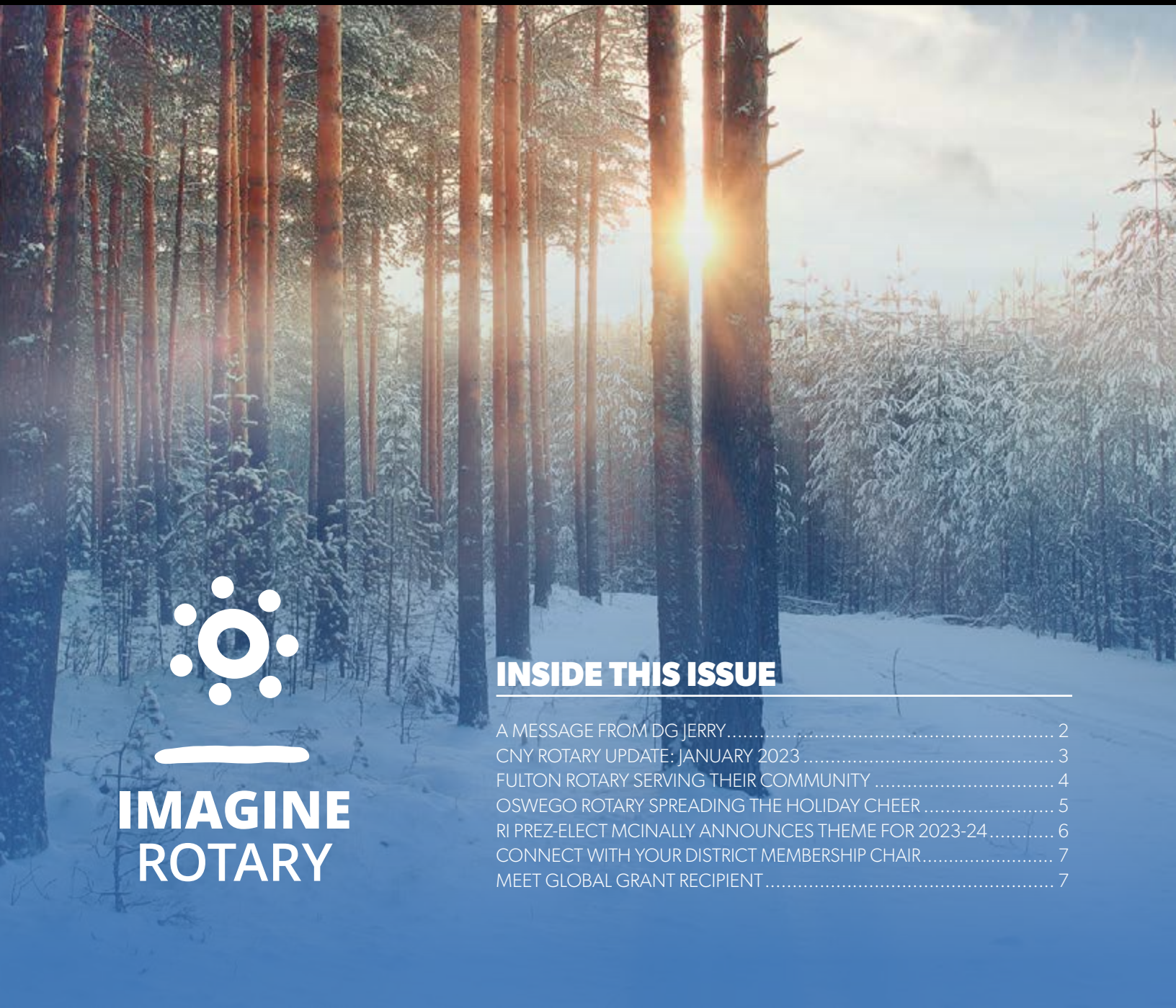




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JANUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER

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 **District Trainer 2022-24**
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A MESSAGE FROM DG JERRY
Second half of the Rotary year is jam-packed.

