

November 19, 2013

Hey Bob,

MEETING PROGRAM:

The speaker for tomorrow's Rotary meeting (Wed, 11/20) is **Byron Miller**, who will be talking to us about **The Rotary Foundation**. This is a regular lunch meeting at Copper Hill Country Club at 12:15pm.

COMEDY with that JERSEY EDGE FRAGMENTED @ The Flemington Historic Courthouse

Thursday, 11/21/2013 7:00pm to 8:30pm Comedian **Leighann Lord** and **Pete Michaels** Celebrity Ventriloquist

Reservations are required. <u>Click Here</u> for more information and to get tickets.

Super TYPHOON HAIYAN has struck the Philippines

Message from DG Tulsi Maharjan

President Ira asked me to pass along the following email that we received from DG Tulsi Maharjan:

Dear President Ira:

As you know, Super Typhoon Haiyan has struck the Philippines with disastrous consequences. Many thousands are dead, many more thousands are displaced.

You can help the victims of this typhoon by contributing to ShelterBox, one of Rotary's International Service partners. (See the attached letter from a ShelterBox representative for information.) With widespread devastation, the ShelterBox relief effort is critical to stabilizing families that no longer have homes.

Donations can be made through our District Treasurer, Dave Sebastian. Mail checks to Dave at the following address. Put either ShelterBox or Typhoon Haiyan Relief in the memo line. We will then forward all contributions to ShelterBox, crediting each club that contributes to the relief effort.

David K. Sebastian Physicians Wealth Management 18 Bank Street, Suite 204 Summit, NJ 07901

As we receive more information from Rotarian relief efforts, we will pass it on to you.

District Governor Tulsi Maharjan

See photo below for a visual example of what is included in a Shelter Box kit:



COMMITTEE LIST UPDATE

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to download a PDF of the updated Committee List for the Club. Please note that there is a permanent list for the committee list in the E-Monger (below the list of upcoming meetings).

You can also view the current Committee List on the Club Website, located at: http://flemingtonrotarynj.org/committee-assignments/



Lambertville-New Hope Rotary Club ANNUAL CITRUS SALE Estimated Delivery: November 23rd



The Lambertville-New Hope Rotary Club is once again holding their **Annual Citrus Sale** as a club fundraiser. Terry

Ownes is the point contact for our club. Please provide all orders to Terry Ownes directly at <u>tmownes@sprintmail.com</u> or by phone at (908) 782-3831. Terry will be the one directly corresponding with Bob Seminack from the Lambertville-New Hope Rotary Club.

The following items are available to order:

Naval Oranges: \$25 per box

Ruby Red Grapefruit: \$25 per box

Mixed Box of half Navel Oranges and half Grapefruit: \$25 per box

Gift Assortment (Mixed Oranges, Grapefruit & Apples): \$30 per assortment

The estimated arrival date for the fruit is **November 23rd**. Since the fruit arrives via truck, the actual delivery date may vary slightly. Rotarians shall plan ahead on timing to pick up their orders.

Payment can be in Cash or by check made out to "**Lambertville-New Hope Rotary**". Flemington Rotary fruit orders will be delivered to Terry Ownes at Carpet One (located across the street from Jakes on Route 202). Terry will let us know once the fruit arrives.

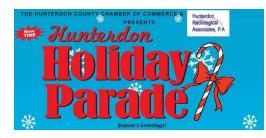


CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING Ceremony Saturday, November 30 at 7pm

Dick Stothoff has announced that this year's Christmas Tree lighting will take place on **Saturday**, **11/30** at the monument on Main Street Flemington near the Presbyterian Church. Rotarians that will be helping Santa

Claus to handout candy canes and oranges to the attending children are asked to meet at **6:45pm behind the Deat's Building** in Flemington OR at the Christmas Tree on Main Street at 7pm. Santa Claus will be arriving at the Christmas Tree between 7 to 7:15pm, which is preceded by the formal Tree Lighting Ceremony and Christmas Carols that is organized by the Flemington Cub Scout Pack 61. Once the Tree Lighting Ceremony is over, **everyone is invited to the annual After-Party at Dick & Priscilla Stothoff's home**!!!! If you have never attended, please come and bring the family and kids!!!

