



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE



July 2017

Don Milton, District Governor

Issue 1



Ruth & Don Milton

I am humbled to serve as your District Governor this Rotary year of 2017-2018. To begin, I would like to recognize and congratulate our incoming class of club presidents. Further, I would also recognize their teams who will be charged with forging their plans for the new Rotary year, thus carrying on the rich tradition of those who came before them. District 7120 is in tremendous shape, largely due to the stellar work of our Immediate Past District Governor, Tom Rogers. He and his team did a fabulous job in celebrating and growing the Foundation during its 100th anniversary year.

As we begin this Rotary year, I would like to call your attention to Rotary International President Ian Riseley's call to action by asking a basic question, "What is Rotary?" He stated that we are everything an organization can aspire to be: member based, club based, service based and that we are everywhere. To quote President Ian, "Rotary is defined not by who we are, but by what we do....in meaningful and lasting service." This year, as we continue our work to improve peoples' lives, all governors have been charged with the task of allowing their clubs to define Rotary service for

themselves. For the first time in Rotary history there are changes coming that will give our clubs more latitude and flexibility, allowing them to decide how they will "meet, work and grow." To succeed in making any organization stronger and healthier, organizations need to know where they are going. Thus one of our missions is to have clubs develop meaningful strategic plans and goals. Plans that will yield sustainability of service and flow of leadership that develops and evolves from successful succession planning, if possible, longer than just one year out.

The International Assembly, which I had the privilege of attending in January, presented future governors many novel and exciting ideas. A new campaign featuring Rotarians as "People of Action" was introduced. It is generally understood that we are identified by our actions in our communities, truly making a difference through what we do best....SERVICE. Moving forward, Rotary International will request that all Districts more accurately measure all "time, talent and treasure," which will become part of an overall campaign to the public.

According to RI's Programs and Member Services, a new and improved Rotary Club Central should be making its debut this month. These are designed to meet your growing needs. The updated platform "will be more robust, with improved functions for goal reporting and a better user experience through faster, easier navigation. New features will include a modern interface, access on your mobile device, easy-to-read charts and graphs to present past and current club data, the ability to enter giving goals for The Rotary Foundation, an improved, simplified way to track service activity, easier access to data for viewing goal progress." All our clubs' current data will automatically be moved to the new platform. Rotary Club Central will continue to be an essential tool for all clubs to plan and track membership initiatives, service activities, and Foundation giving, in addition to goals specifically for the Rotary Citation.

Finally, a new District initiative that I recently announced to all President elects, a district wide campaign to address Child Poverty and Hunger. My intent, however, is to avoid duplicating or overlapping services. Ideally, I would like to create of a District

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wide committee, whose responsibility would be, initially, to conduct an assessment of child poverty in the areas of all clubs. Secondly to develop a catalog or inventory of services that currently exist. One of the outcomes may be the ability of Rotary to collaborate with these agencies, both governmental and private. One issue might be that cities and rural areas will probably have conflicting demands thus the need of developing a separate solution for cities and rural areas. Lastly, I could envision the District developing a pilot program to begin addressing this critical issue. What I have outlined is just the beginning. I look to all of you to determine the future of such an initiative.

And finally, as we begin this new Rotary year I would like to quote George Bernard Shaw, who said "you see things and say, 'Why?' But I dream things that never were; and I say 'Why not?'" I see us moving steadfastly to accomplish those dreams, working diligently to forge our Rotary year striving and pledging to constantly be "making a difference."

*DG Don*



District 1010 Scotland North will be sending a team of 5 couples to visit our district in the fall. The tentative dates are the first two weeks of October. If you are interested in hosting a couple, or possibly an individual based on their team composition, from Scotland this coming fall please contact D7120 RFE Chairperson Carl Grovanz - [cgrovanz@rochester.rr.com](mailto:cgrovanz@rochester.rr.com) - and let him know.

Future exchanges, both inbound and outbound, are being discussed with districts in Finland/Estonia (outbound in August of this year), South Africa, France, and Germany – with more to come.

Participation in a Rotary Friendship Exchange is a wonderful and fulfilling experience. Your horizons will almost certainly be expanded and it is common that life-long friendships are made.

Submitted by;

PDG Scott MacDonell  
RFE Scotland 2017 Team Leader



**August 20th to 26th**  
**Pike, New York**  
**[www.gvrc.org](http://www.gvrc.org)**

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR THE ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE



November 4, 2017 7:30 AM – 3:30 PM  
Canandaigua Inn on the Lake  
770 South Main Street  
Canandaigua, NY 14424

### TO REGISTER:

Go to [www.rlinea.org](http://www.rlinea.org)

Click on RLI Home page.

Look on the left side of the page with  
Upcoming Events title and scroll down till  
you find Canandaigua Inn on the Lake.

Click on course registration.

Fill out the form and special attention to the  
payment section.

Note to attendees: All payments must be  
received on the specified date to be included in  
the training.

This is a must event for current and future Rotary  
leaders!

It is a multidistrict leadership development  
program whose mission is to strengthen Rotary.

## From the District Membership Development Committee: *News you can use*

(Below is an **excerpt** from the May issue of **Rotary Leader**)

### SPREAD THE WORD TIPS FOR EFFECTIVELY TELLING ROTARY'S STORY

If you, your campaign, and your project are the world's best kept secret, you are not likely to have the impact you were hoping for or break any fundraising records.

**The Global Swimarathon and World's Greatest Meal** were successful fundraising efforts because they were incredibly visible and launched powerful campaigns that shared every milestone they reached.

The same holds true for promoting Rotary in general. At training events, RI Vice President Jennifer Jones frequently stresses the importance of sharing Rotary's story. "We are the greatest story never told," she says.

"Strengthening our brand is essential to Rotary's future."

"For so long we did our good work quietly and not for recognition," she adds. "While this was noble, it made it difficult for people to understand the good work of Rotarians and why we exist. What we've learned is that when we tell our story, like-minded people want to join us."

#### **What's the most effective way to tell Rotary's story?**

Here are some tips, gleaned from storytelling experts:

- Describe a transformation that took place or describe challenges that you overcame through Rotary to achieve a goal

- Include personal anecdotes, real-life examples, and stories that touch our emotions and grab our attention

- Strengthen a Rotary story by showing clear, compelling examples or demonstrations of Rotary's impact on your community

- Tailor your story to your audience. Know whether you are addressing people who are familiar with our organization or who know little about it.

- Avoid Rotary jargon or acronyms

- Keep it short enough to hold your audience's attention

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Find even more information about bringing out the power of your personal story in a column by Barbara Brotman in the April issue of **The Rotarian**.

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[www.rotary.org/newsletters](http://www.rotary.org/newsletters).

I hope that you find this article informational.

*Submitted by PDG Norma Madayag-Reilly, Chair  
District Membership Development Committee*

### Rotary unites more than a million people

Through Rotary clubs, people from all continents and cultures come together to exchange ideas, and form friendships and professional connections while making a difference in their backyards and around the world.

### We Transform Communities

We take action locally and globally

Each day, our members pour their passion, integrity, and intelligence into completing projects that have a lasting impact. We persevere until we deliver real, lasting solutions.

