

The Toolb



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From the Governor's Desk **Rotarians Work for Peace and Conflict Resolution**

Each month Rotary International focuses on a particular humanitarian issue. In February, for instance, the focus is on Peace and Conflict Resolution/Prevention. While we all tend to focus somewhat singularly on the high-profile conflicts around the world, like the fighting and human suffering in Syria, the fact is that according to the 2018 Global Peace Index the global level of peace has deteriorated in the last year, marking the fourth successive year of deteriorations. Peacefulness in ninety-two countries deteriorated, while 71 countries improved. The 2018 GPI reveals a world in which the tensions, conflicts, and crises that emerged in the past decade remain unresolved, especially in the Middle East, resulting in this gradual, sustained fall in peacefulness. Clearly there has never been a more important time for Rotary International to push forward with peace initiatives worldwide.

In our own District 7190 we will hold our second Peace Summit for Youth on May 11 in Schenectady. This daylong event is aimed at high school students and invites them into a facilitated conversation which encourages them to self-define peace - in their school, in their community and in the world. While adults may think of peace in the context of war and border conflicts, our youth perceive conflict in social media, drug abuse, violence, bullying and sex. Finding peaceful solutions to these issues is where they tend to focus their thinking and hopes. It is our job to nurture their ideas and help them to grow hope for their own future. Please look around your communities for Youth to attend and A big Thank You to PDG Fred Daniels for leading this important initiative!

~ DG Tammy

DISTRICT EVENTS AT A GLANCE

- **February 21: Rotary 114th Birthday Party**
Sponsored by Glens Falls Rotary *p 4*
- **April 6: District Training Assembly/Grants Management Seminar**
- **April 18: Cabaret: Talent Competition**
Sponsored by Next Gen Rotary *pp 5, 17*
- **May 3-5: District Conference** *p 6*
- **May 5: GoL 5K Run** by Delmar Rotaract Club
- **June 1-5: RI International Conference**
- **September 16: GoL Golf & Bocce Tournament**

CLUB EVENTS AT A GLANCE

- **Now: Valentine's Day Floral Fundraiser** by Scotia Rotary *p 3*
- **Now: MAS Contest** by eRotary *p 5*
- **February 1: Ziti Dinner** by Glenville Rotary *p 1*
- **February 1, 8, 9: Food Drive** by Ballston Spa Rotary *p 2*
- **February 9: Winter Outhouse Races** by Shenendehowa Rotary *pp 4, 16*
- **February 9: Trivia Night** by Cobleskill Rotary *p 3*
- **March 1-3: Home & Lifestyle Show** by Saratoga Springs Rotary *p 4*
- **May 4 & 18, June 8: Run for the Roses** by Glove Cities Rotary *pp 5, 11*

Glenville Rotary Club announces its 30th annual

Ziti Dinner

Friday, February 1st

4-7:30 pm

\$8 presale

\$10 at the door

Glenville Senior Center

Worden Road Glenville, NY

Tickets may be purchased from Glenville Rotarians or at glenvillerotary.org.

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Help Wanted

After 4 years of heading up Rotary District 7190's Day of Service, I would like to pass the baton. I will train the new hire during the 2018-19 year.

Call or email me at 518-944-3997 or

Barrelbackbuilder@mail.com

for questions or interview.

Thank you. Bruce McConnelee

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Meeting Time Change!!

Racing City Rotary Club has changed their meeting time **from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm**, same location, as follows:

1st and 3rd Monday, 6:30 PM

(excluding holidays)

VFW Post 420

190 Excelsior Avenue

Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

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New Meeting Location**for Capital Region Rotary**

EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, Capital Region Rotary will now meet at Warehouse Grill and BBQ located on Wolf Road in Albany.

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Attention All Clubs:

DG Tammy has requested that every month all clubs kindly submit the names of their NEW members to thetoolbox7190@gmail.com for District recognition.

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Attention All Clubs:

DG Tammy has also requested that every month all clubs kindly submit the names of their members who have passed on to higher service to thetoolbox7190@gmail.com for remembrance.

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Members Called To a Higher Service:

District 7190 bids a heartfelt farewell with prayers and fond memories.