Please note that the Main Street Flemington Annual "**Hunterdon Holiday Parade**" will be held on Sunday, 12/1 at 7pm.



HUNTERDON HOLIDAY PARADE Sunday, December 1 New Start Time: 5:00 PM Main Street, Flemington

Mark your calendars! The Hunterdon County Chamber of Commerce will be hosting this

years Holiday Parade on Main Street in Flemington. The Chamber will be honoring **Hunterdon Healthcare** and their 60th Anniversary. **Bob Wise** will be the Grand Marshal.

The parade will feature the Philadelphia Mummers Aqua String Band, which is sponsored by the Flemington Business Improvement District.



ROTARY HOLIDAY PARTY

Friday, December 13 at 6:30pm Copper Hill Country Club

The Rotary Club of Flemington would like to warmly invite you and your spouse / guest to our Annual Holiday Party.

The evening will include dinner, cash bar, dessert and dancing to a live 6-piece ensemble. It looks like we will be having a visitor in a Big Red Suit, so all Rotarians in attendance **are asked to bring wrapped secret Santa gift valued around \$12**.

There is is no cost to attend for all spouses and members who pay for lunch quarterly. Those members who pay weekly for lunch will be charged \$14 to attend.

Kindly **RSVP** to the Evite invitation no later than **December 5th**. If you did not receive an Evite invitation, please <u>CLICK HERE</u> to generate an email to Chris Venditti.

Please Note: There will be a regular noon lunch meeting on Wednesday, December 11th.

Please Bring an Unwrapped Gift to the HolidayParty for a Local Family in Need!!! Flemington Rotary's SAC Holiday Gifts



At the Rotary Holiday Party on Fri, 12/13 (or at a prior club meeting), Rotarians are asked to **voluntarily** bring an unwrapped gift (but a gift bag is appreciated!) **to supplement the Service Action Committee's (SAC) Holiday shopping**. Rotarians have always provided great support for this. The types of items typically requested are: *Infant / Toddler learning toys.
*Family Fun Games (Monopoly, Scrabble, Catch Phrase, etc.).
*Gloves, scarves, socks as stocking stuffers.
*Craft kits.
*Lego kits.
*Gift Cards: WalMart, i-Tunes, Kohl's, Burlington Coat Factory, Five Below.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL Presented by Clinton Sunrise Rotary

Saturday, 12/7/2013 Flemington Elks Lodge 165 Route 31 - Flemington, NJ 08822

The Clinton Sunrise Rotary is proud to present its first annual Christmas Tree Festival to be held on **Saturday, December 7th** at the Flemington Elks. Enjoy this holiday's premiere benefit event with good food, drinks, dancing, making new friends and of course, TREES! Rotary is seeking help for this event in a variety of ways. As a Tree Sponsor, we invite businesses, community groups or individuals to sponsor & decorate a 6' Christmas Tree in any theme or fashion you desire - imagination is encouraged! For a \$100 sponsorship fee, Rotary will provide the tree and the stand. Throughout the evening's event, attendees will have the opportunity to drop raffle tickets in the Tree they would want to win the most. Prizes will be awarded for Most Creative, Most Popular and Most Outrageous. If you want to sponsor a tree but choose not to decorate it, Rotary can decorate the tree for you for an additional fee. Other sponsorship opportunities are also available.

During the afternoon of 12/7, from 2-4pm, Santa will be visiting the Flemington Elks to see all of the beautifully decorated trees. Bring your children by while he's there and they can have a picture taken with him, enjoy hot chocolate & cookies, and see all of the trees also. Your family may find the tree of your dreams - already decorated for you - just attend the evening event to participate in the raffle! Please bring a can good donation to help build our can tree for The Food Pantry.

