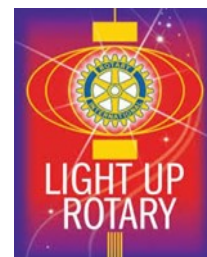




# Gary's Gazette

*Light Up Rotary Through Education*



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**Rotary District 7430**

**August 2014**

## Gary's Notes



**Congratulations to all club officers! Each of you has accepted a position in your Rotary club and has truly committed to "Service Above**

**Self."** As you start your term of office, you begin to look at the year ahead and finalize your club's goals, activities, fund raisers, speakers, and club programs. Each area has its own challenges.

I want to compliment all of you as to what your club members are doing. I am so impressed by your calendars and club agendas. As I read them, I realize the many great things we all do in the name of Rotary throughout our district. Just like you, your district leaders and I also continue to plan and execute many significant programs for everyone. These programs are designed to help educate officers and members.

Please continue checking the district website for program offerings, mark your calendars,

**Past RI President Burton**  
**President Ron Burton** speaks at the 2014 New Generations Preconvention meeting in Sydney.



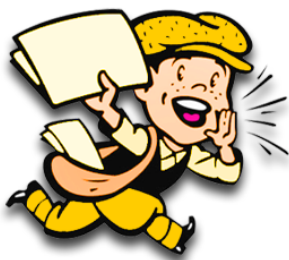
Ron Burton has made the world his office.

Over the past year, the Rotary International president has traveled more than half-a-million miles across 50 countries, to inspire and motivate Rotary's 1.2 million members. Although many encouraged him to use cheaper, virtual alternatives, he believes it takes face-to-face engagement.

"I was the first president to have a Google Hangout and have done Facebook chats," Burton says, reflecting on his term, which ended at midnight 30 June. "But I asked Rotarians this year to Engage Rotary, Change Lives, so I needed to live that as well, by sitting at kitchen tables talking to families, visiting community

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## Gary's Notes *continued*

and register for these District events. I truly believe that the key to the success of Rotary and your clubs is Education. I have been stressing the need to educate our members and our communities as to what Rotary is and what Rotarians do.

As your District Governor, I am excited about the opportunity to begin the official District visits during which I share my goals and vision for our district this year. I have already completed one quarter of the visits and have been warmly received by those club members. It has been a rewarding experience meeting with and talking with you; I thoroughly enjoyed sharing and exchanging ideas. I look forward to many more club visits throughout these coming weeks.

On a Rotary International level, I want to share with you and encourage each of you to consider sponsoring a new Rotary member in your club. The New Member Sponsor Recognition Program is an exciting new initiative approved by the Rotary International Board of Directors. It honors Rotary members who sponsor new members. All sponsors of members admitted to Rotary on or after July 1, 2013, are eligible to receive a specially designed membership pin and colored pin backer from Rotary. Please see the article that follows below.

I want to remind everyone to plan on attending our Strike Out Hunger campaign on August 6, 2014, at 5 PM, at the Citizens Bank Park in Philadelphia. For more information, check the ClubRunner website. Also, don't forget to mark your calendars for our 2015 District Conference in Gettysburg.

**LIGHT UP ROTARY THROUGH EDUCATION.**

*DG Gary*



A drunk walks into a bar with jumper cables around his neck. The bartender says, "You can stay but don't try to start anything."

## **RI Past President Burton** continued

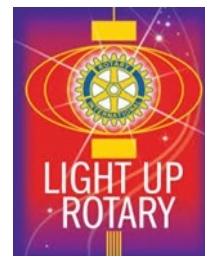
projects, speaking to clubs, and meeting with other leaders around the world to promote Rotary's good work."

Burton, Rotary's 105th president, calls the job one of "awesome and great responsibility."

"It's a great honor to follow in the footsteps of [Rotary's founder] Paul Harris," says Burton, a member of the Rotary Club of Norman, Oklahoma, in the U.S. "When I travel around the world, I'm able to meet Rotarians from every walk of life and every culture. And all of them have such a deep respect for the office." He adds that it's been important to remember that "this position isn't about me. It's about the job."

The job of Rotary president essentially begins election to the position a year before taking office. Presidents-elect set an agenda for the coming year, pick committee chairs, and work on the convention program. All of that, Burton says, is to set the stage for a successful term. And looking back on the past two years, he's reminded of an adage from back home.

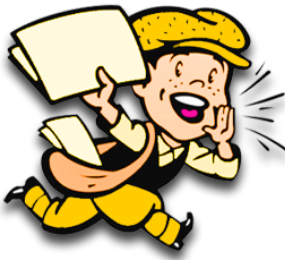
"There's a saying in Oklahoma that where you go in life, whatever job you set out to do, you should always leave the woodpile a little higher than it was when you found it," he says. "With the tremendous support of Rotarians worldwide, I believe we accomplished that this year."



