



## Club Leaders



Traci Hamill  
President  
Public Relations Chair



Kathy Castellano  
Secretary



Kristina Watts  
Disaster Relief Chair  
Treasurer



Alfred C. Current III  
Club Director  
Vocational Service Chair



Edward F. Flohre  
Club Director



Julia Mercier  
Attendance Secretary



Marie M. Naisby  
Youth Services Chair  
Club Director



Carol Peterson  
Club Director  
International Service Chair



Brad Ault  
Rotary Foundation Chair



Karen A. Current  
Membership Chair



Deborah Hegeudus  
Past President

## District Leaders

Andrew Lynman, DG  
Neil Snyder, DGE  
Alfred Current, DGN  
Mallory Lasorso, AG Area 7

## Years of Service



Carolyn Schoenbauer  
07-01-2018  
3 Years

## Birthdays



Marie M. Naisby  
July 14th

Traci Hamill  
July 28th

## Englewood Veterans Park Clean Up July 5 from 9-11am



Supporting the environment becomes Rotary's seventh area of focus, which are categories of service activities supported by global grants. It joins peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment; water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; and community economic development.

To support Rotary's Newest Area of Focus the Environment, the Rotary Club of Englewood will be doing quarterly park clean ups at Englewood Veterans Memorial and Freedom Pavilion, 641 W Dearborn St., Englewood, FL 34223. The 1st clean up of the new Rotary year will be on July 5th from 9:00-11:00am. The club has gloves and biodegradable trash bags, we will have a 10 gallon jug of water so please bring a refillable container, our goal is to cut back on the plastic bottles that we use at our events.

## Free Community Block Party



**CALL TO ACTION!!!** The Rotary Club of Englewood has been an advocate for Water Safety & Drowning Prevention for many years. Since January 1, 2021, 53 children in Florida have died from drowning. Kevin Easton, Fire Chief of Englewood Fire District informed us that there was a drowning in Englewood recently but thankfully the child lived. Florida is even making national headlines on the Today Show. This article was released on May 27 - Florida hospital warns of dangerous spike in pool-related drownings <https://www.today.com/health/pool-safety-2021-fl-hospital-issues-alert-after-spike-drownings-t219822>

Our club is hosting a Free Community Block Party to promote water safety. We will be offering every child free swimming lessons thru the Englewood YMCA.

We have the following sponsors but still need more, please help, every \$100 we can provide 25 "Josh the Baby Otter" books or a Free Swim Lesson. [Click Here for Flyer & Sponsorship Form](#)

Paradise Exclusive - Presenting Sponsor \$2500  
Xaiver Financial Services - Water Watcher \$1500  
Double Diamond Pools - Lifeguard \$2000 InKind (donated 10 water alarms)  
Castle Air - Lifeguard \$1000  
Palm Island Resort - Life Preserver \$500  
Just Against Children Drowning - Life Preserver \$500  
Rowley Financial - Friends of Josh \$100  
Quick Signs - Friends of Josh \$100  
State Farm - Ron Smith - Friends of Josh \$100  
Englewood Hospital - Life Preserver \$500  
Valerie Wagner - Life Preserver \$500  
Englewood Bank - InKind Donation \$250  
Englewood Fire Department - InKind Donation \$250

Let's show Englewood that we are PEOPLE OF ACTION!

## Rotary Vision



## Our Foundation

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

Since it was founded more than 100 years ago, the Foundation has spent more than \$4 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects.

With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world.

Our mission

The mission of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.



What impact can one donation have?

- For as little as 60 cents, a child can be protected from polio.
- \$50 can provide clean water to help fight waterborne illness.
- \$500 can launch an antibullying campaign and create a safe environment for children.

## Club banner exchanges showcase local flair, global friendship



One of Rotary's most colorful traditions is members exchanging club banners. Clubs display their own decorative banners at meetings and district events, and Rotarians who travel to other countries often take these banners to exchange with the clubs they visit.

The banners often include symbols or images of a club's town, region, or country. Some represent local cultural traditions or artistry by featuring leatherwork, weaving, embroidery, or hand-painted designs. Many of the banners are works of art in themselves.

Exchanging banners became so popular that the Rotary International Board of Directors was concerned that the practice would place a financial burden on clubs. In 1959, it urged members to exercise discretion, moderation, and measured judgment in making provision for such exchanges.

Today, the tradition continues as a way for clubs to express their friendship.

The approximately 20,000 banners in Rotary's archives reflect clubs' hometown pride and their connection to Rotary International.



If you are planning to attend a Rotary meeting in another city, ask Traci Hamill for a banner that you can exchange.

## Why a Rotary Minute?

The purpose of the Rotary Minute is to give members and guest a deeper insight into the different activities and projects that Rotary is involved. The scope of these presentations ranges from the origins of Rotary, to International and Vocational Projects, Local Community Projects and Events, as well as Student Exchange. The impact which has been made to the presenter as well as the dissemination of new ideas and information is a major benefit.



