

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 22, 2018

TONIGHT - 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)
- May 10 - Winchester Little Theatre Night

TODAY'S PROGRAM

This week **Mark Sweberg** will share insights into the Jordan excavation that is believed to be the ancient city of Sodom. This will be a very interesting and thought-provoking program.

Polio Fundraiser Movie Report - "Breathe"

74 Rotary members attended the polio fundraiser at the Alamo Draft House. Our net from the movie, drinking glass, and popcorn sales was over \$900 towards our 2018 goal of \$5,000.

TIME TO CLEAN OUT YOUR CLOSETS!

David Kent wants your stuff! 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.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Julia introduced our two newest members for the second time. **Mark Andrews** is Business Relationship Manager for Doing Better Business, Inc. His business is located in Winchester and he lives in Winchester. **Billy Whirley** is responsible for Business Development at Water Street Advisory located in Winchester. Billy lives in Stephens City.

**MARCH
24**

SAVE THE DATE!

Jenny Baker reminded us that Kaleidoscope is March 24th at the Shenandoah Valley Golf Club. This year's event will be an Area 1 event, so ALL

your Rotary friends will be there. Don't be left out – buy your ticket soon!

OUR LAST PROGRAM

Si Schivone from the **Northwest Regional Drug Task Force** gave us a review of the task forces work in our area. The task force was formed in 1986 with 8 police officers and has since grown to over 40 officers. These officers come



from State, local and Federal law enforcement and cover from Rockingham County in the south to Frederick County to the North. Schivone told us that normally drug cycles last 5 years but in the case with heroin the epidemic has yet to peak well after its 5 year run. The Task Force depends upon informants within the community to help them ferret out drug dealers and their goal is to reach up the chain so that they can arrest and convict at the highest level of dealers.

In 2014, Schivone, then Chief of Police for Winchester helped formed the Substance Abuse Coalition with the help of our club. This effort was launched as community wide effort to help eradicate this scourge from our community. Money is being raised now via Kaleidoscope and etc. in order to provide the following tools. **1) "Give me a reason"** provides parents a place to get drug testing kits for parents to use and identify the problem early. **2) Provide training** for local first responders, school counselors etc. to be a resource for parents and friends who have identified real or potential drug abuse and **3) Money** to provide drug rehabilitation and treatment for addicts.

Drugs have become an almost unsurmountable problem that needs our attention. The Coalition via Rotary is one way you can help.

SPECIAL REQUEST...

The Winchester Country Club banquet team has asked Rotary members & guests to vacate the banquet room by 1:30 pm as they often need time to prepare it for another event later in the day. If you are planning a meeting after the regular meeting, then you must limit the time accordingly to be out by 1:30 pm. **Thank you for your help.**

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: 2-15-18

William Aikens	Paul Frank	Don Karolyi	David Sovine
DeeDee Barbour	Robert Frogale	Dwight Kemp	Bob Stieg
Jeff Barbour	Wilson Gilbert	Dick Kent	Steve Straight
Jackie Bates	Phil Griffin	Geraldine Kiefer	Martin Tabaka
Erik Beatley	Robert Hall	Allison Lowry	John Tyson
Kerri Burkhart	Dick Helm	Dan Martin	Ben Weber
Kevin Callanan	Malinda Henkel	Darla McCrary	Larry Weiss
Frances Crawford	Sven Hlywiak	Maria Montgomery	Ed White
Anthony Crosen	Janice Housey	Nadine Pottinga	Dick Wiltshire
Dana Evans	Marc Jaccard	Ron Price	Ryan Zelaski
	Doug Joyner	Irv Shendow	

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)

Jeffrey Barbour – 1/25 – Committee Meeting
 Anthony Crosen – 2/8 – Kaleidoscope Meeting
 Bruce Downing – 2/1 – Kaleidoscope Meeting
 Malinda Henkel – 2/7 – International Affair Meeting
 Geraldine Kiefer – 1/9 – Frederick County Rotary
 Kent Mull – 1/25 – Kaleidoscope Meeting
 John Tyson – 1/25 – PR Committee Meeting
 Ridge White – 2/13 – Frederick County Rotary
 Dick Wiltshire – 2/6 – Frederick County Rotary
 Ryan Zelaski – 2/15 – eClub One

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

Visitors & Guests Last Week

Dan Whitacre, guest of Scott Arthur
 Chris Merchant, guest of Mary Braun
 Major Kelly Rico, guest of Don Butler
 Tiffany Caddree, guest of Don Butler
 Lauren Cummings, guest of Don Butler
 Steve Cluss, guest of Don Butler
 Tim Coyne, guest of Don Butler

You're invited!

TONIGHT - - - BOARD MEETING

GW HOTEL 6 PM
Attitude Adjustment 5:30 pm
All are welcome & it counts as a Make-up!

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



➡ 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.

Early Bird Registration and Homestead Room Block Deadline is February 20.

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!

We hope to have several of our Rotary members attend!

OUR RAFFLE LAST WEEK

A first time winner was Shane Michael. BUT, the 8 of Spades couldn't get him the jackpot. Today the jackpot will start at \$49. **Remember, you must play to win!**



HEALTH REPORT

Everyone is good!



HEALTH TIP

Our lunch habits can be quite unhealthy when we choose to not get away from our desks. It is far healthier to step away from your desk, socialize and really enjoy your meal. In this way you tend to eat less and more healthy.



Invite A Friend...Gain a Member

Here's a great way to invite potential club members to get to know us!

Pick up a card at the check-in table and invite a friend or business associate to join us for a complimentary lunch.

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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