Scotia Rotary Club:

Sam Goldstein, Scotia Rotary President

John Mace, former long-time Scotia Rotarian

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Ballston Spa Rotary presents its Spread the Love Food Drive

They will be collecting non-perishable food items at the Ballston Spa High School before each of **Launching Pad Productions** evening performances of the play ***Honk! Jr.*** on **2/1, 2/8**, and both the afternoon and evening performances on **2/9**.

Donations will benefit multiple food pantries in Ballston Spa. They will also be accepting pet food donations at the school performances to benefit the Saratoga County Animal Shelter.

They also have collection boxes for non-perishable food items at the following area businesses from late January through Valentine's Day: **Curtis Lumber, Mangino, Agway, O'Brien Pharmacy, The Candle Collective, Trustco in Milton (near Hannaford).**

Please help support local food pantries and enjoy a great performance by local students.

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Niskayuna Rotary is sponsoring a...
A Valentine's Day Fundraiser



\$20



\$25

Pick-up Dates and Location:

February 13 & 14

8:00 am-3:00 pm

Schenectady ARC Maple Ridge Day Center

2999 Hamburg Street, Rotterdam, NY

(Niskayuna club members will make deliveries if need be.)

You can place an order by emailing your selection to NiskyRotary@gmail.com. Include your Visa/MC #; Expiration date and C V V code. (Or place your order by calling or leaving a message for Lon Penna at 518-312-6588.)

Rotarian Mark Sheehan brought these arrangements to a Niskayuna Club meeting and we were extremely impressed. These flower arrangements are BEAUTIFUL and as PROFESSIONAL as you can get. The arrangements are made by people with developmental disabilities served at the Schenectady ARC Horticulture Center, so both ARC and Rotary will benefit from your donations. And of course, you will benefit when you have the pleasure of presenting or enjoying these arrangements.

Questions: Mark Sheehan,
marks@sarcny.org or 518-410-1322

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Sponsored by Cobleskill Rotary Club

TRIVIA NIGHT 2019

Saturday, February 9th

Elks Lodge

Cobleskill, NY

Doors Open at 6:00 PM

Play Begins at 7:00 PM

Format: Maximum Six-Person Teams

**Cost: \$120 per team / \$20 per person;
 Spectator \$10**

PRIZE FOR WINNING TEAM: \$300 CASH

*All proceeds go to the Backpack program, School Scholarships and the RYLA program
 (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards)*

Play: There are five rounds for everyone. Answers and team scores given after each round. Rounds One, Two, and Three – Twenty questions with 30 seconds to record the answer. Rounds Four and Five – Ten Question "Lightning Round" with 15 seconds to record the answer. There will be a two-point bonus question for every round. Tie breakers will be used if needed.

Rules: Student Teams allowed. Adult teams may be made up of students and adults.

No more than six can play at one table. While answers may be challenged, such challenges will be handled by an arbitrator independent of the scorers and will be judged against the source used by the question preparers. If there are any challenges, the source for the answer being challenged will be made available. Arbitrator's decision on challenges is final. There are NO refunds. This event is for charity. Player substitutions are allowed until the emcee starts the questions.

Food available: The Elks Club will sell hamburgers & hot dogs, chicken wings. Cash bar/sodas, pizza, popcorn and coffee available. Complimentary snacks and desserts during play.

Please register by 2/5/19 !!!

Make checks payable to Cobleskill Rotary Club. To Register: Submit your team name and contact person's name with \$120.00 per team to: Milan Jackson - P.O. Box 370, Richmondville, NY 12149 [Questions? (518) 294-6717]

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Shenendehowa Rotary presents its 3rd annual
Winter Outhouse Races
Saturday, February 9th at 1 PM
at the Southern Saratoga YMCA
Clifton Park

Put together a team and build your own custom outhouse on skis to compete for the coveted Shenendehowa Rotary "throne" as well as prize money. There is no admission for spectators.

Each outhouse race team includes 5 members; one who rides the "throne" while the remaining 4 members push, pull or drag their decorated outhouse around a snowy race track. Team themes and costumes are encouraged.

First place receives \$500. Second place receives \$400. Thirds place receives \$300 and Best Themed Team receives \$200. For outhouse race details visit shenrotary.org/outhouse-race.

See flyer on page 8.