(Source. [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org))



## Save - a - Date

There are two dates set for the  
**District Membership Seminar**

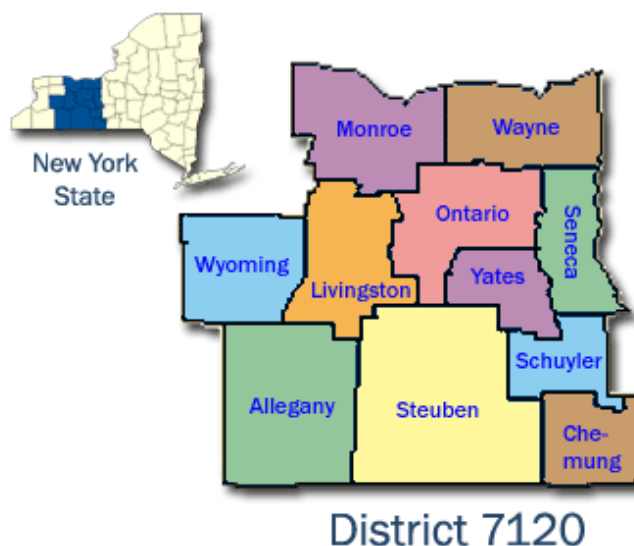
- Saturday, Sept. 16, 2017, Bath Location  
8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- Saturday, Sept. 30, 2017, Rochester location  
8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Seminar topics will be the same at both sites.

Watch for the August issue of the Grapevine  
for the Membership topics to be presented.

**Your club has a preferred topic to be presented at the Seminar?** Email the topic to PDG Norma at  
[leonora@frontiernet.net](mailto:leonora@frontiernet.net)  
no later than July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

THANK YOU!!!



## District Directors

Secretary—Karen Parkhurst

Asst. Secretary —Marc Kreuser

Treasurer—Wendy Friedman-Kolsin

Treasurer, Youth Exchange—Mark Wyse

Foundation Chair—Ellen Hughes

The complete Chart of District Organization  
members is available at.....

[https://portal.clubrunner.ca/50098/  
DistrictOrganizationChart](https://portal.clubrunner.ca/50098/DistrictOrganizationChart)

SAVE THE DATES May 4th-6th

2018 District Conference

Saratoga Springs, New York

Hotel Accommodations at

The Saratoga Hilton

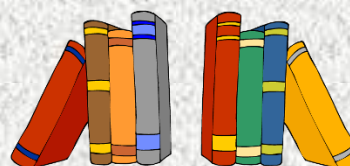
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## District Literacy Seminar

September 16th

9:00 am to 11:00 am

Place TBA



The District Membership Development Committee is pleased to welcome and congratulate the following new members/transfers for June 2017:

Nancy Stelnyk	Canandaigua
Melanie Degraw & Brian McConnell	Corning
Janet Martucio	Dansville
Toni Connors	Fairport
Florence Peterson	Geneseo
Neal Braman & Jessica Grant	Geneva
Ian Coyle, Steve Gerould, Steven Perrin, Roger Semmel & Stephen Woodruff	Livonia
Cathy Fields	Naples
James DeVolder & Sandra DeVolder	Newark
Michelle Putnam	Pen-Web
Philip "Duke" Argetsinger, Dena Carrigan & Lindsay Wickham	Watkins-Montour
Raymon Manginell	Webster

Please note that the above is based on reports found on the District 7120 Website. There may be more new members/transfers than the list shows due to some clubs registering directly with Rotary International and NOT with the District.

We encourage ALL CLUBS to register their new members/transfers with the District so that they can be recognized each month.

### Red Jacket Rotary June Meetings

Red Jacket Rotary Club breakfast meetings in June were "for the birds" and "deep in the Canal."

On June 6, Liz Magnanti, Manager of the Bird House on Monroe Ave. in Rochester, displayed and talked about just about every kind of bird house and feeder imaginable. It was both humorous and informative.

Then, later in June, Patty Payne took us on a pictorial journey into the Panama Canal. Patty's dad, long time Rotarian, George Payne, and her mom, Aliene, accompanied Patty on this amazing tour. (Submitted by Jeff Crawford)



Patty Payne with her parents, George and Aliene.



## SAVE THE DATE DISTRICT 7120 GOLF TOURNAMENT

To all District 7120 Rotarians, families and friends

**YOU ARE INVITED**

- WHAT:** District 7120 Golf Tournament
- WHERE:** Island Oaks Golf Course at Lima Country Club
- WHEN:** Friday, September 8, 2017; Registration at 12:00 noon, tee off at 1:00 P.M.
- FORMAT:** Scramble
- COST:** \$80.00 per person, includes golf, cart, hot dog lunch and dinner
- PRIZES:** "Best Dressed" Team  
Putting Contest  
"Overall" Lowest Score  
1<sup>st</sup> Place-Men's; Ladies; Mixed Team  
Longest Drive  
Nearest to the Pin  
In addition, a Paul Harris drawing for clubs w/at least a paid foursome

**Please note:** To be eligible to win first place, a team must have at least (3) registered players and finish the event.

**To register, please click on this link:** Go to <http://bit.ly/7120-Golf2017>. The deadline for registering and payment is August 25, 2017.

**NOTE:** Each Club is asked to donate a raffle item valued at \$25.00. Please bring the raffle item with you on the day of the tournament. **NO TIME TO SHOP? You may send a \$25.00 check, made payable to: District 7120 Golf Tournament and send it to Gary Reilly, 819 Moseley Road, Fairport, NY 14450, no later than August 23rd and he will do the shopping for your Club.**

**This year, the net proceeds will benefit DG Don's "child poverty/hunger initiative". Last year, the net proceeds, from this event, went to the Rotary Foundation.**

We always have a great time, so we encourage you to join us for this fun-filled afternoon of golf and fellowship!!!

Thank you,

Gary Reilly & Scott Healy, Co-Chairs



## Elmira Heights Junior Rotarians Donate to Clean Water Project

While studying water conservation, the third graders in Elmira Heights Cohen Elementary School learned many children in developing countries did not have access to clean water. The students wanted to help with this problem so they organized a fundraising project to bring clean water to children their own age.

This project was done in collaboration with **IThirst International** founded in 2009 by Elmira Heights residents Cynthia and David Pearson. The third graders raised over \$1000 which will provide 20 water filters to the Treasured Kids School in Uganda.



Cynthia Pearson of Ithirst International, receives the \$300 donation from the Elmira Heights Junior Rotarians for the Clean Water Access for Schools Project. (Submitted by Liz O'Brien)

## Rotary Exchange Info Shared at Festival



Rotarian Jan Montanye-Castillo and former outbound Rotary exchange student Thomas May were sharing info about Rotary Exchange Programs (inbound & outbound) at the July Geneseo Rotary Summer Festival. (Submitted by PP Tim Hayes)

## Elmira Heights Junior Rotarians Promote Literacy



The Elmira Heights Rotary Junior Rotarians participated in a Literacy activity with a Second-Grade class in Cohen Elementary. These second graders were doing a unit on writing letters. A suggestion was made for each student to have a "pen pal" to practice with by exchanging letters. The Junior Rotarians agreed to participate in this Literacy activity. Each Junior Rotarian was assigned a 2<sup>nd</sup> grader as their "pen pal." Once a month the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders wrote a letter to their specific Jr. Rotarian. The letters from the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders covered many topics and questions of interest. Questions and topics such as "Do you have brothers and sisters? What is your favorite TV show? , I like arithmetic and playing soccer" etc. The Jr. Rotarians would respond with a letter in language appropriate for the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. In May, the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders and Jr. Rotarians got together for picnic and had lunch with their very own "pen pal." The Jr. Rotarians indicated it was an enjoyable and rewarding experience interacting with the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. This unique Literacy activity between the Jr. Rotarians and 2<sup>nd</sup> graders demonstrates another successful strategy that promotes RI's goal to support Literacy for children and adults. (Submitted by Liz O'Brien)





## Monroe County South Rotary



### Rotary Day:

Monroe County South represented at the Rotary Day at the Redwings. Shown are members, friends and family including President Ebo Ocran, Secretary Amanda Hughes and Martina Ocran.

### Changeover dinner:

Monroe County South celebrated the Changeover Dinner on June 29, 2017.



