### **Rotary International - District 7120**





March 2020

# **Dave Hannan, District Governor**

Issue 9



Dave & Pam Hannan

CORONAVIRUS: Impact on Rotary

March 7, 2020

Dear Rotarians, Rotaractors, Interactors, and Friends of Rotary,

I am writing to you to inform you about Coronavirus, how this disease outbreak can impact your Rotary club, and what should be done to continue our mission of "Service Above Self" to our communities.

Coronavirus, or COVID-19, is a novel (new) respiratory virus which is rapidly spreading from its origin in Wuhan, China, to many parts of the world. It is likely to spread to our communities soon. The major concern is what appears to be a high mortality rate (2%-3%) as well as the ease of transmission from

person to person, while there is not an available vaccine or anti-viral medication for this disease.

Understand the terms VIRAL LOAD, ISOLATION, and REVERSE ISOLATION.

VIRAL LOAD is the number of a given virus strain that enters your body. Your immune system may effectively prevent symptoms if you are exposed to only a low number of these viruses, but a larger number may overwhelm your immune system and cause symptoms. Your goal should be to MINIMIZE the Viral Load you are exposed to.

ISOLATION is the process of placing a sick person in a separate environment so that people will not have physical contact with that sick person. This can be done through at home isolation with some diseases, while other disease cases must be isolated in a hospital.

REVERSE ISOLATION is the process of placing in isolation a person who does not have the infectious disease, but whose immune system is compromised by another disease which places that person at higher risk of getting the infectious disease and dying from it.

To reduce your personal risk of becoming infected, wash your hands frequently with soap or hand-sanitizer; clean countertops, desks, laptops, and doorknobs frequently; keep your hands away from your eyes, nose, and mouth; and reduce your close contact with other people. STOP the handshakes, hugs, and kisses that we often see at Rotary gatherings! I recommend a RIGHT ELBOW BUMP instead.

To reduce your risk of transmitting disease to others, stay home if you feel sick; sneeze or cough into your LEFT ELBOW; and use tissues to wipe eyes, nose, and mouth—once only, then dispose.

At this time, I recommend that Rotary clubs continue to meet as scheduled and to continue fundraising and community service projects. Those who have severe chronic medical conditions such as lung disease and immune deficiencies should be allowed to attend meetings by audio- or video-conference call.

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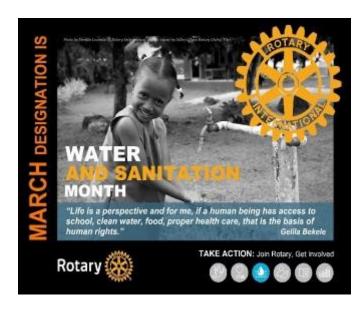
Our district is continuing plans for the Multi-District President-Elect Training Seminar in Syracuse on March 13-14, the District Training Assembly in Canandaigua on April 4, and the District Conference in Niagara Falls, NY on May 1-3. Rotary International has given District Governors the authority to postpone or cancel these mandatory training events if local circumstances dictate. Of course, if these events are canceled, your registration fees will be refunded.

Along with District Youth Exchange Chair Julie Carney, I am monitoring the status of our inbound and outbound youth exchange students. At this time, we are recommending that they stay in place, but will accommodate parents who request an early return home.

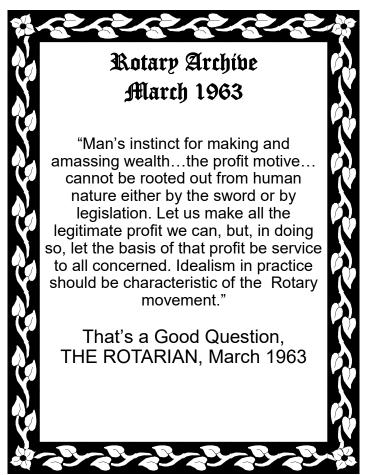
I am monitoring <a href="www.cdc.gov">www.cdc.gov</a> and <a href="www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/coronavirus/">www.health.ny.gov/diseases/communicable/coronavirus/</a> (These are very reliable, apolitical sources of information.)

Wishing you the best of health,

DG Dave Hannan







# What Is Literacy

Literacy is the ability to read, view, design, speak and listen in a way that allows you to communicate effectively. The power of literacy lies not just in the ability to read and write but rather in a person's capacity to apply these skills to effectively connect, interpret and discern the intricacies of the world in which they live.

Rotary connects the world. Attend the literacy breakout session at the District Training Assembly on 4/4 to share ideas on how your club is connecting your community and the world through literacy.

Literacy recognitions will be awarded at the district conference in May so please submit your criteria form by the due date of **March 31**. Those who attended the literacy seminar in September should have one. It is available on the district website as well and if necessary, you can contact Pam Dean at mesunshine1@msn.com for a copy.

(Submitted by Tracy Wooden)

All Rotary International Convention events are currently scheduled to take place at the Hawaii Convention Center (HCC) or Hilton Hawaiian

# **Program Highlights**

https://www.riconvention.org/en/honolulu/program-highlights

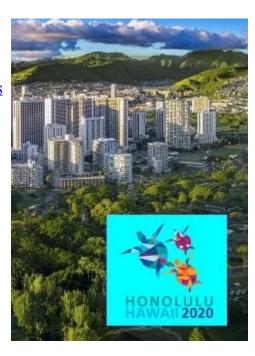
#### **Travel and Accommodations**

https://www.riconvention.org/en/honolulu/travel-and-accommodations

#### Register

https://www.riconvention.org/en/honolulu/register

**31 March 2020:** Last day for pre-registration discount





# District Training Assembly (DTA)

# Saturday, April 4, 2020, Canandaigua Academy

Have you registered yet? If you haven't, I encourage you to review the listing of the breakout sessions to see if one or more topics appeal to you.

### If you are a club officer, here are a few to select from:

2019-2020 Club Presidents

2020-2021 Club Presidents

2021-2022 Club Presidents

Secretary Training for new or not-so-new secretaries

Secretary Training for current secretaries who may have issues/questions about the expectations

Treasurer Training – what exactly are the expectations of this position? Find out.

Board of Directors Training – parliamentary rules, etc.

#### Are you the Chair or a member of your Club Membership Committee? Check these out:

Member Attraction, particularly, younger members

Member Engagement presented by a panel of club officers

Corporate Membership, presented by Clubs that currently have Corporate members.

#### How much do you know about the Rotary Foundation - OUR Foundation?

Rotary Foundation basics (3 repeat sessions)

Leaving Your Legacy, Endowment Fund Giving

Global Grants

#### How familiar are you with the 6 Youth Services Programs?

YE, New Generations, etc. (2 Repeat sessions)

Rotaract Club members sharing their experiences

#### Want to know some tips in increasing your Club's Public Image?

People of Action (2 continuing sessions)

#### Other topics of interest:

Digital Technology brings your club to the tech tools.

Council On Legislation

501 (C) (3) -Charity organizations – Learn from Clubs that are charitable organizations.

501 (C) (3) - Interested in making your club a charitable organization? Join this breakout session.

Strategic Planning – Find out how to bring your club to the next level.

Rotary Basics for **new** and long-term members

Unique fund-raising events – Find out what they are.

Club Harassment Policy - So you won't be "caught with your pants down".

The Fun parts of Rotary (Red Wings & RFE)

#### Service Project that does cost you little or no money!

Crutches for Africa

# Literacy-how is your club connecting with your community through literacy?

What does it take to be a Club or District Leader?

Club President or Governor John Hall/Mark Wyse

Assistant Governor Ralph Brandt

> REGISTER NOW! Check with your Club President or President Elect on how to proceed... (Submitted by PDG Norma Madayag-Reilly)



# Rotary



Rotary District 7120
Training Assembly
April 4, 2020



Canandaigua Academy 435 East Street Canandaigua, NY 14424

**District Training Assembly (DTA)** 





**Preliminary Schedule** 

# Registration Deadline is Extended to March 15, 2020

Register at

https://www.rotary7120.org/sitepage/district-training-assembly-(dta)







# **ROTARY DISTRICT 7120**

2020 District Training Assembly

Schedule of Events

TIME	EVENT	SPEAKER
7:30 - 8:25	Registration - Indoor Rotunda	
	Breakfast - Cafeteria	
8:30	Opening Session - Auditorium	
5 Mins	Call To Order	Janet Tenreiro
1 Min	Pledge of Allegiance	
1 Min	Invocation	
	Song -	
8:40	Welcoming Remarks:	
5 Mins	Canandaigua Rotary Club President	Daniel Kelley
5 Mins	Mayor Bob Palumbo	
8:50	Keynote Speakers:	
3 Mins		DG Dave Hannan
5 Mins	DG 2020 – 2021 - Theme	DGE Linda Kohl
10 Mins	Oratorical Contest Participant	
5 Mins	Breakout Session Announcements	PDG Norma Madayag-Reilly
9:15-9:30	Transition Time	mada jag rtem
9:30 - 10:20	Breakout Session One	
10:20 - 10:30	Transition Time	
10:30 - 11:20	Breakout Session Two	
11:20 - 11:30	Transition Time	
11:30 - 12:20	Breakout Session Three	
12:20 - 12:30	Transition Time	
12:30 - 12:45	Closing Session - Auditorium	
3 Mins	Call To Order and Announcements	Janet Tenreiro
5 Mins	DGE Closing Remarks	DGE Linda Kohl
7 Mins	Raffles and Auction Winners	c/o Janet Tenreiro
12:45 - 1:30	Lunch *	

\*A lunch is available in the School cafeteria. You may stay and enjoy the fellowship or take your lunch on the road. Drive Safely!

