

May 13, 2014

#### Hey Bob,

## **CLUB MEETING**

Date: Wed, 5/14 Time: 12:15pm Location: Copper Hill Country Club Address: 100 Copper Hill Road - Ringoes, NJ 08851

The program for tomorrow's meeting will be the **Presentation of Soup Cook-Off Trophies to the Restaurants**; and the **Check Presentation to the Flemington Area Food Pantry**.

## **ROTARIAN of the YEAR COMMITTEE MEETING**

#### Wed, 5/14 at 1:30pm

Sandy Clark has called a Rotarian of the Year (ROTY) Committee Meeting for tomorrow at 1:30pm following the regular club meeting. All past recipients of the award are requested to attend to review and select this year's Rotarian of the Year.



## CAUTION MESSAGE from Copper Hill Country Club

A special thanks to Bob Newland for sharing the following message from Copper Hill:

"We have been notified by police that vehicle break-ins are on the rise and that country club parking lots are being targeted.

Please be vigilant! Lock your car and place any valuables in your trunk. Copper Hill Country Club."



**Rotary 7510 "DISTRICT ASSEMBLY"** Wednesday, May 14 2:45pm to 9:00pm The Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater 110 Davidson Ave - Somerset, NJ All Rotarians, especially the incoming Club Officers (President, President-Elect, Secretary, Treasurers), Board Members, Foundation Chair, Membership Chair, Committee Chairs & New Rotarians, should try to attend.

Registration begins at 2:45pm and the Opening Plenary Session is scheduled for 3:30pm to 5pm. Some scheduled workshops include "How Can I Take My Club From Good to Great?", "Digital & Social Media for Your Rotary Club and Your Business", and "Empowerment of Women".

If you are interested in attending, please let President-Elect Lynn Hyman know. She can be reached at Tel(908)304-4199 or <u>lynnjim5@verizon.net</u>.



**PHOTO ALBUM from the 5th Wednesday Cocktail Hour at Gallo Rosso** Wed, April 30, 2014

<u>Click Here</u> or on the photo to the left to view the Photo Album from the recent 5th Wednesday Cocktail Hour at Gallo Rosso Bar & Restaurant. Everyone attending had a

great time!

A very special thanks to the Rev. Dr. Herb Bohler for taking the photos and generating the album for everyone to enjoy.



#### 6th Annual BARK IN THE PARK Sunday, June 8, 2014 Registration: 10:30am Walk: 11:00am to 2:00pm Location: Flemington Boro Park

Address: 43 Park Avenue, Flemington, NJ 08822

Enjoy a 1.0 mile walk around scenic Flemington ending back in a park full of activities for you and your pet. Meet exhibitors from local businesses with healthy ideas for your pet plus new and unique pet-oriented products and services.

All net proceeds of the event go to Rotary Charities and the local pet rescue organization <u>Animal Alliance</u>, a non-profit, volunteer-run pet adoption and spay/neuter outreach animal welfare organization.

You can also enjoy great food from several local restaurants (for people!), plus fabulous pet contests. There will also be terrific live music from <u>SunDog</u>!

Pre-register before June 4th and save \$5.00 off the gate prices! Only \$10.00 per

walker/pet (up until June 4th) gets you access to the dog walk and all the great activities in the park! Registrations received after June 4th, including day-of event registrations, are **\$15.00** per walker/pet. Plus you'll also receive a goody bag with over \$35.00 of products, samples and special offers!

<u>Click Here</u> or visit <u>www.FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org</u> for more information, or to download the following event forms:

- Event Brochure.
- Participant Registration Form.
- Vendor Registration Form.
- Sponsor Registration Form.
- <u>"Save the Date" post card</u>.



**PEDALS FOR PROGRESS Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Equipment Collection** Saturday, May 31, 2014 9am to 12noon Flemington Presbyterian Church 10 East Main Street - Flemington, NJ

Please join us for another Collection at the Flemington Presbyterian Church. Items to be collected include **Used Bicycles** (adult and child), **Used Sewing Machines** (in working condition) and **Sports Equipment** (soccer balls, baseball gloves, etc. that can fit in the shipping containers between the bikes). The collection is sponsored by the Flemington Presbyterian Church and the Rotary Club of Flemington.