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Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Glens Falls

Rotary Birthday Party
114 Years Young!

A 114th Birthday Celebration!
Hyde Collection

161 Warren Street, Glens Falls NY

The Hyde Collection is a non-profit trust which hosts community events year round. For information please visit www.hydecollection.org or call 518-792-1761.

Thursday, February 21st
6-8pm

Cost is \$30 per person

Limited to the first 60 who register!

Register soon through the District Website

Stay tuned for official flyer with more info on the Hyde Collection...

Enjoy: Hot and Cold Appetizers
Wine, Soda, Water
Desserts

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Saratoga Springs Rotary Club will be hosting their annual fundraiser:

Saratoga Home & Lifestyle Show
Friday March 1st – Sunday March 3rd

Booths are still available for both the main floor and the Art Show. www.rotaryhomeshow.com

New Ideas for Your Life and Home

March 1 | 5-8pm • March 2 | 10-6pm • March 3 | 10-4pm



Saratoga Springs City Center
 120 exhibitors • Prize drawings

New Free Admission
 Courtesy of The Adirondack Trust Company



Presented since 1973 by
 Saratoga Springs Rotary Club
 to benefit the Saratoga community

2019
Special Features

Fine Art & Crafts Show
 (Booths available, second floor)

Cooking Competitions
 by Local Chefs

Wine & Craft Beer Tasting

Family Friendly

Grand Prize &
 Hourly Door Prizes

www.rotaryhomeshow.com



THE ADIRONDACK TRUST
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The Next Gen Committee proudly presents
Capital Cabaret:
The 7190 Regional Talent Competition
Thursday, April 18th
6pm

Last year's event (Rotary's Got Talent) was a spectacular success, with 15 competitors vying for the top prize and over \$4,000 raised to support the Rotary International Foundation. A number of clubs sourced talent from within their ranks and from their extended communities, and the club v. club competition was a lot of fun! **Now is the time to consider who will represent your club, whether a member, family member or friend of the club.** See the flyer at the end of the Toolbox for more information. Contact [Whitney Pangburn](#) or [Marisa Multari](#) with any questions might have. Audition tapes are being accepted now!

See related article on page 17.

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See related article on page 11.

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Rotary 1st Annual MAS Challenge

Member Average Service (MAS)

Total Direct Service Minutes / Total Members

Sponsored By: www.eRotaryNY.com

Service Types Defined (only #1 counts) (Calendar Year)

- 1-Direct Service Outside Club (any hands on direct help by member)
- 2-Club Meetings (any meeting)
- 3-Fundraising (ex. Golf tournament, raffle, selling, etc)
- 4-Club Fellowship (not meeting or fundraising club social events)
- 5-Club Service (newsletter, website, etc...)

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Save the Dates:

May 5: GoL 5K Run

by Delmar Rotaract Club

September 16:

GoL Golf & Bocce Tournament

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Support Gift of Life as You Shop!

Go to smile.amazon.com/ch/22-2704726 and Amazon will donate to Rotary District 7190 Gift of Life Inc. Please share this link and information with your family, friends, and social media contacts. GoL appreciates your support in the mission to save young lives around the world.

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Looking for Speakers?

Gift of Life will be glad to arrange for a member to address your club about their life saving mission.

Please contact Pat Herman at

phpherman@gmail.com.

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Happy Valentine's Day
February 14th

Rotary

District 7190



Conference of Clubs Essex Junction, Vermont May 3–5, 2019

PEACE, LOVE, ROTARY INFORMATION

Dates: Friday May 3rd-Sunday May 5th 2019

Location: The Essex Resort & Spa
Essex Junction, Vermont
EssexResortSpa.com

Registration Info: To register, visit:
rotary7190.info/ConferenceofClubs

Registration includes conference materials, and meals (Friday dinner through Sunday breakfast)

\$187.00 by December 31st 2018
\$207.00 beginning January 1st 2019

Conference Contact: Harriet "Pepi" Noble
Conference Chair
hnoble@nycap.rr.com
518.373.8574

Hotel Reservations: \$159.00/night + taxes & fees
Rate valid three days prior to and after conference dates.
\$20 fee per adult with rooms/suites with three or more guests.
Resort fee waived.