BREAKOUT SESSION 1 9:30 - 10:20		
Session One	Presenter(s)	Room
Club Presidents 2019-2020	DG Dave Hannan, Newark Rotary	
Share the insights, highlights, lessons learned as you con- tinue to lead your Club and as "Rotary Connects the World"		
Club Presidents 2020-2021	DGE Linda Kohl, Penfield Rotary	
Linda's leadership, guidance	and inspiration, review and	
Club VP's/PN's	DGN Janet Tenreiro, Canandaigua Rotary	
Council on Legislation	PDG Eric Parker, District Treasurer, Perry Rotary	
national. Find out what recen	egislative body of Rotary Inter- t changes this body has ap-	
Rotary Club Foundation/ nonprofit organization as a 501C3 corporation	Pittsford Rotary Rotar	
A Club Foundation is an answer to specific needs. Come and learn about the benefits and challenges of a Club Foundation, as experienced by a couple of local Rotary		
Rotary Foundation Basics	PDG Tom Rogers Chair District Rotary Foundation Canandaigua Rotary	
Attend to learn the basics of	The Rotary Foundation.	
Attracting New Members	"ROC City" Rotary members w/ Phil Sennett, President	
new! Today, the ROC City Ro	otary Club, the fastest growing	
that have grown their club. The later section of this session will include a time for all attendees to share ideas.		
Corporate Membership	Panelists: Helen Gormont, President, Greece Rotary Robert Hunt, PDG, Fairport Rotary Jaylene Steele, President, Bloomfield Rotary Lydia Archer, President- Elect, Bloomfield Rotary Drew Ashley, Honeoye- Falls-Mendon Rotary	
	Session One Club Presidents 2019-2020 Share the insights, highlights, tinue to lead your Club and at Club Presidents 2020-2021 Incoming Club Presidents pre Linda's leadership, guidance vote on the 2020-2021 District Club VP's/PN's Making the most of your PE's to add to your calendars, and Council on Legislation Council of Legislation is the leational. Find out what recenproved for the past two session Rotary Club Foundation as a 501C3 corporation A Club Foundation is an answand learn about the benefits a Foundation, as experienced to Clubs in the District. Rotary Foundation Basics Attend to learn the basics of Attracting New Members If you want new members, you new! Today, the ROC City Roclub in District 7120, shares shat have grown their club. The will include a time for all atternal	Session One Presenter(s)  Club Presidents 2019-2020  Share the insights, highlights, lessons learned as you continue to lead your Club and as "Rotary Connects the World"  Club Presidents 2020-2021  Incoming Club Presidents prepare for their year with DGE Linda's leadership, guidance and inspiration, review and vote on the 2020-2021 District Budget  Club VP's/PN's  DGN Janet Tenreiro, Canandaigua Rotary  Making the most of your PE Year. Things to plan for, dates to add to your calendars, and publications to watch for.  Council on Legislation  Council of Legislation is the legislative body of Rotary International. Find out what recent changes this body has approved for the past two sessions.  Rotary Club Foundation/ nonprofit organization as a 501C3 corporation  A Club Foundation is an answer to specific needs. Come and learn about the benefits and challenges of a Club Foundation, as experienced by a couple of local Rotary Clubs in the District.  Rotary Foundation  Basics  PDG Tom Rogers Chair District Rotary Foundation.  Attracting New Members  If you want new members, you might have to try something new! Today, the ROC City Rotary Club, the fastest growing club in District 7120, shares successful membership tactics that have grown their club. The later section of this session will include a time for all attendees to share ideas.  Panelists: Helen Gormont, President, Greece Rotary Robert Hunt, PDG, Fairport Rotary Jaylene Steele, President, Bloomfield Rotary Lydia Archer, President, Bloomfield Rotary Lydia Archer, President, Bloomfield Rotary Lydia Archer, President, Bloomfield Rotary Drew Ashley, Honeoye-

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BREAKOUT SESSION 1 (CONTINUED) 9:30 - 10:20			
Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)	
•	Corporate Membership (continued)	Moderators: PDG Mike Slovak, Bath Rotary DGND Ralph Brandt, Bloomfield Rotary	
1.8	An opportunity for corporations and similar entities to fulfill their civic/social responsibility while increasing the overall diversity in the Rotary club membership by bringing in a group of individuals from a wide cross- section of business, public and cultural institutions.		
1.9	Rotaract Clubs are our partners in service to the communitythe future Rotarians Rotaract Rotaract members: How are hear about their service projecould Rotary clubs help them		
1.10		Marc Kreuser, Assistant District Secretary Newark Rotary retaries review the basic duties/	
1.11	Revitalize your club to become BIGGER, BOLDER and BETTER with a "Strategic Plan" that works for everyone .  Is your club experience stale? Do you wish membership would grow? Is it difficult to make changes? If you answered yes to any of these questions, attend this session. Join us to discover the secrets of Strategic Redirection and the benefits your club will receive by hosting a Strategic Planning workshop.		
1.12	Unique Fund-Raising Events  Mollie Schilling, Prattsburgh Rotary Sandy & Gary Hubble, Honeoye Lake Rotary We not only raise funds but also enrich Rotary membership experience and have fun. Come and hear these fund- raising events from two Rotary Clubs of the District. You might just want to replicate them in your club		
1.13	Literacy Connects the World- How does your Club make that connec- tion? – A Round Table discussion A round table discussion with	District Literacy Committee members	
	clubs are doing to further literacy.		



	BREAKOUT SESSION 2	10:30 - 11:20		BREA	ŀ
Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)	. L	Topic	Į
	The Fun Parts of Rotary	PDG Roger Ressman, Spencerport Rotary Carl Grovanz, Past Pres., Ontario-Walworth Rotary		2.6	
	Local fun!!! Enjoy a Rotary D	ay at the Red Wingsmeet	$\vdash$		ł
	and make friends with fellow tary Clubs of the District and the ballpark.	Rotarians from the other Ro- their families and friends at		2.7	
2.1	Fun is traveling to different R	, ,	$\vdash$		ł
	world & staying with Rotarian	•			I
	their districts through their ey	0 0 0			I
	activities at less cost and mo	re safelymaking friendships			I
	that last long after the visit. A	•			I
	ans from other districts world				I
	ship Exchange. WHERE ARE				I
	NEAR FUTURE? Come to t		.		I
	Public Image - People of Action	Tom Brown, District Webmaster & Public Image Chair, Elmira Rotary		2.8	
2.2	Public Image: We will cover:				I
	matters; Our Rotary brand; The top 10 things you can do to enhance your club image in your community and looking at				I
	resources that will make your				I
	Rotary Basics: Life-long	PRID Jack Best, Penfield	١.		I
	friendships, Personal	Rotary			I
	Rewards, World-wide				I
	Service				I
2.3	A discussion on Rotary's stru				I
	the Foundation fits, training 8		$\vdash$		ł
	how to optimize your member ber? Not-so-new member?				I
	ARE ALL WELCOME to this				I
	Board of Directors	PDG Don Milton, Penfield	١.	2.9	Ì
	Training	Rotary		2.0	I
2.4		ponsibilities of the Club Board rocedures & Roberts Rules of			
	How to make your Rotary	Danielle Ridgely, Attorney	١.		I
	Club a nonprofit	Woods, Oviatt, Gilman, LLP			I
	organization?			2.10	l
2.5	The IRS 501-C-3 code				١
	Interested in exploring HOW	-	L		
	Foundation and be a nonprofit organization? This ses- sion is for you! This is an opportunity to learn and ask		Г	BREA	I
	questions on the "HOW".	ortunity to learn and ask	t	Topic	
	questions on the field.		_		4

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Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)	
	Rotary Foundation Basics	PDG Tom Rogers, DRFCC,	
	(REPEAT)	Canandaigua Rotary	
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	Digital Technology	Phil Sennett, President ROC	
2.7	0,	City Rotary	
2.1		achine by learning about tech	
	board collaboration, members	ewsletters, event registrations,	
	board collaboration, members		
		Panelists:	
		Tom Hawks, President,	
		Naples Rotary Jack Fredericks, Past	
		President, Naples Rotary	
		Mary Lawthers, President,	
		Geneva Rotary;	
		John Oughterson, Club	
		Membership Chair, Geneva	
	Membership Engagement	Don Cicchino, Past Pres. &	
2.8		Club Membership Chair,	
		Bloomfield Rotary	
		Kirk Vanderbilt, Past	
		President, Avon Rotary	
		Moderators:	
		Janet Tenreiro, DGN,	
		Canandaigua Rotary	
		Daniel Kelley, President,	
		Canandaigua Rotary	
	Once you have 'em, how do y	ou engage 'em, keep 'em and	
		e is valuable and meaningful?	
	A Comprehensive Look at	Julie Carney, District Youth	
	all Six Youth Services	Services Chair, Avon	
	offered by Rotary	Rotary	
2.9	An informative overview of the		
	maybe provided to youth in our district. Will cover New		
	Generations, Youth Exchange, Interact, RYLA, Rotaract &		
	Rotex. Come and learn how your club can start working		
	with youth, your club member		
	Club Secretary Training-	Karen Parkhurst, District	
	Addressing Current	Executive Secretary Victor-	
2.10	Issues & Questions Farmington Rotary		
	Club Secretaries - You know the basics but you have ques-		
	tions and/or concerns; i.e. when I have to add a transferring		
Rotarian, etc.			
BREAKOUT SESSION 2 (continued) 10:30 - 11:20			
Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)	
	"HOW" the District 7120	Bruco Amoy Ayon Rotory	

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	Rotarian, etc.	
BREA	KOUT SESSION 2 (continued)	10:30 - 11:20
Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)
	"HOW" the District 7120 Strategic Planning Team can help your Club to de- velop a Strategic Plan	Bruce Amey, Avon Rotary
2.11	If you fail to plan, are you planning to fail? This session way give you a look at the District 7120 process to facilitate you club in planning its future. This session demonstrates completing a Club Health Check and experience interpreting the data collected. Rotarians are "People of Action". Are you ready to ACT?	
2.12	Crutches for Africa	Richard Comins, Past Pres., Webster Rotary
2.12	Want to get your club involved not require money just you tim	d in a service project that does ne? Come to this session!
	Club President, Assistant Governor, District Gover- nor- What Does It Take?	PDG Mark Wyse, Ontario- Walworth Rotary PDG John Hall, Fairport Rotary DGDN Ralph Brandt, Bloom- field Rotary
2.13 Inquiring minds want to know! Do you ever wonder what takes to be a Club President? An Assistant Governor? H about District Governor? Come and satisfy your curiosity "According to researches, curiosity is more important tha intelligence". Come and find out eligibilities of Club and District leaders the preparation and training for the office etc.		Do you ever wonder what it An Assistant Governor? How le and satisfy your curiosity! iosity is more important than of Club and District leaders

