

Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ, USA Service Above Self P.O. Box #751 - Flemington, NJ 08822 www.FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org

June 5, 2012

Hey Everyone,

<u>Meeting Program</u>: The program for tomorrow's Rotary meeting (Wed, 6/6) will a presentation of the Spring 2012 **Flemington Rotary Scholarship Recipients**. This is a regular lunch meeting at Copper Hill Country Club at 12:15pm. The following is a list of the (5) students that each received a \$1500 scholarship from the Rotary Club of Flemington:

Spring 2012 Flemington Rotary Scholarship Recipients from H.C.R.H.S. are:

Paula Adnikari	\$1500 Scholarship
Amanda Kobner	\$1500 Scholarship
Dakota Rawlings	\$1500 Scholarship
Sahista Vahora	\$1500 Scholarship

<u>Highlights for The Upcoming Week</u>: The following are highlights of events occurring this coming week. Continue reading further below for the full story:

- <u>Group Study Exchange Team Visit (June 3-9)</u>: The incoming GSE Team from Brazil arrived this past Sunday and be here in Hunterdon County through Saturday, June 9th.
- <u>4th Quarter Hunterdon County Intracounty Meeting (Thurs, 6/7 from 6-9pm)</u>.

****CANCELED**** Rotary Fellowship Event at Unionville Vineyards (Sat, 6/9 from 5-7pm): Saturday nights fellowship event has been Canceled. The Brazil GSE Team that is currently here in Hunterdon County just got tickets for the Brazil vs. Argentina Soccer game this coming Saturday night (6/9). As you know, the intent of the fellowship event this coming Saturday (6/9) at Unionville was to meet the incoming GSE Team. George Muller tried to move the fellowship to Friday night, but Unionville already has another function scheduled. Therefore, the previously scheduled fellowship event this Saturday (6/9) at Unionville has been CANCELED.

<u>Pedals for Progress Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Equipment Collection (Held this past Sat, June</u> <u>2</u>): Joe Ziegler provided a summary of the Pedals for Progress collection that was held this past Saturday (6/2/2012) at the Flemington Presbyterian Church.

We collected a total of (59) bicycles, (1) sewing machine and \$749 in donations. The bicycles collected this year are destined for Vietnam. The total number of collected bicycles is up from last year, which is a trend from all spring collections this year. This also shows that the economy is slowly getter better as old bicycles are being replaced. Thanks to Bob Chittenden and his son Thomas, Sandy Clark, David Stess (Marty's son) and Herb Bohler for recording the events.

Joe Ziegler

2012 Pedals for Progress Photo Album: The following is a link to the Photo Album that Herb Bohler very nicely generated for this past Saturday's Pedals for Progress collection.

<u>2012 Pedals for Progress Photo Album</u>: Left Click the blue link or photo to access the album. For best viewing, use the "Slideshow" option, then press F11 to see the photos full-screen."



<u>New Member Photo (Linda Bernard)</u>: Pictured below is our Newest Member, Linda Bernard, who was officially inducted into the club by Harrie Copeland at the 5/30/2012 Club Meeting. Linda was proposed by Chris Venditti. Please introduce yourself to Linda at an upcoming meeting and help to welcome her into the club.

<u>Pictured Below Are (from left to right)</u>: Harrie Copeland, Linda Bernard and President Chris Venditti. (photo by Herb Bohler)



Hello from Catherine & Jay Langley: Herb Bohler asked me to pass along the following: "While we were enjoying a dinner at the Main St. *Garden State Salad* restaurant this past Saturday, in walked some old Rotary friends: Past-President Catherine Langley and her husband Jay, who asked me to pass their warm regards on to the Club. They look great, as you can see...."

Pictured Below Are (from left to right): Catherine & Jay Langley.

(photo by the Rev. Dr. Herb Bohler)



<u>Group Study Exchange Team Visit (June 3-9)</u>: The incoming GSE Team (Group Study Exchange) arrived here in Hunterdon County this past Sunday and will be here through <u>Saturday</u>, June 9th.

