central.
2. Carry out at least five of the activities listed, below, between last July 1 and this April 1.

3. Work with your sponsor Rotary club on your activities throughout the year. Ask the club president to verify, on [Rotary.org](#), that your club has qualified for the Presidential Citation. They must report your qualification on [Rotary.org](#) by this April 15.

[Click here](#) for additional information on Interact Clubs citations, in PDF format

Rotaract Clubs



How does your Rotaract club make a difference in the world? To qualify for the 2015-2016 Presidential Citation, Rotaract clubs must complete two mandatory activities and at least three additional activities between last July 1 and this April 1 - unless otherwise specified.

The clubs' accomplishments will be verified by Rotary data after the deadline. No exceptions to the deadline will be granted, and no forms or reports should be submitted

to Rotary International.

Rotaract club presidents will be able to track their clubs' progress toward each of the citation's goals by signing in to [Rotary.org](#). They are responsible for regularly checking that progress and verifying the accuracy

Doyle at pwdoyl2@verizon.net and skippydoyle2@verizon.net, respectively.

RYLA Reminder: Online student registration is now open

By Christine Pinney

Check out our **online student registration** for **Rotary Youth Leadership Awards**.



Registration is open!

[Click here](#), for online registration.

Please **inform selected students and alternates** that they must:

1. Fill out the online registration
2. Print out the signature page
3. Sign it along with their parents/guardians
4. Deliver the form to their RYLA contact ASAP

Completed paperwork must be



and postmarked by this May 1. If you have any questions, visit www.ryla7910.org.

Christine Pinney, vice chair of District 7910's RYLA Committee, may be reached at christine@christinepinney.com

Mark Your Interact and Rotaract Calendars!



District 7910 will hold a joint Interact and Rotaract Training Seminar on Tuesday, September 17 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at place to be determined. This event is a follow-up to the separate Interact and Rotaract Training Seminars that were held last fall and this winter, respectively.



[Read more](#) about the *Rotaract Advisor Training Seminar* held on

7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Amica Mutual Insurance,
Lincoln, RI

[District AG Meeting via Webix](#)

Tuesday, March 29

7:00-8:00 p.m.

[DEADLINE TO SUBMIT CLUB-
PLANNING WORKSHEETS](#)

Thursday, March 31

[Social Media Seminar](#)

Thursday, March 31

6:00-9:00 p.m.

DoubleTree Hotel, Leominster

[Post-PETS District Assembly:
Club Officer Training](#)

Thursday, April 8

4:00-8:00 p.m.

Holiday Inn, Boxborough

[RYLA Group Leader \(GF\)
Training Session #2](#)

Saturday, April 10

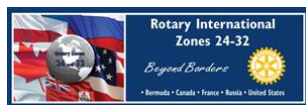
12:30-5:30 p.m.

Holiday Inn, Boxborough

[View these plus more upcoming
District Events](#)



Zone 32 Foundation Webinar
Now Available



On February 2, Rotary Zone 32, of which District 7910 is a part, held a webinar titled "**Best Practices to Improve Foundation Giving.**" If you missed that webinar, [click here](#) to watch video of it, and [click here](#) to download the PowerPoint presentation for it.

To read Zone 24 & 32's February 2016 **Beyond Borders** newsletter, [click here](#).

**RI Membership Resource
Guide: Winter 2016**

To download in PDF format, [click here](#)



of RI's data. Any discrepancies should immediately be brought to RI's attention. Sponsor Rotary club presidents and district governors also will be able to track the progress of their Rotaract clubs on [Rotary.org](#).

[Click](#) for additional information on Rotaract Clubs citations, in PDF format

District 7910 Celebrates Successful Guyana Playground Project



Every year, a group of Rotarians from District 7910 travel to a third-world country to accomplish a "hands-on" project with



the resident Rotary club. This February, our district team traveled to Georgetown, Guyana to build a playground for special-needs students at a local school.

Afterward, the Rotary members went to a local orphanage to visit the children and deliver stuffed toys, books and games. The [Rotary Club of Georgetown](#) coordinated the visit and participated in the activities. This is another good example of Rotary at work and Rotary international service.

For the trip highlights, [click here](#) to view a three-minute video.

Brookline Rotary Signs Up Candidates To Launch Interact Club

By Bob Anthony

During District 7910 training, District Interact Chair **Ron Bott** suggested community events are an opportunity to sign-up candidates to launch an Interact club. That is exactly what **Marina Brodskaya** of the **Rotary Club of Brookline** did on February 28. She helped community leaders, **Urban Improv**, and **Wellesley Interact** teens schedule a **Teen Wellness Workshop**, which identified teens interested in creating an Interact club in Brookline to perform community service focused on mental health and wellness promotion.