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Topic	Session One	Presenter(s)	Room
	Endowment Funds	PDG Jeff Krans	
3.1		Penn Yan Rotary	
	Five easy ways to leave your		
	Public Image: "We are	Tom Brown, Chair, District	
	People of Action, and it's	Public Image & Webmaster	
	time to let the world	Elmira Rotary	
	knowstarting in our		
3.2	own community".		
	(Continued)		
	We will cover: Why your club Rotary brand; The top 10 thir		
	your club image in your com		
	sources that will make your jo		
	Community Collaboration		
	for Fund-Raising	Rotary	
3.3	How to identify & collaborate with community organizations		1
0.0	to increase the bottom line results, divide the job & split the		
	profits.		
	Creating a Positive/	Holly Kreuser, President,	
	Valuable/FUN Rotary	Newark Rotary	
	experiences	_	
3.4	One of the reasons why Rotary members stay in their clubs		1
		ositive, valuable and fun expe-	
	riences.		
		Todd Baxter, Sheriff,	
	Opioid Crisis: Monroe	Monroe County Sheriff's	
	County Sheriff's Depart-	Department	
	ment and Rotary Team	Ann Demers, Past Pres.	
	Up To Save Lives	Spencerport Rotary	
3.5	op to date lives	Dave Demers, Past Pres.	
		Spencerport Rotary	
	Learn about the stabilization of the largest epidemic of our		
	lifetime and Monroe County's education, enforcement and		
	recovery with their jail medical assisted therapy as part of		
	recovery. Some local Rotary clubs have assisted the Mon-		
	roe County Sheriff's Dept. in this battle to save lives.  Rotary Foundation		
	Basics	PDG Tom Rogers, DRFCC	
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	BREAKOUT SESSION 3 11:30 - 12:20		
Topic	Session One Presenter(s)		
3.7	Digital Technology - REPEAT	Phil Sennett	
3.7			
3.8	Membership Engagement (CONTINUED)	Panelists: Tom Hawks, President, Naples Rotary Jack Fredericks, Past Pres., Naples Rotary Mary Lawthers, President, Geneva Rotary; John Oughterson, Club Membership Chair, Geneva Rotary Don Cicchino, Past Pres. & Chair, Club Membership, Bloomfield Rotary Kirk Vanderbilt, Past Pres., Avon Rotary Moderators: Janet Tenreiro, DGN, Canandaigua Rotary Daniel Kelley, President, Canandaigua Rotary	
	Once you got 'em, how do you ensure their Rotary experience A Comprehensive Look at all Six Youth Services of-	engage 'em, keep 'em and	
3.9	fered by Rotary (CONTINUED)	Services Chair, Avon	
3.6	A Comprehensive look at the six Youth Services of- fered by Rotary		
3.10	Club Treasurer Training	PDG Eric Parker, District Treasurer, Perry Rotary Selected club treasurer(s)	
	Treasurer Training		
3.11	Club Harassment Policy	DG Dave Hannan, Newark Rotary	
	Don't get caught with your pants down.		
3.12	A Service Project: Crutch- es for Africa (REPEAT) Learn how your club could join not cost you money. Just your		
3.13	Global Grants- Nuts & Bolts & Updates	Karen Parkhurst, Executive District Secretary Victor- Farmington Rotary	
	Come and learn the nuts and bolts on Global Grants. You may even hear about current Global Grants going on in Dis- trict 7120 and join in.		

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Join 2019-2020 DG Dave & Pam Hannan

May 1-3, 2020

Sheraton at the Falls, Niagara Falls, NY











Please join Governor Dave and Pam Hannan at the 2020 District Conference to be held at The Conference & Event Center, Niagara Falls, New York.



We will stay at the Sheraton Niagara Falls, across from the conference center and a short walk to Niagara Falls and Seneca Niagara Casino. Visit the Cave of Winds, take a Maid of the Mist boat tour (NOTE:Tours are dependent on ice conditions in the river) or go up the Niagara Falls Observation Tower.

There is so much to see and do nearby! Visit the Visitor's Center at https://www.niagarafallsusa.com/planning-tools/official-visitor-center/

Here is how to attend the 2020 District Conference:

- 1. The conference registration fee is \$195 per participant. Register for the conference by clicking this link **(preferred)**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION or download this document for a registration form:
- 2. Pay for the conference using PAYPAL, for a secure transaction.

Go to the **Conference Website** and use the PAYPAL "Buy Now" Button.

or by mailing a check, made payable to "Newark Rotary Club" for \$195/registrant to: P.O. Box 374, Newark, NY 14513

- 3. Make your hotel reservation by March 30, 2020 to lock in the group rate of \$180 per night (including taxes and fees): <a href="HOTEL RESERVATION">HOTEL RESERVATION</a> or by calling (716) 285-3361 and ask for the Rotary District 7120 Conference group rate.
- 4. Drive to Niagara Falls, New York. We look forward to seeing you at the conference!





# **Looking For A Foundation Program?**

PDG Jeff Krans

Our Foundation subcommittee on the endowment has been active this spring making presentations on Rotary's endowment to six clubs and answering questions from more. Our purpose is strictly educational. Clubs are surprised when we visit and the first thing we do is congratulate them on their overall historical giving to the Foundation with a tag line: And no one is asking you to dig into your wallet today!

It has been interesting to field questions as we make our presentations. People are asking about grants, Paul Harris recognition for endowment gifts, options for steering an endowment commitment to one or another of the areas of focus for grants or polio eradication, using an IRA to make a tax free gift, and many other subjects. One person said, somewhat facetiously, "wish I could get a \$1,000 plus return for a \$25,000 investment" and was surprised to learn Rotary could do that for him with a Charitable Gift Annuity!

At any rate, our presentation turns out to be a good introduction to the Rotary Foundation in general and many members appreciated the opportunity to get some questions answered! Any club interested in a presentation can contact someone on our committee and we will be happy to oblige! The members and their contact information is as follows:

Beth Cross, Rochester Rotary, bcross@songbirdresearch.com, 585-737-0579

Chuck Turner, Brighton Rotary, <a href="mailto:chamarturner@rochester.rr.com">chamarturner@rochester.rr.com</a>, 585-271-8597

Jeff Krans, Penn Yan Rotary, jkrans228@gmail.com, 315-536-7180

Jim Barletta, Rush Henrietta Rotary, jfb@leglergroup.com, 585-455-6506

Nancy Loughlin, Watkins Montour Rotary, <a href="mailto:nkloughlin@gmail.com">nkloughlin@gmail.com</a>, 607-425-4530

Pete Winnett, Corning Rotary, winnettp@jgua.com, 607-936-3785

# **District Competitions, Awards & Contests**

This is a listing of all the competitions, awards, and contests for District 7120.

Club Achievement Award - see next page

Deadline March 28, 2020

Club Website Contest -

Deadline April 9, 2020

Club Facebook Page Contest - **Deadline** April 9, 2020

Rotary Citation 2019-2020 -

Deadline August 15, 2020

(For Rotary Clubs, Rotaract Clubs, & Interact Clubs)





# Club Achievement Awards NOMINATION FORM



Name of Rotary Club: Number of Members: (as of March 15)
Title of Project:
Avenue of Service: (you <u>MUST</u> circle or underline the one and only one that best applies to the project listed)  You may submit only one project per category. You may not submit any project submitted last year.  Club Service Community Service Vocational Service International Service Youth Services
<ul> <li>Club Service focuses on making clubs strong. A thriving club is anchored by strong relationships and an active membership development plan.</li> <li>Vocational Service calls on every Rotarian to work with integrity and contribute their expertise to the problems and needs of society.</li> <li>Community Service encourages every Rotarian to find ways to improve the quality of life for people in their communities and to serve the public interest.</li> <li>International Service exemplifies our global reach in promoting peace and understanding. We support this service avenue by sponsoring or volunteering on international projects, seeking partners abroad, and more.</li> <li>Youth Service recognizes the importance of empowering youth and young professionals through leadership development programs such as Rotaract, Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Rotary Youth Exchange.</li> </ul>
1. Give a brief description of the project.
<ul><li>2. Who and how many benefited from the Project?</li><li>3. Describe how the Club found out about this Project. What actions did the members take to accomplish this Project, besides raising funds for the project?</li></ul>
4. How many Club Members were involved in the non-fund-raising activities related to the accomplishment of the Project?
5. Was there community involvement? Describe the type of community involvement.
6. When was the Project completed and how much did the Project cost?
Prepared/submitted by:
NOTE: Only the information on this form will be considered.

Do NOT send supplementary materials as they will not be considered.

You may send your submissions/nominations via e-mail: ellenhughes13-14@rochester.rr.com by no later than 5:00 pm March 28. Or, you may send your nominations via regular mail postmarked No Later Than March 25 to:

Ellen Hughes 2461 Brewer Rd. Waterloo, NY 13165

NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Submissions that do not follow the requirements will be disqualified.



The District Membership Development Committee is please to welcome and congratulate the following new members/transfers for February 2020:

#### February

Nancy Stelnyk Canandaigua

Kassandra Rose Clifton Springs

Nicola Redanty & Kelley Swagler East Rochester

Andrew Spreter Fairport

Joseph Santini Mt. Morris

Jacklyn Cotter, Jeanne Salisbury,

Paul Salisbury & Deborah Stoep Newark

Joseph Siracuse & Andrew Walden Ontario-Walworth

Jeff Crawford Pal-Mac

Michael Ansaldi & Mark Mahatcke Pittsford

Alyssa Bruno & Stephenie Monroe Watkins-Montour

Blake Apsokardu Wellsville

Please note that the above is based on reports found on the District Website.

THANK YOU DISTRICT ROTARIANS FOR MAKING A "BIG DIFFERENCE"

IN THE LIVES OF OTHERS BOTH LOCALLY AND BEYOND. ROTARY DOES

"CONNECT THE WORLD".

(Submitted by Gary Reilly)

March 2020



# **District 7120 Oratorical Contest 2020**

15 February, 2020 Finger Lakes Community College Canandaigua, New York

On February 15th, 2020 eight Juniors came to FLCC to compete for twelve college scholarships, or a cash prize, with a speech based on the Rotary Four Way Test and how each student planned to use this in their future lives.

There were also eight other contestants sponsored by Brighton Rotary, Avon Rotary, Latino Rotary, Red Jacket Rotary and the Ontario-Walworth Rotary Clubs.

In addition to Public School applicants this year there were two charter school applicants, two home-schooled applicants and one Rotary Exchange Student.

I want to thank all the Rotary Clubs that sponsored students as well as the two Rotary Clubs that organized and supported the semifinals in Naples and Brighton.

This is an example of Service Above Self.

Public Speaking is a learned skill that will benefit these students for life.



The eight finalists from left to right:

7120 District Governor Dave Hannan Lejla Zoornic, Penfield, Grace Pietak, Penfield, Abigail Christo-pher, Red Jacket, Julia Ross-McGuire, Ontario Walworth, Andrew Dudley, Bloomfield, Gurharparit Kuar Mand, Geneva, Anna Bova, Seneca Falls, Areen Zia, Ontario Walworth, and Oratorical Chair-man Don Collins

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Right: First place winner Abigail Christopher enjoys a quiet conversation with District Governor Dave Hannan after the contest.



# **Oratorical Contest**

### The Winners

From left to right: Abigail Christopher, Red Jacket, First place Grace Pietak, Penfield, Second place Andrew Dudley, Bloomfield, Third place Areen Zia, Walworth-Ontario, Fourth place



Left: Dr Robert K. Nye, Ph.D., President of FLCC, addressed the contestants during the opening ceremonies.

The District 7120 Oratorical Contest committee expresses their gratitude to Finger Lakes Community College and Dr. Nye for hosting this year's finals.

Article by Don Collins, Contest Chair Photos Dick Stearns



# Rotary District #7120 Change Over Dinner

June 27, 2020 Saturday

4:00 pm- Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres

4:20 pm- Tour of ARTISANworks

5:30 pm- Buffet Dinner, Coffee & Dessert



DGE Linda Kohl Penfield Rotary Club

ARTISANWorks 565 Blossom Road Rochester, NY 14610 \$50.00 per attendee



Reservations online or by check, go to: Penfield Rotary to register Penfield Rotary Club PO Box 28, Penfield, NY 14526

Questions?