Shown from left to right are Glenn Balch, Diana Balch, Deb Hughes, Skip Evon, Ray Ottman, Martina Ocran, President Ebo Ocran, Diane Argauer, Amanda Hughes, Bob Owens and Latoya Stanley. At this changeover dinner, Monroe County South honored fellow Rotarians Glenn and Diana Balch, Ray and Kay Ottman and Bob Olsen. (continued)

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### Atlanta:

90+ members from Rotary clubs in District 7120 attended the Rotary International Convention in Atlanta, GA. Many Rotarians gathered together at the "All Africa Breakfast" to listen to an address given by Rotary International President-Elect, Samuel F. Owori.



Shown 2nd from left to write are the following: President Ebo Ocran(Rotary Club of Monroe County South), District Governor (7120) Tom Rogers, Past President Peter A. Ocran(Accra East Rotary Club, Ghana) (Submitted by Lee Hughes)

## Fly-In Pancake Breakfast

Sunday August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 9am to 12pm



Located at Ledgeale Airpark,  
Eisenhower Dr. in Brockport  
(Off of Sweden Walker Rd., 1 road North of Colby St.)



Sponsored by Spencerport Rotary

With help from EAA Chapter 44



Proceeds benefit Camp Haccamo and Other Rotary Projects.

Adults.....	\$8.50
Kids 12-5.....	\$3.50
Kids 4 & Under.....	FREE

Come see aircraft, Brockport Fire Trucks, Monroe County Sheriff's Department Mounted Unit, Civil Air Patrol, and Antique Tractors from WNY Two Cylinder Club, The National Warplane Museum's C-47 Dakota/DC-3, Veteran of D-day!





## Red Jacket Rotary's Changeover Event

On Tuesday night, June 27, the Red Jacket Rotary Club held it's Change-over Event at the Canandaigua Sport's Center/Roseland Bowl. We had a wonderful dinner followed by many expressions of appreciation and the presentation of special awards. Jeff Crawford and Dick Stearns received their first Paul Harris Pins. Tom Neary was given a special recognition for courage. Many members were recognized for perfect attendance. President Jeff Crawford turned over the gavel to Travis Yates, who will serve as our president for 2017-2018. Highlights are reflected in the the following pictures, with outgoing President Jeff Crawford as presenter (Submitted by Jeff Crawford)



Heidi Guerrie received a swivel clock which honored her for excellence as our Program Coordinator.

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John Stoddard received a blue glass clock citing his excellent work as our Treasurer since 2014.



Pictured together, George Payne (with wife, Aliene) was given a Paul Harris pin plus three Sapphires and Don Collins (with wife, Linda) received a Paul Harris plus 5 Sapphires.



### LIVE MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

FRI. AUG 18<sup>TH</sup> 5P - 6:30P NATALE HARTER 7P - 11P LUCKY NUMBER  
SAT. AUG 19<sup>TH</sup> NOON - 3P TERRY BUCHWALD "ELVIS" 3:30P - 7:30P OFF THE WAGON  
8P - 11P 7DAYS 9:30P MUSICAL FIREWORKS SPONSORED BY McDONALDS OF MT. MORRIS

### AUGUST 18 - 20, 2017

FRIDAY 5P - 11P  
SATURDAY 10A - 11P  
SUNDAY 10A - 5P  
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ITALIAN & AMERICAN CUISINES  
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### Car Show SUNDAY ONLY

9am to 3pm  
Registration 9am - 12pm  
Early Bird Registration (by August 14th) \$10.00  
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Dash Plaques to the first 100 Registered Vehicles  
Trophies given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place  
RAFFLES, 50/50, DOOR PRIZES  
Cars must be driven onto the field.

For a registration form contact:  
Jim Disalvo at jimdisalvo@frontier.com or 585-351-7748  
Jen Averill at shipgoer@googlemail.com or 585-350-9997  
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## Avon Rotary Change of Officers June 27, 2017

Avon Rotary celebrated the end of a successful Rotary year and welcomed in plans for the new one. A highlight of the night was presenting Paul Harris Fellows to three deserving individuals. Sandi Irish, Avon Community member and business owner of All Business Services was honored as a long standing friend of Rotary and generous community supporter. Longtime friend, Rotarian Bill Wall did the presentation. Avon Rotarians Steve Csapo and Terry Lemen were both honored for their dedicated service to the club over the years. Congratulations to the recipients for this well deserved honor. (Submitted by Laurie Vonglis)



L to R (4) DG Don Milton, PHF Sandi Irish, Foundation Chair Kirk Vanderbilt, Presenter Bill Wall



L to R DG Don Milton, PHF Steve Csapo, Foundation Chair Kirk Vanderbilt, Presenter Tim Dickinson, President Scott Holmes

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17) DG Don Milton, PHF Terry Lemen, Foundation Chair Kirk Vanderbilt, Presenter President Scott Holmes

## Canandaigua Rotary Awards Paul Harris



At a recent meeting of the Canandaigua Rotary Club Marty Potter was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship Plus four. Ms. Potter just quietly shows up at functions and fund raisers to just help. She helps with the weekly newsletter, arranged for the food at the recent District Conference in Erie, the Festa Italiana, and the Sergeant at Arms to mention a few committees. Marty is employed locally by the Potter Heating Ventilation & Air Conditioning Company. Pictured are Marty Potter and Club President Ellen Polimeni:



### Malawi Water Project



Seneca Falls Rotarian Dave Markel has been visiting Malawi on a regular basis for ten years on behalf of a project supported by the local Rotary Club. What started as a service project designed to help local residents with educational, health and irrigation challenges has grown to serve tens of thousands of Malawians in well over a dozen villages along the shores of Lake Malawi.

Pictured with Mr. Markel are area farmers. The man with his arm around Markel is astride one of 16 treadle pumps purchased through contributions from several District 7120 Rotary Clubs. The pumps are foot operated, allowing them to be operated without electricity or other power sources. They have allowed area villagers to produce three crop cycles annually rather than the usual single crop. The Seneca Falls Club hires a local man to monitor the irrigation project and work with area farmers. Xylem and ITT Goulds Pumps have been long-time sponsors of the project and recently sent a large electric pump to aid with irrigation. The Seneca Falls Club also helps support a local school and health care facility. The Clifton Springs Rotary Club is a major supporter of this effort. (Submitted by Liz Becht)



World Water Day is  
celebrated each year on  
March 22

### Honor Flight Honors for Honeoye Lake Rotary



Dick Hamele, Jeanne Hamele, Gary Hubble, Sandy Hubble, Shelby McGlynn, Jan Blackmer and Paul Humphrey.

On May 18<sup>th</sup>, Honeoye Lake Rotarians Sandy Hubble, Gary Hubble, Jan Blackmer, Jeanne Hamele, Tim Williams and Paul Humphrey, along with Friend of Rotary Dick Hamele and Lima Rotarian Shelby McGlynn traveled to the Rochester International Airport to participate in a fabulous and gratifying experience as they welcomed approximately 60 veterans back home from their Honor Flight to Washington, D.C.

Other Quad Cities Rotarians joined in the celebration as at the 2015 Quad Cities dinner we donated over \$1000 to help Lap Robes for Veterans create beautiful lap robes to give to each vet as a thank you for his/her service. What a wonderful feeling to see and hear so many patriotic Americans join in cheers and applause as these veterans from all branches of service received a well deserved welcome home. The opportunity to shake hands, hug and kiss these heroic individuals was so emotional and moving. This is an experience everyone should have at least once.

