



## Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ, USA

*Service Above Self*

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June 7, 2011

Hey Everyone,

**Meeting Program:** The speaker for tomorrow's Rotary meeting (**Wed, 6/8**) is **Reid Boates**, who will speak about **The College Search Process**. This is a regular lunch meeting at Copper Hill Country Club at 12:15pm.

**Bark in the Park – Event Follow-up Meeting (Wed, June 8):** Jim Davidson called a follow-up meeting tomorrow at 1:30pm following the regular club meeting. Jim will also provide a preliminary update at Wednesday's club meeting, but noted that the event *"was a total success. Starting with the great weather, we had tons more people and dogs than the previous years and many more vendors. The Boro Park was filled, the music was great and the food was "for the dogs!"* Below are two photo albums from the event; one created by the Rev. Dr. Herb Bohler and the other created by John Hyman!

**[Click the Link Below to view the Photo Album for the 2011 Bark in the Park:](#)**

Click the blue link or photo below to access the album. For best viewing, use the **"Slideshow"** option, **then press F11 to see the photos full-screen.** (photos by the Rev. Dr. Herb Bohler)



[Click the Link Below to view a 2nd Photo Album for the 2011 Bark in the Park:](#)

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**Pedals for Progress Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Equipment Collection (Sat, June 4):** Joe Ziegler nicely provided the following follow-up report for the Pedals for Progress collection that took place this past Saturday (June 4):

The collection took in **38 bicycles, 1 sewing machine** and **\$435 in cash donations**. The number of bicycles collected was lower than in previous years; but is consistent with the trend that potential donors are not replacing bicycles as quickly as they would have in the past.

On a positive note, we still made a positive impact on the lives of 38 families.

Helping at the event were:

Joe Ziegler & Frank Fischer (Franks works with Joe)  
Sandy Clark  
Herb Bohler (taking the photos)  
Dave Johnston with his daughters  
Bob Chittenden with his son Thomas

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**Changing of the Guard Dinner (Wed, June 22):** President Darren & President-Elect Chris Venditti **confirmed** that the Changing of the Guard Dinner is scheduled for **Wed, June 22<sup>nd</sup>**. The event will be held at the **Stanton Ridge Golf and Country Club**. A cash bar will open at 6pm. Dinner will start at 6:45pm sharp. The evening's ceremonies will begin at 7:30pm. We hope you can attend to help celebrate the end of another successful Rotary year before President Darren turns the gavel over to incoming President, Chris Venditti. Awards presentations will include the coveted Rotarian of the Year & Paul Harris Fellow, amongst others including Perfect Attendance and awards presented by President Darren himself. There will be no regular lunch meeting this day. Weekly paying members will pay \$14 for their meal. There is no cost to attend for Quarterly paying members & there is No cost for spouses or significant others. Chris Venditti has sent out an Evite invitation. Please RSVP with your attendance to the Evite.

**Incoming District Governor Megan Jones-Holt – Installation Dinner (Wed, June 29<sup>th</sup>):** Megan Jones-Holt & Matthew Holt and The Rotary Club of Clinton Sunrise Cordially Invite you and your guest to The District Governor's Installation Dinner on **Wed, June 29** at **6pm**. The dinner will be held at **The Ridge at Back Brook Golf Course** located at 211 Wertsville Road - Ringoes, NJ 08551; [www.TheRidgeGC.com](http://www.TheRidgeGC.com). The cost is \$45 per person and dress is "Business Attire". Checks shall be made payable to "Rotary District 7510".

**RSVP & mail checks by June 20th to:**  
Deb Shenberger (c/o Shenberger Insurance)  
1110 Harrison Street  
Frenchtown, NJ 08825  
[debshen@aol.com](mailto:debshen@aol.com) or Tel(908) 996-4044

Below is a copy of the invitation:



**8<sup>th</sup> Annual RIDE FOR ROTARY – Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake (Sat, 9/17):** The 8<sup>th</sup> annual family-oriented motorcycle "Poker Run" will be held on **Saturday, September 17, 2011**, followed by a community picnic and clam bake! The start and end location will be the [Clinton Elks Lodge](#), Sidney Road (County Route 617), Pittstown, NJ. Riders check in at the Clinton Elks Lodge between 9 and 11am before leaving on the motorcycle poker run through approximately 65 miles of scenic Hunterdon County and surrounding areas. Riders will drive their motorcycles along a pre-determined route and stop to select a playing card from each of five locations. After selecting the 5<sup>th</sup> card, each rider will have a "poker hand". The first prize for best poker hand is **\$250**, second prize is **\$100** and third prize is **\$50**. The ride ends with a community picnic and clam bake at the Clinton Elks Lodge. Everyone -- non-riders, families, friends, kids, adults -- is invited to the picnic and clam bake which runs from noon to 3pm. Food, beverages, prizes, 50/50 cash raffle (tickets are \$10 each), face painting for kids, vendors and music by [Crazy Kat](#) himself! For more information, contact Bob Chittenden at [RFR@jarengineering.com](mailto:RFR@jarengineering.com) or Tel(908) 284-9040 x104. Click Here for the Event Forms: [Flyer](#), [Pre-Registration](#) and [Event Brochure with Sponsor Info](#).

