

## Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ, USA

## Service Above Self

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November 16, 2010

Hey Everyone,

<u>Meeting Program</u>: The program for tomorrow's Rotary meeting (**Wed**, **11/17**) is the "Health and Fitness Benefits of Fruits & Vegetables". This is a regular lunch meeting at Copper Hill Country Club at 12:15pm.

11/10 Meeting Attendance: 33 out of 57 members attended (57.89%).

Next RCOF Board Meeting (Tonight, 11/16): There will be a Board Meeting held tonight (Tues, 11/16) at 5:45 PM at President Darren's office. The meeting is in his 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room. The meeting is open to all club members.

<u>Membership Committee Meeting (Wed, 11/17 at 1:30pm)</u>: The next Membership Committee meeting will be *tomorrow*, Wed, 11/17 at 1:30pm at Copper Hill Country Club.

New Member to be Inducted on Wed, 11/24: Lynn Hyman: On Wed, 11/24, our newest member will be inducted into the club. Lynn Hyman, who has been approved by the Board and Club, was proposed for membership by Terry Ownes. Lynn will have the classification of "Retail Banking", which was available after Lourdes Pagan left the club due to difficulty attending meetings. Lynn is the Community Business Development Liaison for Hopewell Valley Community Bank. She lives in Ringoes with her husband Jim and was a prior member of the North Hunterdon Rotary Club from 2002-2006. Lynn's hobbies include Golf. Please help to welcome Lynn into the club!

Off-Site Meetings for January 2001: In typical fashion, Copper Hill will be closed during the month of January 2011. We were informed that they would be installing new wall paper in the room we meet in. Therefore, the January 2011 meetings will be held off-site. We will resume meetings back at Copper Hill on Wed, February 2, 2011. The following is a list of off-site meetings:

- Wed, 1/5: ...... Off-Site Meeting at the Hunterdon County Polytech (note that the Café will open their doors for Lunch at 11:45am and that the meeting will end at 1PM without a program. This will give the students time to shutdown the kitchen. In the event the Polytech is closed due to inclement weather, this meeting will be canceled.)
- Wed, 1/12: ..... OPEN
- Wed, 1/19: ..... Off-Site Meeting at the Hunterdon Medical Center
- Wed, 1/26: ..... <u>Off-Site Meeting</u> at the <u>Center for Educational Advancement (CEA)</u> (In the event CEA is closed due to inclement weather, this meeting will be canceled.)

#### **Christmas** Tree Lighting Ceremony & After-Party at Dick & Priscilla Stothoff's Home (Fri, 12/3):

Please mark your calendars! Dick Stothoff has announced that this year's Christmas Tree lighting will take place on **Friday**, **12/3** 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. Santa will be arriving at the Christmas Tree at approximately 7pm, which is preceded by the formal Tree Lighting Ceremony and Christmas Carols. 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!!!

Dick has also indicated that <u>two (2) Christmas Trees were offered this year</u>. The local Cub Scouts will be look at both trees and will make the final selection! The selected tree will be cut down and delivered to the monument on Main Street on Saturday, 11/27 in the morning. During the following week, it will be decorated in advance of the official lighting.

Terry Ownes will again be assisting with his truck, complete with lights in anticipation of Santa's arrival. We may also have some festive music as well.

Hopefully, in addition to current members, significant others and family members, we will be joined by some familiar faces including Steve & Pam Barrick, Gene Lupo, Norm Sutton and Don Bowlby, to name a few.

Below is a photo from the 2009 Tree Lighting. (photo by the Rev. Dr. Herb Bohler)



The <u>Hunterdon County Historic Society</u> will be hosting an <u>Open House</u> at the "<u>Doric House</u>" on late Sunday afternoon (<u>Sun, 12/5</u>). The Doric House is located at 114 Main Street in Flemington, NJ. This is being held prior to the Annual Main Street Flemington "<u>Hunterdon</u> Holiday <u>Parade</u>", which starts at 7pm. All Flemington Rotarians and families are invited to attend. Please contact Dick Stothoff with any questions.