Adding to the excitement and joy of the day was the presentation of a lap robe to our very own Dick Hamele. He was quite taken aback but those of us who know him would expect that --- he is a doer and a giver expecting nothing in return as each of the Veterans honored today also exemplifies. The day's event was one he looked forward to for days and to be so honored added to the joy of the day for him. (Submitted by Jeanne Hamele)



## Rotary International Convention, 2017

By: Kirk Vanderbilt

Having hosted exchange students, participated in our Milt Matthews host program, met Group Study Exchange teams, and attended every Eastern Cities Fellowship dinner since I joined Rotary in 2003, I thought I had a first-hand understanding of the international aspect of Rotary. I was wrong. Attending the International Convention in Atlanta, June 9 – 14, 2017 was truly eye opening to the true international meaning of Rotary, and its reach. 40 Thousand Rotarians from 160 countries attended the convention and it was almost overwhelming. We had only been in Atlanta for an hour or so when I met Woo Soo Poo, a Rotarian from Malaysia. I watched a Rotarian from Africa walk a 3K walk to end Polio in his suit and stocking feet while carrying his shoes. I met a maggot farmer from the Netherlands (no, really), countless Aussies, and school teacher from Colombia. I watched an entire contingent of Kenyans sing a traditional song and met another Rotarian named Kirk from Napa Valley. In addition to the people, I was very excited to see the hundreds of booths with projects from all over the world. I spoke at length with a club that is selling special soccer balls to fund an educational program for young women in Viet Nam to give alternatives to the sex trade. I met a guy who developed a hand operated well drill that can go 90 meters deep. I spoke with an organization that provides "rocket" stoves that reduce smoke and increase efficiency for people who still need to cook on open fires. I could go on and on, but it was so fun and interesting to see these projects first-hand and it was inspiring and energizing to meet the people behind them. And all of this was before the opening session of the convention.

The opening and general sessions of the Convention were impressive on many levels. From the sheer numbers (imagine 20 thousand folding chairs), to the flag ceremony, to the AV displays, to the fascinating guests, speakers, and celebrities and the inspiring and moving messages they brought, these sessions were truly a sight to behold. The excitement generated in that room as Bill Gates and dignitaries from all over the world pledged 1.2 BILLION dollars to finally end polio was absolutely palpable. I also believe we saw a glimpse into Rotary International's next target (after polio) and that is the goal to end slavery and human trafficking. From a candle-light vigil on Saturday, to hearing Ashton Kutcher, and Senator Bob Corker speak on Monday, we were made aware of this very real and surprisingly pervasive scourge in our world. We heard first-hand and heart-wrenching accounts from trafficking victims, and it was devastating to learn (Continued)

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that it goes on right here in the good ol' USA, right under our noses.

I could go on and on about who and what I saw in Atlanta, but what is more important perhaps was the feeling I had knowing that I was part of this pretty awesome Rotary Family. It was just me and 40 thousand of my Rotary buddies hanging out and catching up in the ATL for a nice long weekend. Friendships made, friendships strengthened, and some food, drinks, and plenty of laughs along the way. It's great to be a Rotarian. Special thanks to my traveling companions as well, Jerry, Tom, Laurie, Jake, and Heather. I couldn't imagine a better team with whom to share this awesome experience. (Submitted by Laurie Vonglis)

Toronto - 2018 be there!



L to R – Avon Rotarians; Jerry Dougherty, Kirk Vanderbilt, Heather Ayers, Jake Ayers, Laurie Vonglis, Tom Vonglis. At the finish line of the 3K race to help the fight to end polio.

**Rotary International Convention**  
June 23-27



## New Member Joins Greece Rotary



The Greece Rotary Club recently welcome their newest member, Michael J. Doughty . He is shown here with his sponsor, Member Kathy Graupman, as he received his official Rotary Badge. Doughty is an administrator with the Greece Central School District.

## Canandaigua Rotary Inducts New Member



L to R Nancy Stelnik, Induction Leader John Spare, and Club President Ellen Polimeni (Photo & info by Jack Kellogg) (Continued)

## Greece Rotary Club Awards Two New Paul Harris Awardees



Two new Paul Harris recognitions, Club Volunteer of the Year and the Community Service Volunteer, highlighted the recent Installation Dinner of the Greece Rotary Club. Shown here (l-r) with their awards are Rotarian Volunteer of the Year Al Meilutis and Community Service recipient Joelle Delgatti. Meilutis is a 19 year member of the Club, having served and supported multiple roles through his participation and fund raising, as well as serving as Club President. Delgatti was recognized for her years of unselfish volunteer work in the Greece community, with an emphasis on mentally and physically challenged children and adults.

## Canandaigua Rotary (continued)

At a recent meeting of the Canandaigua Rotary Club Nancy Stelnik was inducted to the Club. Ms. Stelnik has been involved with The Granger Homestead Board, Canandaigua Lake Pure Waters, Thompson Health Guild, is a Master Gardner, and likes to play Bridge.



## Greece Rotary Presents Distinguished Service Citations To Interact Members



Greece Rotary took time at a recent meeting to introduce the Seniors from the Odyssey Academy Interact Club and present each with a Distinguished Service Citation. The Odyssey Interact Club works throughout the year to carry out activities benefitting the Greece community as well as their school. In addition they also work side by side with Greece Rotary members at the annual Pasta Dinner, serving meals, selling roses and painting "pinkies for polio" to help reach the Club's \$40,000 goal.

Each Senior shared their comments and plans for the future. The group is shown here on the steps of the Ridgemont Country Club, home to the Greece Rotary Club.



## Spencerport Rotary Changeover Dinner



The Spencerport Changeover Dinner featured quite a few memorable moments.

President Kathy Magin presented "President Awards" to:

Dave and Ann DeMers for their tireless work on the new Membership Program

Dick Turner for being there behind the scenes with great insight and offering every resource he has to help the club

Ann DeMers for her work on the Literacy Program, which received #1 recognition for Outstanding Literacy Program

New Rotarians Jan Elliott and Jon Spencer were each awarded "Rookie of the Year"

PDG Roger Ressman for being the go to person for input and Rotary protocol questions

The evening culminated with the presentation of the President's pin, by 2016-2017 President Kathy Magin to incoming 2017-2018 President Dave Demers.

(Submitted by Colleen Farley)



## Pittsford Rotary's Students Presented With Service Awards



Allie Zeznick from Pittsford Mendon High School with



Isha Kenkare from Pittsford Sutherland High School with '16-'17 Club President Matt O'Connor

Each of these graduating seniors was recently presented with Pittsford Rotary's annual \$1,000 Student Service Award. (Submitted by Pat Mallery)

## Geneva Rotary Donates \$24,050 And Issues Student Loans Totaling \$49,500



The Geneva Rotary Club recently presented a check for \$10,000 to the Geneva City School District for its Backpack Program to feed children on weekends.

From left to right are Susan McGowan, school social worker, Jennifer Anderson, teacher aide, Tammi Tammi Richmond, family services facilitator, Nikki Kersbergen, grants coordinator, Gerry Barker, Food Service Director, Rotary President Dick Austin, President-Elect Tara Rago, Vice President Shad Cook and Superintendent Trina Newton. (Cont)

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President Dick Austin said the club expects to contribute more soon for the Backpack Program.

Last week the club also awarded grants to 15 Geneva agencies and organizations. "We are happy to give away all of the money that we raise through the year," said Austin. "That's the main reason we're all in Rotary."

Another Rotary program that helps many Geneva young people is the Rotary No-interest Student Loan Program, offered since 1920. This year the club issued \$49,500 in interest-free student loans to assist 33 Geneva students in college or college bound. Self-funding of this program comes from loan repayment and an endowment, and is not supported by fundraising efforts of the club.

