February 11, 2014

Hey Bob,

CLUB MEETING

Date: **Wed, 2/12** Time: **12:15pm**

Location: Copper Hill Country Club

Address: 100 Copper Hill Road - Ringoes, NJ 08851

The program will be on the **District Friendship Exchange Team**, who recently returned from a trip to **Nepal**.

1st WEDNESDAY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

Tomorrow (2/12) is the first Wed of the month that we are holding a meeting. Please bring a few bucks or a few cans of food to support the Flemington Area Food Pantry.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING (Wed, 2/12 at 1:30pm)

Membership Chair, Joe Ziegler, has called a 2nd Wednesday Membership Committee meeting for tomorrow at 1:30pm following the regular club meeting. Anyone interested in being on the Committee is welcome to attend.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

From President Ira Liebross

Highlights from the February Board Meeting

President Ira wanted to share the following highlights from the February Board Meeting, held on 2/6/2014:

- **Resignation of Chris Venditti**: Ira noted that the board accepted the resignation of Chris Venditti, with regrets. Chris had expressed that increased work commitments have made him unable to attend our lunch meetings. Ira informed Chris that he has an open invitation to rejoin and/or participate in all Flemington Rotary activities.
- Strengthening Our Club: Ira noted that he strongly believes that connecting our members to the larger vision of Rotary International will strengthen our club. One step towards reaching this goal is having our members attend the various rotary workshops at the Rotary District Conference (see below for details) and to attend the Rotary Leadership Institute. Ira will try his best to keep everyone informed of

- these upcoming events. <u>Click Here</u> to visit the website for The Rotary Leadership Institute or http://www.rlinea.com/.
- International Rotary Experience: Are you looking to be part of an exciting International Rotary project? Twice a year Rotarians travel to Honduras to build latrines and install filters. Yes, this is the project we are funding with our global grant. Click Here to view the flyer detailing the trip to Honduras from April 6 12, 2014. Please contact Ira directly if you have any interest.

See you this Wednesday, President Ira



7th Annual SOUP COOK-OFF The Rotary Clubs of Hunterdon Monday, February 24, 2014 5:00 to 7:00pm H.C.R.H.S. Commons

H.C.R.H.S. Commons 29 Junction Road - Flemington, NJ

Hundreds of soup lovers countywide will attend the event at the Hunterdon Central Regional High School Commons on Monday, February 24, 2014 from 5:00-7:00pm. Their **admission fee of \$10 and a food donation to the Food Pantry** entitles them to sample-size cups of any and all entered soups, plus the opportunity to vote for their favorite. At the end of the evening, two trophies will be awarded, one for PEOPLE'S CHOICE and one for JUDGE'S CHOICE and each champion will have the honor of displaying the coveted SOUPER BOWL TROPHIES in their restaurant for the year. An additional award will be presented for the BEST VISUAL PRESENTATION so be creative in your table presentation. **Click Here** for more information.

RESTAURANT ENTRY DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 7, 2014

A limit of 20 participating restaurants will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. One soup entry per restaurant. CLICK HERE for the Restaurant Entry Form.

YOUR PARTICIPATION HELPS FIGHT HUNGER IN HUNTERDON!!!

The annual Hunterdon County Soup cook-off is a community-awareness project of the Rotary Clubs of Hunterdon County, dedicated to helping people in our community. All event proceeds will be donated to the Food Pantries of Hunterdon County.

Questions? Contact Event Chair, **Mick Schaible** with any questons or comments. He can be reached at **(609)460-4530** or by email at **Soup@FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org**.



THIS COMMITTEE IS A REAL "STINKER"

The Stinker Club Join At Your Own Risk



At the 1/29 Flemington Rotary Meeting, Jim Davidson announced that he is starting a new Committee. Not sure of it's full name, but you need

to own your own Skunk hat, be willing to wear it in public, complete an application form, then act like a real stinker!

Hunterdon Chamber Internet Radio "THE ROTARY HOUR"

Mondays from 11am to 12noon

PDG Megan Jones-Holt is the host of "The Rotary Hour" on the Hunterdon Chamber Internet Radio station and is looking for guests to have on the show. The show is every Monday from 11am to 12noon. She said guests can talk about anything they want to promote or just to share something you are involved it that would be interesting to others.

Megan is also looking for talk show hosts. If you are a budding talk show personality, then please get in touch with Megan at (908)894-4590 or mjonesholt@gmail.com.

<u>Click Here</u> to listen to the Hunterdon Chamber Internet Radio station from your PC, smart phone, mobile device, etc.



Congratulations to Bob Wise!2014 Distinguished Service Award by the NJ Hospital Association (NJHA)

Bob Wise was awarded the **2014 Distinguished Service Award** by the New Jersey Hospital Association (NJHA). The award was presented during the 95th NJHA Annual Meeting on Friday, January 24th at the Hyatt Regency in Princeton.