Jerry Seguin | DG | Fulton

It is hard to believe that the Rotary year is at the half way point and it has been a busy time for clubs and the district.

The Tanzania school funding project is well underway with many 7150 clubs and individual Rotarians participating. PDG Dana Jerrard is hosting a project information Zoom meeting on Friday, January 20 at noon. Be sure to register for the event.

Live CNY Rotary Town Hall discussions will be held via Zoom January 17 at 7pm, January 30 at 7pm and February 16 at 7pm. This event will be hosted by Mellissa Ward-Rathbun, chairperson for the CNY Rotary Steering Committee. You should have received an email invitation prior to this newsletter. If you missed it you can register at cnyrotary.org.

Save the date for 7150's District Conference, May 5-7, 2023. Our conference committee has been working overtime preparing for this year's district conference in Clayton, NY. We expect a large turn out as members from Districts 7170 and 7190 will be joining us this year. You may register for this event on Club Runner rotary7150.org or cnyrotary.org.

I am looking forward to the second half of our Rotary year being as productive as the first. ♦

Tully Rotary Club
3RD ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
VESPER HILLS GOLF CLUB | TULLY
MAY 20 | 10am | Captain & Crew
Food at the turn | Dinner | Raffles and prizes
\$380 per team includes skins
Proceeds will help fund the
Tully Rotary Ecological and Environmental
Sustainability project (T.R.E.E.S.)
GO TO TULLYROTARY.COM FOR MORE INFO

CNY ROTARY UPDATE: JANUARY 2023

CNY Rotary Steering Committee

Happy New Year to all Rotarians reading this update! We have many things to share as we start the second half of the Rotary year.

Last month, District leaders received official notice that the Rotary International Board "merges Districts 7150, 7170 and 7190 (NY, USA) into District 7180 effective July 1, 2024." This is the timeline we have used to guide our work on CNY Rotary.

The CNY Rotary steering committee has scheduled three virtual town hall meetings to help answer questions and explain the process of building a new District. Please keep an eye on your email for an invitation with registration information. Our hope is most of you will be able to attend one of the dates listed below.

- January 19, 2023, 7 pm
- January 30, 2023, 7 pm
- February 16, 2023, 7 pm

We also hope you will mark your calendar for the joint District Conference which will be held May 5-7 at 1000 Islands Harbor Hotel, Clayton, NY. This conference will allow us to learn in fellowship, while providing opportunities for sharing ideas and service. Register now by visiting this link: <https://rotary7150.org/page/conference-2023/>

You can register for the entire weekend, or just Saturday and Sunday. Discounted packages are available for children and family and all are invited to attend.

The best way to learn more about upcoming activities is to visit the CNY Rotary website or Facebook page. Happy New Year once again! ♦


Denise, Rocky and Jerry

**KEEP YOUR FELLOW
ROTARIANS UP TO DATE
WITH YOUR CLUB'S NEWS**

Email your photos and well-written articles
to rotary7150@gmail.com

The deadline to submit your news is the
25th of each month.

District Officers

 **District Secretary**
Pete Cardamone.....Tully

 **Co-Treasurer**
Tara Renner.....Onondaga North

 **Co-Treasurer**
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 **District Conference**
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 **District Rotary Foundation**
Chair, Don Reese..... Utica

 **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion**
Co-chair, Darnell Hayes..... DeWitt

 **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion**
Co-Chair, Cheryl Matt..... DeWitt

 **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion**
Co-chair, Devin White..... Eastwood

 **Membership**
Joe Caruso..... Utica


 **Innovative Clubs**
Lizzy Martin.....Baldwinsville

 **Public Image**
Lizzy Martin.....Baldwinsville

 **Parliamentarian**
PDG Dennis Schonewetter... VVS Community

 **Rotaract**
Jonathan Yost..... Eastwood

 **Veterans Service**
John "Ziggy" Zygmunt.....New Hartford

 **Youth Exchange & Rotary Youth Leadership Awards**
PDG Phyllis Danks..... Marcellus

 **New Generations**
Tom Taylor.....Onondaga North

FULTON ROTARY SERVING THEIR COMMUNITY

Terry Bennett | Fulton

Dictionaries for third graders

The Fulton Rotary Club purchased dictionaries for third graders in the Fulton City School District as one of its projects to support the Fulton community and further literacy. Lanigan Elementary School Principal Jeffrey Hendrickson and Lanigan School third graders thank Rotary District 7150 Governor and Fulton Rotary past president Jerry Seguin and Rotary member Brittney Jerred.