If you would like to present a Rotary Minute please contact Traci Hamill.

## Rotarian of the Month award

*"Act as if what you do makes a difference, IT DOES" - William James*



Over the past 62 years the Rotary Club of Englewood has been blessed with the leaders of the Englewood community. A monthly Rotarian of the Month award has been established to celebrate outstanding achievements in club service.

We are recognizing club members that possess the highest ethical standards in business and their profession, as well as those who have excelled in the club's community outreach projects both locally and internationally.

What is the Rotarian of the Month award?

This award is designated for the Rotarian who has clearly stood out in demonstrating "Service Above Self" and commitment to the Four-Way Test each month.

A nominee should be an outstanding club member who has made significant contributions to the mission and operation of our club, and to one or more avenues of Community or International Service. The Rotarian of the Month award should be given to a member who exhibits Service Above Self in their daily activities and who promotes Rotary by their actions and involvements.

### Eligibility

The candidate must be an active member of the Rotary Club of Englewood, and in good standing.

The Rotarian making the nomination must provide a completed form in order to support his/her nomination.

Each question will be scored through a point system (1-5) for a total of 20 available points.

If nominee(s) are not selected all nominations will roll over to the next month to be considered with any new applications that are received.

Please return form to Traci Hamill, trachamill@gmail.com by the third (3rd) Tuesday of each month. The Rotarian of the Month will be recognized at the first Tuesday meeting of each month.

### Rotarian of the Month Nomination Form

Name of the Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Rotarian Making the Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return form to Traci Hamill, trachamill@gmail.com by the third Tuesday of each month.

1. How has the nominee been involved in club activities, meetings, projects and events?

(5 available points)

2. How engaged has this nominee been in leadership capacities including recruiting and sponsoring new members? (5 available points)

3. How does the nominee exemplify fellowship and the ideals of Rotary as interpreted in the Rotary motto Service Above Self? (5 available points)

4. Additional Comments? (5 available points)

Form is in DACdb or [CLICK HERE](#)

## Member Spotlight - Marcia Zeigler

Marcia recently retired from the Englewood YMCA as Executive Branch Director. Marcia served the YMCA in different capacities for almost 30 years. Starting out as a parent volunteer, she soon began to assist behind the scenes. When the Englewood YMCA was founded in 1994, she was hired as an employee and her responsibilities grew over time, helping the YMCA develop and implement ways to meet the needs of individuals and the community and has been Executive Branch Director since 2019. Kids are her passion, so one of her favorite programs is being able to support the Y Reads program to assist children struggling with their reading skills. She built relationships with donors to support the organization's growth and organized the annual fundraiser, ♦Tropical Nights ♦ which has provided millions of dollars in scholarship assistance to those in the Englewood community. She was instrumental in programs such as swim lessons through the Rotary ♦s Josh the Otter Water Safety Program, Back to School resources, and summer camp through Kids Needs of Greater Englewood. As a member of the Rotary Club of Englewood, is chair the Englewood Youth Foundation 2021-22; she serves on the Board of Directors for Kids Needs and was on the Englewood Community Hospital ♦s Advisory Board. In 2018, Marcia was recognized as the ♦Cause Driven Leader of the Year ♦ by the YMCA Professional Network for inspiring and mobilizing staff, volunteers, members and community partners.



### Events

July 5th

[Cleanup at Englewood Veterans Memorial and Freedom Pavilion](#)

July 13th

[Englewood Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Boys & Girls Club of Englewood

**Subject:** SMART Girls helps girls develop toward healthy attitudes. SMART Girls is a small-group health, fitness, prevention/education and self-esteem enhancement program designed to meet the developmental needs of girls.

July 17th

[Free Community Block Party](#)

July 20th

[Englewood Monthly Board Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Board Meeting

July 27th

[Englewood Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Dr. Brook Parker Bello, PhD

**Subject:** To that end, More Too Life, an Open Doors Outreach Network Provider, is tirelessly committed to protect vulnerable communities from the threat of human trafficking on the frontlines.

July 6th

[Englewood Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Traci Hamill, Club President

**Subject:** 2021-2022 Vision for Rotary Club of Englewood

July 15th

[Josh the Otter Day Service Project](#)

**Speaker:** Josh the Baby Otter Book Reading

**Subject:** Josh the Otter Water Safety & Awareness Project

July 20th

[Englewood Weekly Club Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Members of the Rotary Club of Englewood

**Subject:** What is your passion?

July 22nd

[Discover Rotary](#)

**Speaker:** Discover Rotary

**Subject:** If YOU Could Change the World, What Would YOU Do?

### Club Meeting

Englewood  
Meets at Artur's Restaurant  
70 N Indiana Ave  
Englewood, FL 34223  
Time: Tuesday at 11:30 AM