



Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ, USA

Service Above Self

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www.FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org

August 16, 2011

Hey Everyone,

Meeting Program: There is no scheduled program for tomorrow's Rotary meeting (**Wed, 8/17**). This is a regular lunch meeting at Copper Hill Country Club at 12:15pm.

Ride for Rotary Meeting (Wed, 8/17 at 1:30pm): There will be a Ride for Rotary meeting tomorrow at 1:30pm following the regular club meeting at Copper Hill.

- The deadline for Sponsor commitments is tomorrow (Wed, 8/17) in order to be listed on the shirts.
- The event sandwich board layouts are underway and will be printed ASAP.
- Two RCOF "donations" sandwich boards are in the works. They will have a generic layout that can be used at all upcoming events, etc.
- Permits are being sought to post banners in town 10-days before the event.
- The event t-shirt layout is underway.
- Rotarians are requested to Pre-Register in order to obtain their t-shirt on Wed, 9/14 before the event. Here is a link to the [Pre-Registration](#) form.
- Raffle ticket sales are starting out slowly. Rotarians are requested to sell a full \$200 book of tickets. We have a potential to net \$10,000 from the raffle if all tickets are sold.
- See below for the RFR article that was included on www.NJ.com via the Hunterdon County Democrat.

Board Meeting (Next Wed, 8/24): The next Board Meeting will be held *next Wed* night (Wed, 8/24) at 6pm at President Chris' home. All members are invited to attend the meeting. Meetings will normally be held on the 3rd Wed of each month.

Ed Zanetti Update: Ed Zanetti called last week from Florida to say hi. Ed's voice was a bit raspy from some medication he is on, but he indicated that they are hoping to get back to NJ from September to just after Thanksgiving. Pat has been having some medical issues and they are waiting for the all clear from the doctor before heading north. Ed joked that the Rotary Club of Sarasota Keys (Florida) has been trying hard to get him as a member of their club. Ed says he is a "Flemington" Rotarian, so why would he! Ed sends in his weekly Rotary make-up cards to ensure he continues his 40-years of perfect attendance!

Ed shared the email address for his daughter, who is willing to print emails and get them to Ed. Her email is: otto.cars@yahoo.com. Feel free to drop Ed a line and say hi.

Here is a link to the online version of the Sarasota Keys weekly newsletter that they call "Key Notes": <http://www.rotarysarasotakeys.org/bulletin.htm>

"SAVE THE DATE" - 37th Annual Pancake Day, Bake Sale & Halloween High School (Sat, 10/29): The 37th Annual **Pancake Day, Bake Sale & Halloween High School** will be held on Saturday, October 29th at the H.C.R.H.S. Commons. More info to follow.

8th Annual [RIDE FOR ROTARY](#) – Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake (Sat, 9/17): The 8th 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 5th 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 [Krazy Kat](#) himself! For more information, contact Bob Chittenden at RFR@jarengineering.com or Tel(908) 284-9040 x104.

Click Here for the Event Forms: [Flyer](#), [Pre-Registration](#) and [Event Brochure with Sponsor Info](#).




ROTARY CLUB
of Flemington
"Service Above Self"



8th Annual
Ride for Rotary
Motorcycle Poker Run Picnic & Clambake

Saturday, September 17, 2011
9 am to 3 pm
Start & End: Clinton Elks Lodge
211 Sidney Road • Pittstown, NJ 08867
908-284-9040 x104
www.FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org
— 50/50 Cash Raffle —

Rain or Shine!



Proceeds benefit Flemington Rotary's Many Charitable Projects.

Flemington Poker Run and Clam Bake Sept. 17 (online article Published by the Hunterdon County Democrat on Sun, 8/14 via www.NJ.com) ([Click Here for the Online Article](#)):

Hundreds of motorcyclists are expected at the eighth Annual Ride for Rotary — Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake, to be hosted by the Rotary Club of Flemington on Saturday, Sept. 17.

The approx 65-mile motorcycle “poker run” includes prizes for riders and family members, plus a festive clam bake and picnic. Riders and picnickers should pre-register by Sept. 1 to get a free event shirt and be guaranteed clams. Others can register directly at the event.