### **CANDIDATES WANTED For DISTRICT GOVERNOR**

**For RY 2017-18  
Applications are due before November 15<sup>th</sup>  
See D7430 website for info and forms  
Contact your RC President**





## A Visit from TRF

Jenna Archuleta, the Major Gifts Officer from The Rotary Foundation, PDG Roger Baumann, Chair of the District 7430 Endowment Committee, and PDG Mac Leask from CT and Endowment and Major Gifts Advisor for our Rotary Zone 32, visited in District 7430 starting on July 16<sup>th</sup>. Their first stop was at the Doylestown RC regular meeting.

Jenna discussed the Rotary Foundation and all the good it does. As a Major Gifts Officer, she takes 10 trips a year to speak to people about the many things that the Foundation accomplishes and ways that Rotarians can support the Foundation.



Jenna gave a few examples of ways people have donated to the Rotary Foundation. One was a couple who gave a significant amount of money to provide a \$60,000 scholarship for a Rotary Peace Fellow every two years. Another example was a Rotary Peace Fellow who used his education working as an AIDs worker in Africa. Another example was Dr Robert Ali, a Rotarian and Ophthalmologist, who spends a lot of time traveling to developing countries providing free cataract surgery to young people to give them the gift of sight. Dr. Ali decided to give \$250,000 to the Rotary Foundation when he retired using a major gift pledge payable over three years.

Jenna also discussed the "Million Dollar Journey" starting now in our district. The district's goal is to raise a million dollars for the Rotary Foundation over the next 2 years. As part of that drive there will be a Million Dollar Dinner in May 2016 to recognize people who give or designate in their wills at least \$10,000 during this drive.

Jenna and Mac the next morning visited the Emmaus RC's regular meeting. Jenna gave a five minute review about this visit and what the Foundation is doing through District and Global Grants.

On Saturday morning there was a three hour meeting in Quakertown with D7430 Rotary Foundation committee chairs making plans for the next few years. In between these club visits the team met with individual Rotarians around the district.



## Rotary Announces New Member Sponsor Recognition Program

Sponsor a new member and you'll not only strengthen your club, you'll also get recognized for your efforts. Through the [New Member Sponsor Recognition program](#), sponsors will now receive a specially designed Rotary pin and recognition on Rotary's website.

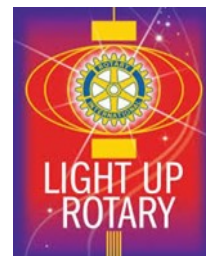
Simply enter new members into your club's records and identify the sponsor. Each week, Rotary will send clubs a packet containing the names of newly identified sponsors along with Rotary pins and as many as four different-colored pin backers. The color of the backer depends on the number of new members sponsored, ranging from blue for one member to gold for six or more.

Keep track of the number of members you've sponsored by checking your [My Rotary](#) profile page. Gold-level sponsors will also be listed in the [Membership Recognition Gallery](#), and if they attend the convention, invited to join the RI president for a special recognition event.

All new members and their sponsors must be designated in club records in [My Rotary](#) to participate in the program. Sponsors of members who joined Rotary on or after 1 July 2013 are eligible.

Add your new club members and their sponsors in [My Rotary](#) [Download the New Member Sponsor Recognition program guide](#).

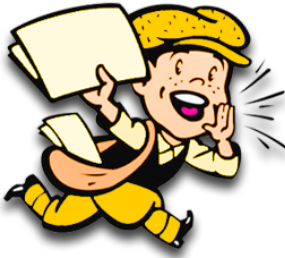
Questions? Contact [membershipawards@rotary.org](mailto:membershipawards@rotary.org) for more information.



**GOLF OUTING**  
**October 9th** -- District Foundation Golf Outing, at Silver Creek CC in Hellertown.  
For more info contact PDG Gerry Long at:  
[longgolf@ptd.net](mailto:longgolf@ptd.net)







## Did You Know?

Sharon Rittenhouse is the new D7430 **Administrative Assistant**, taking over for Kathy Greiss as of July 1, 2014. Sharon can be reached at [rittenhouses Sharon@gmail.com](mailto:rittenhouses Sharon@gmail.com).

The Easton Rotary Club will officially be **100 years old** on April 1, 2015. Celebration(s) are in order!

Our District has interviewed and endorsed a candidate for the **Rotary Peace Scholarship** program. The purpose of the Rotary Peace Centers program is to create a cadre of individuals dedicated to peace and conflict resolution.

## Dates changed for 2015 São Paulo Convention

Rotary International President Gary Huang and the RI Board have changed the dates for the 2015 Rotary Convention in São Paulo, Brazil, to Saturday, 6 June, through Tuesday, 9 June – starting and ending one day earlier than previously scheduled. The dates were changed because the original opening day (Sunday, 7 June) coincided with one of the city's most popular parades.

## Supporting education

**Giving tomorrow's children the hope of a better future --** Sixty-seven million children worldwide have no access to education and more than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Rotary clubs in Bangladesh, in partnership with Leaders of Tomorrow, are addressing the issue by supporting a school for street children.