Phone: 877.684.1123
Online: rotary7190.info/ConferenceofClubs
Group Name: Rotary District 7190

District Governor • **2019 Conference Chair**
Tammy Hunter Heckenberg Harriet "Pepi" Noble



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Meet Rotary Youth at 2019 Conference of Clubs

What do Columbia, Argentina, Japan, Spain, Brazil, France, and Thailand have in common? For one, they are the home countries of our Rotary Youth Exchange students. (They also have Rotary clubs)

You are invited to get to know these students at the 2019 Conference of Clubs as they help us celebrate an inspirational year. From the international flag ceremony to sharing a meal to learning more about their culture, the conference is a great way to explore the Rotary Youth programs.

Also planning to attend are current RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Award) and Interact students who will share their experiences with us.

Youth Exchange Host clubs Glens Falls, Delmar, Niskayuna, Cobleskill, Middleburgh, Salem and Colonie-Guilderland. Interact and RYLA students sponsored by many clubs through-out District 7190.



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World Peace Fellow Update

by Grace Dunne

Dear Rotarians,

I hope you all have a good start of the new year 2019. Another update from me as I am progressing through my Peace Fellowship program at the University of Queensland. This summer (for Australia), ten of us have gone to different parts of the world to be able to gain field experience and apply theories learned from classroom to the field. This incredible opportunity is one of the requirements by the program and fully funded by the Rotary International.

For me, I am doing internship in Taunggyi, Myanmar with the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) where it has the field-based office for an Alternative Development (AD) program for opium poppy farmers.

Myanmar is the second largest poppy producer in the world after Afghanistan and Shan state has the largest growers within Myanmar. The AD program in Taunggyi focuses on creating alternative livelihood and sustaining environment and forestry. The largest licit and long term crop the project is in focus is coffee.

As an intern, I am supporting international consultants with improving communication strategy internally and externally, and with researching labour and social policies for the newly created cooperative for coffee farmers. I have been learning many things about conflict induce illicit activities and its effects to the lives of farmers and ordinary citizens. I am also learning the business side of sustainable development, Fairtrade, and agriculture and environmental management. This internship is helping me to see through conflict resolution as a need to approach holistically rather than resolving it separately.

I will be finishing this internship in February and continue my study until the end of June. After graduating in July, I hope to continue to serve vulnerable population in conflict effected area.



Grace Dunne interning in Myanmar.

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Thank You from Ballston Spa Rotary

Just want to say THANK YOU to everyone that bought a tree at our Rotary Lot this year. We officially sold out Saturday 12/15 at 3:40pm (Guess we'll order a few more next year) which means we sold almost 800 trees this year. This money will help us afford all of our projects into next year. And a big thank you to Curtis Lumber for again allowing us to use their parking area to sell our trees. What a great help to the community they are.

Finally, we would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year from all of our membership. It is through community support that we exist and what a great community we live in here in Ballston Spa.

~ Ray Otten

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In Recognition

At a recent meeting held at the Salem fire house, the Salem Rotary Club the Salem Volunteer Fire Department for 215 years of fire protection to the Salem community. President William Cormier presented a framed certificate in recognition of the fire department service to Steven Dougherty, President of the Salem Volunteer Fire Department.

Rotary President Cormier spoke of the importance of volunteer service in the community, pointing out that like the Salem Rotary Club the fire department was one of the community's most valuable assets. The meeting culminated in a tour of the newly built fire house.



Pictured left to right are Salem Rotary President Elect, David Highby; Salem Volunteer Fire Department President, Steven Dougherty; Salem Rotary Club President, William Cormier.

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Attention Paul Harris Fellows

Please bring your Paul Harris Medallion to wear at the Foundation Recognition reception on Saturday evening, May 4th. We will recognize new Major Donors, Paul Harris Fellows and new Multiple Paul Harris Fellows. The medallion was created in 1969. See more history of the PHF recognition and the medallion next.



The History of Paul Harris Fellow Recognition

The Paul Harris Fellow recognition acknowledges individuals who contribute, or who have contributions made in their name, of US\$1,000 to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

It was established in 1957 to show appreciation for and encourage substantial contributions to what was then the Foundation's only program, Rotary Foundation Fellowships for Advanced Study, the precursor to Ambassadorial Scholarships.