Shown right, standing, left to right, are **Merle Perkins** of Urban Improv and **Nicole Frontero** of Wellesley Interact (Photo: Bob Anthony)



oneself or a friend. Peer leaders showed an excerpt from the documentary **Break Free From Depression** and facilitated small group discussions. After the workshop, age 12-18 participants were invited to sign-up for training as Interact peer leaders. The event was hosted by **United Parish** with volunteers from other congregations, health-care providers, Brookline Rotary, **Brookline High School**, the **Teen Center**, and **Adolescent Wellness**.

Shown, above, are Wellesley Interact teens introducing teen leaders from Brookline (Photo: Bob Anthony)

The content used in the event was the **Break Free From Depression** documentary and manual from **Boston Children's Hospital**. It is included in a kit called "**Wellness in a Box**" (shown, right), which any Rotary club may order from the **Rotary Club of Wellesley**. It provides the resources to create an Interact club with a Mental Health & Wellness Promotion project.

Wellness in a Box

Interact Mental Health & Wellness Promotion project

"Wellness in a Box" contains a Procedure Manual and materials to initiate the project in your community:

- Break Free From Depression (BFFD) curriculum manual, published by Boston Children's Hospital
 - slides and handouts
 - documentary
- Textbook for educators
 - handouts

training seminar held on
February 29 at Framingham State
University, including video and
slide presentations.

Membership Corner: A challenge to incoming presidents

By Tom Sturiale



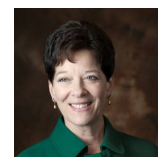
Congratulations to all the incoming presidents in District 7910. You have completed your PETS training and are

prepared for what will be an exciting and challenging year. You still have three months to develop your plans. There are so many items to consider that you may get bogged down in details.

It may be useful to focus on the important few items and to rely on your organization of committee chairs to take care of the many details. Of course, it is critical that you do have a slate of officers and committee chairs to carry on the work of the club. Your club asked you to take on the role of president and is incumbent on them to support you by assuming the responsibilities of committee chairs. But, assuming you have that structure in place, what might be considered the important few items? [Read more](#)

PR Tips: Register today for District 7910 Social Media Seminar

By Laura Spear



To Register
Now, [click here](#)

Are you ready to get social? Mark your calendars for March 31! It's

time for our District 7910 Social Media Seminar. The content for this seminar resulted from our third-quarter District PR Meeting and is designed for new and not-so-new users of social media.

Attendees can mix and match - attend a Facebook Tips and



Tricks session, a LinkedIn 101 session, and a Videos session, for example. To get the most out of the event, have several members of your club attend. The best part ... it's free!

Laura Spear, chair of District 7910's Public Image Committee, may be reached at laura@spear.net.

Category	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment
Club Membership	Club Membership Assessment	Club Membership Assessment	Club Membership Assessment
Club Leadership	Club Leadership Assessment	Club Leadership Assessment	Club Leadership Assessment
Club Financials	Club Financials Assessment	Club Financials Assessment	Club Financials Assessment
Club Programs	Club Programs Assessment	Club Programs Assessment	Club Programs Assessment
Club Communications	Club Communications Assessment	Club Communications Assessment	Club Communications Assessment
Club Governance	Club Governance Assessment	Club Governance Assessment	Club Governance Assessment
Club Image	Club Image Assessment	Club Image Assessment	Club Image Assessment
Club Future	Club Future Assessment	Club Future Assessment	Club Future Assessment

New Tools For Membership Tool Belt



Looking to enhance your club membership experience? Do you want to find opportunities for growth in your club? Club and

district leaders now have a set of updated [Membership Assessment Tools](#) (formerly Club Assessment Tools) to help them strengthen club membership and add value to your club membership experience, so that more people will join and fewer members will leave.

For your convenience, you can download the entire publication, or just the individual assessments that are most relevant to your club.

The individual assessments, which walk users through evaluation and development of an action plan, include:

1. [Representing Your Community's Professions: A Classification Assessment](#)
2. [Diversifying Your Club: A Member Diversity Assessment](#)
3. [Finding New Club Members: A Prospective Member Exercise](#)
4. [Improving Your Member Retention: A Retention Assessment and Analysis](#)
5. [Enhancing the Club Experience: Member Satisfaction Survey](#)
6. [Understanding Why Members Resign: Exit Survey](#)

Historical trends show that there's an increase in membership soon after the new year, so this is the perfect time to consider how you welcome new members into your club. [Read](#) how one club is using our [New Member Welcome Kits](#) to enhance their welcome and orientation.