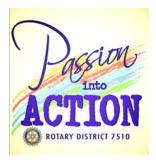
Bob was honored for his more than 23 years of service, leadership and commitment to the hospital and the patients it serves. Among his many accomplishments, he is credited with working together with a visionary board and talented administrative team that resulted in the expansion of both facilities and programs, such as a new emergency department, an expanded ICU/CCU, a regional cancer center, a nutrition and diabetes center, two successful health and wellness centers and currently under construction, a cardiovascular center. Bob has been President and Chief Executive Officer of the Hunterdon Medical Center since 1990. He also serves as President of Hunterdon Healthcare System, Hunterdon Medical Center Foundation, Hunterdon Regional Community Health and Midjersey Health Corporation.

Rotary BRIDGING THE GAP

Rotarians being Sought as Mentors!

February 4, 2014 (8-10am) - BTG February 25, 2014 (8-10am) - BTG March 25, 2014 - Job Fair May 13, 2014 - Awards Breakfast

Click Here for additional information.



2014 Rotary District 7510 94th Annual DISTRICT CONFERENCE

May 2 - 3, 2014 Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater 100 Davidson Avenue - Somerset, NJ

This year's District Conference will be held right in our backyard at the Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater on Davidson Avenue in Somerset!! CLICK HERE to register or to obtain additional

information.

The Conference has been made more affordable this year by going to an a la carte registration approach. You can choose to attend select portions OR to attend the entire Conference. The fee to attend will be charged accordingly. The change in registration approach was done to encourage a higher attendance.

If you have any questions, please contact **PDG Michael Hart** - District Conference Chair as follows: Home: 908-654-7384; Work: 732-549-5660; Email: drmhart@yahoo.com



HUNTERDON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

As you know, the Rotary Club of Flemington is a member of the H.C. Chamber of Commerce. This enables all Rotarians the ability to attend a Chamber function as a "member". If someone asks you what your business is, you would explain that you are a member representing the Rotary Club of Flemington. Click Here to visit the Chamber website for a listing of upcoming events.

ROTARY DISTRICT 7510 NEWS

Click Here to read the current news from our Rotary District 7510.

SPEAKERS & PROGRAMS BEING SOUGHT

We are always seeking new or creative ideas for upcoming meeting programs and speakers. If you have any leads, please pass them onto Mick Schaible. Click here to

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE

Summary of Upcoming Club Meeting Programs:

Wed, 2/12: District Friendship Exchange Team, who recently returned from a trip to

Nepal.

Wed, 2/19: Otto Reinbacher - Classification Talk.

Wed, 2/26: Jim Davidson - Lindbergh Memorabilia Collection.

Wed, 3/05: To Be Announced.

Wed, 3/12: To Be Announced.

Wed, 3/19: Chris Barton - Partnership for a Drug Free New Jersey.

Wed, 3/26: To Be Announced.

Next RCOF Board Meeting: Thurs, 3/6/2014 at 6:00 PM (usually the 1st Thursday).

Next Membership Meeting: Wed, 2/12/2014 at 1:30 PM (usually the 2nd Wednesday).

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

Mon, 2/24: Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off

Sun, 6/8: Rotary Bark in the Park Dog Walk

Sat, 6/7: Pedals for Progress Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Gear Collection

Rotary District 7510 Events & Functions:

Wed, 2/5: PETS 1 - Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater (6:30pm)

Fri, 3/21: PETS 2 - Marriot Hotel, Whippany, NJ (6:00pm)

May 17: World Peace Day

May 2-3: **District Conference**

Wed, 5/14: District Assembly - Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater (2:30pm to 8:30pm)

May 30 - June 1: RYLA, 4-Way Test Speech Contest, Rotaract, Interact & Early Act.

COMMITTEE LIST:

Click Here to download the listing of all current Club Committee's and its members.

"MEMBERS ONLY" WEBSITE:

<u>Click Here</u> for the Members Only section of the website to find:

- 1) The "Membership Proposal Form" to propose a new member.
- 2) New Member Information.
- 3) An Online Copy of the Club Membership Directory.
- 4) A Link to All Photos Albums of the Club.