Marie Cinti at

mariecinti@gmail.com

**RSVP** by June 20th

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# RED WINGS ROTARY DAY!



# ROTARY DISTRICT 7120

Rochester Red Wings vs. Charlotte Knights Saturday, July 25, 2020 @ 6:05pm Baseball Cap Giveaway, RPO Concert, & Fireworks!



Ticket orders must be received by the Red Wings no later than July 24. All tickets will be mailed to the address below if received by July 17. Any other orders received will be left at Will Call.

Game Ticket @ \$8.00	(\$2 off day of game price) =	\$
Name:	Club:	
Address:	Phone Number:	
City, State, Zip:	CC Number:	
Email Address:	Expiration Date:	Security Code:

Return to: Rochester Red Wings

Attn: Rotary Day
One Morrie Silver Way
Rochester, NY 14608

Please make checks payable to: Rochester Community Baseball

# District 7120 Golf Tournament & Fellowship Event



You are cordially invited to attend the annual District 7120 Golf Tournament

# Friday, September 11, 2020

Golf & Banquet will be at Island Oaks Golf Course at Lima Country Club

Early Bird Rate: \$80 11:00 Registration After July 15th: \$85 12:00 Shotgun Start

Scramble Format

Cost includes 18 Holes, Cart & Hot Dog lunch and buffet dinner
There will be prizes and additional competitions... stay tuned for more details
Gather your foursome and plan on a great day supporting our District's initiatives

Tournament Contacts: Kirk Vanderbilt kevanderbilt@gmail.com Tom Vonglis tvonglis@hurritech.com

# SHIFT YOUR ROTARY CLUB FROM AVERAGE TO EXTRAORDINARY with a STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKSHOP

Do you dream of your Rotary Club being known as the premier service organization in your community? Would you like to retain and attract more members to your Rotary club?

You can achieve all this and more when you discover the value and importance of an effective Strategic Plan. These concepts have helped many clubs grow membership and become a sought-after leader in their community.



Making a commitment to keep or regain vibrancy within your Rotary Club is the beginning



of an attitude mind-shift that will allow your club to transform the results of its efforts from average to EXTRAORDINARY.

A well-designed strategic plan allows the club to more effectively use its budget dollars, member's skills and community resources to make a positive difference locally and internationally. The process sets the stage for continued strategic visioning and organizational growth development.

Here are a few comments from participants of the D7120 Strategic Planning Workshop.

- This is the best seminar workshop I've experienced in my 42 years in Rotary!
- Learning how to strategically plan to grow our club was amazing. It is a process, not a race! Once we had the guidelines, and under the direction of our facilitators, we actually discovered our strengths, our threats, and more.
- The highly engaging and interactive style helped our club focus with a clearer lens on areas for opportunities for growth in our club.
- The process was just what we feel our club needs. This was time well spent and will help insure the future of our club. Thank you sooooooooooooooo much.
- This workshop was extremely valuable and kept on schedule. It is allowing us to take a realistic look at our club.
- This workshop is essential if a club wants to improve.

For more information or to schedule a workshop for your Rotary Club, contact ...

PDG Bill Gormont, billgormont1@gmail.com, 585-802-6813 (M)

PDG Scott MacDonell, smacdone@rochester.rr.com, 585-281-3324 (M)



#### filled with fun! The guests enjoyed a New Orleans inspired dinner, prepared by Chairperson David Gratzer and Chris Manos, a friend of Rotary. The dinner included

Waving Hands for

Copy: Rochester Deaf Rotary hosted their first annual Mardi

Saturday, February 29th. It was

Mardi Gras!

Gras night,

Rotary. The dinner included King's Cake, tooa true tradition for Mardi Gras!
There was a Masquerade
Contest, and also
Dingo Games with cash prizes!
It was wonderful to see all those dressed up in Mardi Gras attire. We look forward to next year for more Mardi Gras fun!

Photos by Bob Green and article by Michele Randall (Rochester Deaf Rotary)

# Canandaigua Rotary Inducts New Member



At a recent meeting the Canandaigua Rotary Club inducted its newest member Jim Simmons. He has worked for Canandaigua Academy for about 20 years and is the Athletic Director, and is married to Becky Simmons.

Pictured are Jim's sponsor Joe DelForte on the left and Club President Dan Kelley on the right.

(Submitted by Jack Kellogg)



# Canandaigua Rotary Club Pulls Together for the Spot

At a recent first Friday the Canandaigua Rotary Club gathered at Edie O'Brien's and collected non-peanut snack items for the Spot. The Spot is a program that supports school kids that can't afford backpacks, snacks etc. Pictured L-R are Janet Tenreiro, Erin Burns, Donna Cator, Kim Tenreiro, Marty Potter, Dan Kelley, Mary Green, Mike Schiller, Peter Mulvaney, Bonnie and Mark Vahey. (Submitted by Jack Kellogg)



# Honeoye Lake Rotary

A new community service project has been undertaken by the Honeoye Lake Rotary Club. We have decided to contribute to the Honeoye Lake's Food Pantry distributions by adding 30 Easter baskets to the items given out for the holiday. Members donated their Happy Dollars to fund this endeavor and Sandy Hubble was able to shop for enough fun things to make interesting and colorful for the families to enjoy. A group of Rotarians then gathered at Sandy's house to put the baskets together and Don Fox food pantry coordinator, picked them up to give out on April 4<sup>th</sup>.



Thanks to Sandy, Brent and Kerri Ames, Linda Evenski and Elaine Ackroyd-Kelly for taking time to ensure the baskets were ready to hop to the pantry.

(Submitted by Jeanne Hamele)



# Rochester Latino Rotary

The Rochester Latino Rotary Club supports community-led activities that provide children an outlet for having fun and let kids just be kids. Every year the club sponsors a team on the Rochester Hispanic Youth Baseball League. This past year the club sponsored the Blue Jays and they had an excellent season!

The club looks forward to sponsoring a new team in Spring 2020.

(Submitted by Jazmin Ruiz)





# # 1417 The Rotary Club of Valladolid, Mexico recently presented a pla contribution

Linda Werts, Past President of the Newark Rotary Club recently visited Valladolid, Mexico and received a plaque from the Rotary Club of Valladolid on behalf of the Rotary Club of Newark in recognition and appreciation for their valuable contributions to the "Agua Saludable" (Healthy Water) program for the installation of purified water drinking fountains in rural schools within their District. (Submitted by John Zornow)





# Avon Rotary Partyman Catering Outreach Program

On February 22, Avon Rotarians joined by families and friends participated in the Partyman Catering Outreach Program. In a little over an hour volunteers packed 12,000 meals that will be donated and distributed to area food pantries. Many thanks to those Rotarians that participated in this hands-on project! Submitted by Mike Ford



Photo: Front Row— Trinity Sandle, Marcia Cameron, Bruce Amey, Katie DeGraff, Mike Ford Standing—TJ Vonglis, Reed Vonglis, Janis McMindes, Archer Vonglis, Lena Antkowiak, Jean Antkowiak, Rachel Allen, Julie Carney, Rob Lupisella, Carolyn Lupisella, Jeanine Lupisella, Quinn Ford, Leann Hill, Steve Csapo, Rhonda Hirschler, Kevin VanAllen, Lisa Csapo

# Avon Rotary Celebrates Valentine's

On February 11, Avon Rotarians enjoyed the annual Sweethearts dinner, recognizing Valentine's Day. We had a delicious buffet thanks to the Avon Inn. Shannon arranged the entertainment and had 3 Rotary couples compete for pride, not prize in the "How Well Do You Know Your Spouse Game." Many thanks to the Antkowiak's, VanAllen's and DeGraff's for participating. Throughout the evening the ever popular "Then & Now" slideshow provided a nostalgic look at our couples on their wedding day and now. Most importantly, our very own Avon Interact Club held a dessert auction. The students really stepped up their game! The desserts were abundant, creative and beautiful! Thank you to the generous Rotarians who bid on and won desserts. The Interact Club raised \$970 and plan to donate back to the community. This event is very important for our 'future Rotarians'! Submitted by Laurie Vonglis

Photo: Bruce Amey, Dessert Auctioneer & Ella Vanderbilt, Interact Vice President





### **Honeoye Lake Rotary**

#### STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR DECEMBER, JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

It is always a pleasure to recognize our HCS high school juniors as our Students of the Month. These students are selected by their teachers and are very active in and out of school.



For December, we recognized Audrey Gillette. Audrey participates in cross country, indoor and outdoor track, French Club, Explorations Club, Youth to Youth and Art Club. She also enjoys fundraisers and community service opportunities. Outside of school she likes camping, skiing and bicycling with her family. She enjoys traveling and reading as she can learn about different cultures and use her imagination. College is in her future plans as she is interested in Mathematics, Physical Therapy or Industrial Design.

Our Student of the Month for January was Clay Battle. Clay enjoys cross country indoor and Outdoor Track and is a member of the National Honor Society. Outside of school he enjoys freestyle Skiing and the Blue Mt. Cross Country Camp as he loves to run. Clay is looking forward to earning his Bachelor's degree in Science, English or History.



February's honoree was Rylie Weston. Rylie is very active in clubs at school – Art Club, Youth to Youth, Student

Council and being president of her class keep Rylie quite busy. She also participates in Soccer, Cheerleading and Softball. Rylie loves community service and can be found ringing the bell for the Salvation Army, working with the Portraiture Project at Quail Summit and helping at the Holiday Bazaar. She works at Mill Creek and babysits as well. Child-life or ASL are of interest to Rylie in her college plans. There is also the possibility Rylie

will choose YE after she graduates.

Congratulations to all three of our winter Students of the Month. Special congratulations go to their parents as well. Without their hard work, these students would not be the young adults they are.

(Submitted by Jeanne Hamele)



## Red Jacket Rotary helps out at Hoops for Hope.



Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> was the annual Hoops for Hope event at Red Jacket Schools. Hoops for Hope is observed every spring across the country. It is a fund-raising event designed to assist a local individual, or individuals, fighting cancer and also to support cancer research. After paying the referees for the day, scholarships for kids that can't afford to register for travel basketball, and insurance, the rest of the proceeds are distributed locally at the discretion of the event sponsor. Income is generated by food concessions, entry fees for the players, a raffle, there were over 50 items this year, and T-shirt sales.

This year's recipient, Jennifer Ayers, is fighting cancer for the second time and already spent 110 days in the hospital last year alone. She received \$3359 from the event proceeds. Another \$4000 was given to the Sands Cancer Center in Canandaigua. Sands is a part of F. F. Thompson Memorial Hospital which is in the U of R Health Care Network.

