



DONATIONS TO THE VFW

Hi Col. Sparacino,

To you & Michael Hoblin this day, 7 cartons of donated items have been mailed. They include school supplies, toilet paper, toilet items, silly string, & balloons. Any e-mail pictures of the items being used will be greatly appreciated. I will forward them to the donors to encourage continued giving. No one from other units has bothered to respond to the letters I mailed so your unit got the bulk. The other address I have is of Task Force Med/Dent.

APO AE 09354

This is a Lt Col. Dentist from the Media area. He keeps asking for Hershey bars as the nurses give them out to the patients. Please let me know of the items your troops crave. I will ask for them. In the meantime, God bless you & our troops.

Ken Delmar
Post Service Officer
VFW Post 3460

Thank you all for your continued support.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday to the following Rotarians who celebrate their birthday in July:

July 4	Michele Edgcumbe
July 10	Mike Gibbons
July 16	Sally Holub
July 18	Dennis Slostad
July 20	Bill Davis
July 22	Alex Karkenny
July 23	Lynne Green
July 26	Rev. Bob Kesel

July 28
July 29

Tony Cavaliere
Joe Bodalski & Dave Pergrin



Reception Committee		Program	
Date	Chairperson	Greeter	Speaker/Subject
July 17	Anthony Cavaliere	David Belanger	Barbara's Club Assembly
July 24	Bruce Clark	Joe Bodalski	Judge David Lang
July 31	Robert Dimond	Ken Delmar	League of Woman Voters
August 7	Virginia Falkenbach	Tom Gibson	Nicole Wilson & Fran Franci – DelCo SPCA
August 14	Stanley Hibberd	Edward Garabedian	TV Celebrity
August 21	Nancy Geisel	Evelyn Preising	Soccer at Harrah's Chester Casino

CALENDAR OF EVENT

Rotary Board Meetings - Second Tuesday of every month.
The meetings will be held at 12 p.m. at the Towne House.

Rotary Foundation Meetings - July 31, September 9, December 18,
March 26, May 28, & June 25
The meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. at the Towne House.

Schedule of Events for Rotary District 7450
More information can be obtained at www.rotary7450.org.

A copy of the Rotary Foundation of Media by-laws, latest Treasurer's report and guidelines for requesting funds are available at <http://www.mediarotary.org/foundation>. A comprehensive list of recipients is also available for your perusal.

Sunshine Committee
Let Lynne Green know about anyone who is ill, has passed away, has gotten married, has had a new baby, etc. Please contact her via email at pgs8@comcast.net.

Website
www.mediarotary.org

ROTARY CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES

At the last board meeting, we discussed membership. The board recommended having Rotary Information on the Thursday following the Board Meeting each month, having the 3rd Thursday be "Membership Day" (with a

few minutes to talk about what it's like to be a Rotarian), and the 4th Thursday being Induction Day. This will allow for names to be placed in the Medium with enough time for the 7-day notice.

District 7450 * Joel Chesney - District Governor * www.rotary7450.org
Rotary Foundation Chair: Russ deFuria, Membership Chair: Bob Lankin,
Group Study Exchange Chair: Karen Straw-Hacker, Vocational Chair:
Charles Streiwieser, Lieutenant Governor: Chuck Killian, Assistant Governors:
Tim Birch, John Washington, **Mollie Shiflet-O'Brien**, Robert Latshaw,
Arthur Klein, Cynthia Lyman, Doreen Storey, Samantha Kranyak-Ramsey and
Bonnie Korengel.

Rotary International * Don Kurn Lee - President * www.rotary.org

Club Officers 2008-2009
Barbara Laurenzi - President
Ken Delmar - President Elect
Carole McMahon - Vice President
Andy Hunt - Secretary
Jack Sproul - Treasurer
Nancy Geisel - Past President
Ted Pleibel, III - Sergeant at Arms

Board of Directors
Jim Clyma
Rosemarie Halt
Jonathan Becker
Tom Gibson
Bryan Messick
John Schlesinger
Tom Gregory
Jack Hontz
Penelope Reed

Foundation Officers
Jackie Woolfall - President
Tom Hibberd- Vice President
- Secretary
Bob Dimond- Treasurer
Bill Davis
Walt Hill
Sally Holub
Bill Strine

Club Chairs
Jonathan Becker- Gundaker Foundation
Tom Gibson - Club Administration
Bill Strine - Club Membership
John Schlesinger - Public Relations
Nancy Geisel - Rotary Foundation
Bryan Messick - Service Projects
Ken Delmar - Vocational & Program
Lynne Green - Social Committee
Courtney Ballauer & Jackie Woolfall - Fall
Fantasy Auction