The dictionary give-away is one of many community service projects by the Fulton Rotary club.

Rotary Food for Thought

Fulton Rotary partnered with the Fulton Savings Bank during November on its Food for Thought campaign. Fulton Savings Bank placed the Food for Thought boxes throughout its branches in Fulton, Phoenix, Central Square, Constantia, Brewerton and Baldwinsville. Customers and staff filled the boxes with approximately 375 food items and Rotary members distributed them to Catholic Charities, Mexico Food Pantry, Phoenix Food Pantry, and Baldwinsville Community Food Pantry. Eastern Shore Associates in Fulton collected food items for the Food for Thought program through December.

The club provides service to others, promotes integrity, and advances world understanding, goodwill, and peace through fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders. The club meets the first three Thursdays of the month at the Tavern on the Lock in Fulton. ♦



Above: Fulton Rotary President Bill Lynch hands out dictionaries from the Fulton Rotary Club to third graders at Granby Elementary School.



OSWEGO ROTARY SPREADING THE HOLIDAY CHEER

Carrie Penoyer | Oswego



Back after the Covid-19 break, the Oswego Rotary Club rang the Salvation Army bells at WalMart in Oswego, collecting money for those in need.



The Oswego High School Interact Club spread cheer to local senior citizens. The group signed over 100 cards, and delivered them to area senior housing this holiday season. This is the fifth year the group has done this. Next year, the group won't interrupt the Bingo game, but will play along with the senior citizens when delivering the cards! The cards were donated by Oswego Rotarian Jamie Branshaw.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT-ELECT GORDON MCINALLY ANNOUNCES ANNUAL THEME FOR 2023-24

D7150 Public Image Chair Lizzy Martin

Rotary International President-elect R. Gordon R. McInally called for members to capture the world's attention and lead the way toward possibilities far beyond our current expectations. McInally, a member of the Rotary Club of South Queensferry, West Lothian, Scotland, revealed the 2023-24 presidential theme, Create Hope in the World, during the Rotary International Assembly in Orlando, Florida, USA, on 9 January. He urged members to promote peace in troubled nations, help those affected by conflict, and maintain the momentum of initiatives begun by past leaders. Click here to read more about McInally's vision.

Click the logo to visit our district web site's Public Image Tools page where you can download the theme logo in several different formats and colors, along with the branding guide so you use the logos properly.



It's important to remember the etiquette for theme logos. First, only use the theme logo for the year you are in. That means we continue to Imagine Rotary until June 30th and we do not start using this new Create Hope in the World theme until July 1, 2023. Also, theme logos are meant to inspire our existing members and should not be added to public-facing materials. Do use it on your Charter Night or Changing of the Guard programs, but do not use it on a flyer for your pancake breakfast. If you have any questions

about this, please reach out to Public Image Chair Lizzy at rotarylizzy@gmail.com. Be sure to attend the upcoming Super Saturday training to learn more about our brand and Rotary's image. This is open to all Rotarians, on April 1, 2023. Watch for details when registration is open! ♦

EXPERIENCE A SPECIAL CURATED WEEKEND IN SCOTLAND



Ten couples or pairs will get the chance to experience a specially curated weekend in Edinburgh, Scotland, hosted by 2023-24 Rotary International President R. Gordon R. McInally.