The first Paul Harris Fellows include 1937-38 RI Director Allison G. Brush and longtime RI Treasurer Rufus F. Chapin, both for donations made in 1946. Mrs. Adan Vargas was the first woman to receive the recognition, for a gift made in 1953. Mrs. Harry L. Jones was the second, and one of only five people recognized for contributions made in 1957.

Early Paul Harris Fellows received a certificate of recognition. In 1969, the Foundation unveiled the first Paul Harris Fellow medallion at the RI Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA. Japanese metal artist Fiju Tsuda created the piece under the direction of then-past Foundation Trustee Kyoza Yuasa. Today, Paul Harris Fellows receive a certificate and pin. They are also eligible to purchase a Paul Harris Fellow medallion.

Rotarians have a tradition of supporting the Foundation by honoring others. Ida LeTulle Taylor became a Paul Harris Fellow in 1978 when her husband, then-District Governor Vann Taylor, made a donation in her name in honor of their 34th wedding anniversary. The gift also made her the 25,000th Paul Harris Fellow.

At the International Assembly in 1979, then-RI President-elect James Bomar challenged each Rotary club to make one non-Rotarian a Paul Harris Fellow. The Rotary Club of Pikesville, Maryland, USA, responded by making a donation in the name of Mother Teresa in 1980. The entertainer Pearl Bailey also became a Paul Harris Fellow through a joint effort of the Rotary clubs in Cape Cod, Massachusetts.

Many other notable figures have been named as Paul Harris Fellows, including U.S. President Jimmy Carter, Russian President Boris Yeltsin, U.S. astronaut James Lovell, UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar, and Jonas Salk.

The number of Paul Harris Fellows reached the one million mark in 2006.

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Pakistan's DGE Visits District 7190

by Lon Penna



DGE Larry Jones' classmate, DGE Mubarak Shahid from Pakistan visited District 7190 for 3-days on his way towards the Governor Elect Training Seminar (GETS) held each January in San Diego.

DGE Larry Jones greeted DGE Mubarik with an offer *"to work on a mutual project for less privileged people."* And DGE Mubarik said he would welcome and support any such mutual project. Important messages for all Rotarians in D7190, is that any of us can plan a project or grant, and that we will be royally welcomed if we visit Pakistan and we can feel free to contact DGE Mubarik at Mubarik.dg1920@gmail.com; +92.300.4024477 (International Internet calls are free using WhatsApp).

DGE Mubarik Shahid (pronounced Shah-heed) and his wife Seemi (pronounced See-mee) were very excited to attend Rotary Club meetings in the USA for the first time. They attended 5 meetings, namely Schenectady East, Albany, Rotterdam Sunrise, Schenectady and Glenville. Some practices common in the USA were new to them, such as the idea of meeting at breakfast time, or having a club newsletter at meetings.

Mubarik shared with each of the 5 clubs that his district has 164 clubs! And that this Rotary year he is the Polio District Chair for his District. There were eight cases of Polio near the Afghanistan border in 2018, but his large state of Punjab has been Polio free for the past three years. DGE Mubarik welcomed one and all to visit Pakistan, saying we would be treated likes Kings & Queens, just like three recent visiting groups from America and Canada. Three Rotarians in D7190 have already expressed an interest to visit Pakistan in the spring of 2020.

A FUNNY STORY on the WAY TO D7190: DGE Shahid and his wife booked a hotel very near Times Square for New Year's Eve. But when they tried to get into Times Square, security blockades turned them away at every turn. As Mubarik told his story: *I approached a gentleman, and gave him my visiting card, saying "I am a Rotarian. I am a District Governor Elect from Pakistan, and specially came from Pakistan to celebrate these moments here." So he gave me a big reception. "You are a Rotarian?" "Yes I am a Rotarian." "Then you are my guest." And he allowed us to enter. For the first time I thought, what is the benefit of being a Rotarian! A very big dream came true when we entered."*

After leaving our district, DGE Mubarik and Seemi enjoyed a week-long homestay with the Rotarians in Rochester, as part of an annual invitation to 40 DGEs. Then onward to the Governor Elect training sessions in San Diego.