The team has come all the way from the **Central-West Region of Goiás, Brazil, District 4770**, whose website is at <u>www.rotary4770.org.br/</u>

The cities consist of: Goiânia, Patrocínio, Morrinhos, Catalão, Patrocínio Araguari.

Below is a summary of the incoming Team members along with their vocation:

Team Member	Vocation
Jose Henrigue Rodrigues Machado (Leader)	Professor
Alisson Jose DaCosta Guedes	Telecom TV
Daniel Rocha Alves de Souza	Pastor Director of Logestics
Diego Marcel Oliveira Pereira	Supermarket Manager
Thiago Tiburicio Scardazzi	Process Engineering and Quality
Vanessa Dias Lemos	Lawyer

<u>4th Quarter Hunterdon County Intracounty Meeting (Thurs, 6/7 from 6-9pm)</u>: The 4th Quarter Hunterdon County meeting, will be held <u>this coming Thursday, June 7th</u>. This will take place at the **Mountain View Chalet** from 6-9pm, located at 154 State Road 173, Asbury, NJ 08802. The date was changed so that the <u>incoming Group Study Exchange (GSE) Team from Brazil could be the featured program</u>.

<u>Cocktails / Cash Bar</u>: 6:00pm to 6:30pm <u>Dinner & Meeting</u>: 6:30pm to 9:00pm <u>Cost</u>: **\$38 per person**, which includes a sit-down dinner (payable to the Rotary Club of Flemington). <u>Meal Choices</u>: Prime Rib, Salmon Dill, or Chicken Marsalla. <u>Host Club</u>: The Rotary Club of North Hunterdon

<u>RSVP Deadline</u>: If you would like to attend, please RSVP (along with Menu Choice) to President Chris at <u>cvenditt@mazdausa.com</u> before Friday, May 24th. Our club is requested to provide a single club check, so all payments should be directed to our Club Treasurer, Karen Widico, and written to the Rotary Club of Flemington.

<u>Changing of the Guard Dinner (Wed, June 13)</u>: President Chris announced that the Changing of the Guard Dinner is scheduled for Wed, June 13th at the Copper Hill Country Club. A cash bar will open at 6pm, followed by a sit down dinner and program. We hope you can attend to help celebrate the end of another successful Rotary year before President Chris turns the gavel over to incoming President, Karen Widico. Awards presentations will include the coveted Rotarian of the Year & Paul Harris Fellow, amongst others including Perfect Attendance and awards presented by President Chris himself.

There will be <u>no regular lunch meeting this day</u>.

<u>Menu Choices</u>: Braised Short Rib of Beef or Salmon. Kindly indicate menu choices on your R.S.V.P. via the Evite invitation.

<u>Cost to Attend</u>: Weekly paying members will pay \$14 for their meal. Members who pay quarterly and all spouses can attend free of charge.

President Chris has sent out an Evite invitation. Please RSVP (including your choice of entrée) to the Evite by Monday, June 4th. If you have not received an Evite invitation via email, please contact Chris Venditti directly at <u>cvenditt@mazdausa.com</u>.

Below is list of the incoming Club Officers & Directors:

List of 2012-2013 RCOF Officers & Board Members:		
President	Karen Widico	
President Elect	Ira Liebross	
Secretary	John Hyman	
Treasurer, General	Laura Karnoff	
Treasurer, Lunch	D.J. Wright	
Assistant to the Treasurer, Lunch	Rich Hennessy	
Board Members	Chris Venditti (immediate past president),	
	Jim Davidson,	
	Bob Newland,	
	Ken Skowronek	
	Bob Wise,	
	Joe Ziegler.	
Sergeant-at-Arms	To be announced at the Changing of the Guard Dinner	

Rotary Club Locator App - Have You Ever Wanted to Find A Local Rotary Club for a Make-

up....Well, There is an App for That!!!: Rotary International has created a new App for your iPhone or Android smartphone to help you find a local Rotary club. <u>Click here for more info</u>. The Rotary Club Locator app helps you find a Rotary club meeting when you're on the go. Some highlights are:

- The "Near Me" search locates clubs within a physical radius of 100 miles. (Note: Actual driving distances may be further.)
- A keyword search for clubs. This search looks for the keyword in either the club name or meeting location address. This is useful for finding clubs that are outside of the 100-mile radius from your current location.
- A map showing a club's location and driving directions.
- The ability to save search results to a list of favorite clubs.
- The ability to add a club to your phone's contact list.
- The club's website and primary phone number, if available.
- A search function to find clubs by district.

