

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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February 1, 2018

- February 22 - Board Meeting, GW Hotel 6 pm
- March 16-18 - District 7570 Conference
- March 22 - Board Meeting, GW Hotel 6 pm
- March 24 - Kaleidoscope
- April 5-7 - PETS at Hotel Roanoke
- April 26 - Board Meeting, GW Hotel 6 pm
- May 3 - Apple Blossom Queen's Dinner (no noon meeting)

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Allon Lefever will discuss his new book, *"Launching the Entrepreneur Ship"*, published this year and now selling on Amazon as well as the book's website.

VOTING RESULTS

Congratulations to our incoming slate of officers and board members for the 2018-19 Rotary year. The term will begin on July 1, 2018.

Officers:

- President: Paul Magness
- President-Elect: Cary Claytor
- Secretary: Dick Kent
- Treasurer: John Elrick

Board Members 2018-2021:

- Tricia Simpson
- Nancy Davis
- Jeff Barbour
- Dick Helm

Thanks to all our board members and officers for their commitment to our club's future.

"Breathe" - Polio Fundraiser Movie

Monday, Feb 12th. This should be a fun evening at the Alamo Drafthouse and a great way to raise money for polio.

The Australian film is about a young man struck down by polio, his wife intervenes to help him live a rewarding life. It features an award-nominated cast and has gotten great reviews. Plus it will make a great date movie, just in time for Valentine's Day! See Mary Braun for more details or below is the exclusive website for Rotarians to purchase tickets.

This showing is for Rotary club members and guests only, so please help us fill the theatre! **Time is getting short!** There are only 166 seats available, so order your tickets today

<https://drafhthouse.com/winchester/tickets/breathe/0301/105556/showtimes>

There are still a few seats available!

Cost is only \$12 and includes a commemorative Rotary glass filled with health-enhancing popcorn!



OUR LAST PROGRAM



Nancy Mango, the director of Bright Futures Frederick County/Winchester, which serves as an umbrella to help coordinate the area's relief services for students, helping to maximize impact and minimize effort. Working with all 27 county and city schools, Bright Futures hopes to minimize the fragmenting of efforts.



Ongoing studies suggest there are more than 400 children in Frederick County and Winchester City who are homeless. Many more are dealing with food insecurity and don't always know where their next meal is coming from. Bright Horizons's primary service, the Food Pack program, feeds 1000 students per week, and yet demand exceeds resources by 150% or more. Thanks to their large warehouse and "one stop shop" approach, they were able to accept a donation of 40,000 boxes of pasta from New World Pasta in Winchester. Mama mia, that's a lot of spaghetti...

Working with the local superintendents, Nancy and her organization also try to help with students' emotional health. Nancy cited a case where a student was refusing to dress for gym class and was at risk of disciplinary action, only to discover that her family could not afford to provide her with underwear. Once that obstacle was surmounted, the student gladly complied. Nancy says many students do not get the kind of emotional support that can help identify those types of problems.

Bright Futures also helps with tutoring and other needs as identified.

TODAY, INDUCTION OF PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS

Mark Andrews is Business Relationship Manager for Doing Better Business, Inc. His business is located in Winchester and he lives in Winchester. His sponsors are John Elrick and Jaime Karalis.



Billy Whirley is responsible for Business Development at Water Street Advisory located in Winchester. Billy lives in Stephens City. His sponsors are Dee Dee Barbour and Jeff Barbour.

Hail to Rotary Youth Exchange Program

Karen Schultz extolled the virtues of the Rotary Youth Exchange Program, holding up a book she recently received from one of her former charges. Here's hoping we have the opportunity to participate in that program again soon.