Twenty teams from around the area participated this year. Red Jacket Rotary donated and cooked all the hot dogs, hamburgers, and sausages, as well as the rolls, for the day. There was also a wide variety of foods provided by community members and parents to supplement the hot off the grill offerings.

Our crew is seen huddling around the grill on this sunny but cool day. (Submitted by Dick Stearns)

# Greece Rotary Paul Harris Presentations

Greece Rotary recently celebrated two new Paul Harris upgrade recipients.



John Bansbach, (left) a 29 year member received a PH+1upgrade and Pam Leathersich,(center), a 19 year member was presented a PH+4 upgrade.

The presentations were officiated by Greece Past President Al Meilutis, who gave an overview of the importance of our continued support of the Rotary Foundation.

(Submitted by Judie Van Bramer)





# **Fairport Rotary**

On February 10<sup>th</sup>, our dynamic Fairport Interact Club, guided by Rotarians Ruth Cronkwright and Hunter Fuerbacher, coordinated a fun-filled meeting, complete with a Valentine's Sweets live auction and a participatory game of the Family Feud variety. Monies raised from the sale of baked goods were donated to Humans for Education (HFE). HFE, founded in 2015, helps schools in Kenya build small businesses, such as the buying and selling of livestock, which, in turn, affords the schools the ability to meet their financial needs and ensure longevity. Just \$200 helps a school buy 1 small cow to support their school.





Our 12<sup>th</sup> annual Savor The Flavor fundraiser, which took place on Sunday, March 1st at Eagle Vale Golf and Country Club, was again a big success, thanks to an all-club effort. The event continues to be the cornerstone fundraising effort for our club. We are very grateful for the support of our sponsors, vendors and attendees, including local officials and many members of area Rotary clubs.

(Submitted by Kareen V. Zeitounzian)

Rochester Democrat & Chronicle (D&C) Executive Editor, Mike Kilian, joined our club in February to provide insight into the current state of newsprint. Mike is a Fairport native and the first locally born Executive Editor of the D&C since Joseph T. Adams, who ran the newspaper from 1939-1941. Mike was appointed a year ago, in January.



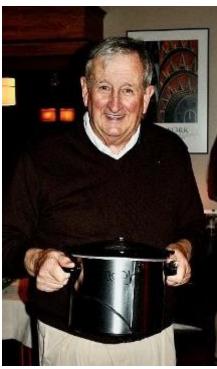


# **Penn Yan Rotary Club**

# **Governor-Elect Hospitality Program**

Penn Yan Rotary Club participated in the Governor-Elect Hospitality Program in January. Rotarian Rob Schwarting hosted a welcoming party at his home as Governor-Elects made their way to the International Assembly in San Diego. (Submitted by Laura Henderson)











# **Penn Yan Rotary Club**

# **Annual Foundation Party**

Penn Yan Rotary Club's Annual Foundation Party Open House was held in February at the home of Rotarian, Sue Andersen. Good food and company were enjoyed by all who attended and generous donations adorned the Foundation "giving tree." Also, at the event, Rotarian Bob Shrader was recognized as a Paul Harris Fellow for the second time. (Submitted by Laura Henderson)







# **Fairport Rotary Club**

Our Fairport Rotary Club was pleased to induct John B. Baynes into our club on March 9, 2020. John serves as a Monroe County Legislature (18<sup>th</sup> District) and teacher at Our Lady of Mercy School for Young Women. He is pictured here with our President, Becky Wilson and President-Elect, Mark Fuerbacher.

(Submitted by Kareen V. Zeitounzian)

### **Victor- Farmington Rotary**



A Victor – Farmington Rotary Club special dinner meeting in February was the occasion for a formal presentation of a 2018-2019 Presidential Citation award to the club by PDG Mike Slovak. District Governor David Hannan joined PDG Slovak and District Governor Nominee Janet Tenreiro in making the presentation. Club president Ross Cottone accepted the award and thanked all the club members for their efforts that contributed to the award.

The award recognized the club's performance in promoting (A) Support & Strengthening the club; (B) Humanitarian Service; and, (C) Enhancing public Image. (Submitted by Dave Luitweiler)

L to - R – Governor David Hannan – PDG Mike Slovak – Past President Ross Cottone – DGE Janet Tenreiro



L – to R – V-F Rotarians Ross Cottone, Bonnie Cottone, Bruce Chapman, Dave Luitweiler, Judy Luitweiler and Bev Rosbrook



 $\label{eq:Lindblad} L \ to \ R-Joe \ Zimmerman \ (Fishers), \ V-F \ Rotarian \ Kim \ Yourch \ and \ Honorary \ V-F \ Rotarian \ Tom \ Yourch \ -volunteer \ workers$ 



Bruce Chapman on stage.

The Victor – Farmington Rotary Club continued a decades-long tradition of supporting the Monsignor Schnacky Community Players who annually produce a musical/comedy production over three consecutive weekends in January/February. The amateur theatrical group involves several Rotarians in their talented company. Bloomfield Rotarian Travis Piper and wife Kathy were founders of the group that has been in existence since 1982.

Victor – Farmington Rotarian Bruce Chapman has long been a prominent member of the cast, usually in a comedy role. This year's comedy production, "Way Out West in a Dress", and was well-received by the large crowds that attended the performance at Saint Catherine of Sienna's Church Hall in Mendon. Victor – Farmington Rotarians attended performances for both the opening and closing weekends.

(Submitted by Dave Luitweiler)



# Roc City Rotary:

#### **Community Involvement**

**February 1st:** One of our members, <u>Stephanie Thomas</u> is a Howard Hanna real estate agent and hosted a First Time Home Buying Seminar at Ox and stone. We hosted approximately 30 potential buyers. Stephanie walked through the first steps of buying a home, special programs available to first time buyers and even offered connections to mortgage and financing contacts.

**February 10th:** The Ronald McDonald House here in Rochester, is a home-away-from-home for patients and their families of the Golisano Children's Hospital. Families from all over the country are able to stay there for free while their family members undergo life saving treatment and procedures. After long days and nights at the hospital, you can image the last thing parents want to do is fix a meal. That's where we come in. Roc City Rotary held make your own taco night for approximately 60 guests, that night.

**February 22nd:** A small army of Rotarians headed out to the Special Olympics winter games at the Rochester Riverside Convention Center. Our team was tasked to be side-line cheer leaders, which was a natural fit for this crew! Towards the end of the day we helped tear down and pack up some of the equipment.

**February 25th:** Established in 1952, Open Door Mission works to provide for the spiritual and physical needs of the impoverished and homeless men, women, and children of our city, Rochester. 5 of us were able to make dinner for guests at the Open Door Mission.



**February 29th:** One of our members, Mary-Ammielle Nichols is a managed at M&T Bank. Mary co-hosted a Personal Finance Seminar with our club to cover topics such as budgeting, building credit, and saving for retirement.



Open Door Mission

#### **Rotary Relations**

February 18th: 30 to 40 of us showed up for our club's February meeting! At this meeting, we reviewed all the events that took place in January and announced the remaining line up of events for the month. Our club collected personal care items, for the Greece Crisis Center. Finally, our in-service meeting project centered around the simple idea that even the smallest message at just the right moment can change someone's entire day, outlook, life! So we made kindness rocks that are scattered and hidden around the city of Rochester. Each of the rocks we made have #RocCityRotary written on the back, so if you find one let us know!

(Submitted by Julie Zink)





# Dundee Rotary Presents Paul Harris Fellowship

Dundee Rotary was pleased to honor non-Rotarian Brittany Gibson with the Paul Harris Fellowship on February 12th. DG Dave Hannan was on hand to present the award. Brittany was honored for her selfless community service, exemplifying the Rotary motto of Service Above Self.

Brittany is the leader of Team Charlie, a 501-C-3 organization, that was formed by her family following the tragic death of her 10-year old nephew. Team Charlie, with Brittany's able leadership, continues to raise funds to do many good works that benefit the residents of the Dundee area. Brittany also serves as the Vice-Chairman of the Dundee Central School Board.

(Submitted by Lauren Snyder)







# Friendship Rotary Presents Paul Harris Fellow +2

Sue Strickley received a Paul Harris Plus 2 pin from Past District Governor, Mike Slovick, at the Friendship Rotary Club meeting, January 30, 2020.

The award was presented in honor of her Community Service to Friendship, NY.

(Submitted by Shirley Levernier)



# Dundee Rotary Awards PHF to Past President Caryl Sutterby



Caryl Sutterby is the newest Paul Harris Fellow honored by the Dundee Rotary Club. Caryl, a prime example of the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self", is not only a Past - President of the Dundee Rotary Club, but also the Our Town Rocks (a community-based health improvement initiative) Coordinator, Town of Starkey Councilperson, Village of Dundee and County Planning Board member (just to mention a few of her community commitments.) Caryl's ceremony was attended by many family members, as well as friends from Schuyler County where she was very active in community service prior to working in Dundee full-time. Speakers at the ceremony included Caryl's husband, Jim, fellow Rotarian, Robyn Ballard, Our Town Rocks and Reads Coordinator, Taylor Howell, and Town of Starkey Supervisor, George Lawson.

Rotary District Governor, David Hannan presented Caryl with the Paul Harris certificate and pin and spoke about the meaning of the Paul Harris Fellowship. Assistant District Governor Jim Dickson was also in attendance.

(Submitted by Lauren Snyder)





# Newark Rotary

The Newark club recently added four new members to their roster. Paul and Jeanne Salisbury now retired and married over 55 years. Their sponsor was Past President Frank All.

Deborah Stoep, a Lyons, N.Y. resident and Executive Director of Care Net of Wayne County was sponsored by Past President Linda Werts Jacklyn Cotter of Canandaigua is Executive Director of Habitat for Humanity of Wayne County and also sponsored by Linda Werts.

Photo: Linda Werts, Deborah Stoep, Jacklyn Cotter, membership chair Donna Johnson, Paul Salisbury, Jeanne Salisbury, Frank All. (Submitted by John Zornow)



# **Clifton Springs Rotary**



On Feb. 4 the Clifton Springs Rotary Club proudly inducted Kassandra Rose as its' newest member.

Kassandra is from Wolcott and recently began working at Community Bank, N. A. in Clifton Springs as Retail Branch Assistant. "Kass" says she joined Rotary because she wants to get to know her new community and would like to give back and serve the best she can. Rotary affords her that opportunity.

Pictured L-R with "Kass" at her induction are her sponsor Theresa Dorgan, club secretary; Vivian Ryan, club president; and Scott MacDonell, club membership chair.

(Submitted by PDG Scott MacDonell)





# Dansville Rotary

Dansville Rotary President presenting a \$2,000 check to Tara Coffey of Noyes Health Director of Home Safe program.