The day culminates with the party in the evening from 7-11pm. Enjoy great food, great music and a great time. Attendees will have an opportunity to view the trees, vote on their favorites & participate in a silent auction. The trees will also be raffled off during this time. Tickets are \$50 each or \$90 per couple.

So, here's your opportunity to support your local community, meet Santa & celebrate the season at a fun event - all in one day! Proceeds benefit The Food Pantry, local Rotary projects, and the YMCA Angel Patrol program. For more information, or to sponsor a tree or buy event tickets contact Debbie LaVoie at 908-797-5766 or Deb Shenberger at 908-797-5057.

CANCER SUPPORT COMMUNITY Coping with the Holidays Thursday, November 14 (1-2pm) Wednesday, November 20 (6-7:30pm)

Lynn Arnold of the Clinton Sunrise Rotary Club asked me to pass along the following information about some upcoming seminars intended to help individuals live through and beyond cancer. The programs are being held in cooperation with Hunterdon Hospice and the Cancer Support Community.

The <u>Cancer Support Community</u> (CSC) is a national nonprofit organization that provides support, education and hope to people with cancer and their loved ones.

If you are interested in either of the two upcoming FREE programs and workshops held here in Hunterdon County, <u>CLICK HERE</u> for all of the details.

Rotary BRIDGING THE GAP

Rotarians being Sought as Mentors!

February 4, 2014 (8-10am) - BTG February 25, 2014 (8-10am) - BTG March 25, 2014 - Job Fair May 13, 2014 - Awards Breakfast

Rotarians Being Sought as Mentors (Feb. 4 & 25): Megan Jones-Holt is seeking some Rotarians who would like to work with students of the Hunterdon County Polytech in the Bridging the Gap program. Rotarians interested would goto the Polytech a couple of times to work with students in developing the student's proposed business marketing plan. The Rotarian would work one-on-one with 1 or 2 students and read over their information and give them suggestions to developing their business. The mentors would come in to Polytech both February 4 and February 25 between 8-10am. Other than that, you would communicate through e-mail with the students. The only other responsibility would be grading their final written marketing plan according to the rubric as provided by their Instructor, Teresa Diaz. If you are interested, please contact Megan Jones-Holt at mjonesholt@gmail.com. See below for additional information about the program.

If you would like to learn more about the **Bridging the Gap** program, <u>**CLICK HERE**</u> to watch a short You Tube video about it.

Job Fair (March 25): Business owner's are sought to be employers at the Bridging the Gap Job Fair. The Job Fair will take place on March 25th and is open to anyone that would like Commercial Art done. This would include a logo, brochure, t-shirt, mural, banner, menu, etc. Essentially the Polytech student would act like a freelancer. If you are interested, please contact Instructor, Teresa Diaz at tdiaz@hcpolytech.org.

Awards Breakfast (May 13): An awards breakfast will be held at the Polytech Careers Cafe on May 13th.

Interacting with High School Students and Teachers to Promote Financial Confidence

Bridging the Gap between school and career...

It has always been a challenge for teachers and students to relate classroom studies to future real business opportunities, problems and real personal financial situations. The Bridging the Gap simulations provide the opportunity for the interaction of businessmen and women and other professionals with high school students and teachers to help promote business and personal financial confidence.

The BPS (Business Plan Simulation) Program brings a business scenario into the classroom by utilizing local business professional volunteers' experiences. The Student Entrepreneurs' Handbook and The Coordinators' Manual explain the simulated exercise where students can "buy" a deli, but only if they are able to convince local bankers to grant them a loan. Local business people volunteer as "consultants" to guide a group of students in preparing a business plan, including a Profit and Loss Statement. The students then present the plan to the local volunteer bankers.