President McInally plans to thank the first ten donors who make outright gifts of \$100,000 or more, or bequest commitments of \$250,000 or more, with an invitation to spend August 18-20 enjoying a series of special events in his home country. The Royal Edinburgh Rotary Foundation Million-Dollar Weekend in Scotland will include: **VIP reserved seating at the world-renowned Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo; A private dinner in Edinburgh Castle; Breakfast and a private tour aboard the Royal Yacht Britannia, once owned by the royal family; A tour of the Palace of Holyroodhouse, the official residence of King Charles III in Scotland; A choice of optional side trips, such as a round of golf with senior Rotary leaders at St. Andrews Old Course, lunch at the world-famous Gleneagles Hotel, or a trip by air to Islay, the home of island malt whisky, for a tour of Ardbeg distillery; Access to a room block at a five-star hotel in Edinburgh.**

Space is limited to the first ten donors. For more information, write to Past District Governor Alasdair Seale, a member of The Rotary Foundation's Fund Development Committee, at aseale@trinityfactors.co.uk.

CONNECT WITH YOUR DISTRICT MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

Multi-District Membership Committee

We're back with more advice from some of Rotary's top experts from around the world. Watch Part II of our video series on what makes for strong leadership, something we know is needed for building a vibrant club. It's not every day we get to hear from experienced Rotary leaders and will be three minutes well-spent! Connect with your District Membership Chair if your club needs help building up your leadership team. ♦

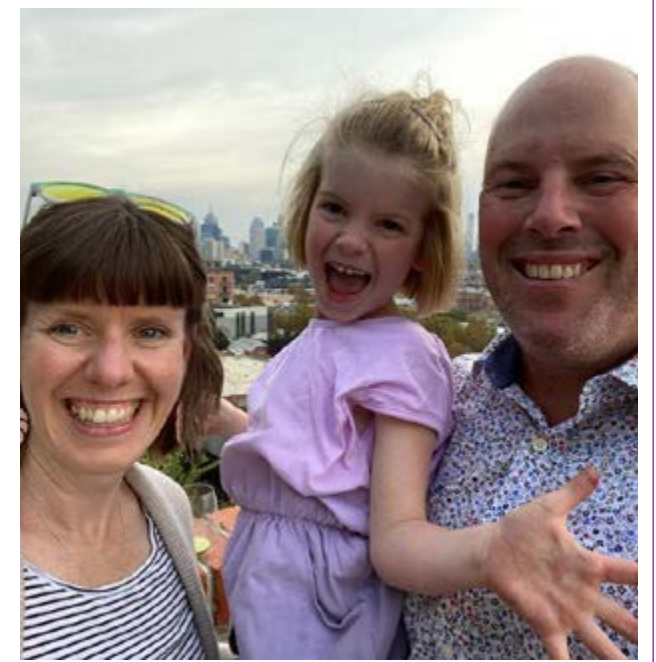


MEET GLOBAL GRANT RECIPIENT

Katherine (Kat) Osborne is the recipient of a Rotary Global Grant which is supporting her to undertake a mid-career Executive Master of Public Administration at the Maxwell School at Syracuse University. This program is allowing her to combine her two career passions — creating great places to work and shaping great public policy. Her ambition in undertaking further study is to build her skills and capabilities to become a future social sector leader delivering excellent policy, focused on educational disadvantage.

Kat comes to Syracuse from Melbourne Australia. In Melbourne she is the Policy and Advocacy Lead at a national nonprofit, Beyond Blue. Prior to this she worked as a strategy consultant helping non-profit and government agencies be the best they could be. She also spent over 10 years in social policy roles in state and national government working in education, human services and justice.

Kat is in Syracuse with her husband Dan and seven year old daughter Anna. They are enjoying exploring New York and are looking forward to the snow! ♦



REGISTER NOW

EARLY BIRD RATES END
FEBRUARY 28, 2023!

DISTRICT CONFERENCE | May 5-7, 2023

All three districts are invited to be part of a weekend filled with celebrations, connections and fun!

Register for Friday-Sunday or Saturday & Sunday only

Discounted packages available for teens and children, so bring the whole family!

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1000 Islands Harbor Hotel, Clayton, New York



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