For riders, the starting and ending location is the Clinton Elks Lodge, 211 Sidney Road, Pittstown. Breakfast will be provided during check-in between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. The ride proceeds approx 65 miles through scenic Hunterdon County and surrounding areas. Prizes include \$250 for the best poker hand, \$100 for 2nd best and \$50 for the 3rd best hand.

All proceeds from the event will benefit Flemington Rotary’s many charitable projects, which are devoted to youth, senior citizens and the disabled. This includes annual scholarships for local high school seniors and community service projects.

Rider registration is \$25 including breakfast and lunch. Those who pre-register by Sept 1 also receive a commemorative T-shirt and are guaranteed clams. For those who register on event day, shirts will be sold for \$15 each & clams will be available while supplies last.

Families, friends and non-riders are all invited to the picnic that follows the ride, from noon to 3 p.m. at the Clinton Elks Lodge. Enjoy food, beverages, prizes, a cash raffle, a tattoo contest, face painting and other activities for the kids, vendors and music by DJ extraordinaire “Krazy Kat” himself. Picnic tickets are \$25 for adults and \$5 for kids ages five to 11. Only those who pre-register are guaranteed clams and T-shirts.

A 50/50 cash raffle will be held during the event. Tickets are \$10 each, with a limit of 2,000 tickets. First prize is 35% of tickets sales (potential \$7,000); second prize, 10% (potential \$2,000); and third prize, 5% (potential \$1,000). The drawing will be held the day of the event at 3 p.m. at the Clinton Elks Lodge. (More details on tickets.)

Ride for Rotary draws broadly on community talents. Hunterdon County Polytech students design the run T-shirt, park cars and help to prepare and cook some of the food. A professional clam shucker prepares the steamers and clams on the half-shell, the event’s signature food offering. Face painting and other kids’ activities are provided. Breakfast and picnic foods are generously donated by local businesses. For more information, visit flemingtonrotarynj.org/RFR/index.php, email RFR@jarengineering.com or call Bob Chittenden at 908-284-9040, ext. 104.

The Rotary Club of Flemington meets every Wednesday at 12:15 p.m. for lunch at the Copper Hill Country Club, 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes. For more information about the club, membership or other upcoming events, visit FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org.

Clinton Sunrise Rotary Club Expands its Flu Shot Clinics This Year:

The Clinton Sunrise Rotary Club and Dr. Ronald M. Frank will be expanding their Flu Vaccine Clinics this year to fill the void created by Hunterdon County Health Department's decision to eliminate their flu clinics. Currently, three large clinics are planned for northern Hunterdon County. Dates and times will be announced the first week of September. In addition, Dr. Frank will be holding two additional Flu Vaccine Clinics in Flemington.

"Clinton Sunrise Rotary is pleased to offer this service to the community in conjunction with Dr. Frank," said Dave Gansfuss, Rotary Club President. "The additional bonus of support for the Open Cupboard Food Pantry in Clinton also fits in with our club's goal of addressing Hunger in Hunterdon."

Flu vaccines will be available for adults and children 6 months of age and older. This year, a limited number of preservative-free flu vaccines will be offered. Pneumonia vaccines will be available for eligible participants. Questionnaires will be available at the clinics.

No copays or deductibles are required for participants with Traditional Medicare Part B, Medicare Advantage, Aetna PPO; AmeriHealth PPO; Cigna; HealthNet; Blue Cross Blue Shield//Horizon Products; United Healthcare/Oxford. Additional HMO/Commercial insurances without PCP listing on card may be accepted. Please present all insurance cards at the clinic to determine eligibility. For those without insurance or plans that Dr. Frank does not participate with the flu vaccine cost is \$20.00.

As with previous clinics, Dr. Frank will donate a portion of the proceeds from these clinics to the Open Cupboard Food Pantry, Clinton, NJ. Nonperishable food donations will be accepted at the clinics. For additional information call Dr. Frank's office at 732-356-0266.

