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Weekly Roundup - August 22, 2019



Rotary Club of Innsbrook

District 7600 - Richmond, VA - Chartered 1989

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The 4-Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

The Rotary Club of Innsbrook meets every Thursday, 7:30 am at:

*The Place At Innsbrook, Innsbrook Shoppes
4036 Cox Rd. Glen Allen, VA 23060*

For more information on membership [email](#) or call Pat Moran at 240-434-1951.



Let's be a 100% club!!

100% Sustaining Member - 100% Paul Harris Fellow

See Jay Steele with questions

Phone: 804-771-9565 | Email: jsteele@hf-law.com

Upcoming Club Calendar

Bright Beginnings

Innsbrook Rotary has been an active participant with the Shady Grove Y for 25+ years. Bright Beginnings helps at risk elementary school children in our area have a bright start to their school year by giving them new clothes and school supplies that their parent(s) may not be able to afford.

Make a financial contribution -

It takes \$150 to support a student which includes purchasing backpacks, supplies, two outfits for school, shoes and a jacket. ALL donation amounts are welcome and needed. Make checks payable to Innsbrook Rotary.

Please contact **Lisa Hollier** with any questions:

Email: lhollier@yahoo.com

Phone/Text: 334-0883

Club Fellowship

A wine and appetizer event is in the works at **Tom Zannino's** Goochland home in August. More information to follow soon.

Blood Donation Drive

Lit Maxwell is organizing our next Blood Donation drive with the American Red Cross. Interested in participating let him know [here!](#)

Host Families Needed

We will be hosting a young lady from Brazil starting in August. She has excellent English skills but is allergic to cats. If you'd be open to hosting her please get in touch with **Beth Noakes** [here!](#)

Power Over Parkinson's

Thursday, October 3rd, at Patterson Sports Park from 10am - 1pm
Get back in the swing and hit some golf balls in the fight against Parkinson's
For more information, contact **Mike Grappone**
Register at www.poweroverpd.org

Community Service Opportunities

September 7th - Bandy Field Nature Park

Cleanup for the Richmond Symphony's "Big Tent" event on the 14th.

The cleanup starts at 9am.

Bring gloves and wear comfortable work clothes and sturdy shoes.

If you have them, bring shears and a hand saw.

For more information, contact Lit Maxwell (lmaxwell@richmond.edu)

September 21st - Coal Pit Learning Center

Come help your fellow Rotarians spruce up Coal Pit ahead of the winter!

There's some cleaning, painting and repairs that need to be done.

We'll start at 9am and expect to be done by 12 noon.

If you can help out, please notify Lonnie Paster

(LHP42014@gmail.com or 804-337-2260)

District Doings

Tuesday, September 24th - Rotary Club of Short Pump

Luncheon from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

Featured speaker: Henrico County Manager John Vithoukas

Come learn about the exciting new projects happening in Henrico County!

Member and Club News

Monthly Newsletter Advertisements

If you're interested in placing or renewing an ad in the monthly newsletter

please touch base with **John Nelson** [here!](#)

Bring pop tops to the weekly meeting and fill the jar!**Shop at Kroger and Help Coal Pit Learning Center!**

Coal Pit will receive a portion of what you spend

If you have a Kroger Plus Card -

1. Register it at: [Kroger.com/communityrewards](https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards)
2. Fill out the information and search for Coal Pit (Number 80364)
3. Always scan your Kroger Plus Card when making a purchase

* If you don't have a Kroger Plus Card, please get one and follow the above instructions.

* Your purchases will begin counting for Coal Pit in 7 to 10 days.

Reclassification Talks

If you've changed jobs/careers and you'd like an opportunity to share with the club what you're doing, let President Vickie know.

Ongoing Service Opportunities



Food Backpacks For Kids - Thursdays

Pick up backpacks at FeedMore and drop them off at Dumbarton Elementary School. Alternatively, you can help fill backpacks (specific dates to be announced). For more information, contact [Sarah Hagan](#).

Meals On Wheels - Fridays

A great way to spend your lunch hour! Deliver meals to home-bound individuals and those who can't afford them. Plus, get to know a fellow Rotarian better. For details, contact [John Patterson](#).