The PFP (Personal Financial Planning) Simulation Program simulates a typical financial problem where a young couple wants to buy a reasonably priced house. Local volunteers with financial experience consult with a group of students (acting as a family) during their preparation of a mortgage application to be presented to the local volunteer bankers. Explanation and work sheets are included in The Students' PFP Handbook and in The Coordinators' Manual.



HUNTERDON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

As you know, the Rotary Club of Flemington is a member of the H.C. Chamber of Commerce. This enables all Rotarians the ability to attend a Chamber function as a "member". If someone asks you what your business is, you would explain that you are a member representing the Rotary Club of Flemington. <u>Click Here</u> to visit the Chamber website for a listing of upcoming events.

ROTARY DISTRICT 7510 NEWS

Rotary and Rutgers Project - "Growing Lives One Seed at a Time" is a unique

garden pilot initiative involving the partnership of Rotary International and Rutgers University and its Entities in 5 counties throughout Central New Jersey. The partnership is committed to focusing on providing opportunities for accommodating a broad spectrum of audiences, with varying and diverse limitations, ages, and abilities via Enabling Gardens. The partnership will plan, design, introduce, and implement Enabling Garden Spaces, which by definition are growing environments that invite and permit participation by various individuals or groups. Who can benefit? Answer: People of all ages at any stage of life. <u>Click Here to Read More</u>

District 7510 News: Click Here to View the Current 2013 District News

SPEAKERS & PROGRAMS BEING SOUGHT

We are seeking ideas for upcoming meeting programs and speakers. If anyone has any ideas or thoughts, please pass them onto Mick Schaible. <u>Click here</u> to generate an email directly to Mick.

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE

Summary of Upcoming Club Meeting Programs:

Wed, 11/20: Byron Miller - Rotary Foundation Wed, 11/27: OPEN

<u>Wed, 12/04</u>: Mick Schaible - Presentation on recent trip to Ecuador
<u>Wed, 12/11</u>: Jack MacDade (Singer & Comedian) - He was Dick Clark's first guest on American Bandstand in the 1950's.
<u>Wed, 12/18</u>: Madrigal Girls Chorus from H.C.R.H.S. for festive singing
<u>Wed, 12/25</u>: NO Meeting in Lieu of Christmas
<u>Wed, 1/1/2014</u>: NO Meeting in Lieu of New Year's Day

Wed, 1/08: OFFSITE Meeting at Blue Fish Grill- 50 Mine Street

Wed, 1/15: OFFSITE Meeting at the Hunterdon Medical Center

Wed, 1/22: OFFSITE Meeting at **Bistro 161** - 161 Main Street

Wed, 1/29: OFFSITE Meeting at Gallo Rosso Ristorante - 100 Reaville Ave

Next RCOF Board Meeting: Thurs, 12/5/2013 at 6:00 PM (usually the 1st Thursday).

<u>Next Membership Meeting</u>: Wed, 12/11/2013 at 1:30 PM (usually the 2nd Wednesday).

Upcoming RCOF Club Events, Fundraisers, Fellowship Events, Etc.:

Sat, 11/30: Main Street Tree Lighting Ceremony

Mon, 2/24/2014: Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off

Sun, TBD: Rotary Bark in the Park Dog Walk

Sat, 7/7/2014: Pedals for Progress Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Gear Collection

Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:

Wed, 2/5/14.....PETS 1 - Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater (6:30pm)
Fri, 3/21/14.....PETS 2 - Marriot Hotel, Whippany, NJ (6:00pm)
May 2-3, 2014...District Conference
Wed, 5/14/14....District Assembly - Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater (2:30pm to 8:30pm)

COMMITTEE LIST:

Click Here to download the listing of all current Club Committee's and its members.

"MEMBERS ONLY" WEBSITE:

Goto the Members Only section of the website to find:

- 1) The "Membership Proposal Form" to propose a new member.
- 2) An Online Copy of the Club Membership Directory.
- 3) A Link to All Photos Albums of the Club.

