

ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



Published weekly by the ROTARY CLUB of WINCHESTER, VIRGINIA
 Visit The Rotary Club of Winchester website at www.winchesterrotary.com
 Address Rotary correspondence to P.O. Box 412, Winchester, VA 22604

Chartered 1921

July 13, 2017

ROTARY IN THE PARK! July 6-27

- July 27 - Board Meeting GW Hotel, 6 pm
- Aug 3 - FAMILY PICNIC IN THE PARK, **no noon meeting**
- Aug 24 - Board Meeting GW Hotel, 6 pm
- Sept 16 & 17 Apple Harvest Festival
- Sept 28 - Shrimp Feed, no noon meeting
- Oct 2 - Rotary Golf Tournament
- Nov 2 - Awards Night, GW Hotel, no noon meeting
- Nov 23 - Thanksgiving, No Meeting
- Dec 14- Holiday Social at WCC, **no noon meeting (evening event)**

TODAY

Our program will be presented by Brandan Thomas, Executive Director of the Winchester Rescue Mission. Brandan will provide an overview of the new direction of the WRM and the extreme need for a local women's shelter.

GRANTS APPROVED

President Julia informed the club that the area collaborative grant was approved meaning the Shenandoah Valley Substance Abuse Coalition will be receiving a \$10,000 grant. And the Winchester Rescue Mission will receive \$5,000 towards their new roof with the approval of our club's matching grant.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

You don't have to be a golfer to help. If you would like to get involved with the Golf Tournament, see Don Louque, III. The tournament usually raises between \$10k-\$12k. The committee will announce the beneficiary soon.



DUES INCREASE

You will be receiving your first quarter invoice in the coming days for our new Rotary year. You will notice an increase of \$6 from \$197/quarter to \$203/quarter (R85 increases from \$62/quarter to \$68/quarter). This increase was approved by the Board of Directors to offset an increase in both Rotary International dues and District 7570 dues.

We anticipate an increase in the cost of meals from Winchester Country Club in the near future when our contract is renewed, so this increase will also help offset an increase in meal cost. We are currently paying WCC \$12.00 per meal, so the cost of meals "at the door" has been increased from \$10 to \$12 (guests, visitors and R85).

LAST WEEK... President Julia

New Club President Julia Connell kicked off our summer in the park by telling the club her "Rotary Story" and outlining some of her goals for the upcoming year. Julia complimented immediate past President Scott Arthur on his successful year and for preparing her for the road ahead. She also acknowledged her officers, the Board and all of the committee chairs for their efforts.



Julia spoke glowingly of her three sons and of their many accomplishments. Two of her sons, Christopher and Camden, are in Dallas but her son Phillip Dorsey was in attendance to hear his mother's praise. Phillip is the proud father of Julia's two grandchildren ages 4 years and 7 months.

Julia is a 25 year Rotarian having started in Charles Town, West Virginia, where she served as president of a club of roughly 35 members. She later transferred to the Shepherdstown club before joining The Rotary Club of Winchester in 2008. She described her first 20 years in Rotary as a wonderful opportunity to give back to the community but says she didn't really learn "what Rotary is all about" until she reached beyond the weekly meetings. By attending the District Conference and the International Conference she gained the perspective that Rotary is not local but global. She advised our club members not to just show up and let others do the work.

As with all club presidents Julia is tasked with increasing our current enrollment of 167 by one but she has an added goal of increasing our female membership from 42 to 50 during her year which is the 30th anniversary of women in Rotary. Regardless of gender Julia encourages all of our members to recruit new members which will in turn "give us more power to do good."

Julia mentioned a new fundraising idea for the fall that she called Pints for Polio and emphasized the desire to incorporate a literacy component to our club's mission. She said her top personal goal as President is to inspire her fellow club members to feel her passion for Rotary.

Apple Harvest Arts & Crafts Meeting...



Co-chair Darla McCrary invited all current committee members and anyone interested in joining the Apple Harvest Festival committee to their first meeting on **Monday, July 17th at 5:30 pm at the Frederick County Fairgrounds.**

Need to make-up an absence? Check out these area club meetings:

- Clarke County - Wednesday Lunch - Berryville Presbyterian Church - Noon
- Charles Town - Tuesday Lunch - Jefferson Hospital - 12:15 pm
- Frederick County - Tuesday Breakfast - Westminster Canterbury - 7:30 am
- Front Royal - Friday Lunch - Houlihan's - Noon
- Hagerstown - Wednesday Lunch - Venice Inn - 12:15 pm
- Leesburg - Thursday Evening - Rivercreek Country Club - 6:00 pm

- New Market - Wednesday Lunch - The Shenvalle - 12:10 pm
- Purcellville - Thursday - Bethany United Methodist Church - 7:00 am
- Strasburg - Tuesday Noon - Strasburg Moose Lodge - Noon
- Warren Co. (was Linden) - Wednesday Breakfast, Mom's Country Kitchen - 7:00 am
- Warrenton - Thursday Lunch - Stoneridge Events Center - 12:15 pm
- Woodstock - Wednesday Lunch - Woodstock Moose Lodge - 12:05 pm

Absentees: 7-6-2017

William Aikens
Scott Arthur
Jackie Bates
Linda Coffman
Nancy Davis
John Elrick
Carl Esterhay
Rob Frogale
Phil Glaize
Wilson Gilbert

Robert Hall
Dick Helm
Sven Hlywiak
Doug Joyner
Jaime Karalis
Dwight Kemp
John Lamanna
Todd Lilley
Adrian O'Connor
Ron Price
Ken Rice