**DORIC HOUSE (pictured above)**: Built in 1846, this three-story Greek Revival structure was the home of Flemington's architect/builder, Mahlon Fisher. Maintained as a museum by the Hunterdon County Historical Society, this house is furnished in authentic New Jersey antiques of the period; tours by appointment. The Hiram E. Deats Reference Library, containing census, church and business records; wills; deeds; photographs; maps; family bibles; and prime source genealogical documents on over 1,200 County families; 1,100 microfilm rolls of Hunterdon newspapers since 1825; and well over 5,000 books, is open Thursdays from noon to 4 p.m., the second and fourth Saturday of every month, excluding Holidays, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and by appointment.

Rotary Holiday Party (Wed, 12/8 at 6pm): The annual Flemington Rotary Holiday Party will be held on Wed, December 8<sup>th</sup> at the Stanton Ridge Golf & Country Club located at 25 Clubhouse Drive, Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889. The evening will start at 6pm for Cocktails. Chris Venditti will be sending an Evite invitation to everyone to easier manage the people attending. President Darren will coordinate remaining details with Stanton Ridge and additional information will follow shortly. Please note that the regular noon club meeting on Wed, 12/8 has been canceled in lieu of the dinner.

SAC Committee Holiday Giving: Every year, Flemington Rotary's SAC Committee (Service Action Committee) works with local charities to identify families in need. SAC has a budget that is used to purchase gifts for these local area families to help them better enjoy the holidays. Additional information will follow shortly. Additionally, at the Rotary Holiday Party, we ask Rotarians to *voluntarily* bring an unwrapped (but a gift bag is appreciated!) gift to supplement the shopping. Rotarians have always provided great support for this. The types of items typically requested are:

- \*Men and Women's socks
- \*Toiletry sets
- \*Craft kits
- \*Toddler toys-trucks
- \*Gift cards to: Wal-Mart, Kohl's and Borders.

Clinton Sunrise Rotary Club Host Holiday Bazaar: Looking for that perfect holiday gift? Let the Clinton Sunrise Rotary Club help you with your holiday shopping this year. The second annual Rotary Holiday Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 20, from 10am-3pm at the Clinton Community Center, 63 Halstead Street, in the town of Clinton. Proceeds from the event will benefit Rotary projects. A broad array of gift ideas will be on display and ready for purchase. New merchandise vendors such as Arbonne, Boyd's Bears, Fieldstone Coffee Roasters, Lia Sophia, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, Party Lite, Rita's Italian Ice,

Silpada Jewelry, Stella & Dot Jewelry, Tastefully Simple & Usborne Books will be represented. In addition, many artisans will be present selling items such as handcrafted jewelry, greeting & note cards, oil & water paintings, pet items, scarves & handbags. Food & refreshments will be available for purchase. For further info visit <a href="https://www.clintonsunriserotary.org">www.clintonsunriserotary.org</a> or call 908-279-0112.

The Rotary Club of Flemington is now on Facebook: New publicity chair, John Hyman, has taken the initiative to bring the Rotary Club of Flemington to Facebook. John has originated a link to our Facebook page on the club website. Click here to access our new Facebook page. John asks that everyone that uses Facebook "become a fan" of this page. John has also agreed to be the point contact to keep the Facebook page up to date. Thanks John!!!

#### **Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:**

4/10 to 5/8/11.....GSE Team trip to Egypt, Cyprus, Jordan, and the United Arab Emirates, along with six other countries

## **Upcoming Rotary Fellowship Events**:

Fri, 12/3	. Annual Tree Lighting After-Party at Dick & Priscilla Stohoff's Home
Wed, 12/8	. Flemington Rotary Holiday Party at Stanton Ridge Golf & Country Club

### **Summary of Upcoming Rotary Meetings / Programs**:

Wed, Nov 17	. Health and Fitness Benefits of Fruits & Vegetables
Wed, Nov 24	.Club Assembly (4 <sup>th</sup> Wed); Including the Induction of Lynn Hyman

Wed, Dec 1 ......Dr. Paul Marciano: Author of Carrots and Sticks, a book on employee relations and productivity

Wed, Dec 8 ...... Holiday Party @ Stanton Ridge at 6pm (Regular Noon Mtg Canceled)

Next RCOF Board Meeting: Tues, 11/16/2010 @ 5:45 PM (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month)