ROTARY WEBSITE LINKS:

Rotary International: <u>www.Rotary.org</u> Rotary District 7510: <u>www.RotaryNJ.org</u>

NEARBY ROTARY CLUB MEETINGS:

As A Rotarian, you are Welcome to attend a Rotary Club meeting anywhere in the world. <u>Click here for the Rotary Club Locator App</u>. Or see below for some local meetings:

Mondays

Lambertville/New Hope (6:30 pm) - Lambertville Station Restaurant; 11 Bridge Street, Lambertville NJ 08530 Piscataway (12:15 pm) - Radisson Hotel; 21 Kingsbridge Road, Piscataway, NJ 08854

Tuesdays

Whitehouse (12:15 pm) - Max's 22; 456 Route 22 West, Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889 Princeton (12:15 pm) - The Nassau Club; 6 Mercer Street, Princeton, NJ 08540 Bridgewater-Bound Brook (12:15 pm) - Arbor Glenn; 100 Monroe St, Bridgewater 08807

<u>Wednesdays</u>

Branchburg Township (7:30 am): Stoney Brook Grille; 1285 Route 28, North Branch, NJ 08876

Flemington (12:15pm): Copper Hill Country Club; 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes, NJ 08851

Hillsborough Township (6:15 pm): Pheasant's Landing; 311 Amwell Road (Rt. 514), Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Thursdays

<u>Clinton Sunrise</u> (7:30 am): Clinton Fire Department; New Street, Clinton, NJ 08809 <u>Somerville/Bridgewater</u> (12:15 pm): Bridgewater Manor; 1251 US Highway 202/206, Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Trenton (12:15 pm): Freddie's Tavern; 12 Railroad Avenue, West Trenton, NJ 08628

Fridays

North Hunterdon (12:15 pm): Beaver Brook County Club; 25 County Club Drive, Annandale, NJ 08801

<u>Princeton Corridor</u> (12:15pm): Hyatt Regency; 102 Carnegie Center, Rt. 1 North, Princeton, NJ 08540

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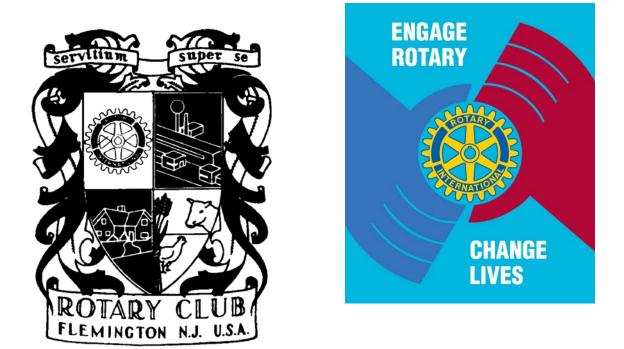
Rotary eClub of Hunterdon Horizon: View website for meetings or online makeups.

RI President's Call for Action in 2013-2014: "Engage Rotary, Change Lives"

Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 90th Year

Founded October 3, 1923 * Charter #1529 * District 7510

President	Ira Liebross		
President-Elect	Lynn Hyman		
Secretary	Michele Kavanagh		
Treasurer, General	Bob Newland		
Treasurer, Lunch	D.J. Wright		
Board Members	Karen Widico (immediate past president)		
	Jim Davidson		
	Nancy Kahl		
	Mick Schaible		
	Chris Venditti		
Sergeant-at-Arms	<u>Tom Fisher</u>		
RI President	Ron D. Burton (Norman, Oklahoma, USA)		
District Governor (DG)	Tulsi R. Maharjan (Branchburg, NJ)		
District Governor Elect (DGE)	Melvin I. Kevoe "Mel" (Springfield, NJ)		
District Governor Nomimee (DGE)	Hal Daume (Berkeley Heights, NJ)		
Assistant District Governor (ADG)	Michael Toscani (Lambertville-New Hope, PA)		
Club Meetings: Wednesday, 12:15 pm, Copper Hill Country Club 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551			



MISSION STATEMENT: The mission of Rotary International is to assist and guide Rotarians and Rotary clubs to accomplish the Object of Rotary to ensure Rotary's continuing relevance and to help build a better world, emphasizing service activities by individuals and groups that enhance the quality of life and human dignity, encouraging high ethical standards, and creating greater understanding among all people to advance the search for peace in the world.