<u>Website link for the Rotary and Rutgers Project "Growing Lives One Seed at a Time"</u>: The following is a website link for the District's initiative for the "Growing Lives One Seed at a Time" project. <u>http://www.rotarynj.org/2011/rutgers_rotary_project.html</u>

Laura DePrado, the project Chair, would like to encourage all members to read and stay posted on this project as it continues to "grow". Add it to your Favorites so that you can easily follow the progress of this wonderful District project.

District 7510 News: Click Here to View the Current 2012 District News

Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:

Summary of Upcoming Rotary Meetings / Programs:

- Wed, 6/6 Flemington Rotary Scholarship Winners
- Wed, 6/13 Changing of the Guard at Copper Hill Country Club
- Wed, 6/20 TBA
- Wed, 6/27Nancy McWilliams: Travelling the World, Teaching Psychology

Wed, 7/4July 4th Holiday – No Regular Club Meeting

Wed, 7/11 Terry Newhard, Executive Director of NORWESCAP, who will speak to us about a study recently completed on Poverty.

Wed, 7/18 TBÅ

Wed, 7/25Gina Lentine from Assure Shred to discuss Identity Theft

<u>Next RCOF Board Meeting</u>: Wed, 6/20/2012 @ 6:00 PM (usually the 3rd Wednesday of the month) <u>Next Membership Committee Meeting</u>: Wed, 7/11/2012 @ 1:30 PM (usually the 2nd Wednesday of the month)

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

Wed, 6/13/2012 Changing of the Guard at Copper Hill Country Club (6-10pm)

<u>COMMITTEE LIST</u>: Click the link for a listing of all current Club Committee's and its members.

Login-In to the "Members Only" Section of the website to view:

- 1) **Past E-MONGER & NEWSMONGER ISSUES**: Click to view past issues. Began Aug. 9, 1950.
- 2) <u>New Member Information</u>: Do you have someone you think would be a good potential member? If so, please contact Membership Committee Chair <u>Sheila Fernekes</u> to learn the process prior to initiating an application. In the meanwhile, click the link for information on the club and financial requirements.
- <u>RCOF Membership Proposal Form</u>: If you are interested in proposing someone for potential membership, please first contact Membership Committee Chair <u>Sheila Fernekes</u> for the necessary steps to be taken.

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The Rotary Club of Flemington is on Facebook: Publicity chair, John Hyman, is keeping the club's Facebook page up to date. There is also a Facebook link on the club website. <u>Click here to access our new Facebook page</u>. John asks that everyone "**become a fan**" of this page.

Rotary Website Links:

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

Nearest Rotary Club Meetings:

Mondays

Lambertville/New Hope (6:30 pm) - Lambertville Station, Lambertville **Piscataway** (12:15 pm) - Radisson Hotel; 21 Kingsbridge Road, Piscataway

Tuesdays

Whitehouse (12:15 pm) - Max's 22, Whitehouse Station Princeton (12:15 pm) - The Nassau Club, Princeton Bound Brook/Middlesex (12:15 pm) - Russo's Continental Restaurant; 266 West Union Avenue, Bound Brook

Wednesdays

Branchburg (7:30 am): Stoney Brook Grille; 1285 Route 28, North Branch **Flemington** (12:15pm pm): Copper Hill Country Club; 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes, NJ 08851 **Hillsborough** (6:15 pm): Pheasants Landing; 311 Amwell Road (Rt. 514), Hillsborough

Thursdays

Clinton Sunrise (7:30 am): Clinton Firehouse, Clinton Somerville/Bridgewater (12:15 pm): Bridgewater Manor, Somerville Trenton (12:15 pm): Freddie's Tavern, West Trenton

Fridays

North Hunterdon (12:15 pm): Beaver Brook County Club, Clinton

Yours in Rotary Service!

