



INTERACT NEWSLETTER—OCTOBER 2018

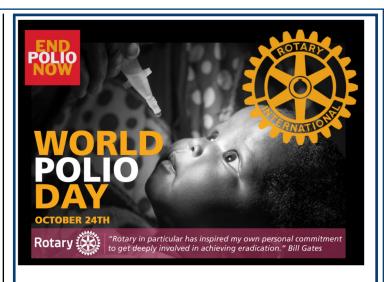


District 7330's Annual Interact Symposium is scheduled for Saturday, October 20 at the Derry Area High School. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. and the Symposium will begin at 10:00 a.m. and conclude at 2:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided to all attending. The Symposium is open to all Interactors in the District along with their Faculty Advisors and interested Rotarians from their sponsoring Rotary Club. The deadline to register for the symposium is Saturday, October 6.

The Symposium is a golden opportunity for all of us to exchange ideas on a variety of subjects including but not limited to increasing membership, fundraising and of course innovative and outstanding projects.

All of our newer Interact Clubs and their Advisors are strongly encouraged to attend and learn from the "older" Interact Clubs. Also there are several older Interact Clubs that haven't been represented at the previous Symposiums and we would like to have you join us, especially the Clubs that are close to the Derry area.





Are you doing anything special for World Polio Day on Wednesday, October 24? If so, make your plans and be sure to let us know about your event so that we can publicize your World Polio Day event in the November District 7330 Interact Newsletter.

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### LOOKING AHEAD



**District Interact Symposium Registration Deadline is** on Saturday, October 6—see Page 1

World Affairs Institute Registration Deadline is on Thursday, November 1 see Page 3

Deadline for **Cards for Veterans** is Friday, December 7—see Page 2





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The Interact Club of Somerset started the new school year by organizing an Activity Fair. The Activity Fair gives the clubs in the school the opportunity to highlight their



club and let students know what they can participate in throughout the year. It is a great way to recruit new members, get the information out, and encourage students to get involved. We set up tables during the Back-to-School night for parents and kept the tables up for the students to check out during their lunches.





CARDS FOR VETERANS

December 7 is the deadline to get your Cards for Veterans turned in. Remember the rules: cards should not be religious, they cannot be in an envelope, should not contain any "glitter" and should be signed with only your first name. Be sure to get other organizations in your school involved and don't forget about your sponsoring Rotary Club's members and their businesses.



The Greater Johnstown High School Interact Club was happy to have helped at the Log House Arts Festival at the Community Arts

Center! They were in the Kid's Kingdom helping with cool crafts for the kids. The festival, included artists, vendors, and music! This event is awesome for the whole family!









Articles and pictures for the November 2018 District 7730 Interact Newsletter must be sent to Mark Barnhart before October 31 at mbarnhar@verizon.net.





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#### **Reading Under the Lights**

Interactors volunteered at the Reading Under the Lights event for the elementary school students in September. The elemen-



tary students and their families were invited to bring books and blankets to the football stadium to read and participate in some fun activities. Interactors served as greeters and handed out the books that were given as door prizes.



## **Somerset County Mobile Food Bank Distribution**

Interactors helped distribute and carry food at the monthly Somerset County Mobile Food Bank distribution that is held at the Somerset Area Junior High School each month, rain or shine. This month we had rain the entire time!



# World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh

The deadline to register for the November 30 World Affairs Council is November 1. Most Rotary Clubs in the District provide scholarships for students in their area. The registration form can be found on-line but REMEMBER that each student that is registered must complete a media waiver by November 15 that can be found at: www.worldpittsburgh.org/wai2018. You will find the link for the waiver under "Registration for Individual and School Scholarships". Don't forget to ask your sponsoring Rotary Club if you can attend one of their meetings and present a program about your experience.

So why the blank space,? Well we were saving this space for articles from District Interact Clubs other than Somerset and Johnstown. Don't let this space be blank next month! See page 2 of this issue to see when and where to send articles and pictures.