Money was secured thru a simplified grant by the club. The grant will be used to support the Home Safe Home program run by

Noyes Hospital. This program provides home improvements; such as shower bars, entrance ramps, etc. (Submitted by Jon Shay)

# **Dansville Rotary Inducts New Member**

Sponsor Peter Vogt, new member Marissa Shay, Membership chair Dorothy Hotchkiss and Club President Nancy Nice inducting Marissa into the Dansville club. (Submitted by Jon Shay)



# Dundee Rotary Holds Peace Essay Contest for 6<sup>th</sup> graders

On February 26th three 6th grade students from Dundee Central School read their winning Peace Essays to the members of the Dundee Rotary Club. Each essay described the student's thoughts about peace in the home, in the school, and in the world. All three essays were extremely well-written and conveyed a depth of understanding about the importance of peace in all aspects of our lives.



Judging of the essays was done by the 6<sup>th</sup> grade teachers at DCS. The Peace Essay contest was created by former Rotarian Don McIlvride, father of current member, Bill McIlvride.

Pictured are Rotarian and DCS Superintendent Kelly Houck, 2nd place winner Eli Raplee, 3rd place winner Jasmine Dixon, 1st place winner Marley Duffy, and Elementary Principal, Laurie Hopkins-Halbert.

Each of the students was accompanied to the meeting by family members and each received a monetary award for their excellent work. (Submitted by Lauren Snyder)



# **Red Jacket Rotary**

Matt Schaertl is seen here with President Tom at our February 18<sup>th</sup> meeting. Matt has rejoined Red Jacket Rotary as an active member. Several years ago Matt had to leave our Club due to family and professional responsibilities.

Welcome back, Matt.

(Submitted by Dick Stearns)



# Rush Henrietta Rotary

The RH Rotary gathered for their monthly meeting and a community service project.







They helped pack birthday bag for the RH Food Terminal.
The RH Rotary has been volunteering at many different events to help this great organization.

(Submitted by Steve S. Synesael)

# Perry Rotary

Perry Rotary Club was invited to the High School to see what the school has done with the new STEM wing . Students explained what they were doing with 3D printers, hydroponic drones, etc. (Submitted by Daryl Heiby)





# **Spencerport Rotary**

Another Busy Month for Spencerport Rotary!

Governor Elect Mark Humprey and his wife Linda recently visited District 7120 from Melbourne, Australia and were hosted by Past Presidents Dave and Ann DeMers. The club hosted a dinner for the Humpreys where Mark gave a presentation about his district in Melbourne.



Also in February, the Spencerport Rotary Club celebrated Valentine's Day with a special evening at A Gust of Sun Winery. Spouses



and prospective members attended, along with special guest Dolly Kujawa from Camp Haccamo. In addition to great food catered by Rotarian Steve Enos, the night featured a Chocolate Exchange and the "Elder Dating Game". Three couples competed and answered questions to see how much they really know about their spouse! The 3 daring couples - Roger and Barb Ressman and Joe and Lee Marasco and the winners, Kosmos and Michele Mihalitsas.

Each year, the Spencerport based non-profit Anna's Wish collects and donates Christmas gifts to children suffering from cancer. Volunteers choose and buy hundreds of gifts that then need to be wrapped and delivered. So lots of gift wrapping paper is needed. PDG Roger Ressman coordinated an effort to collect and donate rolls of wrapping paper, needed for Christmas 2020. Over 100 rolls were given to Anna's Wish founder Jeff McKinney. Way to go Rotary!

(Submitted by Colleen Farley)







# **Greece Rotary**

Greece Rotarians were introduced to the exciting field of Robotics at a recent meeting, as members of the Greece High Schools team visited the Club. The students are members of the Greece Gladiators Robotics Team, with a mission of giving the students a chance to obtain experience working with technology as a team to achieve a common goal. The end result....a robot that is taken into competition with teams from throughout the country at the FIRST( for Inspiration & Recognition of Science & Technology) Robotics competition. Rotarians not only met the students and their coordinator but the Robot in its earliest stage of creation. (Submitted by Judie VanBramer)

Shown top - The Robot bottom l-r are Dylan Tompkins, Emilia Galleli, Jada Gonzalez and Maressa Ranaletta (coordinator).



#### BATH ROTARIAN OF THE MONTH AWARD

Jane Russell, 2019 – 2020 Bath Rotary Club President, reinstituted the Bath Rotarian of the Month Award which Elaine Tears, 2016 – 2017 Bath Rotary Club President, had premiered during her term. The recipient receives a framed certificate recognizing the Rotarian's outstanding service to the Bath Rotary Club, the community of Bath, and/or the world during a specific month. It further exemplifies the Rotarian's dedication to the yearly Rotary International theme.



At the presentation of the certificate during one of the club's weekly, luncheon meetings Tears and Russell both announced specifically what the Rotarian had done to be worthy of the monthly award. A picture of the presentation was taken and was sent to the local newspapers along with the recipient's outstanding service for the month as well as any or all of the following: date of induction into Rotary; other participation/involvement with Rotary, including offices held; awards received, especially Paul Harris Award, including information about this prestigious award; position/title at place of employment; prior employment, including position/ title; if retired, year of retirement and position/ title at place of retirement; educational background; other organizations, including offices held, to which recipient belongs; personal interests and/or hobbies; names of immediate family members and any information regarding such if recipient wants to include; a quote from the recipient regarding his/her affiliation with Rotary and specifically receiving the Rotarian of the Month Award: quote from the club president regarding why the recipient was chosen; some basic information about Rotary. The press releases allow the community of Bath and surrounding communities to learn about the service of not only the selected recipient but the club itself and Rotary International.

When Tears initiated the monthly award, she stated, "I plan to recognize monthly those Bath Rotarians who have excelled in their service to our club, our community, and/or the world. As a retired educator, I remember well how students felt when they were recognized for outstanding academic achievement and/or accomplishments in sports, music, art, or other extracurricular activities. I believe adults also deserve and humbly appreciate such recognition."

The recipients for 2016 – 2017 were: Mike Slovak, July; Stanley Bhasker, August; Carol Berry, September; Joanne Sheehan, October; Vicki Anderson, November; Nancy Latour, December; Jane Russell, January; Al Johnson, February; Joél Brazie, March; June Bates, April; Becky Stranges, May; Bernie Burns, June; Bill White, Rotarian of the Year.

The recipients for 2019 – 2020 so far this year are: Amanda Chafee, August; Elaine Tears, September; Mike Slovak, October; Jessica Thomas, December; Bill White, January.

At a recent meeting of the club's Board of Directors Mike Slovak, Bath Rotarian and Past District Governor, suggested that an article be submitted to the Grapevine News regarding this monthly award in anticipation that other district clubs might consider recognizing individual members in a similar fashion.

Please feel free to use the 2016 – 2017 certificate submitted with this article if your club or club president chooses to present a Rotarian of the Month Award. Of course, you would have to change the Rotary International theme for the appropriate year, including the logo at the top of the certificate, and change the year of theme.

(Submitted by Elaine Tears)



# Canandaigua Rotary Valentines for Vets

At a recent meeting of the Canandaigua Rotary Club Valentines for Veterans were made for veterans at the local VA Hospital.

Left to right are Tim Reed, Sandy Reed, Ken Poole, Marty Potter, Janet Tenreiro (front), Karen Sprentall, Don Raw, Bill Namestnik, and George Herren.

(Submitted by Jack Kellogg)

# **Corning Rotary to Host 20<sup>th</sup> Annual International Evening**



https://corning-ny-rotary.mybigcommerce.com/

the Radisson Hotel Corning or online at

To add to the international spirit of the evening, organizers encourage attendees to dress in fashions of their native country or country of ancestry. According to the organizers, last year's event raised over \$16,000, and all funds raised from the event benefit Rotary humanitarian projects and emergency disaster relief efforts around the world.

The Rotary Club of Corning will host its 20th annual International Evening on Saturday, March 14, 2020, 5:30 p.m. at the Radisson Hotel Corning. The popular event features international cuisine, silent and live auctions,

entertainment, dancing and more. Attendees will also have the opportunity to

Tickets are \$75 per person and \$700 for a table of 10, and can be purchased at

enter a raffle to win the Grand Prize of an 11-inch Apple® iPad Pro.

Christine Sharkey, 2020 Corning Rotary International Evening Honorary Chair and President of Corning Enterprises.

(Submitted by Theodore Goldwyn)



#### IMAGINE YOUR COMMUNITY WITHOUT A ROTARY CLUB

In order to increase the awareness of the impact that the Bath Rotary Club has on the community of Bath and surrounding communities, promotional ads are placed monthly in the local newspaper which is delivered free-of-charge to all residents of Bath and surrounding communities. The club also hopes that the ads serve as an incentive for community members to consider joining Rotary.

The information for the ads represent a specific project, activity, or event of the club for the month or the Rotary International theme of the month.

The idea for the promotional ads was presented to Elaine Tears, Bath Rotary Club Public Relations Chair, by Bath Rotarian Larry Bates, a former member of the Hammondsport Rotary Club which had run similar ads in the past. Tears presented the idea to the local club's Board of Directors which suggested that club members might be willing to pay for a monthly ad instead of using club funds. Individual Rotarians indeed were eager to pay for the monthly charge. Possibly your local newspaper will publish the ads at no charge.

Many Rotarians have received positive comments from community members who have seen the promotional ads as well as read numerous other press releases about the local club and its members. They have also expressed much gratitude to the local club for all that it does for those in need and for the entire community itself as well as the world.

Keeping in the Rotary tradition of "borrowing" ideas from other clubs, the first six ads of this Rotary year are submitted with this article if your club wishes to try this unique idea of promoting Rotary in your community.

(Submitted by Elaine Tears)

#### DID YOU KNOW?



That the Bath Rotary Club provided items for Turning Points' Back-to-School Supply Drive

Imagine Bath - Without the Bath Rotary Club

## DID YOU KNOW .....



That the Bath Rotary Club donates funds for the Greater Bath Area Thanksgiving Project?

Imagine Bath - Without the Bath Rotary Club

#### DID YOU KNOW .....



That the Bath Rotary Club serves as an advisor to the Haverling Interact Club?

Imagine Bath - Without the Bath Rotary Club

#### DID YOU KNOW .....



That the Bath Rotary Club donates funds for the eradication of polio worldwide?

Imagine Bath - Without the Bath Rotary Club

## DID YOU KNOW .....



That the Bath Rotary Club donated funds to Turning Point for holiday food baskets and gifts for those in need?

Imagine Bath – Without the Bath Rotary Club

#### DID YOU KNOW .....



That the Bath Rotary Club helps build goodwill and peace in Bath and throughout the world?