**Officers & Board Members for the 2011-2012 Flemington Rotary Year:** At the 3/16/2011 club meeting, President-Elect Chris proposed his full slate of Officers & Board members for the upcoming Rotary year. Bob Chittenden made a motion to close nominations & accept the proposed officers, which was seconded by Ted Weinstein. All other attending members voted “yes”. Therefore, the slate of 2011-12 Officers & Board Members will be as follows:

- President ..... **Chris Venditti**
- President Elect ..... **R. Wayne Randolph**
- Secretary ..... **John Hyman**
- Treasurer, General ..... **Karen Widico**
- Treasurer, Lunch..... **D.J. Wright**
- Assistant Treasurer, Lunch ..... **Rich Hennessy**
- Board Members ..... **Darren Loew (past president),**
- ..... **Sheila Fernekes**
- ..... **Nancy McWilliams**
- ..... **Terry Ownes**
- ..... **Joe Ziegler**
- Sergeant-at-Arms..... To be Announced at Changing of the Guard Dinner

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

**Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:**

Soon to be updated.

**Upcoming Rotary Fellowship Events:**

None currently scheduled.

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

- Wed, 6/8 ..... Reid Boates: The College Search Process
- Wed, 6/15 ..... Michelle Smith: NJ Fish and Game (Bears)
- Wed, 6/22 ..... **Changing of the Guard Dinner @ 6PM** (No Noon Lunch Meeting in lieu of the Evening Dinner Meeting)
- Wed, 6/29 ..... **Club Assembly / Classification Talks / New Member Inductions.**

**Next RCOF Board Meeting:** Tues, 6/21/2011 @ 5:45 PM (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month)

**Next Membership Committee Meeting:** Wed, 9/14/2011 @ 1:30 PM (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month)

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

- Sat, 6/4/2011 ..... **Pedals for Progress** Collection
- Sun, 6/5/2011 ..... **[3rd Annual “Rotary Bark in the Park” Dog & Pet Walk](#)**
- Sat, 9/17/2011 ..... **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Ride for Rotary – Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake**
- Sat, October TBD ..... **37<sup>th</sup> Annual Pancake Day & Bake Sale** at the H.C.R.H.S. Commons

**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? If so, please contact Membership Committee Chair [Sheila Fernekes](#) to learn the process prior to initiating an application. In the meanwhile, click the link for information on the club and financial requirements.
- 3) **RCOF Membership Proposal Form:** If you are interested in proposing someone for potential membership, please first contact Membership Committee Chair [Sheila Fernekes](#) for the necessary steps to be taken.



**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 87<sup>th</sup> Year**

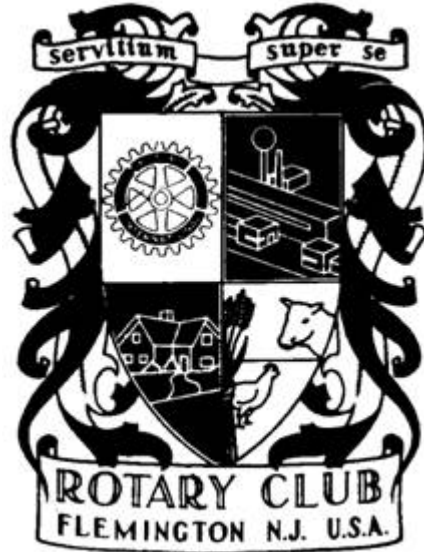
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President .....	<a href="#">Darren Loew</a>
President Elect .....	<a href="#">Chris Venditti</a>
Secretary .....	<a href="#">Lisa Brady</a>
Treasurer, General .....	<a href="#">Terry Ownes</a>
Treasurer, Lunch.....	<a href="#">D.J. Wright</a>
Assistant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

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?”

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

**Current Number of Members: 58 (including Dave Johnston; inducted on 3/23/11)**

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
Johnston, David (Dave)	2011	Financial Advisor
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