Executive Secretary - Don Bak
Recording Secretary & Medium Editor -
Courtney Ballauer

Calendar of Rotary Events for July

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Membership Conferences RI President D.K. Lee has scheduled 12 membership conferences for 2008-09, which kick off this month. See dates and locations below, and find more information at www.rotary.org</p>	<p>1 Happy New (Rotary) Year ... And best wishes for Canada Day! Semiannual reports, club dues, and 2009-11 Rotary World Peace Fellowship applications are due.</p>	<p>2 'Live together as brothers' In 1964, U.S. President Lyndon Johnson signed the Civil Rights Act banning segregation and discrimination on the basis of race.</p>	<p>3</p> 	<p>4 A glorious Fourth "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal..."</p>	<p>5 One for all Cooperatives play an important role in sustainable development. On International Day of Cooperatives, check out the Millennium Village Project at millenniumvillages.org.</p>	
<p>7 Conference in Japan The first presidential membership conference takes place in Tokyo. All Rotarians are encouraged to attend.</p> 	<p>14 Libert�, �galit�, fraternit� In France, Bastille Day celebrations are accompanied by fireworks and the strains of "La Marseillaise."</p> 	<p>15</p> 	<p>16</p> 	<p>18 Assemble in Auckland The presidential membership conference in Auckland, New Zealand, meets through 19 July.</p> <p>Asalha Puja Day Buddhists commemorate the Buddha's first sermon, at Deer Park near Benares, India.</p> 	<p>11 Meet up down under The presidential membership conference in Canberra, Australia, focusing on trends and success stories, runs through 12 July.</p> 	
<p>20 'We came in peace' In 1969, honorary Rotarians Neil Armstrong (Wapakoneta, Ohio, USA) and Buzz Aldrin (Space Center Houston, Texas, USA) became the first humans to walk on the moon.</p> 	<p>23 Bridging conflict In 2004, the 16th-century Starl Most in Mostar, Bosnia-Herzegovina, was reopened. Local Rotarians helped rebuild the bridge, which was destroyed by a mortar shell in 1993.</p> 	<p>26 Smashing barriers On the 18th anniversary of the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act, think about ways to improve access in your community.</p>	<p>27</p> 	<p>29 Let the Games begin! The 1948 Summer Olympics opened in London. These Games, the first to be held since 1936, were described at the opening ceremony as a "warm flame of hope for a better understanding in the world."</p>	<p>Give peace a chance The Rotary Peace and Conflict Studies Program, a three-month certificate program for professionals held in partnership with Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok, Thailand, accepts applications year-round for the January and July sessions. Learn more at www.rotary.org</p>	<p>Next RI Convention Birmingham, England, 21-24 June Tentative convention sites Montreal, 2010 New Orleans, 2011 Bangkok, Thailand, 2012 Lisbon, Portugal, 2013 Sydney, Australia, 2014</p>

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Our active military has requested the following items:
 Coloring Books * Baby Wipes * Crayons * Cotton Balls * Small, Safe Toys * Q-Tips * Silly String * Toiletry packets * Tooth Paste * Tooth Brush * Powdered Drinks * Sunglass Inserts * Training Pants * Toilet Tissue (1-ply) * Donations * CHOCOLATE * etc.

REGISTER TAPES

Jack has been working hard to collect register tapes for Rotary ... for 12 YEARS! Keep bringing them in!
 At the end of our June we had collected almost \$9,000. As the tapes come in, Jack submits the receipts and a check, generated from Acme's Home Office, is mailed directly to the Rotary Foundation.
 Thank you all for your support!

GREAT ROTARIAN?!

Know someone who would make a great Rotarian? Bring them to a meeting!

50/50

Every week, we hold a 50/50 drawing for money or prizes at our regular Rotary Meetings. But, our "prize closet" is dwindling.

Look around - does your business have something to donate for the consolation prize? If not, a donation of a gift card to Wawa or another favorite spot would be appreciated.

COST OF LUNCH

I regret to inform you that the cost of lunch will soon be going up. With rise in cost at the Towne House, the cost for lunch will be raised to \$14. Thank you for understanding.

WANTED: Anyone who is interested in taking over Bob Kesel's position of scheduling the person to do the prayer each week. See Barb if you are interested. We'd love your help!

Please don't forget to sign in!

Replacement Badges - \$10

Replacement Lapel Pins - \$5

Phones must be on vibrate - \$10 charge if they ring.

Rotarians are responsible for all information changes with Courtney Ballauer.

Thanks!