## Area 6 Clubs Sponsor Charity Bike Ride for Rotaplast

Join Rotarian and non-Rotarian bicycle riders for the 1st Annual Rotary Ride for Rotaplast on Sunday October 12 in Souderton PA. The event offers 42, 25 and 16 mile recreational route options through scenic Upper Bucks and Montgomery counties to raise funds for the District's Rotaplast missions. The ride is jointly organized by the PennRidge-Perkasie, Quakertown, Saucon Valley and Souderton-Telford Clubs. Register at <https://www.bikereg.com/rotary-ride-for-rotoplast> and bring a smile to a child.



## **100th Anniversary Gala Celebration and Changeover**

Allentown Rotary Club Celebrated 100 Years of Service - 1914 to 2014 at their anniversary celebration on the evening of June 27th, 2014 at the Lehigh Country Club. A Silent Auction, Cocktails, Dinner, Remarks and Rewards were all part of the Gala.

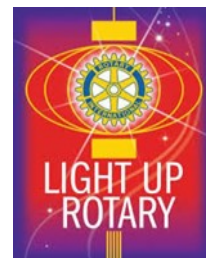
Outgoing President Bob Stevens and incoming President Chris Bauder together blew out the candles on one of the anniversary cakes on the tables at the Gala.

Ellen Kern presented a citation from Senator Pat Browne. And there was a Certificate of Recognition from Senator Pat Toomey.

District 7430 Rotarians in attendance for the celebration included Jean and Frank Romano, 2013-14 District Governor, Gary Fedorcha, 2014-15 District Governor, PDG Tony Jannetta, Ron Smith, and Area I Assistant Governor Sue Weber.

Also present were Congressman Charlie Dent who presented a citation, Dan Meuser, PA. Secretary of Revenue, who presented a certificate on behalf of Governor Corbett. And Allentown Mayor Ed Pawlowski presented a citation.

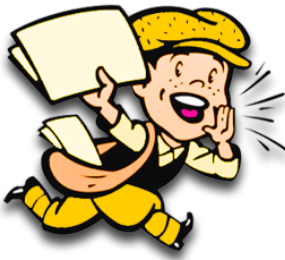
Event Co-chairs were Ellen Baker Ghelardi & Patrick Meehan.



## **RC SECRETARIES ----- PLEASE HELP**

We ask that each RC Secretary go to the Rotary Website as well as the District Website and update all the club officers and venue information for the 2014-15 Rotary year. AND if something changes, go back to these websites and enter the new data.





## Club News

### Morrisville-Yardley Area



**Rotary Supports Yardley's Delaware Canal Festival and Decorated Boat Parade**

The famous Rotary Hot Dog Stand did a sell-out business Saturday, May 21, 2014, at the Yardley Delaware Canal Festival. The Rotarians of the Morrisville-Yardley Area Rotary Club sold hot dogs and sodas and provided information

about what Rotary does to support the community, literacy, health and peace. The club was invited to support the festival by Susan Taylor, Executive Director of the Friends of the Delaware Canal.



### Emmaus:

Emmaus Rotary Club members and families cheered for the Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs on Tuesday evening, June 17th. The Pigs won against the Charlotte Knights. Members enjoyed the comfort of a box behind home plate and a buffet dinner. Thanks, Rory King and Jerry Friedman for making the arrangements.





## Club News *continued*

### Norristown

#### **WORN OUT SIGNS ARE FOR WORN OUT CLUBS... SIGN FACELIFT COMPLETED**

The Norristown club just completed a sign facelift project. Most of our 6 signs were years old with much wear and damage. Also, we moved our official meeting time back fifteen minutes and we wanted to advertise our web site. Also it was an opportunity for us to officially inventory all of our club assets on our website.

Signs can make a dramatic difference in first impression.

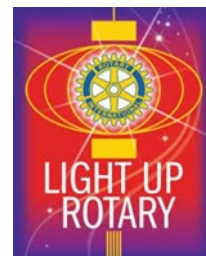


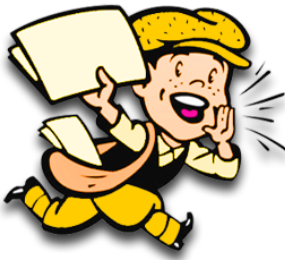
### Emmaus

Emmaus Rotarians participated in Emmaus Community Day at Emmaus Community Park on Sunday June 22, 2014. A ShelterBox was on display and we handed out free popcorn to the community. It was a fun day to build goodwill and better friendships.