Also, two Service Above Self awards of \$1,000 each were presented to two graduating Geneva High School seniors. (Submitted by Phil Beckley)

## Brockport Rotary Club Presents 2017-18 Officers & Awards at Changeover



Brockport Rotary Presents 2017-18 Officers and Award winners at Annual Changeover Dinner

Outgoing president Eric Jensen (right) presented the The Rudy Smith Community Citizen of the Year Award for 2017 to Chet Fery (aka the Bread Man) who is well known for using his bread making skills to help promote positive life lessons through presentations and the giving of loaves of bread. Left, George Dahl nominated Fery for the award. (Submitted by Pat Baker)



Front L-R, Secretary Brandi Reis, President (and Brandi's Mom) Eileen Whitney and Secretary Doris Russo

Back L-R, Directors Deb Clare, Steve Drexler, John Egan, Eric Jensen (also Past Pres.) and Matt Roberts

## Perry Rotary Awards Paul Harris



PP John McClurg and PP Jeff Rase presenting a PHF to now PP Donald OGeen. (Submitted by Daryl Heiby)

## Geneva Rotary Elects New Officers

The Geneva Rotary Club recently installed new President Tara Rago and other officers and directors at its annual Changeover Meeting. Rago, who served as president-elect in 2016-2017, will hold the office of president until June 2018.



Other Geneva Rotary officers include Shad Cook, president-elect, Mary Lawthers, vice president, Ford Weiskittel, secretary, and Harley Roberson, treasurer. Newly elected members of the Board of Directors are Charlie Bartishevich, Jim Dickson, Karl Hagen, Karen Luttrell and Elaine Pufnock. Also serving as directors are, Past President Dick Austin, Phil Beckley, Dave Cook, Jim DeVaney, Paul Kirsch, Mary Luckern, Ron Talarico and Margaret Wiant. (Sent by Phil Beckley)



## Belmont Rotary Changes Leadership



Out-going President, Carissa Knapp received beautiful flower baskets as a token of the club's appreciation for her service. Baskets were presented by incoming President Dirk Knapp

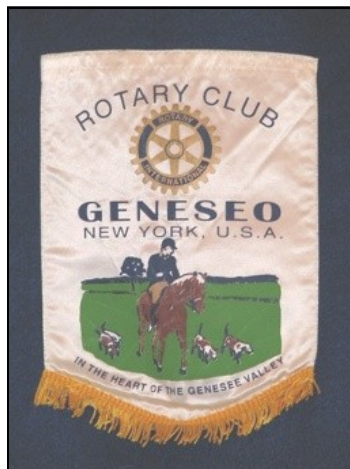
On June 28th, the Belmont Rotary Club officially changed leadership. President -Elect Dirk Knapp took over the reigns from President Carissa Knapp. Carissa has served as president for 2 years and has earned a rest. Club members are confident that our club will thrive under the leadership of President Dirk and we will live up to this year's Rotary theme, "Making a Difference".

Our dinner was delicious and we had a good time with fellowship and food. (Submitted by Mary Fuller)

## Perry Rotary's New President Receives Gavel



PP Don O'Gee presenting the gavel to incoming President Sally Bliss (Submitted by Daryl Heiby)



A familiar sight around the Geneseo area are the horses, riders and hounds of the Genesee Valley Hunt.

Founded in Geneseo in 1876, it is one of the oldest fox hunting clubs in the United States.

More info at <http://geneseevalleyhunt.org/history/>



## Perry Rotary Completes Village Park Project



Perry Rotary Club has completed their Village Park project. A Bears Playground was installed last week next to the splash park we helped fund three years ago. It was a \$28,000 project with the Village preparing the ground, tiling, and mulching (Submitted by Daryl Heiby)

## Newark Rotary Awards Scholarship



*Justin Patterson receives award from Dr. Steve Mooney, Newark Scholarship Chair.*

At a recent meeting, the Newark Rotary Club presented the Charles Stott Scholarship Award to Newark Senior Justin Patterson.

Justin graduated with a 94.2 GPA and plans to attend Penn State with a major in history. He has been involved in the Interact Club, Varsity Club, volunteered with the Red Cross, and the Newark Reds Football and Lacrosse programs. (Submitted by John Zornow)

## Bath Rotary's Rotarian of the Month



Bath Rotary President Elaine Tears, left, presents Becky Stranges with an award recognizing her as Rotarian of the Month for May. (Submitted by Robin Lattimer)

## Brighton Rotary Awards Paul Harris Fellowships



The Brighton Rotary Club awarded Paul Harris Fellowships to the following members:

1. Ned Green, a local businessman active in community organizations who recently joined the club and "hit the ground running," taking leadership roles in club activities.
2. Roland Steorts for participation in district activities and enhancements to club communication through website and newsletter.
3. Mahendra Nanavati for his contribution to local and international projects and who walks the trail of the motto, "Service above Self." Left to Right: Mahendra Nanavati, Ron Little – President Brighton Rotary, Chuck Chapin – Foundation Committee Chair, Roland Steorts, Ned Green (Submitted by Tony Conte)

## Geneseo Rotary Presents Paul Harris



Geneseo Rotary President Tim Hayes (left) was presented with a Paul Harris Fellowship by PP John Lanpher on June 19 at the Change of Officers Dinner.

## Seneca Falls Rotary Presents First Community Service Paul Harris Award



Pictured L to R: Tina Rook, Jolene and Kevin Korzeniewski and President Stephen Beals

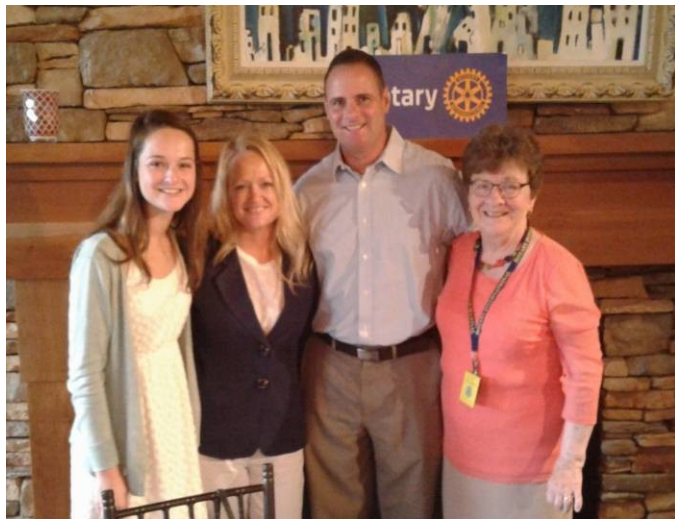
The Seneca Falls Rotary Club held its annual Change-Over Dinner Tuesday, June 23 at the Holiday Inn. At this dinner Jeff and Tina Rook and Kevin and Jolene Korzeniewski were honored with the first Seneca Falls Rotary Community Service Paul Harris Award. The honor was given for the organization and leadership of the "It's A Wonderful Run" 5k race held during the Wonderful Life Weekend in Seneca Falls. Over the last eight years the race has grown from a few hundred runners and walkers to over four thousand participants. The Rooks and Korzeniewskis have been thrilled and privileged to donate over \$50,000 this year to several local charities.

The Seneca Falls Rotary Club established the Community Service Paul Harris Award to recognize non-Rotarians who have contributed to the community. Also recognized were Dave and Debbie Swenson with a Club Community Service Award. Dave is always on the front line when it comes to volunteering for the Club's many projects. He is the Rotarian who organizes, works and provides a written debrief afterward. His wife, Debbie, is always gracious and encourages Dave to give of his time and talents.