Bob Chittenden Rotary Club of Flemington RI President's Call for Action in 2011-2012: "Reach Within to Embrace Humanity" Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 88th Year

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Founded October 3, 1923 • Charter #1529 •	District 7510		
President	<u>Chris Venditti</u>		
President Elect	<u>R. Wayne Randolph</u>		
Secretary	<u>John Hyman</u>		
Treasurer, General	<u>Karen Widico</u>		
Treasurer, Lunch	<mark>D.J. Wright</mark>		
Assistant Treasurer, Lunch	<u>Rich Hennessy</u>		
Board Members	Darren Loew (past president),		
	Sheila Fernekes, Nancy McWilliams,		
	Terry Ownes and Joe Ziegler.		
Sergeant-at-Arms	Chris Kamnitsis		
RI President	Kalyan Banerjee (New Orleans, Louisiana, USA)		
District Governor	<u>Megan Jones-Holt</u> (Clinton Sunrise)		
District Governor Elect	<u>Dwight Leeper</u> (Scotch Plains-Fanwood)		
District Governor Nominee	<u>Tulsi Maharjan</u> (Branchburg)		

Meetings:	Wednesday, 12:15 pm, <u>Copper Hill Country Club</u>
-	100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551
Board Meetings:	Third Wednesday of the month, 6:00 pm



<u>MISSION STATEMENT</u>: 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. **<u>THE OBJECT OF ROTARY</u>**: 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;

 3^{rd} : 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.

<u>THE 4-WAY TEST</u>: "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?"

2011-2012 CLUB MEMBERSHIP ROSTER - Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ:

Current Number of Members:	54 (including Member	g Linda Bernard, as inducted on 5/30/2012)
Rotarian	Since	Classification
Bernard, Linda K.	2012	Retail Banking
Black, Bruce B.	2007	Health and Fitness
Bohler, Herbert C. (Herb)	1977	Specialty Advertising
Brisby, Jr., Byron	2008	Car Sales
Burgard, Robert L. (Bob)	1992	Financial Consultant
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
Farrell, Jarrett	2009	Property & Casualty Insurance
Fernekes, Sheila	2009	Artisan
Ferrari, Frederick J. (Fred)	1964	Orthodontia
Fisher, Charles H. (Charlie)	1961	Funeral Services
Harrison, Jeffrey (Jeff)	1996	Psychotherapy
Hennessy, Jr., Richard (Rich)	2010	Financial Advisor
Hermanowski, Tara	2010	Community Banking
Hyman, John	2009	Business Coaching
Hyman, Lynn	2010	Retail Banking
Johnston, David W. (Dave)	2011	Financial Advisor
Kahl, Nancy	2012	Massage Therapy
Kamnitsis, Christopher P. (Chris)	2001	Financial Planning
Karnoff, Laura	2011	Accounting
Kraus, William (Bill)	2009	General Dentistry
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
Shallo, Evelyn M.	2000	Interior Design
Skowronek, Kenneth J. (Ken)	1994	Family Law
Sollner, Richard F. (Dick)	1962	Air Transportation
Stothoff, Richard H. (Dick)	1966	Sanitary Engineering
Thatcher, Thomas P. (Tom)	2006	Professional Planning
Venditti, Christopher (Chris)	2009	Automotive Distribution
Weinstein, Theodore H. (Ted)	1994	Pulmonary Medicine
Widico, Karen	1997	Public Health Services
Williams, Gwen	1991	Purchasing/Manufacturing
Wise, Robert (Bob)	1992	Hospital Administration
Woske, Harry	1977	Cardiology
Wright, Daniel J. (D.J.)	2003	Funeral Services
Zanetti, Edward G. (Ed)	1971	Plumbing & Heating
Ziegler, Joseph E. (Joe)	1988	Investment Advisor
Zullo, John J. (Johnnie)	1987	Chemical Engineering