



Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ, USA

Service Above Self

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Hey Everyone,

Meeting Program: Tomorrow's Rotary meeting (Wed, 2/2) has been **CANCELED** due to the pending snow and ice. A special thanks to Terry Ownes, who has been in contact with Brian of Copper Hill. Joni and the other staff of Copper Hill have a long distance to travel to get to work and the Rotary meeting would have been the only reason they would have come in. Due to the likelihood of inclement weather, it was agreed to cancel the meeting. Hopefully the weather will cooperate next Wednesday. If you are looking for a make-up, please attend the Rotary Winter Social this coming Friday (2/4).

We will aim to induct new member **Laura Karnoff** at next weeks meeting on Wed, 2/9.

Rotary Winter Social (This Coming Friday, 2/4): Karen Widico announced that there will be a Rotary Winter Social this coming Friday (2/4) from 6 to 9pm. The event will be held at the **Flemington Woman's Club** located here in Flemington at 43 Park Avenue. All Rotarians, spouses & significant others are encouraged to attend. Our theme is a tongue-in-cheek play on the MTV show "Jersey Shore". Karen indicated that we even have someone who will be dressing up as Snookie! Our club will also need to provide a themed cuisine and also BYOB. **Tickets are \$10 per person plus a bottle of wine (1 bottle per couple).** There will also be a silent auction. Please RSVP to let us know if you are coming.

1st Wednesday Food Collection: Rescheduled to next Wed (2/9). Please bring a few bucks or a few cans of food to support the Flemington Area Food Pantry.

1st Friday Truck Unloading: This coming Friday (2/2) is the first Friday of the month. If you can spare some time, the unloading of the Flemington Area Food Pantry truck delivery will occur at their Broad Street location at 9am.

Next Membership Committee Meeting: Wed, 2/9/2011 @ 1:30 PM (2nd Wednesday of the month)

Updated RCOF COMMITTEE LIST: At your convenience, please click the link to review the current [Committee List](#). Let us know if you would like to be added to another committee or makes any changes. As a reminder, all members are expected to serve on at least two (2) Committee's as part of their commitment to service. Members are also strongly encouraged to be on at least one of our four fundraiser committee's: Pancake Day, Ride for Rotary, Bark in the Park and/or the Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off. In future emails, the link to the Committee List will remain at the bottom of the E-Monger (just below the section for *Upcoming RCOF Club Events, Fundraisers, Etc*).

Rotarians – Raffle Ticket Sales to Support DGE Megan Jones-Holt: At the next two meetings, Karen Widico will be supporting DGE Megan Jones-Holt, in raising funds for her term next year. One event is a raffle; we are selling 400 tickets at \$25 each as a 50/50, so the potential prize is \$5,000! All Hunterdon Clubs will be supporting this endeavor, so we think there is a good chance all tickets will be sold. Karen hopes that you will purchase a ticket or two, so think about bringing a check with you to the meeting. Thanks for your anticipated support! Karen Widico

Proposed New Member – Laura Karnoff: The Membership Committee, Board and Club have approved **Laura Karnoff** for membership in the Rotary Club of Flemington.

Laura has been proposed by Jarrett Farrell and has attended a few of our club meetings. Laura was also a big help at our last Pancake Day, helping with coffee serving and table cleaning. She will have the classification of “**Accounting**”. Laura is a partner in the Certified Public Accounting firm Bragg & Karnoff, CPA, which is located in the Flemington Borough. Laura resides in Ringoes, NJ. In her free time, Laura is the owner of Rita’s Ice located in Pennington, NJ.

Proposed New Member – David W. Johnston: The Membership Committee, Board and Club have approved **David Johnston** for possible membership in the Rotary Club of Flemington. The membership committee will now continue with the membership process towards potential membership.

David has been proposed by Darren Loew and has attended a few of our club meetings. He would have the proposed classification of “**Financial Advisor**”. David is a Certified Financial Planner (CFP) and partner with Amwell Ridge Wealth Management, which is located on Main Street in Flemington. David and his wife also reside here in Flemington, along with their three children. David’s hobbies include history, coaching soccer, golf, competing in triathlons and football (including the New York Giant’s).



4th Annual Hunterdon County Rotary Soup Cook-Off (Mon, 2/28): The 4th Annual Hunterdon County Rotary Soup Cook-Off is scheduled for Monday, February 28, 2011 at the **HCRHS Commons** from **4:30 to 7:30pm**. The entrance fee is: **\$10 per person**, plus a non-perishable item for donation to the food pantry; Children ages 5-8 are \$5; and Children 4 and younger are free. A **Snow Date** has been scheduled for Tues, March 1, 2011 at the same time. The event is hosted by the Rotary Clubs of Hunterdon County. Once again, congratulations to the **Lambertville Station**, who was voted the “Best Soup” at the 2010 event. A very special thanks to **ShopRite** for being the Major Sponsor of the 2011 event!!! **All proceeds will go to the Foods Banks of Hunterdon County.** For more information, email HunterdonRotaryClubs@gmail.com
[Click Here to Download the Restaurant Info & Entry Form](#)
[Click Here to Download the 2011 Soup Cook-Off Poster](#)

Soup Cook-Off PRESS RELEASE (Local Chefs Duel for the Best Soup):

[Click Here for the online Hunterdon County Democrat Article on the Soup Cook-Off](#)

It’s winter! What better time for a comforting cup of hot soup . . . or 10 or 20.

Hunterdon County Rotary Clubs are sponsoring the fourth annual Hunterdon County Soup Cook-Off on Monday, February 28 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Hunterdon Central Regional High School Commons in Flemington. The Soup Cook-Off is being sponsored this year by Shop Rite.

