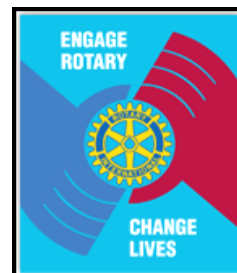


ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

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?



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Upcoming Events/Programs

NEXT WEEK - Board Meeting - GW Hotel, 6 PM
Sept. 21 & 22 - 39th Annual Arts & Crafts Festival
Sept. 25 - Dedication of Mike Foreman Reading Garden
Oct. 7 - 10th Annual Golf Tournament
Oct. 19 - Coats for Kids
Oct. 26 - Rotary District 7570 Anniversary Celebration

Today

The always entertaining New Member Talks will be our program.

100th Anniversary Rotary District 7570 Celebration

PLEASE - Get your tickets now - Don is hoping not to be the ONLY Winchester Rotarian attending. The date is October 26th. The place is the George Washington Hotel. This gala event won't come around again in our lifetime, so get your tickets today. Tickets are \$35 per person and are available from President Don. **And yes, you get a make-up!**

Calling All Golf Aficionados!

The **10th Annual Benefit Golf Tournament** is coming up on October 7th. A special thanks to Wells Fargo, our presenting sponsor. We still need golfers, sponsors, and help with registrations the day of the tournament. Our beneficiary is Habitat for Humanity. Check your table for a brochure or see President Don for more details.



Mike Foreman Reading Garden

The dedication ceremony for the Mike Foreman Reading Garden at the Handley Library will be held Wednesday, September 25th, 5:30 PM (rain date Sept. 26th). For more details, contact the library.



Invite A Friend...Gain a Member

If you didn't get one of the cards at left, please do! They're at the check-in table and are a great way to recruit new club members.

Taking a Month off....

Winchester's Latest Rotary will **NOT** be holding meetings during September...their next meeting will be October 1st.

Last Week

Dario Savarese of Full Circle Marketing brought us up-to-date on what's happening in Old Town Winchester since the Loudoun Street Mall has been renovated. He outlined the events planned for the coming months and invited us to "**Come on down**" and see for ourselves the new downtown. With new events like the **Downtown Tailgate Party, Skyline Indie Film Fest & Octo-BEERfest** planned, he pointed out that no one can complain "*there's nothing to do in Winchester*" anymore.



Dario told us that the next "Big" happening for Winchester will be the completion of the Taylor Hotel site including amphitheater and farmer's market area. This will just about finish the "Old Town Mall" restoration and provide another historical attraction for visitors.

When talking of the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, he noted that the festival brings the area much needed income during the 2 week "Bloom" and also introduces out-of-town visitors to Winchester with hopes they will return here to attend upcoming events, tour, and shop.

Hurst Hospitality House Collections

Thanks to everyone who dropped off items for the Hurst House last week. A box will be available the first Thursday of each month. Hurst Hospitality House is dedicated to taking care of out-of-town families of seriously ill patients or newborns in the NICU.



Items needed are:

Grab and Go Snacks (individually wrapped) Like: Crackers, pop tarts, power bars, granola bars, popcorn, instant soup, oatmeal, bottled water & juice boxes.

Toiletries (small sample sized) soap, bath gel, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, zip lock bags (all sizes), shaving cream, tissue packs, mouthwash, etc.

Strasburg Rotary Poker Run - you won't need a bike

To Benefit **Stop Hunger Now**

September 28th, registration starts at 8:30 am

Staggered groups starting at 10 am

90 mile ride starting at Strasburg Town Park, includes 6 stops

\$25 to enter, \$20 for each additional hand

Cash prizes for best hand, worst hand, most aces

Call 540-465-9242 for more info.

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 - Shenandoah Univ. Cafeteria - 7:30 am
Front Royal - Friday Lunch - Houlihan's - Noon
Hagerstown - Wednesday Lunch - Venice Inn - 12:15 pm
Leesburg - Thursday Evening - Rivercreek Country Club - 6:30 pm
Linden - Wednesday Breakfast, Apple House - 7:00 am

New Market - Wednesday Lunch - The Shenvalle - 12:10 pm
Purcellville - Thursday - Bethany United Methodist Church - 7:00 am
Strasburg - Tuesday Noon - Strasburg Hotel - Noon
Warrenton - Thursday Lunch - Fauquier Springs - 12:15 pm
Winchester Latest - **No Meetings in September** - Tuesday Evening -
Piccadilly Brew Pub - 6 pm
Woodstock - Wednesday Lunch - Woodstock Moose Lodge - 12:05 pm