Bikes will be sent to Guatemala, Nicaragua, Albania, Ghana, Uganda and Vietnam. Please help do your part to put unused bikes to good use in the developing world.

#### Requirements:

- Bikes should be rust free.
- Bikes with flat tires in need of some repair are accepted.
- No trikes.
- "Bikes for parts" are not accepted.

A **\$10 cash donation** is required with each bike or sewing machine. Bikes and donations are cash deductible. The required cash donation helps to offset the cost to ship the bikes to the developing countries.

**Pedals for Progress**, also known as **P4P**, collects 5000 to 7000 bicycles annually and transfers this material wealth to those more needy. Thus rescuing bicycles destined for America's landfills and delivering them to societies where they are badly needed and

highly valued. To date, more than 133,500 bicycles have been shipped to developing countries in Latin America, Africa, and Eastern Europe. In these countries, the bikes are reconditioned by partner agencies and distributed at low cost to poor working adults. These bikes provide them with reliable transportation for commuting to work, transporting produce to market, or accessing health care and other services. Steady employment for these adults is vital to the development and success for these economies.

**It costs \$40 to collect, process, ship, rebuild and distribute each bicycle**. The required \$10 donation helps to offset the shipping costs. P4P is a 501(c)(3) corporation and a registered charity in the states of NJ, PA, NY, CT, IA & VT. Brochures explaining this innovative program will be available at the collection site. P4P also seeks donations of wrenches for our oversees shops. For detailed information about our overseas projects and a current schedule of bicycle collection, visit the P4P website at www.p4p.org.

If you miss this collection date, you can locate other bike collections through the Pedals for Progress website: <u>www.P4P.org</u>



## **CHANGING OF THE GUARD DINNER Wednesday, June 25, 2014 (6-10 pm)** Copper Hill Country Club

The Changing of the Guard Dinner is scheduled for **Wed**, **June 25th** at the Copper Hill Country Club. A cash bar will open at **6pm**, followed by a sit down dinner and

program. Please join your fellow Rotarians as President Ira turns the gavel over to incoming President, Lynn Hyman. Award presentations will include the coveted Rotarian of the Year & Paul Harris Fellow, amongst others including Perfect Attendance and awards presented by President Ira himself.

There will be **no regular lunch meeting** in lieu of the evening dinner.

<u>Cost to Attend</u>: Weekly paying members will pay \$14 for their meal. Members who pay quarterly and all spouses attend free of charge.

## SHERPA SCHOLARSHIP FUND Appeal

District 7510 Donation Request to Help Families Impacted by Tragedy on Mt. Everest

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

District 7510 has launched a fundraising appeal to help the Sherpa families impacted by the recent tragedy on Everest. Funds raised from our district will be used to provide scholarships to the children covering educational expenses - ensuring they have a guaranteed schooling despite the loss of their family's livelihood.

The tragedy is a reminder that while Everest has increased in popularity and accessibility over the last 60 years, Sherpa's from Nepal have continued to bear much of the risk involved in summiting.

You can send the donations made payable to **Rotary District 7510 Foundation**. Memo line: **Sherpa fund**. It will be a tax deductible contribution.

Please mail the check to P.O. Box 5015, Somerville, NJ 08876.

Contact me as needed.

Tulsi Maharjan, District Governor Eml: <u>trmaharjan@gmail.com</u>

## **OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS** for the 2014-2015 Flemington Rotary Year

At the Wed, 2/26/2014 Flemington Rotary Lunch Meeting, a motion was made and approved for the following Officers & Board Members to serve for the 2014-2015 Rotary Year:

| President                  | Lynn Hyman                              |  |  |
|----------------------------|---|--|--|
| President-Elect            | Mick Schaible                           |  |  |
| Secretary                  | Michele Kavanagh                        |  |  |
| Treasurer, General         | Bob Newland                             |  |  |
| Treasurer, Lunch           | D.J. Wright                             |  |  |
| Treasurer, Assistant Lunch | Harrie Copeland                         |  |  |
| Board Member               | Ira Liebross (Immediate Past President) |  |  |
| Board Member               | Nancy Kahl                              |  |  |
| Board Member               | Ken Skowronek                           |  |  |
| Board Member               | Joe Ziegler                             |  |  |

## 2014-2015 RCOF Officers & Board Members:



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. <u>Click Here</u> to visit the Chamber website for a listing of upcoming events.