Twenty-five professional soup chefs are expected to enter their favorite soups and compete for the title of Best Soup in Hunterdon County. Soup lovers all over the county are invited to drop in to taste sample-size cups of any and all soups for just \$10 and a donation of a can of food. Children from 5 to 8 years old are \$5 and children under 5 years are free. The soups will be accompanied by freshly baked rolls and cookies prepared by the Hunterdon County Polytech Culinary Arts students.

All tasters will be asked to vote for their favorite soup and winners will be announced at the end of the event.

The soup cook-off is a community awareness project of the Hunterdon County Rotary Clubs in recognition of International Rotary Day on February 23. The Rotary Clubs of Flemington, Clinton Sunrise, North Hunterdon, Lambertville-New Hope and Whitehouse are service clubs dedicated to helping people in our community and throughout the world. All cook-off proceeds will be donated to food banks in Hunterdon County communities.

Snow date for the event will be on Tuesday, March 1st.
For more information contact hunterdonrotaryclubs@gmail.com

Clinton Sunrise Rotary Donates To Vital Services: The Clinton Sunrise Rotary recently presented checks to local vital service groups serving Clinton and the surrounding area. Officials from each organization were invited to a breakfast meeting of the Rotary where President Lynn Arnold distributed donation checks in the amount of \$500 each. As part of Clinton Sunrise Rotary’s commitment to support the community, contributions were made to the Clinton Police Department, Clinton Fire Department, Clinton First Aid & Rescue Squad and the Open Cupboard Food Pantry. Clinton Sunrise Rotary supports several other causes as well, both locally and internationally. The funds were raised through various charity events held by the Rotary Club throughout the year, including the Sprintin Clinton 5K Run & the annual Poinsettia Sale.

District 7510 Team Rotary Newsletter (January 2011 Edition): [Click Here to View the Newsletter](#)

Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:

3/12President-Elects Training Seminar (PETS) will be held at the Bridgewater Marriott.
3/24College of Governors at The Raddison Hotel
4/10 to 5/8/11.....GSE Team trip to Egypt, Cyprus, Jordan, and the United Arab Emirates, along with six other countries
4/14District Staff Meeting at The Raddison Hotel at 6pm
4/29 to 5/01[District Conference at the Mystic Marriot Spa & Hotel](#); Mystic, CT
5/19District Assembly will be held at the Bridgewater Marriott.

Upcoming Rotary Fellowship Events:

None to Date.

Summary of Upcoming Rotary Meetings / Programs:

Wed, 2/2Meeting Canceled due to Snow & Ice
Wed, 2/9Wendie Blanchard of NORWESCAP as introduced by John Hyman
.....And the induction of Laura Karnoff
Wed, 2/16OPEN
Wed, 2/23Club Assembly / Classification Talks / New Member Inductions

Next RCOF Board Meeting: Tues, 2/15/2011 @ 5:45 PM (3rd Tuesday of the month)

Next Membership Committee Meeting: Wed, 2/9/2011 @ 1:30 PM (2nd Wednesday of the month)

Upcoming RCOF Club Events, Fundraisers, Etc.:

Mon, 2/28/2011Annual **Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off** (4:30pm to 7:30pm)
Sun, 6/5/2011.....[3rd Annual “Rotary Bark in the Park” Dog Walk](#)
Sat, 9/17/20118th Annual **Ride for Rotary – Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake**

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".



The Rotary Club of Flemington is now 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. [Click here to access our new Facebook page.](#) John asks that everyone that uses Facebook "**become a fan**" of this page.

Yours in Rotary Service!

Bob Chittenden
Rotary Club of Flemington

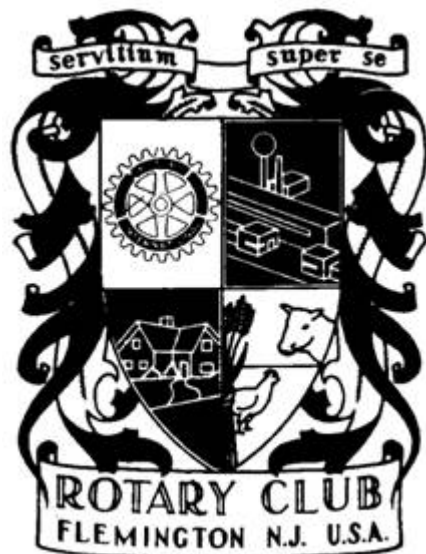
RI President's Call for Action in 2010-2011: "Building Communities, Building Continents"
Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 87th Year

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

President	<u>Darren Loew</u>
President Elect	<u>Chris Venditti</u>
Secretary	<u>Lisa Brady</u>
Treasurer, General	<u>Terry Ownes</u>
Treasurer, Lunch.....	<u>D.J. Wright</u>
Assistant Treasurer, Lunch	<u>Steve Parente</u>
Board Members	Jim Davidson (past president),
.....	Bob Chittenden, John Hyman,
.....	Chris Kamnitsis and Nancy McWilliams
Sergeant-at-Arms.....	<u>Steve Parente</u>
RI President	Ray Klinginsmith (Kirksville, Missouri, USA)
District Governor.....	<u>Ahmed Azmy</u>
District Governor Elect.....	<u>Megan Jones-Holt</u>

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:

- 1st: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- 2nd: 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?"

2010-2011 CLUB MEMBERSHIP ROSTER – Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ:

Current Number of Members: 57 (including Laura Karnoff to be inducted 2/9/11)

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	2010	Retail Banking
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	1964	Cut Glass Manufacturing
Nastasi, William (Bill)	1996	General Contracting
Newland, Robert (Bob)	1998	Insurance
Owens, 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
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