



# Rotary Club of Flemington

New Jersey

April 1, 2014

*Hey Bob,*

## **CLUB MEETING**

**Date: Wed, 4/2**

**Time: 12:15pm**

**Location: Copper Hill Country Club**

**Address: 100 Copper Hill Road - Ringoes, NJ 08851**

The speaker will be **Bruce Miller**, who is the **Executive Director of the [Raritan Township Municipal Utilities Authority](#)** (RTMUA).

## **1st WEDNESDAY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION**

Tomorrow (4/2) is the first Wed of the month. 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 (4/4) 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 location across the parking lot from the entrance to the Flemington Wal-Mart at 8:45am. If you can help, please let Harry Mazujian know at tomorrow's meeting, or by email at [harry.mazujian@gmail.com](mailto:harry.mazujian@gmail.com)

## **BOARD MEETING (Thurs, 4/3 at 6pm)**

The next Board Meeting will be held this coming Thursday night (4/3) from 6-7 pm. It will be held in the Conference Room at Hunterdon Prevention Resources, 4 Walter Foran Blvd., Unit 410, Flemington. ALL club members are invited to attend the meeting.



## **CAKE PHOTOS from the Hunterdon County Tricentennial Parade**

Held on Saturday, May 22, 2014

Here are a few photos of the different cakes that ShopRite had donated for the Tricentennial Parade. A very special thanks to Ira Liebross for taking and sharing the



photos. Click on a photo to see a larger image of it. Thanks to all the Rotarians that

helped to serve cake and hot chocolate.



***Special 5th Wednesday Offsite  
COCKTAIL HOUR at  
GALLO ROSSO Bar & Restaurant  
Wed, April 30, 2014  
5pm to 6:30pm***

The Rotary Club of Flemington will be holding a special offsite cocktail hour on 4/30, which is the 5th Wednesday of April.

It will be held at Gallo Rosso Bar & Restaurant, which is located at 100 Reaville Avenue. Please bring a guest / prospective member, spouse or significant other. One drink and appetizers will be provided compliments of the club. Once the cocktail hour has ended, people attending are welcome to stay for dinner on their own.

*Please note that the regular noon lunch meeting on 4/30 was canceled in lieu of this special evening event.*

## ***Hunterdon County Rotary SOUP COOK-OFF*** **Various Follow-Up Articles in the Press**

If you have a few minutes, check out some of the articles that we have had in the press regarding our recent joint-Hunterdon-Rotary Soup Cook-Off event:

- [Click Here](#) to read an online Article from the Hunterdon County Democrat on NJ.com titled "**Soup versions of Buffalo chicken, 'loaded' baked potatoes win at Hunterdon Rotary Soup Cook-Off**". Originally published on 2/25/2014 at 2:01pm.
- [Click Here](#) to read an online Article from the Hunterdon Review News titled "**Hunterdon County Rotary Clubs host Soup Cook-Off**". Published on 2/24/2014 at 8:07pm.
- [Click Here](#) for the 3/20/2014 online edition of the Bucks County Herald. Refer to the nice photo spread on the top of page A6 under "**Weekends and Beyond**". A special thanks to Kim Metz for seeing this and sharing it.



### ***NEWEST PAUL HARRIS FELLOW IRA LIEBROSS***

At last Wednesday's Rotary meeting (Wed, 3/12), President-Elect Lynn Hyman presented **Ira Liebross** with a Paul Harris Recognition in acknowledgement of his financial contributions to the Rotary International Foundation. Thanks for your Contributions, Ira!

As you know, all members are encouraged to "**Donate \$100 Every Year**" to the **Rotary International (RI) Foundation**. RI initially invests the money for a period of 3-years. After 3-years, RI uses the interest earned to run RI.

Then a portion of the original contribution (currently set at 50%) comes back to our Rotary District for our use in Grants, Ambassadorial Scholarships, and other District programs. The remaining 50% of the original contribution goes towards RI's international humanitarian efforts, including Polio Plus and Clean Water. Once a member has donated a total of \$1000, accrued over time, they are acknowledged with a Paul Harris Recognition. A Rotarian is considered a "sustaining member" if they consistently make a donation on a yearly basis. The money raised from the Polio Bee Hives and Polio Pigs are collected to support RI's Polio Plus program to help eliminate Polio from the world. If you too would like to make a donation, please contact Harry Mazujian or Club Treasurer, Bob Newland.