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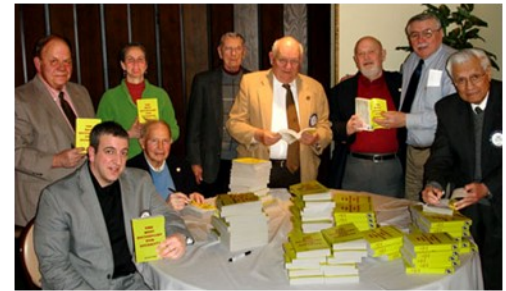
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### Morrisville-Yardley Area

#### Rotary Club Goes Into the Classrooms

Two recent projects have supported RI's focus on Education and Literacy in the Morrisville and Pennsbury schools: Dictionaries for Third Graders and Library Books for Second Graders. Children's dictionaries were presented by Rotarians to the third graders in Morrisville. Each dictionary was personalized by the signature of a Rotarian and a message that reads, "The Morrisville-Yardley Area Rotary Club and I wish you great success in life." The library books were presented to the second grade classes in Morrisville's Grandview and Pennsbury's Eleanor Roosevelt elementary schools. Selections from the books were read to each class by a Rotarian.

Signing of the Children's dictionaries. The project was led by Barry Vannauker (back, left).



Rotarians Melanie Douty-Snipes, Juan Proano (Club President), Barbara Nuzzolo (Project Chair) and Hal Long presenting library books at Grandview.

Eleanor Roosevelt Principal Ms. Elizabeth Aldridge (left) and Hal

Long, Andy Thompson and Barbara Nuzzolo presenting library books at Eleanor Roosevelt.



Andy presenting books to his class.



## Club News continued

### Doylestown



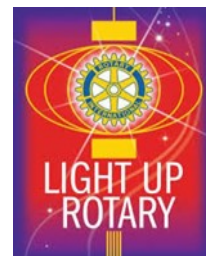
The Rotary Club of Doylestown hosted the 5th Annual Doylestown at Dusk Car Show on a beautiful Saturday evening of July 19, 2014. We hosted over 500 cars and thousands of happy spectators. The center of Doylestown was lined with cars and packed with people. The people started coming when the show opened at

5pm and kept coming as the evening grew even more beautiful.

Entertainment was provided by two live bands. **BKWG**, the house band of The Central Bucks Rotary Club played from 5 to 7 PM including some great Bruce Springsteen renditions. They were followed from 7 until 9 PM by The Big Chill.



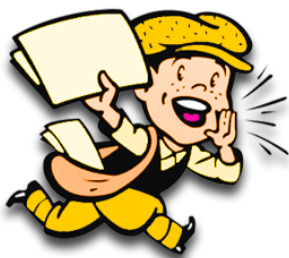
Our club gave out hundreds of Doylestown Rotary flags to children of all ages and the 50 helium balloons that Gail Linenberg brought were gone within the first hour. We had quite a few people ask about club membership and hope that, like prior years, we gain a few community minded members from the show.



## SAVE THE DATE

Start planning now to attend the 2015 District 7430 Conference on April 24th, 25th and 26th. It will be at the Wyndham Gettysburg, 95 Presidential Circle, Gettysburg, PA 17325





## Friendship Exchange

### INCOMING TEAM FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA HOST CLUBS NEEDED!!

Our District will be hosting 5 Rotarians (one couple and three individual women) from British Columbia From September 2, 2014 to September 13, 2014.



We are seeking clubs for hosting. Each club would host approximately 3 days during this period. If your club has never hosted international visitors—it is a wonderful experience. If you are a small club, we can perhaps “pair” the club up with another club to provide even more fellowship.

The Friendship Exchange allows Rotarians from different countries to promote “good will and cultural understanding” between nations. There is no specific cost for a club to host. The Rotarians will have a van for transportation, pay their own tour expenses, and be able to make a presentation during club meetings. Each Club will have an itinerary for the period of time during which they are hosting and help can be supported.

Please contact, Cindy Hornaman, Friendship Exchange Chair:  
[hornamca@ptd.net](mailto:hornamca@ptd.net), (610) 360-4875, or (610) 965-4151.



**Worrying works! 90% of the things I  
worry about never happen.**

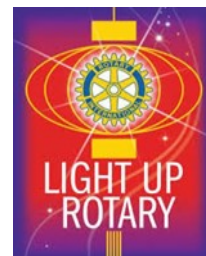


## LEARN ABOUT THE R.I. FOUNDATION

**WHAT?** Joint Seminar – Workshop with D7450  
**WHERE?** DoubleTree in King of Prussia  
**WHEN?:** Saturday, October 25, 2014  
**WHY?:** To Light Up Rotary Through Education  
*Details will follow*

## **RLI Rebate**

*Light Up Rotary Through Education*



### **SPECIAL REBATE OFFER**

**Pay for the first; then get \$50 back for all others you send from your Rotary Club to Part I at the September 27, 2014 session in King of Prussia.**



**REGISTER NOW!!!!**

**[www.rlinea.com](http://www.rlinea.com)**

**The Rotary Leadership Institute**

**September 27, 2014**

**7:30 am – 3:30 pm**

**Radisson Hotel**

**King of Prussia, PA**

**Learn more about Rotary, engage in interactive discussions with fellow Rotarians, and enjoy the fellowship with those Rotarians who have made a difference in their communities. Your participation is guaranteed to make your club stronger.**

**For more information contact:**

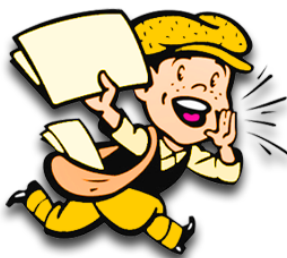
**Linda Young**

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## The 4-Way Test Speech Contest

The 4-Way Test Speech Contest has become one of the most popular programs in our District. We are looking for a few Rotarians to join our Team.