Rotary Global Rewards: Sign Up Today!

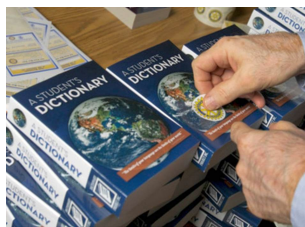
[Click here](#) to learn more



Bob Anthony, Brookline Rotary's Interact chair, may be reached at bobanthony@adolescent-wellness.org.

Whyville.net wellness activities log
Rotary clubs may order 'Wellness in a Box' from district 7910's Wellesley club www.wellesleyrotary.org

Rotary's Dictionary Project Comes Full Circle in Massachusetts



After learning about The Dictionary Project in the late '90s, the Rotary Club of Acton-Boxborough decided to visit several local elementary schools and hand out personalized dictionaries. Little did they know, one third-grade student from their 1998 project in an Acton-Boxborough school would become a teacher. And, not just any teacher – a *third-grade* teacher!

Today, **Mairin Gulliver** teaches at **Luther Conant School** in Acton. This year, when Rotarians came to her class to hand out the dictionaries, she told them that she received her personal dictionary from the Rotary club when she was in third grade and still has it! She remembers the day when Rotarians came to her class and gave each student their own book. "I remember taking my book home and flipping through the pages to find new information," Mairin says. Today, she uses the donated dictionaries in her classroom to teach basic dictionary skills through a *treasure hunt* activity. After the strategy-based lesson, the students get to take their books home to use for their spelling and language-arts practice worksheets.

When asked why paperback dictionaries are important, Mairin explains that having a personal dictionary puts each child on the same playing field. Although resources and learning materials can be monitored in the classroom environment, teachers such as her recognize that not every child has access to a computer – or even books at home. "Like our motto here at Luther Conant School, *the whole child is the whole idea*, we want our students to have every resource available to be successful," Mairin says.

To learn more about The Dictionary Project, [click here](#).

Bedford Rotary To Pack Meals For Stop Hunger Now On May 14



The Rotary Club of Bedford will attempt to feed 250,000 children with their fourth annual Meals for Kids food packaging event in partnership with Stop Hunger Now on May 14 at the Bedford campus of Middlesex Community College.

The Rotary Club, composed of just a few dozen business professionals from Bedford and its surrounding communities, began feeding hungry children in 2013. That first year they established their relationship with Stop Hunger Now, they raised enough money and gathered enough volunteer packagers to put together enough packaged meals to feed 15,000 hungry children. [Read more](#)

Wesford Rotary Donates To Two Local Causes



Westford Rotary recently presented **SummerFest Checks to Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell** (shown, left) and **Westford Education Foundation** (shown, right).



NEPETS Album: Photo highlights of 2016 Northeast Presidents Elect Training Seminar

[Click here](#) to view and download JPEG-format photos of the **2016 Northeast Presidents Elect Training Seminar**, which took place on **March 10, 11 and 12** at the **Sheraton Hotel in Framingham**.

The photos were taken by District Archivist **Cheryl Rosen** and District



Foundation Notice: Qualification status for 2016-'17 grants

By Sanjay Deshpande



During the 2016-2017 Rotary year, which begins this July 1, one qualifying criterion for participation in

District 7910's District Grants and Global Grants is per-capita contributions to The Rotary Foundation during the 2015-'16 year. These contributions can be made to the Annual Fund - Share, all other Annual Fund designations, and Polio Eradication-approved or Foundation-approved grants. That is, all Global Grants.

As of this March 7, here is the qualification status on the per-capita Foundation Giving criterion: [Read more](#)

Foundation Grants: 2016-2017 and Beyond

During the Foundation Transition meeting on February 22, I, as incoming District Foundation chair, made a presentation titled "Foundation Grants in 2016-2017 and Beyond." To view and download the presentation, in PDF format, [click here](#).

Sanjay Deshpande may be reached at sanjadesh51@aol.com.

Polio Plus Report: District contributions status; New RI funding; New vaccine type

Status of District 7910 club contributions

By Carl Good III



To review and download the District 7910 polio-contributions report compiled by Rotary International,

[click here](#). Only four clubs have contributed more than \$500 each, and only four have exceed our district's goal of \$1,500 per club. The good news: Our district is 58 percent ahead of this time last year.