At the end of the evening President Stephen Beals passed the gavel to Eric Johnson who will lead the Club in the next year. (Submitted by Elizabeth "Liz" Becht)



### Canandaigua Rotary Club Announces Student of the Year



At a recent meeting of the Canandaigua Rotary Club it was announced that Sophie Shaw was awarded Student of the Year. Sophie is a Canandaigua Academy Senior and an Interact Club member. Pictured is Sophie Shaw flanked by her parents and Club president Ellen Polimeni (Info and photo by Jack Kellogg)

### Bloomfield Students of the Month



Bloomfield President Don introduced Dan McAlpin, Principal at Bloomfield High School, who presented the Students of the Month for February through June after Bonnie read the award letter that will be going to the students' chosen charities.

These students are chosen for their scholarship, citizenship, community service and leadership. They are nominated by their teachers and the principal. (Submitted by Patricia Overmoyer)

### Canandaigua Academy Boosters Receive a Boost



At a recent meeting of the Canandaigua Rotary Club it was announced that the Canandaigua Boosters Club received a donation of \$7,000 toward their refreshment stand at the Academy. The proceeds were the result of hard work by many Rotarians, non-Rotarians and friends during the Festa Italiana held earlier this year by the Club. Pictured above accepting the check for the Boosters Club is Mark MacNeill flanked by Ed Varno and Club President Ellen Polimeni (Info and photo by Jack Kellogg)

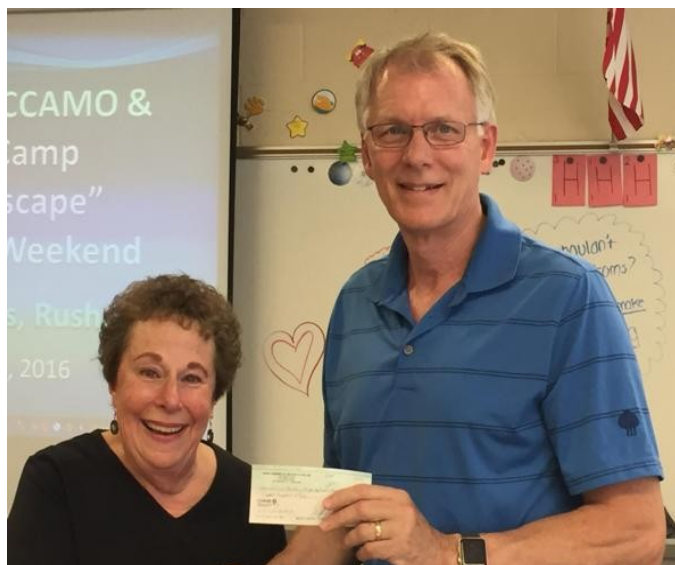
### Jeff Graff Presents Check for Malawi Water Project



Jeff Graff of the Clifton Springs Rotary Club presenting Dave and Melissa Markel of the Seneca Falls Rotary Club with a \$2,500 donation from the Clifton Springs Rotary Club and GW Lisk to benefit the Malawi Water Project along with Clifton Springs Rotary t-shirts for Dave to present to the Malawians on his trip to Malawi beginning June 28th.



### Rush-Henrietta Rotary Interact donates to "Building Minds In South Sudan"



Past President Jeff Masters presents a check for \$300. to Judy Schwartz of "Building Minds in South Sudan". These funds were raised by students in the Rush-Henrietta Rotary Interact Club, in support of building, equipping and training teachers for schools in South Sudan. (Submitted by Stephen Synesael.)

### Outhouse Park Gets New Plantings



left to right are: Marty Muehe, George Herren, Don Raw, Rick Hawks, Mary Green, Herbie Green, kneeling are Marty Potter and Steve Smythe:

On a recent Saturday the Rotary Club of Canandaigua weeded and put down new mulch and new flowers and plants in the Outhouse Park. The local Club also donated the exercise equipment in the background a few years ago. (Photo and info submitted by Jack Kellogg)

### Wayland Rotary Holds Human Foosball Tournament



Wayland Rotary Club held a Human Foosball Tournament on Sunday June 4. In spite of rainy cool weather, a great time was had by all! (Submitted by Jean McMillan)

### Newark Rotary Chicken Bar-B-Que Sells Out!



The Newark Rotary Club conducted one of their famous Chicken Bar-B-Ques recently and sold out of the entire allotment of 400 chicken dinners.

Photo- Among the volunteers at the barbecue were Rotarians Coke Veith, Greg Gray, Sue Colacino, Linda Werts, and Bruce Chambers (Sent by John Zornow)

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## Rotary Grove in Naples



Several members of the Naples Rotary Club gathered at the Community Park to plant trees in a barren unused area. After they planted the trees they christened it the Rotary Grove at the Community Park.

In 2001 and 2002 when the park was being constructed Naples Rotary contributed a total of \$21000 towards construction of the facility, which now supports a soccer and baseball field and other activities during the year. (Submitted by Bill Cooper)



## Time To Think Of Camp ONSEYAWA



Another opportunity to support Camp Onseyawa, a two week camping session for children with special needs. The photo shows Naples Rotarians Kay-C and Adam Northrup setting up one of the games at the camp during carnival time at the two weeks the camp is in session. Other Rotary members attend the camp for cleanu-up, breakdown, and carnival week.

Rotary member Bruce Richardson spent two weeks at camp in their office helping out with administration and clerical work.

Naples Rotary has been a strong supporter of the Camp. Due to a bequeath from a former Rotarian of \$78000 to be used for the camp, with conservative investments we have been able to contribute over \$110,000 since 1957, in addition to our regular annual assessment and sponsorship of golf.

Contributions can be made to Camp Onseyawa through the Naples Rotary Club. All donations are forwarded to the Camp. (Submitted by Bill Cooper)





## Area Students Awarded Bath Rotary Scholarships

The Bath Rotary Club recently awarded more than \$10,000 in college scholarships to area students from a number of local schools, including Haverling, Hammondsport, Avoca, Bradford and Prattsburgh. The club annually selects local students who seek assistance with higher education costs as they embark on their college careers.

The 2017 scholarship winners, along with their parents, were honored during a special May 25th Rotary luncheon at the Bath Presbyterian Church community hall. Richard McCandless, the club's Scholarship Committee chairman, presided over the ceremony, and Junes Bates, another long-time committee member, announced the awards. Bates meticulously outlined the background on each scholarship, of which three of the four scholarships awarded are in memory of past Bath Rotary members. They included the Frank E. Nicklaus Scholarship, Wes Payne Memorial Scholarship, Ted Markham Memorial Scholarship, Bath Rotary Club Scholarship and Bath Rotary Interact Scholarship. *Submitted by Robin Lattimer*



### Nicklaus Award

Seated, from left, Frank E. Nicklaus family members Roy and Sandy Hepler, pose with scholarship winners, Ethan Carr, Mackenzie Hilsdorf and George Ruddy. In back, from left, are parents, Todd and Vanessa Carr, Karen and Douglas Hilsdorf, George and Jennifer Ruddy.



### Ted Markham Award

In front, from left, are Markham family sponsors Theresa and Brian Markham, scholarship winners Isaac Clements and Graham O'Donnell, Pamela Markham and Jill Markham O'Hara. In back, are parents Keri Clements and Julie Vargo.



### Wes Payne Award

Seated, from left, award sponsor family members Terance and Betsy Payne, Jessica Divens, Tyler Smith and Rotarian Dick McCandless, chairman of the scholarship committee. In back, are parents Jacqueline Divens, Sandy and Keith Smith.



### Bath Rotary Club and Interact Awards

Seated, from left, are Rotary President Elaine Tears, Bath Rotary Club scholarship recipients Tyler Smith and Allison Wagner, Interact scholarship winners Justyna Seager-Parulski and Maia Schlechter. In back, are parents Keith and Sandy Smith, Regina and Ed Wagner, BethAn Seager, Chris Parulski and Mark Schlechter.