- Are you passionate about providing unorthodox challenges and opportunity for our youth?
- Would you like to support other Clubs in starting or improving a 4Way Speech Contest?
- Would you enjoy working on a small team of dedicated Rotarians from around the District?
- No experience with the 4Way Speech Contest required.

If the answer to any of these questions is YES, we would love to talk with you. For more information contact Joe Wynands at [Wynands@comcast.net](mailto:Wynands@comcast.net) or 610-506-1228.

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## Tell Us What You Are Doing

DG Gary's 2014-15 monthly newsletters will tell your stories. Just send them — with pertinent photos — by the 20th of each month to:

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## Membership Tip

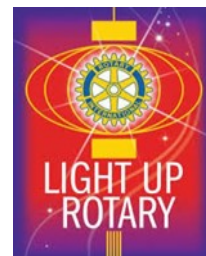
### Be a Rotary Champion!



Are you a Rotary Champion? This past year we were introduced to the new image for Rotary – a new logo, a new look and a new voice. We have many new tools and resources to work with to strengthen our Rotary brand around the

world.

But we need each Rotarian — each club, District and program of Rotary — to be a Rotary Champion, to clarify Rotary's message and strengthen our Rotary image. Our brand is not just our logo – it is each one of us as Rotarians and each of our clubs and Districts. Building enthusiasm for Rotary and promoting our organization starts with each one of us.



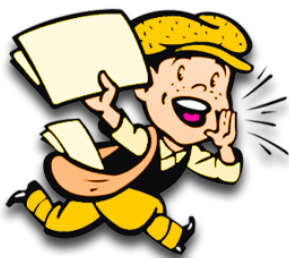
Share your passion for Rotary!  
**REFER A MEMBER!**



Senior Moments

Three old guys are out walking.  
First one says, "Windy, isn't it?"  
Second one says, "No, its Thursday!"  
Third one says, "So am I. Let's go get a beer."





# polio news



The displacement of more than 900,000 people from North Waziristan in Pakistan's Federally Administered Tribal Areas (FATA) increases the risk that polio will spread, as the virus travels with people as they move out to other parts of the country. Due to a ban on polio vaccination since June 2012, the area has suffered 55 of the country's 94 cases in 2014. However, this displacement also creates an important opportunity. For the first time in more than two years, vaccinators can reach large numbers of children who could not previously get vaccine.

Between 21 May and 15 July, 406,051 doses of oral polio vaccine were administered at vaccination points set up along major transit routes on the way out of North Waziristan. Emergency vaccination campaigns have also been held in surrounding areas, including weekly activities in parts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and FATA. This week's campaign was reported to have reached almost 550,000 children.

13th Jan, 2014		NEW POLIO CASES	
will be an historic day for Rotary when India shall be declared <b>POLIO FREE!</b>		as of July 23rd	
Bye Bye Polio... Thank you Rotary !		In the 3 endemic countries:	
Rotary 		2014 YTD 2013	
Proud to be a Rotarian.		YTD	
		Pakistan	99 21
		Afghanistan	8 3
		Nigeria	5 35
		in non-endemic countries	16 81



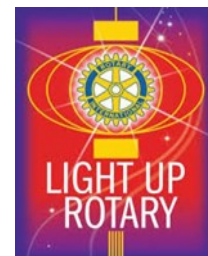
Polio vaccination campaigns reaching more than 25 million children multiple times in the Middle East since October have helped slow the outbreak.

## Your Foundation Update



# YOUR FOUNDATION UPDATE

The following information is  
provided to keep you informed  
about Our Rotary Foundation.



June 30th, 2014  
RYTD Giving to the  
RI Annual Fund  
**177 D7430**  
ROTARIANS  
REACHED THEIR  
NEXT PAUL HARRIS  
LEVEL

What is the Paul Harris  
Society?

An Individual Donating  
\$1,000 every year to  
Annual Fund and / or  
Polio Plus and / or an

Approved Foundation grant becomes a PHS member.