Carl Good, chair of District 7910's Polio Plus Committee, may be reached at carlgood@yahoo.com.

RI provides \$35 million in new funding



Rotary International has released \$35 million in new



Have you tried [Rotary Global Rewards](#) — Rotary International's new member-benefit program that offers discounts on travel, hotels, dining, entertainment and more? Rotary Global Rewards will make your Rotary membership even more rewarding. Rotary Global Rewards helps you share Rotary by:

- **Doing more good work:** Involve more members in Rotary projects with savings on truck rentals, airfare, and hotels.
- **Building Rotary friendships:** Forge richer friendships with fellow members with your dining and entertainment offers.
- **Sharing our story with someone new:** Tell people about Rotary's work when you use discounts at coffee shops and restaurants.

Our rewards program is even more special now because members are invited to build it. This fall, Rotarians can add their company's special offers to our growing portfolio of Rotary Global Rewards.

Where will Rotary Global Rewards take you? Sign in to My Rotary, go to the Member Center, and learn more. If you don't have an account, create one now at www.rotary.org/myrotary.

The good you do comes back to you!

2016-2017 Rotary Theme: 'Rotary Serving Humanity'

To download the image in JPEG format, [click here](#).



Check Out Rotary Voices Blog



Check out [Rotary Voices](#), the official blog of Rotary International. This blog features stories by and about Rotary members, Rotary program alumni, and the people we partner and work with.

Webmaster Steve Jones-D'Agostino.

Note: Make sure to hit the "i" icon in the upper-right corner each photo page, which will reveal information about that photo.

Shown, left to right: Co-Governors-Elect Skip and Pat Doyle; Rotary International President Rick King, who was the keynote speaker during NEPETS' March 10 dinner; Karen Fusco of the Fitchburg Rotary club, and District Governor Jim Fusco. They posed together following that dinner.

District Conference: Things I want you to know

By Jim Fusco



I will run "Things you should know" in every Newsletter until the 2016 District Conference on May 20 through 22 in Plymouth - and I will highlight different items each week. This week, I am presenting "Saturday afternoon free time."

We have two prepaid options for you to celebrate your free time on the afternoon of Saturday, May 21. Free time will be from 12 noon to 4 pm. Register for only one of these options because they will be occurring at the same time.

- **Harbor Cruise** aboard the **Pilgrim Belle**: [click here](#). Five-minute walk from the hotel. 1-1/2-hour cruise of Plymouth Harbor. You must register and pay for this event in advance because space is limited. Your price includes a box lunch: for Deli Box lunch \$30, [click here](#); and for Lobster Roll, \$40, [click here](#).
- **Golfing** at the **Squirrel Run Golf Course**: [click here](#). 14 minute drive from the hotel. Tee time is 12 noon. A great opportunity to golf at the beautiful Squirrel Run Golf Course. Price is only \$40 person and includes your golf cart. Space is limited so make your reservations early: [click here](#).

Many other things to do

There are also many other things in the Plymouth area you can do. Here are a few suggestions. Registration is not required for these activities:

[Read more](#)

Ukraine Rotary Clubs Need Our Help With Recent Polio Outbreaks

Twenty-five years ago, the Rotary Club of **Shrewsbury** co-sponsored the first Rotary club in Ukraine, which was the Rotary Club of **Kiev**. Now, a quarter-century later, Ukraine needs our help with recent polio outbreaks in that eastern European nation.



Rotary in Ukraine has now grown to more 43 clubs. [Click here](#) to watch a video posted by our fellow Rotarians in

Ukraine regarding the recent outbreak of polio. It demonstrates that with low awareness and low vaccination rates, one plane ride can cause this disease reappear again overnight and anywhere - even in America. Ukraine Rotary clubs are looking for help. The best way is to make a donation of any size. To make a donation, [click here](#).

Every donation gets amplified by the **Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation**, which donates \$2 for every \$1 donated by Rotarians. That causes each donation of \$1 to triple to \$3. [Click here](#) to learn more about that match.