Imagine Bath - Without the Bath Rotary Club



# Geneva Rotary



Geneva Rotary President-Elect Dave Cook has instituted a new program into weekly club meetings. Called the "Five-Minute Speakers," the program features two club members talking about each other so that the other club members get to know more about their fellow Rotarians. Recently, Palma Fratto Evans and Scott Avedisian were the five-minute speakers. The two selected are encouraged to get together and learn about each other before the club meeting. The program is very popular. (Submitted by Phil Beckley)

# Rush Henrietta Rotary

The 25th Annual RH Rotary Pasta Dinner was a huge success Sunday! Thanks for all who came out to support the club, thanks to all who volunteered, thanks to all who donated to the event! We served 500 meals! (Submited by Steve Synesael)











# Red Jacket Rotary Mourns the Death of Jeff Bliss.

Jeff Bliss, an honorary member of Red Jacket Rotary, passed away suddenly early Sunday morning, March 1<sup>st</sup>. Jeff took over the operation of Bliss Shurfine Food Mart in Manchester when his father passed away a few years ago. The Bliss family has been a longtime supporter of Red Jacket Rotary.

Jeff's father, Gary Bliss, was a charter member of our Club and was instrumental in our assuming the operation of one of the primary food concessions at the annual Pageant of Steam show. Bliss Shurfine has been our Club's primary supplier ever since Gary got us started at the Pageant.

Red Jacket Rotary extends their condolences and sympathy to the Bliss family.

(Submtted by Dick Stearns)

Jeff Bliss with his wife Becky and younger son Evan helping out at the Pageant of Steam.

# Jim Taylor

Jim Taylor, long time Caledonia-Mumford Rotarian, died peacefully on November 29, 2019 after a short illness while surrounded by family. He was proud to have reached his ninth decade like his mother and grandmother before him. He was predeceased by his parents Austin and Lena, his brother George, and his loving wife of 48 years, Evelyn. Jim, as everyone knew him, is survived by his brother Don (Grace), children Nancy (Travis), Barbara (Rod), and Matthew (Meredith), and grandchildren Alec, Nick, Aidan, Cuyler, Kinzie, Brynna, Austin, Adelaide, Holland Kate, and Hayes. Jim had many nieces and nephews as well. He greatly enjoyed having nieces Annie Turner and Alice Barefoot at the house every school day for many years. He was grateful to be able to stay in his home until his last illness with help from Helen and Fred Dole, Lisa and Scott Barefoot, and Sue Carlock. Jim had many friends who made his days bright in his later years: Don and Ruthie Coyle, Robert and Pat Hassett, Bill Carr, Jimmy Husted, George Crawford, Dave Nusbickel, and Chris Wood. The family gives thanks to all the people who supported him as things got more challenging: Craig Howe, Cathy Davis, Sharleen Carnes, Sandy Bickford, Martha Keenan, Molly Coyle, and Laurie Trayhen. Finally, thanks to Charlie and Phyllis Hackett who introduced Jim and Evelyn many years ago.

Jim was born in 1929, shortly after the start of the Great Depression. He grew up learning the values of family, supporting each other in the community, and being thrifty with money. He lived these values throughout his life. Jim and Evelyn found each other later in life and it was clear to all they were soulmates. They worked hard to ensure their children were able to go to college and to help them when needed after that with advice, and a hand to fix or install something. Jim drove a long haul truck for many years, and at one point had the only phone in his neighborhood. Good neighbor that he was, he left his door unlocked so his neighbors could use the phone. Jim was a lifelong learner and people would remark to him that he should go on Jeopardy because he ALWAYS knew the final answer. He taught his children to think and that they could figure out just about anything if they tried and so they have. Jim gave up his trucking business to be more available for his family in the mid 1970's and taught himself all the trades: plumbing, heating, electrical, air conditioning and even some general contracting. He could be counted on for good service, a fair price, and if you were so inclined, a visit before he left. Jim was a dedicated member of the community, making sure the churches in Caledonia all had heat on Sunday mornings for many years. At an age when many people are slowing down, he became an active Rotarian and spent many weekends working the roller skating parties in town. He was honored as a Paul Harris Fellow and for his lifetime achievement in Rotary. At the time of his death, he was a proud and active member of the Genesee Valley Rotary Camp Board of Directors, a camp for children with challenges. Jim's message to the world was more about what he did than what he said and he leaves a fine legacy for us all of generosity, quiet dignity, and service to others.

Plans for a service will be shared at a future date. Donations may be made in Jim's honor to the Genesee Valley Rotary Camp: GVRC c/o Ernie Wiard, 15 Halbar Road, Avon NY 14414. (Submitted by Vicky Vorhauer)



# Penn Yan Rotary Club

# Rotary Forest – Penn Yan's District Simplified Grant

Trees have been deeply rooted in Rotary's history, starting with Paul P. Harris, founder of Rotary. Harris established the planting of a tree as a Rotary custom in the United States and throughout the world, known as the "trees of friendship." At the suggestion of Harris, Sydney W. Pascall, Europe's first president of Rotary International planted trees along his journey of 60,000 miles as he visited Rotary Clubs around the world. "Let us hope that our active pursuit of friendship among the nations may be fitly symbolized by these trees," said Pascall. The Rotary tradition of planting trees was adopted by clubs globally and locally, and even grew into reforestation efforts in many locations throughout the years. In 1926, the Rotary Club of Penn Yan acquired 10 acres "for the purpose of demonstrating reforestation of waste or idle lands in Yates County," according to Club and property records. The land was planted with red pine and Norway spruce, likely during the 1930 to 40s, through the efforts of Penn Yan Rotarians, the local Boy and Girl Scout Troops, and the Izaak Walton League.

Eighty years later, the plantation is starting to show normal signs of aging and where pines and spruce have come down over the years, hardwoods have become established in the openings, which is part of the natural pattern of forest succession. However, in these openings, invasive species also established and spread throughout the woodlot. Invasive species can alter the food web in an ecosystem by destroying or replacing native food sources, providing little to no food or habitat value for wildlife. Invasive species can also alter the abundance or diversity of species, reducing overall biodiversity. Additionally, some invasive species can change the conditions in an ecosystem, such soil chemistry. Dense populations or monocultures of invasive species are also breeding grounds for ticks, which pose a threat to human health.

The Penn Yan Rotary Club, as the caretakers of the Forest, applied for DSG funds to aide in restoration efforts. Grant funds will be used towards professional management of invasive species present in the forest including Oriental bittersweet and European buckthorn. Long-term restoration efforts seek to restore overall health and accessibility to the forest that will increase the environmental benefits provided to the community, including clean air and water, and storm water management. Additionally, making the forest accessible to the community will provide social benefits including opportunities for recreation and leisure, a tranquil place for relaxation, as well as the many other social and therapeutic benefits of forests.

Management of aggressive and difficult to manage invasive species in the woodlot will be performed by a local forest consulting company and are expected to occur within the next few months. Further management of other invasive species that can be controlled by hand pulling and other mechanical means will be performed by Penn Yan Rotarians and hopefully other enthusiastic volunteers!

(Submitted by Laura Henderson)

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# DISTRICT CALENDAR CLUB EVENT SUBMISSION FORM

There are two ways to get your club event onto the District Calendar.

1) If your club is using Club Runner use this link:

<u>https://www.clubrunnersupport.com/article/1044-how-do-i-create-an-event-in-event-planner</u> for instruction on how to add your event. Be sure to click Yes on the 'Show Event in District Calendar' option.

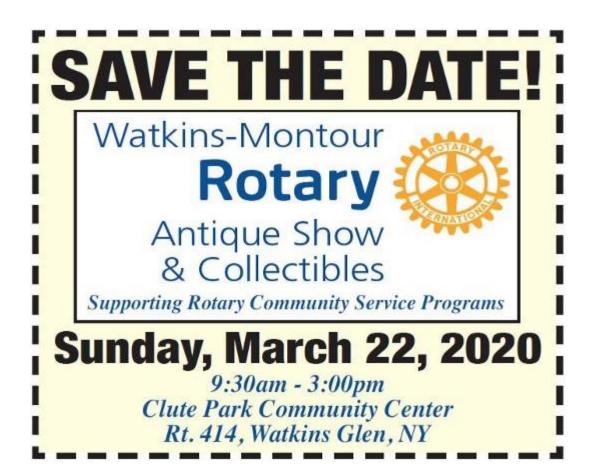
2) If your club does not use Club Runner, go to the District Home Page: https://rotary7120.org/

And under Calendar, chose

Pubs & Reports + Calendar + Contact Us

Submit Event ( docx)

**Download** the form, complete it and submit it to the District Calendar Coordinator.





# Spencerport Rotary Club

Sunday March 15, 2020

Continuous Serving Noon - 5 PM Adults \$9, Under 5 Free

# **American Legion Post**

Trimmer Road, Spencerport 14559

# Join us for Raffles & Door Prizes

Proceeds to disabled children & community projects in Spencerport

Tickets available from a Rotarian or call Joe at 585-355 -1052 or Colleen Farley at 585-489-0333

Check to be sent to Spencerport Rotary P.O. Box 274, Spencerport, NY 14559



# Penfield Rotary Spring 2020 Charity Event

# Euchre 🖈 💛 \_\_\_\_\_ Tournament

# Sunday, March 15, 2020

Check in and registration open at 2:00 pm. Start time: 2:30 pm ...

#### Location:

The Legacy at 40 Willow Pond Way, Penfield (off route 441, 1.2 miles east of Five Mile Line Road)

## Tickets:

S20 per person if purchased by March 14 • S25 the day of the event

Admission includes water, coffee and snacks. Other beverages and pizza will be available for purchase before and during games.

Prizes awarded to the top 10 players based on scores from eight games.

# Over \$1,000 in prizes!

including \$425 in cash

\$200 for 1st 💙 \$125 for 2nd

\$100 for 3rd

All proceeds will benefit Camp Haccamo, a place for children and adults with a wide range of disabilities, and other Penfield Rotary Programs



# Buy your tickets early to insure your seat.



The tournament is limited to 100 players!

In Person - Visit Family First Credit Union (2520 Browncroft Blvd. Office Only) - Any Penfield Rotarian

Online - Online at www.penfieldrotary.org

By Mail - You may mail a check postmarked by March 9, payable to: Penfield Rotary Club P.O. Box 28 Penfield, NY 14526 Your tickets will be at the registration table.

By Phone - No later than March 14

#### Tickets or information:

9 am - 5 pm: Call Charlie Bellomo 585-381-8889

> 6 - 9 pm: Call Bill Pethick 585-388-8546



Your tickets will be at the registration table.









Penfield Rotary thanks Family First Credit Union for printing the tournament fliers.



