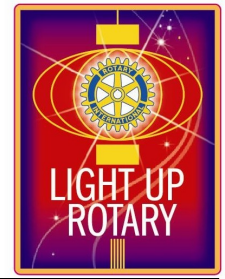
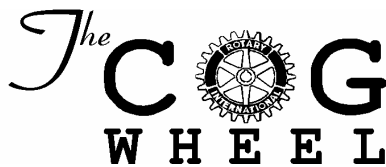


ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

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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Mark Your Calendars....

TONIGHT - Board Meeting, GW Hotel, 6 pm
Sept. 15 - District Governor's visit Clarke Ruritan Bldg. 6:30pm
Sept. 19 & 20 - Apple Harvest Festival
Sept. 24 - Board Meeting, GW Hotel, 6 pm
Oct. 1 - Shrimp Feed, no noon meeting
Oct. 12 - Annual Golf Tournament

Have a program or speaker suggestion? Let Scott know.

Today's Program

It's a mystery!

District Governor's Visit

District 7570 Governor Alex Wilkins will visit Area 1 on September 15th at the VFW in Berryville. Gov. Wilkins is asking that everyone donate an additional \$3 for the District **Stop Hunger Now Events** (RYLA & District Conference). Tootie has tickets. If not planning to attend, you can still donate \$3 for **Stop Hunger Now**. (You can also volunteer for next year's food-packing event – stay tuned...)

NEW & IMPROVED APPLE HARVEST FESTIVAL

Save the dates: SEPT 19 AND 20! YOUR participation makes this event possible. Festival planning is in full swing with lots of fun activities for the whole family.



NEW this Year: Larger Location - **FREDERICK COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS**, Bingo, Hard Cider & Craft Beer Tastings, INDOOR and Outdoor Craft Areas, Antique Car & Truck Show...and there's more in the works!

Bingo Prizes are needed...they don't have to be big. Sporting goods, event tickets, coupons from your business, gift cards & baskets are all welcome! See Lori Vogel.

Are you Crafty? - It's been suggested that we have a **Rotary Craft Booth** at the **Apple Harvest Festival**. A booth where any members of our Club may sell their handmade items. If you are interested in participating, please send Libba Pendleton an email at libbame@gmail.com.

Let her know:

- >> What items you have.
- >> If you are willing to share the cost of the booth.
- >> If you wish to keep or donate your proceeds to the Club.
- >> If you like the idea but are not ready this year.

Also include any other suggestions you have.

Libba will report back to the Club with information about the response.

Our Last Program

Former District Governor (2013-14) and current chair of the District Polio Plus Committee, Ron Mabry, joined us from his Warren County Rotary Club. Tracing the history of Rotary's involvement in the eradication of Polio, Ron described the club's early intervention in the Philippines in 1979. By 1985, a formal pledge to eradicate polio was formed; actual implementation was underway in 1988. Along with multiple partners, including the World Health Organization, UNICEF and the Gates Foundation (along with several others), concerted efforts have eradicated polio in all but two countries: Afghanistan and Pakistan (Nigeria has been without a reported case in over a year.) Afghanistan reported just one new case in July of 2015 amounting to 7 cases in 2015 (favorably comparing to 28 cases in 2014.) Pakistan's new case brings its total polio patients to 29 for 2015 (favorably comparing to 108 in 2014.) Progress is palpable, and notably Africa is without polio cases for one year.



Eradication is precarious. Polio spreads quickly and easily. Infection can be just one plane or car ride away. The virus, which is present in the millions in its host's feces, is spread by sewage ion areas where sanitation conditions are poor. Presently six countries are classified as importation countries who are susceptible to fresh outbreaks.

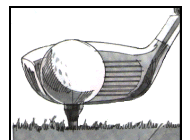
Thanks to \$5.5 Billion committed to eradicate polio (the final .5 Billion is left to raise by 2018 with matching funds pledged by the Gates Foundation), Type 2 Polio has not been detected since 1999. Type 1 Polio is still active.

One dose costs 60 cents to \$1. A donation of \$1 per day treats 365 kids; when matched by the Gates Foundation, the donation benefits three times that population! (Note your raffle ticket purchase goes in part to the Polio Plus campaign.) Be a gift to the world. Be a gift to the children of the world.

Let's surpass our club's goal of \$3,200 for the eradication of polio.

Golf Tournament - October 12th

Don Louque reports there are still plenty of opportunities for sponsors and teams! This year's beneficiary is the Lord Fairfax House in Winchester, a 12-step program and part of the Council on Alcoholism Lord Fairfax Community.