Major District & Club Happenings: Spring 2016

Tuesday, March 22: Hudson Rotary - Author Bob J.S. Ross Talk

[Click here](#) for talk details, in PDF format



grants to support the global effort to eradicate

polio. The funds will build on last year's historic achievement of stopping transmission of the wild poliovirus in Nigeria and all of Africa. Just two countries reported wild polio cases in 2015, Afghanistan and Pakistan. Rotary's funds will go toward efforts to end the disease in those countries and seven others. [Read more](#)

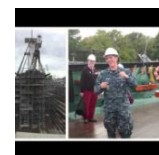
New type of polio vaccine



A new type of polio vaccine has been produced that can provide a better injectable to

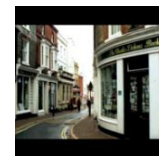
people in Third World countries. [Click here](#) to watch a recent Australian TV news report on the Vaxxas Nanopatch.

Bandey-Hefler Reflections: Farewell photos and promo video



[Click here](#) to view photo highlights of the 2015 Rotary Bandey-Hefler Fellowship Exchange

between District 7910 and Districts 1110 and 1145 in England.



[Click here](#) to view the promotional video for 2015-2016 Bandey-Hefler program in District 7910

Peace Fellowships: Application Deadline Is May 31

By Terry Parker



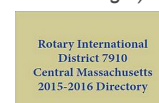
Each year, Rotary International selects up to 100 individuals from around the world to receive fully

funded academic fellowships at one of RI's Peace Centers. These fellowships cover tuition and fees, room and board, round-trip transportation, and all internship and field-study expenses. [Read more](#)



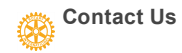
2015-2016 District Directory

[View and Download](#) (requires member login)





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Rotary Club Partner



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jim.fusco2@gmail.com**

Rotary District 7910
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srdagostino@icloud.com

Blissful Meadows Golf Club
801 Chocolog Road, Uxbridge, MA 01569

Purchase Your Tickets At:
Lynch's Wine & Spirits, Blissful Meadows,
Webster First Federal Credit Union, Whitinsville Office

online www.UxbridgeRotaryClub.org

*Tickets: \$35
(\$30 if purchased and paid for prior to April 2, 2016)
100% of all proceeds benefit charities supported by:
The Rotary Club of Uxbridge
P O Box 4, Whitinsville, MA 01588
Tel: 774-481-1246
Event will be re-scheduled in case of inclement weather
The Rotary Club of Uxbridge, Inc. is a Federal and Mass. non-profit registered on a 501(c)(3)*

Get your club members to "like"
District 7910's Facebook page
and win a free Harbor Cruise at
our 2016 District Conference in Plymouth

ENTER the contest NOW by "liking" the District Facebook page by April 15th. The club with the "most" and the club with the "highest percentage" of members "liking" our Facebook page will win 2 tickets on the May 21 Harbor Cruise in Plymouth on The Pilgrim Belle. Runner up club in both categories will win a bottle of wine.

Prizes awarded at District Conference.



Scan the QR Code or visit our Facebook page at:
<https://www.facebook.com/RotaryDistrict7910?ref=ts>
 page and like our page to be eligible to win!

HOSPITALITY "SWEETS" REQUEST FORM



Hotel 1626 at Plymouth Harbor
180 Water Street, Plymouth

THEME: *Living Hospitality*
Club members' "Specials" (4000) will provide desserts and other dinner items, as well as the menu with the focus of portable snack items, group or mini-games. Examples will be: Jigs, Snits, Bittles, for 1000; "Sn's, etc.

Members will be judged for "the Hospitality House" to be creative to make the dessert, drink and decorations to reflect their theme.

"SWEET" TIMES:
• Friday, May 2, 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight
• Saturday, May 3, 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight

Event starts 11:45 p.m. Club may host alone or with another club. Reserve for both clubs and have a special event of your choosing. Your menu may also be set as an accommodation.

For more information on www.plymouthharbor.org and with the Plymouth Harbor theme selection for your Hospitality "Sweet" Times.

TO RESERVE A HOSPITALITY "SWEET" PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

Club Name _____
Contact Person _____
Contact Phone _____
Contact Email _____

Website: www.plymouthharbor.org

Sunday, May 1: Northborough Rotary - 5 & 10K Road/Trail Run

[Click here](#) for run flyer, in PDF format



**NORTHBOROUGH
5 & 10K
ROAD/TRAIL
RUN**
Sunday May 1, 2016

Chip Timed Race 
**Sponsored by the Northborough Rotary Club and Friends
of the Northborough Senior Center.**

Start the season off right and join fellow runners for the Northborough 5 & 10K Road/Trail race. This diverse, fun run starts at the Northborough Senior Center at Bearfoot Road, travel down Whitney Street, then on to Rice Ave before entering on to a flat, well maintained beautiful Aqueduct trail through the woods. Finish with a short trek down Colburn Ave back to the Senior Center.