#### *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. If you are intersted, please get in touch with Megan at (908)894-4590 or <u>mjonesholt@gmail.com</u>. <u>Click Here</u> to listen to the Hunterdon Chamber Internet Radio station from your PC, smart phone, mobile device, etc.



If you would like to learn more about events and activities going on around Flemington, please <u>CLICK HERE</u> to visit the Flemington Business Improvement District (BID) website.

## **ROTARY DISTRICT 7510 NEWS**

<u>Click Here</u> 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. <u>Click here</u> to generate an email directly to Mick.

## **UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE**

## Summary of Upcoming Club Meeting Programs:

Wed, 5/14: Presentation of Soup Cook-Off Trophies to Restaurants; and Check Presentation to the Flemington Area Food Pantry.

<u>Wed, 5/21</u>: Rotary's Bridging the Gap Program as implemented by the H.C. Polytech <u>Wed, 5/28</u>: To Be Announced.

<u>Wed, 6/04</u>: Scholarship Checks presented to Students.
<u>Wed, 6/11</u>: Green Program of Study, A State-wide project with Stockton State College.
<u>Wed, 6/18</u>: H.C. Polytech's Federal Apprenticeship Program.
<u>Wed, 6/25</u>: Changing of the Guard Dinner Meeting at 6pm at the Copper Hill Country

Club. (Note there is NO noon meeting on this day).

<u>Next RCOF Board Meeting</u>: Thurs, 6/5/2014 at 6:00 PM (usually the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday). <u>Next Membership Meeting</u>: Wed, 6/11/2014 at 1:30 PM (usually the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday).

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

Sat, 5/31: Pedals for Progress Bicycle, Sewing Machine & Sports Gear Collection Sun, 6/8: Rotary Bark in the Park Dog Walk Wed, 6/25: Changing of the Guard Dinner at Copper Hill Country Club

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

<u>Wed, 5/14</u>: District Assembly - Hotel Somerset-Bridgewater (2:30pm to 9:00pm) <u>May 30 - June 1</u>: RYLA, 4-Way Test Speech Contest, Rotaract, Interact & Early Act. <u>June 13-15</u>: The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) at Drew University in Madison, NJ. <u>Wed, 6/26</u>: District Changing of the Guard - Schackamaxon Country Club, Scotch Plains

## 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

Flemington (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

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

Trenton (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

#### <u>eClub</u>

**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"

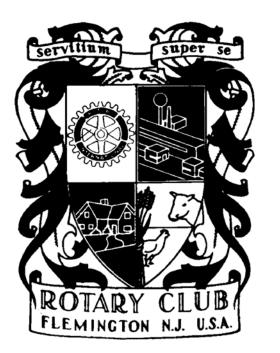
# **Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 90<sup>th</sup> Year**

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

| President          | Ira Liebross                            |  |
|--------------------|---|--|
| President-Elect    | Lynn Hyman                              |  |
| Secretary          | <u>Michele Kavanagh</u>                 |  |
| Treasurer, General | Bob Newland                             |  |
| Treasurer, Lunch   | D.J. Wright                             |  |
| Board Members      | Karen Widico (immediate past president) |  |
|                    | Jim Davidson                            |  |
|                    | Nancy Kahl                              |  |
|                    | Mick Schaible                           |  |
|                    | Chris Venditti                          |  |
| Sergeant-at-Arms   | <u>Tom Fisher</u>                       |  |
| RI President       | Ron D. Burton (Norman, Oklahoma, USA)   |  |

| District Governor (DG)   | Tulsi R. Maharjan (Branchburg, NJ)          |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| District Governor Elect (DGE)  | Melvin I. Kevoe "Mel" (Springfield, NJ)     |  |  |  |
| District Governor Nomimee (DGE)  | Hal Daume (Berkeley Heights, NJ)            |  |  |  |
| Assistant District Governor (ADG)  | Michael Toscani (Lambertville-New Hope, PA) |  |  |  |
| Club Meetings: Wednesday, 12:15 pm, Copper Hill Country Club                             |   |  |  |  |
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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:

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

 $2^{nd}$ : 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?"

## **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

| 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                    |

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| 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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