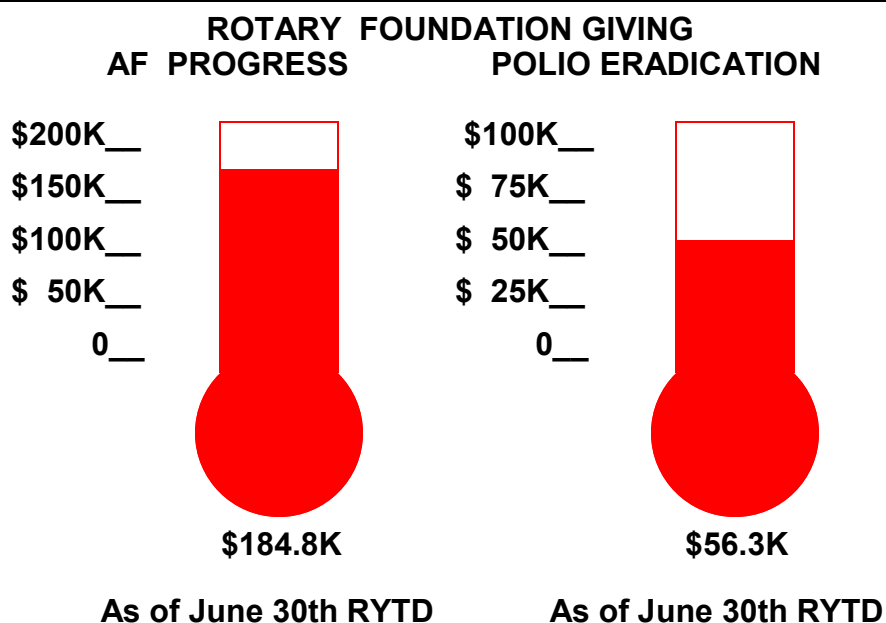
Donations can be monthly, quarterly or annually using Rotary Direct, for example.

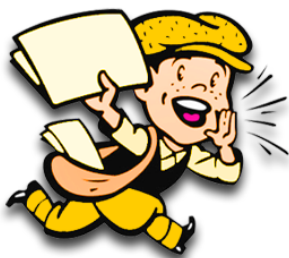
D7430 currently has 47 Rotarians committed to this generosity.

## NO COST GIVING TO THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

**Million Dollar Journey:**  
Are you one of the SEVEN ?

Now there is a way to Do Good in the World while you shop! The amazonsmile (<http://smile.amazon.com>) is a program where Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible amazonsmile purchases to the charitable organization of your choice. Our Rotary Foundation is one of the charitable organizations that can be chosen in their menu of options. Please consider selecting Rotary and share. More information on amazonsmile: [http://smile.amazon.com/about/ref=smi\\_ge\\_ul\\_lm\\_raas](http://smile.amazon.com/about/ref=smi_ge_ul_lm_raas)





## PETS Training Schedule

### I- 4 Training Date Schedule 2014-15

To help all our incoming presidents plan ahead for the year leading their clubs, District Governor Elect (DGE) Doug and District Trainer Tony have released the following dates to allow you to arrange your schedules. Please bear in mind that we have tried our best to give you as much advanced notice as possible. We are delivering this training to all 43 PE's and ask for your understanding and in some cases flexibility. While you have 4 parts to your training, DGE Doug and I have over 40 meetings to make them all possible for you.

In the cases of PETS 1 & 2 please check back as the meeting places are TBA at this point.

**PETS 1.** A Small informal meeting of between 60-90 minutes as we set out and start to plan for your year ahead, (This meeting and PETS 2 are flexible. While we would like you to attend the meeting in your Area you may ask to join one on a different date if you cannot attend the one nearest you.) PETS 1 will start between 6pm and 7pm in all cases.

<u>Area</u>	<u>Host/AG</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Host/AG</u>	<u>Date</u>
Area 1	Sue Weber	6-Nov	Area 6	Bill Tuszynski	12-Nov
Area 2	Janet Kolepp	11-Nov	Area 7	Chris Potter	4-Nov
Area 3	Loretta Ottinger	13-Nov	Area 8	Janet Mintzer	28-Oct
Area 4	Rick Gromis	29-Oct	Area 9	Bruce Dearnley	30-Oct
Area 5	Marie Ann Thompson	5-Nov			

**PETS 2.** This is a more structured meeting of around 120 minutes held in a larger group where DGE Doug will introduce the Rotary International Theme for 15/16. We will go over the club planning guide, goals and format of the upcoming PETS 3 in King of Prussia. You will receive materials to take with you from this meeting.

Area's 1,2& 6	Monday Feb 2 <sup>nd</sup> 6.30 for 7pm
Area's 3,4& 5	Tuesday Feb 3 <sup>rd</sup> 6.30 for 7pm
Area's 7,8& 9	Thursday Feb 5 <sup>th</sup> 6.30 for 7 pm





## **PETS Training Schedule** continued

**PETS 3. Mid Atlantic PETS**, This is the Rotary mandated 2 day event that all PEs must attend in King of Prussia. You will find this unique event beneficial to your year. You will be with over 250 fellow PEs from 5 districts and take part in both plenary and breakout sessions. You are also asked to stay over Friday night (at no cost to you!) to enjoy dinner, networking and avoid travel time very early on Saturday morning.