### ***PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE*** **From President Ira Liebross** Highlights from the March Board Meeting



President Ira wanted to share the following highlights from the March Board Meeting, held on 3/6/2014:

- **Hunterdon County Tricentennial Parade (Sat, 3/22):** The parade begins on Main Street at 4pm and is followed by birthday cake and hot chocolate in the Flemington Borough Park (next to Court Street). Please join me and your fellow Rotarians to help serve the cake and hot chocolate. Those interested should meet at the Flemington Women's Club at 4:30pm, located at 43 Park Avenue. Please sign up at the next Club Meeting, or let me know via email at [ClubPresident@FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org](mailto:ClubPresident@FlemingtonRotaryNJ.org).
- **Friday Fellowship at Jakes (Fri, 3/21 from 5pm to 6:30pm):** Are you looking to start the party a little sooner? If so, then please attend the next Flemington Rotary Fellowship event at Jakes Restaurant on the night before the parade. The club will provide the appetizers. People attending will purchase their own drinks. We hope to see you along with your spouse, significant other, guest or potential new member.
- **\$100 Contribution in memory of Emily Caldwell Morrison:** On a more serious note, the board approved a \$100 contribution to the National Brain Tumor Society in memory of Emily Caldwell Morrison. Emily, who graduated from H.C.R.H.S. in 2005, passed away on March 1, 2014 at the age of 26. Emily had been diagnosed in 2011 with a rare type of brain tumor. [Click Here](#) for more info.
- **5th Wednesday Cocktail Hour Meeting at Gallo Rosso (Wed, 4/30 from 5pm to 6:30pm):** The board approved the Membership Committee's suggestion to have the 5th Wednesday Meeting for April at an offsite location for cocktails. It will be held at Gallo Rosso located at 100 Reaville Avenue from 5 to 6:30pm. Please bring a guest / prospective member, spouse or significant other. One drink and appetizers will be provided compliments of the club. *Please note that the regular noon lunch meeting on 4/30 was canceled in lieu of the evening meeting.*
- **District Conference (Friday, May 2 to Saturday, May 3):** Please remember and consider attending the District Conference. All members wishing to attend either Friday's program or the Saturday morning program will be fully reimbursed by the club. Please look to sign up at our weekly lunch meetings. See below in the E-Monger for more information.
- **Changing of the Guard Dinner (Wed, June 25):** Please mark your calendars. The Changing of the Guard Dinner will be held on Wed, June 25 at the Copper Hill Country Club.

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***LUNCH DUES Invoice for January to June 2014***  
**From Lunch Treasurer, D.J. Wright**

At the Wed, 2/26 Club Meeting, D.J. passed out hard copies of the current Lunch Dues invoice for the period of January through June 2014. If you did not receive a copy, please [CLICK HERE](#) to download a PDF of the invoice. If you have any questions, please

reach out to D.J. Wright.

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***Rotary BRIDGING THE GAP***  
**Rotarians being Sought as Mentors!**  
May 13, 2014 - Awards Breakfast

[Click Here](#) for additional information.

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***Clinton Sunrise Rotary's FISHING DERBY***  
**Saturday, April 26, 2014**

The Clinton Sunrise Rotary Annual Fishing Derby will be held on Saturday, April 26, rain or shine. DeMott Pond will be stocked with fish for this **free family event**, and bait, bobbers and hooks will be supplied - just bring your own pole. The event is open to youth ages 4 - 16 years old and each participant will receive a raffle ticket for door prize drawings during the event.

Registration will be conducted from 8am-9am; fishing is from 9am - 12noon. DeMott Pond is located on Route 173 in Clinton, across the street and one block west of the Holiday Inn.

Sponsorship opportunities are available to offset the costs of stocking the pond and prizes for the youth participants. Contact Rotary at 908-279-0112. For more information or to download a sponsorship form, visit [www.ClintonSunriseRotary.org](http://www.ClintonSunriseRotary.org)

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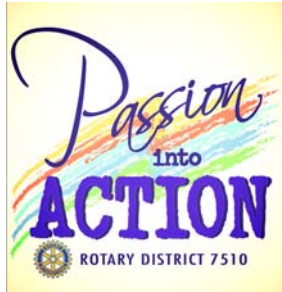
***OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS***  
***for the 2014-2015 Flemington Rotary Year***

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:

**2014-2015 RCOF Officers & Board Members:**

President	<b>Lynn Hyman</b>
President-Elect	<b>Mick Schaible</b>
Secretary	<b>Michele Kavanagh</b>
Treasurer, General	<b>Bob Newland</b>
Treasurer, Lunch	<b>D.J. Wright</b>
Treasurer, Assistant Lunch	<b>Harrie Copeland</b>
Board Member	<b>Ira Liebross (Immediate Past President)</b>

Board Member	<b>Nancy Kahl</b>
Board Member	<b>Ken Skowronek</b>
Board Member	<b>Joe Ziegler</b>



**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](mailto: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.



**FLEMINGTON BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT  
DISTRICT  
[www.downtownflemington.com](http://www.downtownflemington.com)**

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

***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 interested, please get in touch with Megan at (908)894-4590 or [mjonesholt@gmail.com](mailto:mjonesholt@gmail.com).

[Click Here](#) to listen to the Hunterdon Chamber Internet Radio station from your PC, smart phone, mobile device, etc.

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## ***ROTARY DISTRICT 7510 NEWS***

[Click Here](#) to read the current news from our Rotary District 7510.

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## ***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 generate an email directly to Mick.

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## ***UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE***

### **Summary of Upcoming Club Meeting Programs:**

Wed, 4/02: Bruce Miller, Executive Director of Raritan Township MUA

Wed, 4/09: Habitat for Humanity - Doreen Rockstrom, Interim Executive Director

Wed, 4/16: To Be Announced.

Wed, 4/23: To Be Announced.

Wed, 4/30: **OFFSITE Meeting: Cocktail Hour at Gallo Rosso Restaurant from 5pm to 6:30pm.** Please bring a guest / prospective member, spouse or significant other. One drink and appetizers will be provided compliments of the club. Please note that the regular noon lunch meeting on 4/30 was canceled in lieu of the evening cocktail hour event.

**Next RCOF Board Meeting:** Thurs, 4/3/2014 at 6:00 PM (usually the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday).

**Next Membership Meeting:** Wed, 4/9/2014 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:**

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.

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### ***COMMITTEE LIST:***

[Click Here](#) to download the listing of all current Club Committee's and its members.

### ***"MEMBERS ONLY" WEBSITE:***

**[Click Here](#) 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](http://www.Rotary.org)

Rotary District 7510: [www.RotaryNJ.org](http://www.RotaryNJ.org)

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### ***NEARBY ROTARY CLUB MEETINGS:***

As A Rotarian, you are Welcome to attend a Rotary Club meeting anywhere in the world. [Click here for the Rotary Club Locator App.](#) 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

eClub

[Rotary eClub of Hunterdon Horizon](#): View website for meetings or online makeups.

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

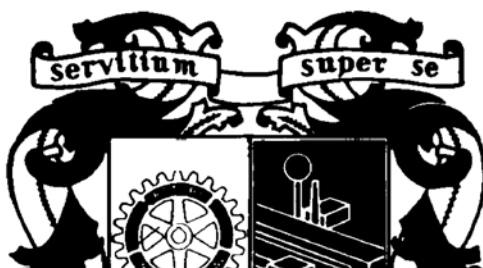
**Rotary Club of Flemington - Our 90<sup>th</sup> Year**

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

President	<a href="#">Ira Liebross</a>
President-Elect	<a href="#">Lynn Hyman</a>
Secretary	<a href="#">Michele Kavanagh</a>
Treasurer, General	<a href="#">Bob Newland</a>
Treasurer, Lunch	<a href="#">D.J. Wright</a>
Board Members	<b>Karen Widico</b> (immediate past president) <b>Jim Davidson</b> <b>Nancy Kahl</b> <b>Mick Schaible</b> <b>Chris Venditti</b>
Sergeant-at-Arms	<a href="#">Tom Fisher</a>
RI President	<b>Ron D. Burton</b> (Norman, Oklahoma, USA)
District Governor (DG)	<b>Tulsi R. Maharjan</b> (Branchburg, NJ)
District Governor Elect (DGE)	<b>Melvin I. Kevoe "Mel"</b> (Springfield, NJ)
District Governor Nominee (DGE)	<b>Hal Daume</b> (Berkeley Heights, NJ)
Assistant District Governor (ADG)	<b>Michael Toscani</b> (Lambertville-New Hope, PA)

Club Meetings: **Wednesday, 12:15 pm, [Copper Hill Country Club](#)**

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<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?"

**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
Owens, 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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