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January 2 at SCHENECTADY EAST



January 2 at ALBANY ROTARY



January 3 at ROTTERDAM SUNRISE ROTARY



January 3 at SCHENECTADY ROTARY



January 4 at GLENVILLE ROTARY

Local Groups to Host 6th Annual 5K Triple Crown Running Event



Three local groups are joining forces to raise money and promote their causes in Fulton County with the 5K Triple Crown presented by St. Mary's Healthcare. 5K races will be held on the three days that coincide with the Triple Crown horse races resulting in one male and female grand champion. Dr. Jen Hulbert, President of the Glove Cities Rotary Club, said, "The collaboration between these three 5K traditions in our community will elevate the caliber of the racing season for area runners. Participants will have a chance to enter three of their favorite races as a series, with the added bonus of possibly winning cash and/or prizes: runners gear, activities and more in their quest for the Triple Crown title."

Glove Cities Rotary will host the first leg which is the Run for the Roses 5K on Saturday, May 4th starting from Partner's Pub, 21 S. William St., Johnstown. The second race is to benefit Johnson Hall State Historic Site on May 18th beginning at the historic site on Hall Avenue. The third race will be a benefit for Lexington ARC Family Services on June 8th starting at 465 N Perry Street in Johnstown. There will also be cash prizes and medals awarded and other prize drawings for those who enter the Triple Crown.

All Triple Crown entrants are automatically entered to win raffle prizes, including gift certificates, running gear, clothing and more. Runners will also receive a free Triple Crown shirt, as well as a shirt and goody bag for each of the three races. Runners may also choose to enter individual races.

All 3 Races for only \$50! (If registered by May 1. Individual races \$20 each)

Register Online At:

<https://www.zippyreg.com?event=1066> or visit

Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/5ktriplecrown>

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The History Niche by PDG Jim Spencer

I Wish I Had Drawn That

On May 17, 1996 the Northern Lake George Rotary Club was granted a charter and Welcomed to District 7190. Forming a new Rotary Club was not an easy job and requires the help of many. One person stands out in the formation and creating of the new club, Stan Burdick. Stan is quoted in Fred Carvin's "A History of Rotary International in District 7190" saying, "It all started back in 1994 - the idea of founding a brand-new Rotary Club in sparsely-populated little Hague, New York. One could say that area is the most unlikely place to hatch any kind of service club, let alone a business/professional cosmopolitan type club like Rotary. Hague bustles in the summer and becomes as immobile as road kill in the winter." Stan and his other brave fellow Rotarians-to-be "hatched" the club.

I came to know Stan during my year as District Governor in his position as the Assistant Governor representing Area 1. The governor's visit during that year consisted of a short meeting with the officers and directors of the club prior to the scheduled club meeting. It was a sort of getting to know you session for the Governor and the club. That meeting was presided over by the Assistant Governor in the area. I recall that my first impression was that Stan was not leading the meeting in the way I would have. At first, I was disappointed but I soon came to learn that Stan knew the clubs in his area, the members and the successes and problems of the club. Stan taught me to be quiet, listen and learn during which time I also learned how little I actually knew about the clubs in the district.

Stan was a remarkable man and a true example of what a Rotarian should be, always trying to find a way to serve and be of service to his community and his club. In addition to his Rotary service Stan was an active member and leader in his community. I came to learn that Stan was a world-class square dance caller. He is reputed to have called dances in all 50 states, all 10 Canadian Provinces and 20 countries overseas. Stan was given several awards by square dance associations. If you have never had the opportunity to square dance you have my deepest sympathy.

Stan also had a passion for comics and drawing editorial cartoons. He was the founder of the Cartoon Museum originally located in Hague and later moved to Ticonderoga. In 2009 he donated his collection to the ToonSeum in Pittsburgh PA.