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 - 6:30 pm

Linden - Wednesday Breakfast, Mom's Country Kitchen - 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 Moose Lodge - Noon
 Warrenton - Thursday Lunch - Stoneridge Events Center - 12:15 pm
 Woodstock - Wednesday Lunch - Woodstock Moose Lodge - 12:05 pm

Absentees: 8-20-2015

William Aikens
Jean Barch
Jackie Bates
Erik Beatley
Don Butler
Tom W. Byrd
Cary Claytor
Frances Crawford
Anthony Crosen
Marie DiLorenzo
Jesse Dingle
Dana Evans
Rob Frogale
Hunter Gaunt
Wilson Gilbert

Phil Glaize
Felicia Hart
Brooke Herndon
Sven Hlywiak
Alex Iden
Victoria Kidd
Deborah Langfitt
Mark Lineburg
Michael Malone
Alan McKay
Bob Mitchell
Kit Molden
Kent Mull
Kurt Nyberg
Ron Price

Earl Riddick
Karen Schultz
Jeannie Shiley
Bob Shriner
Terry Sinclair
Dave Smith
Jay Smith
Karey Starnes
Tricia Stiles
David Sweeney
Patty Taylor
Ajay Virmani
Shane Wagoner
Stuart Williams
Dick Wiltshire

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Jean Barch – 8/10 – SVAH Mtg.
Andrew Beck – 8/14 – Front Royal
John Lamanna – 7/30 – Family Picnic Prep.
Kit Molden – 8/13 – Golf Committee Mtg.
Karen Schultz – 7/29 – Frederick Co. Fairs Gates
Karen Schultz – 8/18 – Frederick County
Terry Sinclair – 8/10 – SVAH Mtg.
Dave Smith – 7/29 – Frederick Co. Fairs Gates
Karey Starnes – 8/10 – SVAH Mtg.
Tricia Stiles – 8/10 – SVAH 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.

Board Meeting TONIGHT - GW Hotel
Attitude Adjustment 5:30 pm
Meeting 6 pm
All are welcome, and it counts as a make-up!

Visitors & Guests Last Week

Bobby Amos, guest of Jeff Davis
Brian Schwarz, guest of John Elrick
Lori Bales, guest of Nadine Pothinga

CONRAD'S FOUNDATION MINUTE



Of the four priorities directing the Foundation's focus over the next 3 years, the fourth states "Enhance the image and awareness of the Foundation's record of achievements, particularly the success of Polio-Plus and its 100-year record of Doing Good in the World."

Conrad invites us to consider the 100 year record. The history of the Foundation began in 1917 with Arch Klumph, 6th president of Rotary International, allocating a balance of \$26.50 toward the founding of an endowment for the purpose of *doing good in the world*. By 1928 that endowment grew to \$5,000 and it was then designated "*The Rotary Foundation.*"

Within the Foundation's present 3-year priority term, the Foundation will celebrate its 100 years of...

Doing Good in the World.

Libba's Health Report

Prayers & cards are welcomed by Wade Johnson, Doc Madigan and George Henzel who continue their road to (hopeful) recovery. (Contact info is available by logging into the membership section on the Rotary website.)

Libba's Health Tip

Playing a musical instrument as a child can have long-term benefits. A Northwestern University study finds that even a brief period of playing an instrument can help hearing later in life. "*Early music-making might shape certain structures in the brain stem, where auditory signals are processed.*"

Please take an Apple Harvest Poster and hang it in your office or business

41ST ANNUAL Shenandoah Valley Apple Harvest Festival

ENJOY AN AUTUMN WEEKEND IN APPLE COUNTRY
Saturday & Sunday September 19 & 20, 2015
FREDERICK COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
ROUTE 11 NORTH, WINCHESTER, VA
10 AM to 5 PM BOTH DAYS
Artisans & Craftsmen from throughout the Region
Food - Craft Beers - Hard Ciders - Exhibits - Bingo
LIVE MUSIC BOTH DAYS
Apple Butter Making Demonstration & Sales
Regional Apple Pie Baking Contest
White House Apple Pie Eating Contest - Sunday, 2 PM

KIDS ZONE INFLATABLES FACE PAINTING & FUN! ZORB BALL - GIANT SLIDE COMBO BOUNCE HOUSE OBSTACLE COURSE	GATE ADMISSION 14 thru 64 \$5.00 65 and over \$4.00 6 thru 13 \$3.00 Under 6 years FREE	TAP & CORK NEW CRAFT BEER & HARD CIDER TASTING AREA \$10 ADULTS ONLY MUST HAVE I.D.
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Sponsored by: PAPA JOHN'S, Jim Stutzman, THE HOME DEPOT, WHITEHOUSE, HandyMart

1ST ANNUAL ANTIQUE CAR & TRUCK SHOW
Goody Bags - Dash Plaques
Top 12 Awards

HOSTED BY THE WINCHESTER ROTARY CLUB
Admission Proceeds Donated to Local Charities.

Our Drawing Last Week

Drawing: Dan Martin won \$22 in our weekly drawing, but the Ace of Spades was not to be found. Today's jackpot begins at \$22.



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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