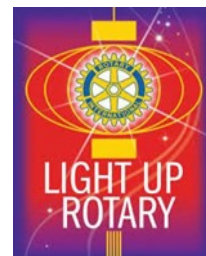
8.00 am Friday February 27<sup>th</sup> – 3.30 pm Saturday February 28<sup>th</sup> [www.midatlanticpets.org](http://www.midatlanticpets.org)

### **PETS 4. District Training Assembly**

The final part of our training journey in preparation for your year ahead, hand in your planning guide and goals for the year and last chance for us all to meet as a group to share those plans& any that you may have decided to as an Area with your neighboring clubs. There will be both plenary & breakout sessions on all avenues of Rotary and it is recommended you bring your club officers, committee chairs to learn both what's new and how best to implement this for success in your club

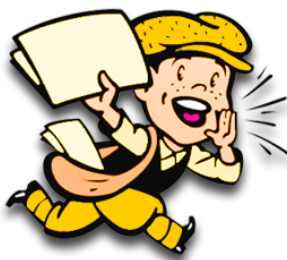
Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> 8.00am – 2.00 pm @ Montco College in Blue Bell. PA

The link to the website is: <http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/Events/EVPEventDetails.aspx?accountid=50086&eid=f4d952d1-9104-479b-b8b1-9b6800db87bb&tid=2>



With sufficient thrust, pigs fly just fine.





## Light Up Rotary Through Education

The facts are in. The more Rotarians know about Rotary, the longer they will stay a part of Rotary. There are many opportunities to learn, including multi-district group training, individual RC orientation meetings, [rotary.org](http://rotary.org) and D7430 and RC web-sites. Webinars and other on-line training courses.

### RLI

One excellent way to educate your RC Members is to have them attend the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) training sessions that are offered in the Fall and the Spring. The next one is set for September 27<sup>th</sup> in King of Prussia.

RLI seeks to provide those who attend with a quality education in Rotary knowledge and leadership skills so important in voluntary organizations. - See more at: <http://www.rlinea.org/#sthash.E8Ljjf6t.dpuf>

Also, Check out the 2014 \$50 Rebate program sponsored by DG Gary. See the separate article elsewhere in this issue.

### Rotary Website Information

This is another great source of information available to all Rotarians. Just go to [rotary.org](http://rotary.org) and logon and then cover the "Learning & Reference" words at the top center and take your pick.

### Printed Information

RI has a publication that explains almost everything about Rotary programs. You just go on [rotary.org](http://rotary.org), log-in to "My Rotary" and..... Or you can go directly to <http://guilfordrotary.org/rotary-publications-news/>

### Materials to download:

Rotary Voices: Stories of service from around the world  
 Rotary Leader: Helping club and district officers achieve success  
 Rotary Images: Download photos to use in your club or district publications

"The Rotary way is to light a candle. I light one, you light one, 1.2 million Rotarians light one. Together, we light up the world."

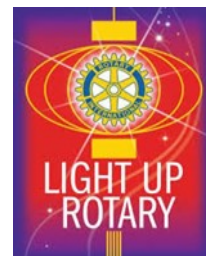
*RI President Gary C. K. Huang, in the April 2014 issue of The Rotarian*



## In Memoriam



We note the recent passing of Rotarians, their spouses, partners and family members.

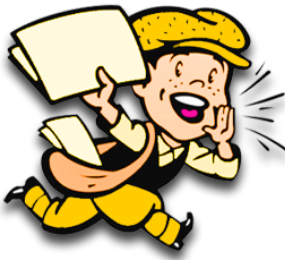


Easton Rotary was sad to learn of the passing of long-time Easton Rotarian **John R. Austen**. John joined the Easton Rotary Club in 1980 and served as President in 1985-86.

John died June 27, 2014 in Moravian Hall Square. He was a graduate of CALTECH and employed by Ingersoll Rand Co. He was; a former Boy Scout Leader; member of Easton Area Industrial Land Development board; the Pomfret Club; Northampton Country Club and Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. An auditorium was named in his honor at the NCH&G Sigal Museum.

**“To live in the hearts of others is never to die.”**





## District Committee Reports

Each month we will give you a snapshot of what our committees are working on. And if you would either like to know more or would like to join or be more involved with that committee, please contact its chair.

### Foundation

Please support OUR Rotary Foundation with your time, talent and treasure.



Our Club Rotarians have exceeded the \$175,000 goal for Annual Fund giving reaching \$184,800. Every D7430 RC has donated some funds to the RI Foundation.

The Foundation Seminar is set for October 25, 2014 at the Double-Tree in King of Prussia.

The "Million \$\$ Journey" announced at the District Conference has received over \$300,000 in pledges so far. More details are coming. Are you one of the "SEVEN?"

There are 15 projects submitted for 2014-15 District Grant requests, with 17 RCs involved. And we are working on three Global Grants for 2014-15.

PDG Bill Weber now is the Foundation Area Coordinator (FAC) for Area I. An FAC still is needed for Area 9.

Contact Chair is PDG Mike McCarthy at [mccarthy\\_misty03@comcast.net](mailto:mccarthy_misty03@comcast.net).