Absentees: 9-05-13

William Aikens
Andrew Beck
Bill Buettin
Gary Chrisman
John Copenhagen
Greg Crawford
Marie DiLorenzo
Sharon Farinholt
Wilson Gilbert

Felicia Hart
Brooke Herndon
Jaime Karalis
Dennis Kellison
Conrad Koneczny
Paul Magness
Alan McKay
Dennis McLoughlin
Bob Mitchell
Wilborn Roberson

Tom Rockwood
Bernie Schwartzman
Irv Shendow
Jeanie Shiley
Martin Tabaka
Richard Talbott
Ajay Virmani
Ben Weber

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Cary Claytor - 9/3 - eClub of Carolinas
Brooke Herndon - 8/29 - Special Projects Mtg.
Conrad Koneczny - 8/22 - Board Mtg.
Jim Laidlaw - 8/13 - Winchester's Latest
Roy Laidlaw - 8/27 - Frederick County
Neile Martin - 8/23 - Mentor Mtg.
Karen Schultz - 9/5 - New Member Orientation
Bernie Schwartzman - 8/29 - Golf Committee Mtg.
Roy Schwarz - 8/13 & 8/20 - Ketchum-Sun Valley, Idaho
Roy Schwarz - 9/3 - Frederick County
Joe Shtulman - 7/24 - Clarke County
Irv Shendow - 8/27 - Frederick County
Dick Wiltshire - 9/4 - Clarke County

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.

Our Visitors & Guests - Last Week

Amy Kump, Brian Hester & Nancy Davis all from Winchester's Latest Rotary Club
Brad Snowden from the Clarke Rotary Club
Rob Hoxton from the Shepherdstown Rotary Club
Eve Nealon, guest of Karen Schultz
Jeremy Nichols, guest of Jackie Bates
Mike & Fred Riley, guest of Sherry Riley
Matt De Rosier, guest of Kevin Calanan
Senator Jill Vogel, guest of Tricia Stiles
Lenny Sweet, club guest

Our Drawing Last Week

Thanks to Dario, we had an extra special drawing for two tickets to the Downtown TailGate Party for this past weekend...Lucky Karey Starnes was the winner.



Dave Goff won \$24 in our regular drawing but alas, lost the jackpot when he drew the 9 of hearts. This week's jackpot starts at \$158.

Next Board Meeting - Sept. 19th - GW Hotel
Attitude Adjustment 5:30 pm ... Meeting 6 pm
All are invited, and it counts as a make-up!

Apple Harvest Arts & Crafts Festival - Sept 21 & 22

The festival is rapidly approaching and **NOW** is the time to sign up to help! There are a multitude of fun and important duties waiting, including staffing the information table, parking and taking money. We need people to cover 2 hour shifts from 9 AM to 5 PM both days. *There are sign-up sheets circulating...please give us a few hours of your time to help out.*

Bill Hottel needs a few people at the festival information table who are good at looking important and answering questions such as:

- "Where are the bathrooms?"
- "Where's the Apple Butter being sold?"
- "Where can I get some coffee?"

So, if you KNOW you're good at standing around and looking important, please step up and give Bill a hand...he will need 4 or 5 people. **And, yes, you'll get a make-up.**



ALSO, let Bill know if you can display a large poster or banner at your place of work. The park is not allowing banners this year. You can reach Bill at 540-662-0325.

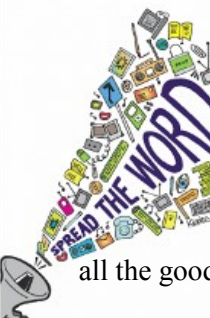
Your Rotary Newsletter is Online

Can't make it to our meeting? Keep up-to-date and read each week's CogWheel online at our website...and the photos will be in full color!

Visit winchesterrotary.com and click on the Our Newsletter tab. They are listed by date AND, you don't have to be logged in to view the newsletters.

Publicize Your Rotary Event!

If you are organizing a Rotary event or fundraiser and you need a hand with raising awareness of that event, contact Victoria Kidd. She is assisting with public relations for the club and would be happy to help spread the word about all the good this club does for the community!



DISCLAIMER

*We don't make this stuff up! (Ok, most of it.)
Most information contained herein is obtained from our members and usually is correct.*

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)

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