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: 1-25-18	Sven Hlywiak	Kit Molden	Bob Stieg
William Aikens	Dwight Kemp	Kent Mull	Patty Taylor
DeeDee Barbour	John Lamanna	Ron Price	Ben Weber
Bill Bennett	Deborah Langfitt	Ken Rice	Larry Weiss
Anthony Crosen	Todd Lilley	Terry Sinclair	Ridge White
Dana Evans	Allison Lowery	Jennifer Stanfor	Kelly Wolfe
Paul Frank	Neile Martin	Karey Starnes	

Visitors & Guests Last Week

Mark Andrews, guest of John Elrick
 Billy Whirlery, guest of DeeDee Barbour
 Chris Merchant, guest of Mary Braun
 Debbie Connolly, guest of John Tyson
 Judy McKiernan, guest of Doug Joyner
 Teresa Ritenour, guest of Doug Joyner
 Ben Thomposn, guest of Doug Joyner

103rd Annual District 7570 Conference registration is open!
 Come *Celebrate our Service* at The Homestead Resort
March 16-18, 2018

You will be receiving *Conference News* regularly in your inbox, introducing all the conference speakers and events. Check out the redesigned *Conference Website*, (readable from your smartphone) it will help you organize your stay - including Saturday Special Sessions and Homestead Lodging information. The *Conference News* and *Website* will provide you with complete conference info.

At last week's Board Meeting, they voted unanimously to offer the following incentives for attending the District Conference at the Homestead:



- The first three "first-time attendees" to register for the conference will be reimbursed the registration fee and 2 nights lodging.
 - The next two "first-time attendees" who register for the conference will be reimbursed the registration fee and 1 night lodging. So we are offering 5 "first-time attendees" an incentive to register!
 - For those who have attended the conference before, you are eligible to enter a drawing to be reimbursed for registration plus 1 night lodging. Once you have registered, just let Julia know and your name will be entered into the "hat" for that drawing.
 - To register, go to www.rotary7570.org and on the "Events" tab you will see "District Conference". Follow the links to register for the conference!
- Hope to see several of our Rotary members attend!*

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Jean Barch - 12/21 - Board Meeting
Tom W. Byrd - 12/21 - Board Meeting
Dick Helm - 1/25 - PR Committee Meeting
Dwight Kemp - 1/25(9) - Martinsburg
John Lamanna - 12/21 - Board Meeting
Neile Martin - 1/18 - Kaleidoscope Meeting
Chuck Peterson - 1/5(2) - Front Royal
Patty Taylor - 1/11 - Comm. Services Committee 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.

NEXT BOARD MEETING
February 22 GW HOTEL 5:30 PM
All are welcome & it counts as a Make-up!

RUMMAGE TIME

David Kent wants your rummage! And he's even willing to come pick it up!
Thanks to Rob Frogale, the storage truck is out early this year and available at **Frogale Lumber** on Route 50 East. David has even set up a handy new box labeling system to reduce time, trouble, sorting and damage to both our goods and our club members this year.



PAYING UP

Don Louque proudly presented a check for more than \$11,000 in proceeds from our October Golf Tournament to **Debbie Connolly** of the Community Foundation of the Northern Shenandoah Valley. He thanked all the club members who sponsored and or participated in the event, then, in a rare show of restraint, he sat down.

HEALTH REPORT

Bill Bayliss has a new knee, and he was showing it off at the orientation meeting prior to last week's meeting but had to leave. **Ridge White** had his gallbladder taken out a couple weeks ago and is dealing with more complications than expected. **Jimmy Gordon** is now getting out and about. We hope to see all three at a meeting soon.

HEALTH TIP

Libba's Health tip was to treat your Significant Other well on January 26th, which was **National Spouse Day**. Hopefully you are already doing more than is expected of you in that department and your health is better for it...

OUR RAFFLE LAST WEEK

Pat Kofalt won a handy \$64 and, since last week was the draw-til-you-win showdown, **David Sovine got the meatier prize of \$532**, which he generously donated back to the club. The winning ticket came refreshingly quickly compared to years past. Today the pot begins again at 0.

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	Julia Connell
President-Elect	Paul Magness
Secretary	Cary Claytor
Treasurer	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	
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