### Membership

See the latest issue of Club Builder at <http://www.clubrunner.ca/Data/7430//HTML/226859//ClubBuilder6-14.pdf>



District Membership Chair PDG Frank Romano is seeking several members to round out the committee. Contact Frank at [fjromano@comcast.net](mailto:fjromano@comcast.net).

### Youth Exchange

The annual "REBOUND PICNIC" is scheduled for Sunday, August 10th at Wentz Run Park in Blue Bell.

There are 15 Inbound and 15 Outbound students in the 2014-15 program.



## District Committee Reports continued

Please contact chair Patti Smith at [pattismith0221@gmail.com](mailto:pattismith0221@gmail.com) or visit the YEP website at [www.rotary7430yep.org](http://www.rotary7430yep.org) for more details and full calendar of events for the year.



RI records indicate that D7430 now has 38 Interact Clubs. PennRidge Perkasio is sponsoring a new Interact Club. Contact Chair Chris Potter at [insurancepotter@msn.com](mailto:insurancepotter@msn.com).

**Interact:**

Camp Neidig 2015 planning is underway. Please volunteer to help. Contact Co-Chair Wendy Body at [wgbody@butz.com](mailto:wgbody@butz.com).



Rotaplast: The 2014 Ch. 69 On-Air Auction is scheduled for December 6<sup>th</sup>. Donations are being received already. The committee continues working on a Global Grant for Periera, Colombia. The next mission will be September 14 to 28, 2014 to Pereira.. Five D7430 volunteers are signed up. Contact Chair DGN Linda Young at [lryoung2011@gmail.com](mailto:lryoung2011@gmail.com)

**Camp Neidig (RYLA):**

ShelterBox Contact Chair Allan Syphers at [ASArchitect@aol.com](mailto:ASArchitect@aol.com).



Before

After

**Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI):** The D7430-7450 sponsored session will be held on September 27, 2014 at the Radisson in KOP. Check out the [\\$50 Rebate Program](#) elsewhere herein. Contact Chair, DGN Linda Young at [lryoung2011@gmail.com](mailto:lryoung2011@gmail.com)



**4 Way Test Speech Contest:** The Committee is looking for new members to have at least two in each of its four regions. The 2015 "Finals" will be at the district conference in Gettysburg. The four Regional Semi-finals will take place on April 11, 2015.. Contact Chair is Joe Wynands [Joe.Wynands@susquehanna.net](mailto:Joe.Wynands@susquehanna.net)



**Friendship Exchange: CANADA – CANADA** –The Canadian team is expected to arrive in our district on September 3rd. Contact Chair Cindy Hornaman at [hornamca@ptd.net](mailto:hornamca@ptd.net).



**Rotaract:** Chair Chris Potter at [insurancepotter@msn.com](mailto:insurancepotter@msn.com).



**District Website:** PDG Tony Jannetta at [tonyjannetta@aol.com](mailto:tonyjannetta@aol.com).

**District Newsletter:** Feedback always is welcome, as are your articles. Contact Editor PDG Bill Palmer at [bill966@ptd.net](mailto:bill966@ptd.net).



**District Administrative Assistant:** Contact is Sharon Rittenhouse at [rittenhouses Sharon@gmail.com](mailto:rittenhouses Sharon@gmail.com).



## Calendar of Events

### DISTRICT CALENDAR

- Aug 10 -- YE Rebound Picnic at Wentz Run Park in Blue Bell
- Sep 3-10 -- Friendship Exchange Canadian team will be here
- Sep 27 -- RLI -- Rotary Leadership Training Institute at the Radisson in King of Prussia
- Oct 9-- D7430 Golf Outing at Silver Creek Country Club in Hellertown.
- Oct 13 to 19 -- Zone Institute at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- Oct 25 -- D7430 Foundation Seminar w/D7450 at The DoubleTree in KOP
- Dec 6-- CH 69 On-Air Auction for Rotaplast
- Dec 13 -- DGN interviews at St' Luke's Hospital starting at 8:30 A.M.

### 2015

- Feb 27-28 Mid-Atlantic Presidents-Elect Training (PETS), in K.O.P.
- April 24 to 26 D7430 Conference at the Wyndham Hotel in Gettysburg
- May 16 -- District Training Assembly at MONTCO in Blue Bell

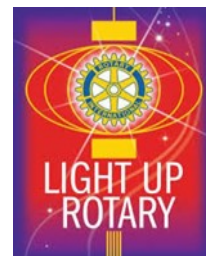
### CLUB EVENTS

Aug 12 --Quakertown Rotary Charity Golf Outing at FOX HOLLOW GOLF CLUB, Quakertown, PA.

Sep 15, 2014 Blue Bell Rotary Club's Annual Golf Outing Monday 8:30am Shotgun Start Blue Bell Country Club

Sep 27 Morning Star Classic 5K/10K near Celtic Classic Festival Bethlehem

Oct 12 -- Area 6 Bike Ride for Rotaplast in Souderton.



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