# WAYLAND ROTARY BREWS CRUISE



March 21, 2020

\$100 Includes:

The Cruise, Tastings, Snacks, Door Prize And T-Shirt Bus Leaves at 10:45 From Behind Wayland Fire Hall

We'll Be Cruising To:
Hollerhorn Distilling
Brews & Brats
Other Half Brewing
Rising Storm
Battle Street Brewery

Facebook Message Wayland Rotary or Call (585) 353-5284

# NEWARK ROTARY St. Patricks Day Pancake Breakfast

# Saturday, March 21

7:30 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. Newark High School Cafeteria

Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Muffins, Coffee, Milk







Bring the Family! \$7 Adult \$3 Children (3 years & under free)

# SILENT AUCTION

Proceeds to Benefit Newark Rotary Club Projects





# The 8th Annual Seneca Falls Rotary Chocolate Extravaganza with a Splash of Wine and a Dash of Art

Chocolate Tastings
Wine Tastings ~ Door Prizes
Chocolate Contest ~Artwork by Local Artists

# A Chocolate Lover's Paradise!

Saturday, March 28th~ 4 pm to 7 pm
\$20 per person

Waterloo Quality Inn (formerly the Holiday Inn)

Walk-ins Welcome!!

100% of proceeds benefit the local charities of Seneca Falls Rotary



# SPAGHETTI DINNER

Sponsored by the Clifton Springs Rotary Club



# Wednesday, April 1, 2020

4:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Clifton Springs Hospital Dining Rooms

Adults - \$9.00 Children under 12 - \$4.00 Children under 3 – Free

**Take-outs Available** 



Sat. April 4, 2020 8PM - Midnite Doors Open @ 6:30

Genesee River
Restaurant &
Reception Center
134 N. Main St
Mount Morris, NY



50/50 & Basket Raffles Limbo, Twist, Bubble Gum, Costume, Hula Hoop Contests Door Prize

Advance Sale Tickets Available at:

Genesee River Restaurant - Mount Morris Lanes - Burt's Lumber in Perry - Any MM Rotary Member or Call: Chris Howe @ 585-658-4708 or Jane O'Dell @ 585-507-5947

To Reserve Tables of 8 or 10 - Call Chickie @ 585-519-6573

All proceeds support Botary Community Projects



Ziti, Meatballs, Chicken Parm, Salad & Bread

Sunday, April 26, 2020 11:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Live King's Catering
Music Music 4031 Routes 5 & 20
Mike Yacci Trio 4031 Routes 5 & 20
Canandaigua

★Dine in and Make Your Own Sundae ★
at the Ice Cream Bar

Legal Beverages Available for Sale by King's Catering

Adults: \$12.00 • Children 5-12 Years: \$6.00 Take-Outs Available

Proceeds of Event Benefit Honor Flight & CA Academy Players

Tickets available at Lyons National Bank - 3225 East Lake Rd. Canandaigua National Bank - Canandaigua Locations,

email: rotaryfesta2020@gmail.com or from any Canandaigua Rotarian or at the door

# Cal-Mum Rotary Spring Raffle

Drawing at BBQ Sunday April 26 12 pm 'til gone

# pring

**Money Raffle** 

1st - \$250

2nd - \$100

3rd - \$50



Tickets \$5

Maximum 300 sold



Caledonia Marketplace Parking Lot

# Noon until gone!

Proceeds Support Rotary Youth Programs





# BLOOMFIELD ROTARY'S 26th ANNUAL



# TasteFest 2020

# Tastings, Farm Market & Silent Auction

# Tastings Include:

- NYS WINES & BEERS
- Baked Potato Bar
- Delicious hors d'oeuvres
- Flavored Coffees
- Honey/Maple Syrup
- Specialty Sauces
- Chocolate
- Mustards
- Desserts

Saturday, May 16, 2020 4:30 - 7:30 PM \$15 suggested donation **Veterans Park** 6910 Rt.5&20. Bloomfield

Proceeds benefit homeless and hungry children and families.

Wine & beer





# **Spencerport Rotary**

# Geranium Sale!



# **NEW! EXTENDED SALE DATES**

Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

May 16-17-18-19, 10:00am-3:00pm Or while supplies last!

**BAREFOOT LANDING PLAZA on Union St.** 

Colors: Red Pink White Lavender Salmon

1 @ \$3.75 3 @ \$11.00 6 @ \$19.00

SAVE! - Flat of 12 @ \$36

Newl - Filler plants will be available at sale site

Get the Colors You Want! Advance orders:
Call or text 585-489-0333 or email
colleen1031@yahoo.com
Or reach out to any Spencerport Rotary Club member

Partial proceeds from our sale will be donated to: K.A.T. Animal Shelter - <u>www.katshelter.com</u> and Rochester Hope for Pets - <u>www.rochesterhopeforpets.org</u>



We dedicate the annual Geranium Sale in memory of long time Rotarian, Geranium Sale Chairman and our beloved friend, George Blickwede

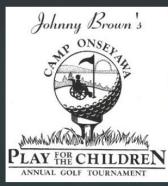




# SILVER CREEK GOLF CLUB

1790 E. River Road, Waterloo, NY 11:30am Registration, Lunch 1:00pm Shotgun Start, 6:00pm Dinner

# *Rotary*Camp ONSEYAWA



ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF

Tournament



"The mission of Rotary Camp ONSEYAWA is to provide a camping experience for 8-16 year old children with disabilities from the 4 county area, and to foster independence and acceptance of others through social, recreational and educational aspects of life."

The Play for the Children Golf Tournament raises money to provide these camp experiences.

For more information go to www.ONSEYAWA.org

JUNE 13<sup>th</sup>



Celebrating 31 years of Service Above Self



**Events sponsored by Gananda Rotary Club:** 



June 13 & 14, 2020

Throughout Gananda development



October 9, 10, 16, 17 & Oct. 23, 2020

Our regular club meetings are held at 6:00 pm on Mondays at the Log Cabin Restaurant

For more information,

www.facebook.com/ganandarotary, Web: ganandarotary.com email: ganandarotary@aol.com, or call (585) 739-9521

# **SAVE THE DATES**

July 10th-11th

Geneseo Rotary Summer Festival Village Park Entertainment, Food Vendors, Teddy Bear Parade, Sidewalk Sales, Petting Zoo, 50/50 raffle, etc.

Arts, Crafts, & Vendor Applications now available at

http://geneseorotary.com/20photos/20app.pdf









# HONEOYE LAKE ROTARY 36th ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

CONSIDERED THE BEST LTTLE TOURNAMENT FOR THE MONEY

# Monday, July 27, 2020, at 10:00 AM SHARP!

Registration starts at 9:00 AM with Reception/Dinner 4:30PM

FOUR PERSON SCRAMBLE - Island Oaks Course-Lima Country Club 7470 CHASE ROAD, LIMA, NY 14485

GREAT FUN!!! - GREAT PRIZES!!!

Proceeds To Benefit Honeoye Lake Rotary Community & Youth Projects, and support Camp ONSEYAWA

Please reserve a spot for us in the four-person scramble for the benefit of HONEOYE LAKE ROTARY COMMUNITY, YOUTH PROJECTS, & Camp ONSEYAWA.

Captain's Na	me: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Person
Address:	3 <sup>rd</sup> Person
	4 <sup>th</sup> Person
Email addres	SS
Check if	you do NOT have a foursome and would like us to assign you to one.
	ınch, Steak Dinner & 3 Raffle Tickets \$90.00 per person \$
Dinner Only.	\$25.00 per person \$
Make checks	payable to: <u>Honeoye Lake RotaryFoundation</u>
	eoye Lake Rotary, P.O. Box 674, Honeoye, NY 14471 by 7/20/2020
	.F HOLE SPONSORSHIP
	orporate-Patron @ \$150.00 each includes golf & dinner for 1 person
	ssociate – Eagle @ \$75.00 each
	ffiliate – Birdie @ \$50.00 each
	iend – Par @ \$25.00 each
	t enclosed: \$ Questions: Jeanne Hamele 585-729-9118 or
<u>innhamele@</u>	<u>aol.com</u>
Name to be used on sign:	



## **Upcoming DISTRICT Events**

# Check the District Calendar for additions and changes



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#### **Multi-District President Elect Training (PETS)**

Fri, Mar 13 - Sat Mar 14, 2020 Syracuse Sheraton 801 University Ave Syracuse, NY <u>Click Here to Register</u> (Remember, hotel registration is separate if you want to stay overnight).

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April 4th **District Training Assembly**, Canandaigua Academy, 435 East Street. **March 15** is deadline for registering.

April 30 Thursday 8:00am 2020 District Conference - D7120 - Niagara Falls, NY

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June 27 District Change Over Dinner ARTISANworks 565 Blossom Road Rochester, NY

#### September 2020

September 11 District Golf Tournament & Fellowship Event Island Oaks Golf Course Lima Country Club

## **Upcoming CLUB Events**

#### March 2020

March 15 Spencerport Rotary Annual Ziti Dinner, noon to 5pm. American Legion Post

March 15 Penfield Euchre Tournament 2:00 P.M. The Legacy at 40 Willow Pond Way

March 21 Wayland Rotary Brews Cruise, 10:45 am Meet behind Wayland Fire Hall, Tickets are \$100

March 21 Newark Rotary Pancake Breakfast, 7:30-noon Newark HS

March 22—Watkins Montour Rotary Antique Show and Collectibles, 9:30am to 3:00 pm, Watkins Glen

March 28 Seneca Falls Chocolate Extravaganza 4:00-7:00 P.M. Waterloo Quality Inn

March 29 Sunshine Campus Pancake Breakfast, 9am to noon, 809 Five Point Road, Rush

## **☼** April 2020

April 1 Clifton Springs Spaghetti Dinner 4:30-7:00pm

April 4 Mt. Morris Oldies but Goodies Dance 8pm—Midnight 134 N. Main St. Mount Morris

April 11 Hilton Rotary Easter Egg Hunt, 9 am Parma Town Hall, for children up to 10 years old, free

April 25 Rochester Latino Masquerade Ball, 6:30-11pm \$60 person.

April 26 Canandaigua Rotary Festa Italiana! 11:30 to 4:00pm 4031 Routes 5&20 Canandaigua

April 26 Cal-Mum Spring Raffle & Chicken BBQ Caledonia Marketplace

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May 16 Bloomfield TasteFest 4:30 to 7:30 Veterans Park Rt. 5&20 Bloomfield

May 16, 17, 18, 19 Spencerport Rotary Geranium Sale, Barefoot Landing Plaza

May 30 Avon Blue Jean Ball 6 to 11pm Oak Knolls Manor Calidonia

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June 13 Golf Tournament for Camp ONSEYAWA

June 13 & 14 Gananda Rotary Garage Sale

## **☼** July 2020

July 10-11 Geneseo Rotary Summer Festival, Village Park, Arts & Craft Show, entertainment, food vendors, etc

July 25 Red Wings Rotary Day, Frontier Field, 6:05 pm to 10pm

July 27 Honeoye Lake Rotary Golf Tournament, Island Oaks Golf Course

#### October 2020

October 9, 10, 16, 17, 23 Gananda Rotary Haunted Hayride



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