Mike Richardson
Tootie Rinker
Tom Rockwood
Roy Schwarz
Terry Sinclair
Dave Smith
Jay Smith
Ajay Virmani
Michael Williams
Stuart Williams
Kelly Wolfe

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Scott Arthur - 6/29 - Board Meeting
Jenny Baker - 7/6 - PR Committee Meeting
Nancy Davis - 6/3 - Rummage Sale
Callie Fitzwater - 6/3 - Rummage Sale
Hlywiak, Sven - 7/6 - Bloomfield Hills, MI
Chuck Peterson - 7/6 - PR Committee Meeting
Pottinga, Nadine - 7/6 - PR Committee Meeting
Michael Richardson - 6/26 - Rummage Sale Mtg
Rinker Tootie - 6/3 - Rummage Sale
Sue Scarborough - 7/5 and 6/28 -Clarke County
Michael Williams - 6/26 - Rummage Sale Mtg

Turning in a Make-up?

Please make sure to complete all information, including your name, the event or club attended, date attended and date making-up on all make-cards and slips submitted. Make-ups can also be submitted online at winchesterrotary.com under Member Login.

Visitors & Guests Last Week

Rob Allen, guest of Shane Wagner
Lauren Dock, guest of Darla McCrary
Alison Dock, guest of Darla McCrary
Nancy Tabaka, guest of Marty Tabaka
Ryan Hall, guests of Mary Braun
Steve Kent, guest of Dick Kent
Phillip Dorsey, guest of Julia Connell
Melinda Henkle & Rick Irvin, guests of Paul Magness
Janet Housey, guest of Kent Mull

THANK YOU

President Julia thanked Darla McCrary and Paul Frank for hosting the special June Board Meeting at their home.

Rotary Leadership Institute

On Friday, August 11 the Rotary Leadership Institute will be held in Winchester at LFCC. 8:30 a.m. through 4:30 p.m. (includes lunch).

This is a wonderful introduction to Rotary and gives Rotarians, both new and established, a better understanding of the structure of Rotary and how their club can make a difference in the world.

The club will pay for 1/2 of the cost of attendance. The total registration fee is \$95.00, so your cost will be \$47.50. Here's what you need to do:

Go to the District 7570 website: www.rotary7570.org
Click on the "Events" tab and choose "RLI Training Events"
Click on "Click here to register or for Event Info" (highlighted in yellow)

Register for the Winchester session

Once you have registered, please submit your request for \$47.50 (refund of 1/2 the cost) to Dick Kent, Treasurer. If you have any questions or need assistance with registration, see President Julia.

Rotary Club of Frederick Co. July Meeting Schedule

July 18th - 7:30 am at the Rotary shelter in Sherando Park (across from the swimming pool)

July 25th, 7:30 am at The Kids Clubs of the Northern Shenandoah Valley (2400 Roosevelt Blvd).

They will be back meeting at Westminster Canterbury starting on August 1st at 7:30 am.

Next Board Meeting JULY 27th - 6 PM

**Board Meeting, GW Hotel
Attitude Adjustment 5:30 pm**

All are welcome! AND it counts as a Make-up!



OUR DRAWING LAST WEEK

Club treasurer, Dick Kent was the lucky winner taking home \$18. The new deck of cards never made it out to the shelter so it's safe to say the ace of spades will be ripe for the picking this week as the jackpot begins again at \$18.

HEALTH TIP

Lori Bales encouraged club members to stay away from diets and instead incorporate the simple philosophy of, eat real food, not too much and mostly plants. She described the \$60 billion diet industry that is failing to produce results. She cited statistics that 50% of women are on diets but the obesity rate has doubled since the 1960's.

Shenandoah Music Festival

Bill Bennett encouraged club members to purchase tickets for the July 22nd **Rotary Polio Plus Benefit** concert at Orkney Springs.



"Sgt. Pepper and the Summer of Love" is a unique tribute to the music of the Summer of 1967 featuring the Piedmont Symphony Orchestra accompanied by a tribute rock band. Tickets are available from Nancy Davis or Byron Brill, and checks should be made out to the Strasburg Rotary Club. **\$19 of every \$50 ticket will be used to fight Polio and the GATES Foundation will match DOUBLE making it \$57 to fight Polio!!**



BANNER PRESENTATION

Karey Starnes presented President Julia with a banner from a Rotary club in Nigeria that she received while attending the Rotary International conference.

EVENT MAKE-UP SLIP

The Rotary Club of Winchester

Print Your Name: _____

Event Attended: _____

Date of Event: _____
Committee, Board, Community Event

Date of Missed Meeting: _____

(Turn in at Sergeant at Arms Desk)

President
President-Elect
Secretary
Treasurer

Julia Connell
Paul Magness
Cary Claytor
Dick Kent

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2016-2019 Jenny Baker, Jamie Karalis, Kent Mull, Jonathan Snowden
2015-2018 Jean Barch, Tom W. Byrd, Roy Schwartz, Ed White
2017-2020 Paul Frank, John Lamanna, Libba Pendleton, Dave Smith

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT - Scott Arthur

Cog Wheel Staff: Jenny Baker, Belinda Barbour, Mary Braun, Paul Burkholder, Tom W. Byrd, Sharen Gromling, Don Karolyi, Tom Maccubbin, Chuck Peterson, Sue Rich, Gene Schultz, Dave Smith, Steve Straight

Photos: Paul Burkholder

Reporter: Tom Byrd