District 7510 News: [Click Here to View the Current District News](#)

Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:

- Thurs, 9/22..... Hunterdon County 1st Quarter Mtg @ The Lambertville Station (6:30pm)**
Mon, 10/3 Vocational Assembly featuring RI President Kalyan Banerjee at the Pines Manor, Edison (2pm)
Wed, 10/12 Homes of Hope InterCity Meeting (6pm)
Mon, 11/7 Eat, Drink and Share at the Pines Manor, Route 27 – Edison, NJ (6pm)
Sat, 11/12..... Rotary Leadership Institute – Crowne Plaza Hotel, Davidson Avenue (7:30am)
Thurs, 11/17..... Hunterdon County 2nd Quarter Mtg @ Clinton Firehouse – Old Highway 22 & New Street, Clinton NJ (6:30pm)
Wed, 2/1/2012 PETS 1 @ Econo Lodge, Somerset NJ (6:00pm)
Sat, 3/3/2012..... PETS 2 @ Econo Lodge, Somerset NJ (8:00am)
Thurs, 3/15/2012..... Hunterdon County 3rd Quarter Mtg @ Copper Hill Country Club (6:30pm)
Fri, 3/23 to Sun, 3/25. RYLA Weekend
Wed, 5/2/2012 District Assembly @ Crowne Plaza Hotel, Davidson Avenue (2:00pm)
Thurs, 5/17/2012..... Hunterdon County 4th Quarter Mtg @ Beaver Brook County Club (6:30pm)
Fri, 6/1 to Sun, 6/3..... 92nd Annual District Conference – Lancaster Marriott Penn Square in Lancaster City, PA (starting at 2pm on Friday)
Wed, 6/27/2012 2012-2013 District Governor Installation – Martinsville Inn, Martinsville, NJ (6:00pm)

Upcoming Rotary Fellowship Events:

None currently scheduled.

Summary of Upcoming Rotary Meetings / Programs:

Wed, 8/24 Laura Deprado will speak about a District 7510 Project: "Growing Lives One Seed at a Time"

Wed, 8/31 **George Muller** will be giving a Classification Talk (**5th Wed**)

Wed, 9/7 Cindy Love – District Website

Wed, 9/14 TBA

Wed, 9/21 **Jeff Harrison** will be giving a Classification Talk.

Wed, 9/28 Club Assembly / Classification Talks / New Member Inductions. **Chris Kamnitsis** will be giving his Classification talk.

Wed, 10/5 Split Second Documentary done by RVCC and Project Hope

Wed, 10/12 Frank Caroselli: District Conference

Wed, 10/19 TBA

Wed, 10/26 Club Assembly / Classification Talks / New Member Inductions.

Next RCOF Board Meeting: Wed, 8/24/2011 @ 6:00 PM (3rd Wednesday of the month)

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

Upcoming RCOF Club Events, Fundraisers, Etc.:

Sat, 9/17/2011 8th Annual **Ride for Rotary – Motorcycle Poker Run, Picnic & Clam Bake**

Sat, 10/29/2011 37th Annual **Pancake Day, Bake Sale & Halloween High School** at the H.C.R.H.S. Commons

TBA **Halloween Parade** & Costume Contest on Main Street, Flemington

TBA Annual **Christmas Tree** Lighting at Monument on Main Street, Flemington

TBA Main Street Flemington Annual "**Hunterdon Holiday Parade**"

TBA Annual **Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off**

TBA **4th Annual "Rotary Bark in the Park" Dog Walk**

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 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 "**become a fan**" of this page.

Yours in Rotary Service!

Bob Chittenden
Rotary Club of Flemington

RI President's Call for Action in 2011-2012: "Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"

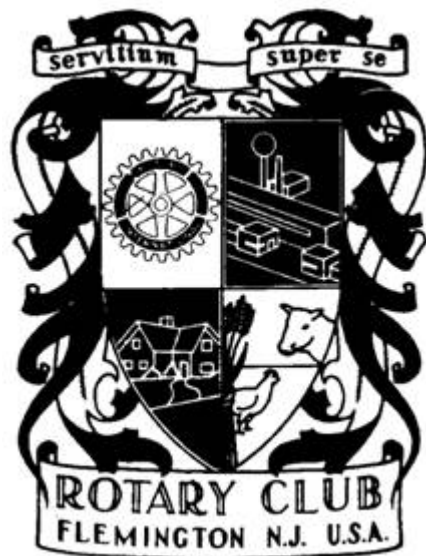
Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 88th Year

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.....	<u>D.J. Wright</u>
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, [Copper Hill Country Club](#)**
100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551

Board Meetings: **Third Wednesday of the month, 6:00 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?"

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

Current Number of Members: 56 (including Rose Holden & Chris Pfefferle's resignation on 6/30/2011)

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
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
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	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