ROTARY WEBSITE LINKS:

Rotary International: www.Rotary.org
Rotary District 7510: www.RotaryNJ.org

NEARBY ROTARY CLUB MEETINGS:

As A Rotarian, you are Welcome to attend a Rotary Club meeting anywhere in the world. <u>Click here for the Rotary Club Locator App</u>. Or see below for some local meetings:

Mondays

Lambertville/New Hope (6:30 pm) - Lambertville Station Restaurant; 11 Bridge Street, Lambertville NJ 08530

Piscataway (12:15 pm) - Radisson Hotel; 21 Kingsbridge Road, Piscataway, NJ 08854

Tuesdays

Whitehouse (12:15 pm) - Max's 22; 456 Route 22 West, Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889 Princeton (12:15 pm) - The Nassau Club; 6 Mercer Street, Princeton, NJ 08540 Bridgewater-Bound Brook (12:15 pm) - Arbor Glenn; 100 Monroe St, Bridgewater 08807

Wednesdays

Branchburg Township (7:30 am): Stoney Brook Grille; 1285 Route 28, North Branch, NJ 08876

<u>Flemington</u> (12:15pm): Copper Hill Country Club; 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes, NJ 08851

Hillsborough Township (6:15 pm): Pheasant's Landing; 311 Amwell Road (Rt. 514), Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Thursdays

<u>Clinton Sunrise</u> (7:30 am): Clinton Fire Department; New Street, Clinton, NJ 08809 <u>Somerville/Bridgewater</u> (12:15 pm): Bridgewater Manor; 1251 US Highway 202/206, Bridgewater, NJ 08807

<u>Trenton</u> (12:15 pm): Freddie's Tavern; 12 Railroad Avenue, West Trenton, NJ 08628

Fridays

North Hunterdon (12:15 pm): Beaver Brook County Club; 25 County Club Drive, Annandale, NJ 08801

Princeton Corridor (12:15pm): Hyatt Regency; 102 Carnegie Center, Rt. 1 North, Princeton, NJ 08540

eClub

Rotary eClub of Hunterdon Horizon: View website for meetings or online makeups.

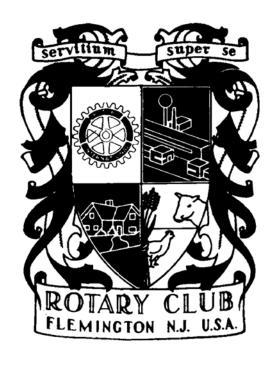
RI President's Call for Action in 2013-2014: "Engage Rotary, Change Lives"

Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 90th Year

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

<u>Ira Liebross</u>	
Lynn Hyman	
Michele Kavanagh	
Bob Newland	
D.J. Wright	
Karen Widico (immediate past president)	
Jim Davidson	
Nancy Kahl	
Mick Schaible	
Chris Venditti	
Tom Fisher	
Ron D. Burton (Norman, Oklahoma, USA)	
Tulsi R. Maharjan (Branchburg, NJ)	
Melvin I. Kevoe "Mel" (Springfield, NJ)	
Hal Daume (Berkeley Heights, NJ)	
Michael Toscani (Lambertville-New Hope, PA)	

<u>Club Meetings</u>: **Wednesday, 12:15 pm, <u>Copper Hill Country Club</u>** 100 Copper Hill Road, Ringoes 08551





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?"

ROTARY'S AVENUE'S OF SERVICE:

- 1) Through **Club Service**, we have fun, build lasting friendships, and make sure that our club runs well.
- **2**) Through **Vocational Service**, we volunteer our professional skills to serve others and promote integrity in everything we do.
- **3)** Through **Community Service**, we address local needs and work with our community to bring lasting improvements.
- **4)** Through **International Service**, we meet humanitarian needs around the globe and promote world understanding and peace.
- **5**) Through **Youth Service**, we work with young people to help them become the next generation of leaders, visionaries, and peacemakers.

2013-2014 CLUB MEMBER ROSTER Rotary Club of Flemington, NJ

Current Number of Members: 45

Rotarian	Member Since	Classification
Black, Bruce B.	2007	Health and Fitness
Bohler, Herbert C. (Herb)	1977	Specialty Advertising
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
Ferrari, Frederick J. (Fred)	1964	Orthodontia
Fisher, Charles H. (Charlie)	1961	Funeral Services
Fisher, Thomas H. (Tom)	2012	Property & Casualty Insurance
Harrison, Jeffrey (Jeff)	1996	Psychotherapy
Hennessy, Jr., Richard (Rich)	2010	Financial Advisor
Hyman, Lynn	2010	Retail Banking
Kahl, Nancy	2012	Massage Therapy
Kamnitsis, Christopher P. (Chris)	2001	Financial Planning
Kavanagh, Michele	2013	Community Banking
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
Skowronek, Kenneth J. (Ken)	1994	Family Law
Sollner, Richard F. (Dick)	1962	Air Transportation
Stothoff, Richard H. (Dick)	1966	Sanitary Engineering
Stout, Deborah (Debbie)	2013	Retail Banking
Thatcher, Thomas P. (Tom)	2006	Professional Planning
Weinstein, Theodore H. (Ted)	1994	Pulmonary Medicine
Widico, Karen A.	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

Yours in Rotary Service! Bob Chittenden

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