Reading At Coal Pit

The quickest make-up you'll ever get! Head over to Coal Pit immediately following the meeting, read to the kids, get a bunch of hugs and know that you have promoted literacy and shown our community that you care about the future of kids. Contact [Sarah Perkins](#) to sign up.

READ Center

The READ Center's mission is to help adults with low-level literacy develop basic reading and communication skills so they can fulfill their roles as citizens, workers, and family members. Training is required to become a tutor, but really worthwhile. For details, contact [Sam Baronian](#).



Ronald McDonald House

Please save and collect pull tabs from cans to benefit families with children fighting cancer. They can be placed at the sign in desk at the weekly meeting or given to [Will Sutton](#).

Little Bookworms

The Faison School provides education and services to children with autism. Little Bookworms is a reading program that hosts special guest readers every Tuesday from 9:30-9:45 AM. Students have the opportunity to interact with new visitors, practice social skills and circle time etiquette.

If you'd like to sign up to read to a classroom, please click the link:
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f054dacaf29a1fc1-faison>



What You Might Have Missed Last Week

Rotary Club of Innsbrook - Grant Awards

Dean Squires introduced this year's Grant Award Recipients



For 2019, our club was able to distribute \$25,000 to 13 worthy non-profit organizations in the Richmond area. Congrats to the following recipients:

- * Change The World RVA - <https://www.changetheworldrva.org/>
- * Effective Ministries - <https://www.effectiveministries.org/>
- * Henrico Firefighter Foundation - <https://henricofirefighterfoundation.org/>
- * Sleep in a Heavenly Peace - <https://www.shpbeds.org/>
- * Sportable - <https://www.sportable.org/>
- * Henrico Police Athletic League - <https://www.henricopal.org/>
- * Vineyard Christian Fellowship of Richmond - <http://thebridgerva.com/>
- * Jackson Feild Behavioral Health Services - <http://www.jacksonfeild.org/wp1/>
- * The READ Center - <https://readcenter.org/>
- * Shady Grove YMCA - <https://www.ymcarichmond.org/locations/shady-grove/>
- * RAMPS - <https://rampsbystudents.org/>
- * Coal Pit Learning Center - <http://www.coalpitlearningcenter.com/>
- * Jewish Family Services - <https://www.jfsrichmond.org/>

Happy Dollars



Phil Goodheart - Sad for the passing way of his uncle... and Happy that he lived a full life of 100 years... Sorry for your loss Phil

Retha Valderas - Happy to be going to the circus with her daughter and grandkids!

Dave Tindall - Happy and Proud... Happy to have Beth Noakes as a resource and Proud of his work crew for helping an ill elderly woman with her move!

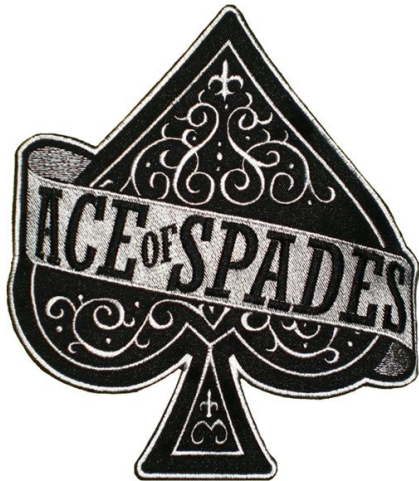
Beth Jorgensen - Happy fo have kids off to college!

Frank Bell - Happy for the good will of others... His wife lost her wallet on a trip to West Virginia, and it was found and sent back to her!

Sarah Perkins - Happy for her recent birthday... Happy Birthday Sarah!

John Nelson - Happy for recent scuba diving trip and vacation, and Happy to be back in RVA!

Weekly Raffle



Congrats to **Jimmy Benson** for winning the weekly raffle! Sadly, he did not pick the Ace of Spades! The pot is at **\$159** and continues to grow!

Speaker Schedule



August 29 - TBD

September 5 - No Meeting

September 12 - Ryann Lofchie, The Frontier Project

Parting shots



"To keep a lamp burning we have to keep putting oil in it."

Who said this?

The first member to email me @ LHP42014@gmail.com with the correct answer will receive 10 FREE RAFFLE TICKETS at the next meeting. To claim your prize, you'll need to attend the next meeting... when the winner will be announced!

Yours in Rotary Service,
Lonnie Paster
The Rotary Club of Innsbrook

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