**10K Runners will go 2 Laps
5K Runners will do 1 Lap.**

Register Now Online:
[active.com/northborough-ma/running/trail-run-races/
northborough-5-and-10-k-trail-road-race-2016](http://active.com/northborough-ma/running/trail-run-races/northborough-5-and-10-k-trail-road-race-2016)

Register in person on Race Day:
On May 1st at the Northborough Senior Center,
115 Bearfoot Rd., Northborough, MA.
Registration begins at 8:00am.


5K & 10K Races Starts at 9:00am.
Ceremonies for both races will follow immediately in the upper parking lot.
First and Second place winners will be awarded cash prizes.

Parking Available

Friday, April 29: Wachusett Area - Roaring 20s Dinner Dance

[Click here](#) for dinner-dance flyer, in PDF format

Fifth Annual Wachusett Area Rotary Club
Roaring 20's Dinner Dance



Friday, April 29th 2016
(Donation/Registration Form)

Company/ Individual
Name: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone # _____

Table of 10 \$150 _____
Couple (2) \$80 _____
Single \$45 _____
Monetary Donation \$ _____
Raffle Prize offering _____

Please make checks payable to:
"Wachusett Area Rotary Club"

Please complete and return to: Wachusett Area Rotary Club,
P.O. Box 635, Holden MA 01520

Thursday, May 5: District 7910 - Sign-Up Deadline for District Conference Golf Outing

[Click here](#) for golf flyer, in PDF format



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**Village Links
Golf Course**
Squirrel Run


For more information about golfing at the Squirrel Run Golf Course on Saturday during the conference [click here](#). It is only a 14 minute drive from the hotel. The tee time is 12 noon and this is a great opportunity to golf at the beautiful Squirrel Run Golf Course. Price is only \$40 per person and includes your golf cart. Space is limited so make your reservations early! [click here](#).

The fun and fellowship on the course is free!
Join some old friends and meet some new ones at Squirrel Run!

Saturday, May 21 or First 90 People to Sign Up: District 7910 - Sign-Up Deadline for District Conference Harbor Cruise

[Click here](#) for cruise flyer, in PDF format



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Enjoy a Harbor Cruise
Saturday, May 21 from 1:00-3:00

OPTIONAL MAY 21 FROM 1-4 PM
first 90 to sign up get to go!

Option 1 Plymouth Express	Option 2 Deli Express
Savor a succulent Lobster Roll, Pasta Salad, Potato Chips, Cookies, a Piece of Fruit and a Soda! for \$40	Grab a Turkey or Ham Wrap, Pasta Salad, Potato Chips, Cookies, a Piece of Fruit, and a Soda! for \$30

For more information about the Harbor Cruise aboard the Pilgrim Pellet, click here. It is a five-minute walk from the boat to over 100 shops crisscrossing Plymouth Harbor. You must register and pay for this event in advance as space is limited. Your price includes your choice of a hot lunch. Deli Box lunch \$30, click here. Lobster Roll \$40, click here.

The fun and fellowship on board is free!
Come hang out with some old friends and meet some new ones!

Saturday, June 4: Worcester - Celebrate Community Gala

[Click here](#) for event details, in PDF format

[Click here](#) for sponsorship opportunities, in PDF format

Help the Rotary Club of Worcester Prevent Opioid Addiction

In addition, proceeds from this event will provide support for education, hunger, health and beautification projects in our community including:

- Feeding Hungry Children at the City Club, Boys & Girls Club of Worcester
- Winter Coat Box
- Disadvantaged Children
- Scholarship for Students at Worcester College
- African Community Education's Food Program
- Red Cross Disaster Relief

Post projects funded by the Rotary Club of Worcester include:

- Mary Hestrich Post Bridge Project in Elm Park
- HS Contract for the Worcester University of MA
- Memorial Medical Center
- Planting of Trees on Strawberry Street
- Electronic Library, Seven Hills Charter Public School


TICKETS: \$100 PER PERSON | **Worcester Club Contact: Susan David, Worcester**

Dinner • Cash Bar • Silent/Live Auctions
Live Music & Dancing • Service Award Self Awards

To purchase tickets contact:
Rotary Club of Worcester | www.worrotaryusa.org
Sponsorships available! For further information, please contact: District Governor Jim Fusco



Submit Major Club Happenings

Rotary  Send **flyers** of your club's major events and activities, in either JPEG or PDF format, to **Jim Fusco** at jim.fusco2@gmail.com.