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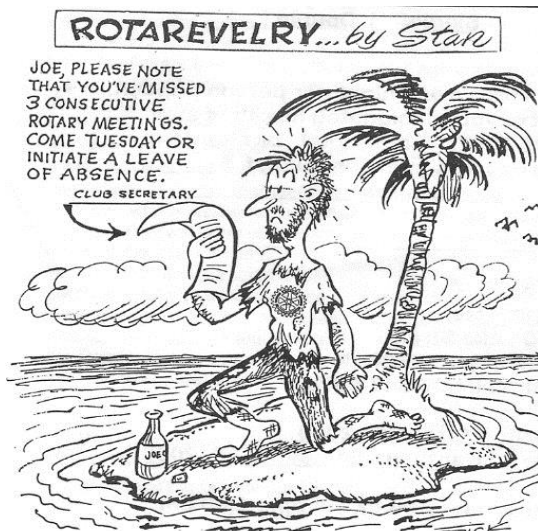
During 1999-2000 Stan was a regular contributor to the "Toolbox" and one of his cartoons was published in the Rotarian Magazine. His cartoons are examples proving that a picture is worth a thousand words. I have attaching a couple of his cartoons taken from the Toolbox editions in 2000 in this article as well a photo of Stan taken for an article about Stan's life published in The Sun Community News of Elizabethtown, NY.

Stan wrote and sketched a Rotary Program, "Birds of Rotary" exemplifying the many and various types of Rotarians inhabiting our clubs. It is a "sketch." We all have been, have known or have observed all the birds described by Stan. Please contact me if you are interested in seeing or using that program (poppop@midtel.net).

The article in The Sun contains a comment by Bruce Tamlyn, Chaplain of the Silver Bay YMCA, "Throughout his life, Stan has left joy and laughter and humor in the lives of literally hundreds of thousands of people. His joy faith and enthusiasm for life shined through in so many ways. He had such an positive, upbeat way about him – just a great person to be around." That was truly Stan, Rotarian, cartoonist, GENTLEman and I am proud to say a friend of mine, and many other Rotarians.

One of the greatest gifts of being a Rotarian is the friends we make on our journey of service. I am truly grateful for the opportunity that has been given to me being able to meet and come to know people like Stan Burdick.

I must give thanks and credit to the Sun Community News and writer Keith Lobdell, Fred Carvin for his work writing and publishing our history. Thanks also to the Sun Community News for permission to use the photograph of Stan published as part of their fine article on May 15, 2016



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Polio Plungers



**Preparing for Conference of Club's...are you registered?
Come join us for Peace, Love, Rotary!**



**So proud of our RYLA
students!**



Lake George Rotarians at their January Blue's Party





Shenendehowa Rotary

Winter OUTHOUSE RACES

A Fun Family Event

Saturday February 9, 2019, 1 pm

Southern Saratoga YMCA
1 Wall Street, Clifton Park, NY

FREE AND OPEN TO SPECTATORS

Food and Beverages Available
FEATURING OUR FAMOUS
OUTHOUSE CHILI DOGS



Git'er Done!

Build a Team

Build an Outhouse

Come Out and Race

First Prize: \$500

2nd Prize: \$400

3rd Prize: \$300

Best Themed Team \$200

Registration - \$125 per Team

Proceeds To Benefit Shenendehowa Rotary's
Outreach Programs

For Outhouse Race Details Visit: Shenrotary.org/outhouse-race

ROTARY
PRESENTS:

Capital Cabaret

Rotary
District 7190

Call for Talent

WHEN

THURSDAY, APRIL 18TH 2019 AT 6:00PM

WHERE

LUCKY STRIKE SOCIAL, CROSSGATES MALL

WHY

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR GLOBAL PEACE
AND HUMANITARIAN SERVICE
AND TO BRING TOGETHER LIKE-MINDED BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
LEADERS IN OUR COMMUNITY.

\$500

1ST PLACE PRIZE

\$250

2ND PLACE PRIZE

\$100

3RD PLACE PRIZE

SEND YOUR DROPBOX OR GOOGLE DRIVE LINK OF YOUR SUBMISSIONS TO:
ROTARY7190NEXTGEN@GMAIL.COM

SUBMISSIONS MUST BE 3 MINUTES OR LESS AND SENT NO LATER THAN FEB. 22ND 2019

THE ROTARY NEXT GEN FACEBOOK PAGE WILL BE UPDATED WITH MORE DETAILS AS THE EVENT DRAWS CLOSER.
ANY QUESTIONS, FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT TO OUR EVENT CO-CHAIRS:

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MARISA.MULTARI@YAHOO.COM

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WHITNEY.PANGBURN@GMAIL.COM