THE OBJECT OF ROTARY: The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

1st: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

 2^{nd} : High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

3rd: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;

4th: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

THE 4-WAY TEST: "Of the things we think, say or do:

- 1st: Is it the Truth?
- 2nd: Is it Fair to all concerned?
- 3rd: Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- 4th: Will it be beneficial to all concerned?"

ROTARY'S AVENUE'S OF SERVICE:

1) Through **Club Service**, we have fun, build lasting friendships, and make sure that our club runs well.

2) Through **Vocational Service**, we volunteer our professional skills to serve others and promote integrity in everything we do.

3) Through **Community Service**, we address local needs and work with our community to bring lasting improvements.

4) Through **International Service**, we meet humanitarian needs around the globe and promote world understanding and peace.

5) Through **Youth Service**, we work with young people to help them become the next generation of leaders, visionaries, and peacemakers.

2013-2014 CLUB MEMBER ROSTER Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ

Current Number of Members: 46

Rotarian	Member Since	Classification
Black, Bruce B.	2007	Health and Fitness
Bohler, Herbert C. (Herb)	1977	Specialty Advertising
Chittenden, Robert L. (Bob)	2003	M.E.F.P. Consulting Engineering
Clark, Arthur L. (Sandy)	1987	Printing
Copeland, Harrie E. III	1976	Auctioneering/Banking
Davidson, James G. (Jim)	2002	Rubber Products
Ferrari, Frederick J. (Fred)	1964	Orthodontia
Fisher, Charles H. (Charlie)	1961	Funeral Services
Fisher, Thomas H. (Tom)	2012	Property & Casualty Insurance
Harrison, Jeffrey (Jeff)	1996	Psychotherapy
Hennessy, Jr., Richard (Rich)	2010	Financial Advisor
Hyman, Lynn	2010	Retail Banking
Kahl, Nancy	2012	Massage Therapy
Kamnitsis, Christopher P. (Chris)	2001	Financial Planning
Kavanagh, Michele	2013	Community Banking
Liebross, Ira	1997	Family Medicine
Loew, Darren	2002	Orthodontics
Martin, Teresa (Terry)	1993	Solid Waste/Recycling
Mazujian, Harry	2004	Clergy
McWilliams, Nancy	1992	Psychotherapy
Metz, Kim	2007	Technical Education
Muller, George D.	1964	Cut Glass Manufacturing
Nastasi, William (Bill)	1996	General Contracting
Newland, Robert D. (Bob)	1998	Insurance
Ownes, Terry M.	1987	Floor Covering
Parente, Steven (Steve)	2005	Classification
Phelan, Christopher J. (Chris)	2009	Chamber Of Commerce
Randolph, R. Wayne	1982	Veterinary Medicine
Reinbacher, Otto A.	1997	Clergy
Rogow, Stephen S. (Steve)	1973	Orthodontics
Schaible, R. Michael (Mick)	1998	Appraisal Services
Skowronek, Kenneth J. (Ken)	1994	Family Law

1962	Air Transportation
1966	Sanitary Engineering
2013	Retail Banking
2006	Professional Planning
2009	Automotive Distribution
1994	Pulmonary Medicine
1997	Public Health Services
1991	Purchasing/Manufacturing
1992	Hospital Administration
1977	Cardiology
2003	Funeral Services
1971	Plumbing & Heating
1988	Investment Advisor
1987	Chemical Engineering
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Yours in Rotary Service! Bob Chittenden

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