Next Membership Committee Meeting: Wed, 11/17/2010 @ 1:30 PM (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month)

#### **Upcoming RCOF Club Events, Fundraisers, Etc.:**

Fri, 12/3/10	Annual Christmas Tree Lighting at Monument on Main Street, Flemington
Sun, 12/5/10	Main Street Flemington Annual "Hunterdon Holiday Parade"
Mon, 2/28/2011	Annual Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off
Sun, 6/5/2011	3rd Annual "Rotary Bark in the Park" Dog Walk

**Bring A Potential Member for a Free Meal**: Members in good standing have the ability to bring a potential new member for one (1) free meal. The first time the potential member attends, there will be no cost for the meal. The potential member or proposer would be responsible for the cost of all future meetings attended prior to becoming a member.

**COMMITTEE LIST**: 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) New Member Information: Do you have someone you think would be a good potential member? Would like to share some information about Rotary, our Club and the financial requirements? If so, click the link for the information.
- 3) **RCOF Membership Proposal Form**: Click the link to download the "Membership Proposal Form".

Yours in Rotary Service!

Bob Chittenden Rotary Club of Flemington

# RI President's Call for Action in 2010-2011: "Building Communities, Building Continents"

# Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 87th Year

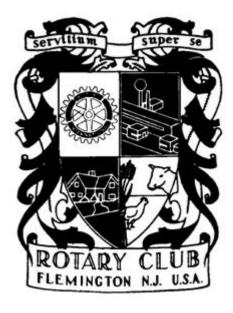
Bob Chittenden, John Hyman,
Chris Kamnitsis and Nancy McWilliams

Sergeant-at-Arms......Steve Parente

Meetings: Wednesday, 12:15 pm, Copper Hill Country Club

100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551

Board Meetings: Third Tuesday of the month, 5:45 pm



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:

1<sup>st</sup>: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

2<sup>nd</sup>: 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<sup>rd</sup>: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;

**4**<sup>th</sup>: 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:

1<sup>st</sup>: Is it the Truth?

2<sup>nd</sup>: Is it Fair to all concerned?

3<sup>rd</sup>: Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

**4**<sup>th</sup>: Will it be beneficial to all concerned?"

## <u>2010-2011 CLUB MEMBERSHIP ROSTER – Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ:</u>

#### **Current Number of Members: 57**

Rotarian	Member Since	Classification
Alte, Daniel C. (Dan)	2008	Contractor - Roofing
Black, Bruce B.	2007	Health and Fitness
Bohler, Herbert C. (Herb)	1977	Specialty Advertising
Brady, Lisa	2007	High School Administration
Brisby, Jr., Byron	2008	Car Sales
Brown, Frederick W. (Fred)	2010	Law Enforcement
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
Hanigan, Jay	2010	Health and Fitness
Harrison, Jeffrey (Jeff)	1996	Psychotherapy
Hennessy, Jr., Richard (Rich)	2010	Financial Advisor
Hermanowski, Tara	2010	Community Banking
Holden, Rose	2008	Public Relations

Hyman, John	2009	Business Coaching
Hyman, Lynn	<mark>2010</mark>	Retail Banking
Kamnitsis, Christopher P. (Chris)	2001	Financial Planning
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	1964	Cut Glass Manufacturing
Nastasi, William (Bill)	1996	General Contracting
Newland, Robert (Bob)	1998	Insurance
Ownes, Terry M.	1987	Floor Covering
Parente, Steven (Steve)	2005	Classification
Pfefferle, R Christian (Chris)	2008	Business Banking
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	2000	Interior Design
Skowronek, Kenneth (Ken)	1994	Family Law
Sollner, Richard F. (Dick)	1962	Air Transportation
Stothoff, Richard H. (Dick)	1966	Sanitary Engineering
Thatcher, Thomas (Tom)	2006	Professional Planning
Trinkle, Anne	2009	Pet Rescue
Venditti, Christopher (Chris)	2009	Automotive Distribution
Weinstein, Theodore (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 (Ed)	1971	Plumbing & Heating
Ziegler, Joseph (Joe)	1988	Investment Advisor
Zullo, John J. (Johnnie)	1987	Chemical Engineering