## Rotary Exchange Student Departs for Home (India)

Gaurav Revankar, the 2016-2017 Rotary youth exchange student hosted by the Victor-Farmington Rotary club departed for his home in India on June 12<sup>th</sup> after making a presentation to the club the previous week on his year as an exchange student.

His presentation included a pictorial slide presentation of his year as an exchange student. He discussed his travels, activities and the memories he will have from his experience.

When asked what he liked best about his year he gave a twofold answer – (1) the organized trip to New York City for Rotary exchange students and, (2) the periodic weekend programs arranged for all of the Rotary youth exchange students.

When he was asked about his favorite memories from the year he included his trip to Niagara Falls and a ride on the Maid of the Mist, singing "Sweet Caroline" at a Boston Red Sox game at Fenway Park, making a cricket bat with host dad Bruce Chapman, his trip to Toronto and CN Tower, the Victor HS Senior Prom with his friend/date Mercedes, a Rotary exchange student from Spain, and the many friendships he developed with other Rotary exchange from around the world. Other memories included his exposure to Indy car racing at Watkins Glen, the Victor-Farmington Rotary Christmas Party for exchange students, a weekend hosted by the Avon Rotary club, and a visit to TV station WHAM in Rochester hosted by Rotary Past District Governor Don Alhart.

He thanked the club for hosting him during the past year and concluded with, "It was a great year."

On June 13<sup>th</sup> Victor – Farmington Rotary club members, as well as host families, friends and Rotary exchange students, were at the Rochester Airport to wish Gaurav a safe trip home.



Gaurav at airport with VF Rotarians Galen Powers, Judy Luitweiler (rear) Bonnie Cottone (F), Dave Luitweiler, Bruce Chapman, Ross Cottone & Vera Chapman (cont.)

(Cont.)



Gaurav at airport with Rotary Exchange Student Teerachwet Sriwarasat (Thailand), Kim Yourch – V-F Rotary YEX Chair, and Rotary Exchange Student Carlos Gomez (Mexico).

(Submitted by Dave Luitweiler)

## 31st Annual Avon Corn Festival

Saturday, August 12 • 10am-6pm  
FREE admission, parking, shuttle

- Arts & Crafts Show, 100+ Vendors Selected for Diversity and Quality.
- CORN! Fresh, Hot, Buttered Corn and Avon Rotary's Famous Corn Fritters
- Hots, Hamburgs, Barbecued Chicken, Soft Drinks and Other Festival Favorites
- Games and Exhibits for All Ages
- Continuous Live Entertainment
- Souvenir T-Shirts



**FREE Concert**  
7:30-10:30 by  
*the Skycoasters*



Sponsored By: Banilla, Bob Johnson Chevrolet, Genesee Valley Penny Saver, Gray Metal Products, Inc., Hurricane Technologies, Tompkins Bank of Castile, Tops

The Corn Festival is sponsored by the

**Avon Rotary Club**  
MORE THAN 90 YEARS OF  
SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY



## Whiskey 7 to land in Brockport

By Colleen Farley



Get up close to this aircraft that lead the second wave of the invasion of D-Day. The C-47 Dakota also served with the 12th Air Force in the Mediterranean Theater, the 9th Air Force in England, and transported paratroopers for the 82nd Airborne Division - withstanding flak throughout all her missions. Whiskey 7 is painted and rigged for dropping paratroopers just like she was in June 1944. The plane was restored by the National Warplane Museum in Geneseo.

They will be flying it in to the Ledgedale Airpark in Brockport for the annual Flv-In Pancake Breakfast, sponsored by the Spencerport Rotary Club, with help from AAA Chapter 44. Rides on the historic aircraft will also be available.

Come see numerous aircraft, Brockport Fire Department trucks, Monroe County Sheriff's Department Mounted Unit, Civil Air Patrol and Antique Tractors from WNY Two Cylinder Club and enjoy breakfast!

All happening on Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. to noon. The great pancake breakfast is available for adults \$8.50, kids 5-12 \$3.50, kids 4 and under free. Proceeds benefit Camp Haccamo, which provides a free camping experience for disabled adults and children, and other Rotary projects. Directions - Ledgedale Airpark, Eisenhower Dr., Brockport, off Sweden Walker Rd., 1 road north of Colby St.

## Join Penn Yan Rotarians on 9/16/17



Join us for TWO Good Causes: your health and water projects that benefit thousands! Walk the seven mile Keuka Lake Outlet Trail or any portion of it. Registration materials and information available at: <http://htscongo.org/walkforwater.html>



## HONEOYE LAKE ROTARY 33rd ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Monday, July 24, 2017, 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 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Person \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> Person \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 4<sup>th</sup> Person \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Check here if you do NOT have a foursome and would like us to assign you to one.

Golf, Cart, Lunch, Steak Dinner & 2 Raffle Tickets \$85.00 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner Only.....\$20.00 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: Honeoye Lake Rotary Foundation

Mail to: Honeoye Lake Rotary, P.O. Box 674, Honeoye, NY 14471 by 7/17/2017

### GOLF HOLE SPONSORSHIP

\_\_\_\_ Corporate Patron @ \$150.00 each includes golf & dinner for 1 person

\_\_\_\_ Associate-Eagle @ \$75.00 each

\_\_\_\_ Affiliate - Birdie @ \$50.00 each

\_\_\_\_ Friend - Par @ \$25.00 each

[jockmch@ed.com](mailto:jockmch@ed.com)

Total amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Questions: Joanne Hanule 585.729.0118

Name to be used on sign: \_\_\_\_\_

## Camp Star Golf Tournament



4 Person Scramble

Indian Hills Golf Course  
1959 Indian Hills Road  
Painted Post, NY

**Monday July 17, 2017**

Sign in at 11:00 AM - Shotgun at Noon

Contact: Marianne Kalec  
607-737-3724

[Mkalec@chemungcanal.com](mailto:Mkalec@chemungcanal.com)

## Spencerport Rotary 34th Annual Charity

### GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Location:** Deerfield Golf & Country Club  
100 Craig Hill Drive  
Brockport, NY 14420

**When:** Monday August 7, 2017  
9 AM Registration  
10 AM Shotgun Start

**Fee:** \$95 entry fee per player/  
\$380 per foursome

**Package Includes:**

- Full buffet dinner (cash bar)
- Scramble format tournament
- Lunch at turn
- Beverages on course
- Putting contest
- Chance to win a car (Hole-in-one wins car)

**Contact/Sign Up:**

Dave or Ann DeMers  
golf@spencerportrotary.org  
(585) 764-6648

[www.spencerportrotary.org](http://www.spencerportrotary.org) to sign-up online

Partial proceeds will benefit  
Homesteads For Hope in Spencerport



The Gananda Rotary will be sponsoring  
their 9th Annual Haunted House  
& Hayride

October 13th, 14th, 20th, 21st, and 27th

The event opens at 7 PM each evening and the  
last ride leaves the barn at 10 PM.

Group rates are available.

Refreshments

## Save the Date Rochester Rotary



Monday, August 28<sup>th</sup> 2017  
Midvale Country Club

9:30 am  
Registration & Tee Gift

11:00 am  
Shotgun Start  
(10:00 am Commercial Tee Shot)

5:00 PM  
Reception, Dinner, and Silent  
Auction



[\(Click here for invitation and sponsorship details\)](#)

## WAYLAND ROTARY CLUB CAR SHOW AND FOOD TRUCK RODEO

Saturday August 26, 2017

10-4

Victory Park  
Pine St, Wayland NY

Open Class

Food Trucks

COME ENJOY AN AFTERNOON OF  
CARS AND FOOD

For More Information  
Facebook: Wayland Rotary  
Or  
Jean (585) 353-5284





Lima Rotary Presents:

# Bike Safety Rodeo

Saturday, August 5th

10am-Noon

Lima Crossroads Festival

Lower Lot behind Town Hall

## Bike & Unicycle Raffle!

Emergency Contact Tags for  
bikes, scooters, and skateboards  
available for sale



The Wheeled Sport Rodeo is held in conjunction with Cornell Cooperative Extension-Livingston County. The rodeo will consist of helmet checks, a wheeled rodeo for the children to test their skills, and education on:

- Importance of wearing a helmet
- Hand signals and the rules of traffic
- How to check their bike
- Helmets are checked for cracks, holes, or whether it is too big or too small



Follow us for local events info:  
Lima Rotary Club



## Students Shine at Honeoye

The Honeoye Lake Rotary Club takes great pride in honoring students from Honeoye Central School through many different avenues. May and June allow us to focus on juniors and seniors as we recognize Student of the Month recipients, Memorial Award applicants and our RYLA participant for 2017.

Our Students of the Month for March, April and May were Lauren Jarosinski, Mason Storm and Piety Exely respectively. It always amazes us that these students manage to balance their schedules so easily. All are involved in sports, clubs, community service activities both through school and outside of school and maintain above average grades. To hear all they are able to fit into their lives reassures us that the world has excellent leaders for our future. These students, along with their parents, were invited to a dinner meeting where they were presented with a certificate along with a \$25 Barnes and Noble gift card.

Many thanks were also given to their parents for their hard work in raising exceptional kids!

Our Memorial Award winners were selected through a strenuous interview process. Applications were reviewed, students were invited to dinner and students then joined an interview team of six HLRC Rotarians to answer a series of questions. From our seven applicants two students received \$500 each to help with future expenses.

On graduation evening, it was announced that seniors Chris Coriddi and Lydia Barnard were selected for this honor.

Junior Kali Pestle, our Student of the Month for December, was also our RYLA participant for 2017. Kali went to this leadership program from June 25-29 at RIT. She will be attending a future club meeting to share her experiences. We are looking forward to hearing about what she learned and how much fun she had. (Submitted by Jeanne Hamele)



### Upcoming DISTRICT Events

[September 8— District Golf Tournament](#)

[September 16 —District Literacy Seminar](#)

[September 16—Membership Seminar, Bath](#)  
[September 30—Membership Seminar, Rochester](#)

[November 4th - Rotary Leadership Institute \(RLI\).](#)

### Upcoming CLUB Events

#### ☼ [July 2017](#)

July 19 Sunshine Camp Carnival 5pm to dusk  
<https://rochesterrotary.org/LuncheonsEvents/EventCalendar/tabid/70/ModuleID/413/ItemID/1558/mctl/EventDetails/Default.aspx>

July 17 Camp Star Golf Tournament

July 24 —Honeoye Lake Golf Tournament

#### ☼ [August 2017](#)

August 5 —Lima Rotary Bike Safety Rodeo

August 7th - Spencerport Rotary 34th Annual Charity Golf Tournament..

August 12th - Avon Corn Festival.

August 18-20 Mt. Morris Italian Festival

August 20th - Spencerport Rotary Fly-In Pancake Breakfast - Ledgesdale Airpark, Eisenhower Dr., Brockport, NY.

August 26th - Wayland Rotary Car Show and Ford Truck Rodeo.

August 28th - Sunshine Campus Golf Invitational, Midvale Country Club.

#### ☼ [September 2017](#)

September 16th - Penn Yan Rotary Walk for Water.

Check the District Calendar for additions and changes.



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Club Name	Division	Member Count		Year to Date (YTD)	Percent	
		7/1/2016	5/31/2017	+/-	May 2017	YTD
Avon	E	53	63	10	66.00%	53.09%
Bath	F	33	36	3	100.00%	94.18%
Belmont	G	17	17	0	90.00%	94.45%
Bloomfield	F	27	31	4	65.00%	67.27%
Brighton	F	29	29	0	62.00%	63.91%
Brockport	F	22	21	-1	68.00%	69.27%
Caledonia-Mumford	G	8	8	0	75.00%	81.27%
Canandaigua	D	111	No Report			
Canisteo	G	16	No Report			
Chemung County Sunrise	F	32	29	-3	74.00%	75.55%
Clifton Springs	F	43	42	-1	64.00%	66.45%
Clyde	G	10	No Report			
Corning	D	111	104	-7	44.00%	48.09%
Dansville	F	39	41	2	85.00%	78.32%
Dundee	F	27	30	3	77.00%	77.73%
East Rochester	G	17	19	2	61.00%	61.82%
Elmira	F	42	41	-1	48.50%	47.04%
Elmira Heights	G	27	26	-1	79.00%	79.00%
Fairport	E	58	57	-1	71.00%	70.71%
Friendship	G	14	15	1	100.00%	87.18%
Gananda	G	14	No Report			
Gates-Chili	G	16	15	-1	73.00	71.45%
Geneseo	F	40	No Report			
Geneva	E	69	72	3	78.00%	74.00%
Gorham	G	14	14	0	88.10%	74.66%
Greece	E	84	81	-3	42.31%	45.52%
Hammondsport	G	9	8	-1	80.00%	83.64%
Hilton	G	9	8	-1	87.50%	87.50%
Honeoye	G	19	25	6	60.00%	57.18%
Honeoye Falls-Mendon	F	27	26	-1	52.30%	59.59%
Hornell	G	16	No Report			
Horseheads	G	15	15	0	64.00%	63.80%
Irondequoit	F	32	28	-4	63.00%	63.00%
Lima	G	13	16	3	80.00%	85.45%
Livonia	F	29	32	3	77.00%	72.64%

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Club Name	Division	Member Count		Year to Date (YTD)	Percent	
		7/1/2015	1/31/2017	+/-	January 2017	YTD
Lyons	G	13	No Report			
Monroe County South	G	15	No Report			
Mt. Morris	G	23	17	-6	44.00%	54.45%
Naples	F	45	46	1	70.00%	68.00%
Newark	E	95	100	5	65.59%	64.11%
Nunda	G	6	9	3	90.00%	96.91%
Ontario-Walworth	F	29	30	1	69.00%	67.73%
Palmyra-Macedon	F	39	41	2	84.00%	86.91%
Penfield	F	19	20	1	63.00%	70.64%
Penn Yan	F	41	36	-5	90.10%	78.48%
Pen-Web	G	18	No Report			
Perry	E	66	65	-1	100.00%	100.00%
Pittsford	F	49	40	-9	69.50%	67.88%
Prattsburgh	G	10	9	-1	83.33%	83.69%
Red Creek	G	16	14	-2	71.43%	68.62%
Red Jacket	G	20	22	2	85.00%	85.55% 6
Rochester	B	342	353	11	50.00%	49.64%
Rochester AM	G	15	No Report			
Rochester Deaf	G	13	12	-1	75.00%	52.73%
Rochester Latino	G	15	18	3	50.00%	54.00%
Rochester Northwest	G	13	No Report			
Rochester Southeast	G	24	18	-6	45.00%	61.82%
Rush-Henrietta	F	35	34	-1	78.30%	76.47%
Scottsville	G	11	13	2	51.28%	62.8%
Seneca Falls	E	53	52	-1	66.00%	66.00%
Sodus	G	21	23	2	70.00%	73.00%
Spencerport	F	28	No Report			
Victor-Farmington	G	22	23	1	83.00%	82.82%
Waterloo	F	29	28	-1	64.29%	68.33%
Watkins-Montour	E	51	52	1	64.00%	62.36%
Wayland	G	14	12	-2	100.00%	86.82%
Webster	G	24	23	-1	36.54%	60.53%
Wellsville	F	23	25	2	82.00%	84.00%
Williamson	G	5	5	0	40.00%	69.09%
Wolcott	G	14	No Report			