

Rotary



Club of Prince George County

Thursday, November 11, 2021

Club Meeting

Prince George County Meets at Luca Italian Restaurant - 1st & 3rd Wednesdays. In person and hybrid meeting. Zoom link can be requested by email at pgrotary23875@gmail.com. 6411 Courthouse Road Prince George, VA 23875 Time: Wednesday at 07:30 AM



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

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November 17 Club Assembly will be by Zoom

By Carol Dois Woodward on Thursday, November 11, 2021

For those missing the total Zoom experience at our meetings, our Club Assembly on November 17 will be totally via Zoom. The recurring link will be sent out by email. "See" everyone there!

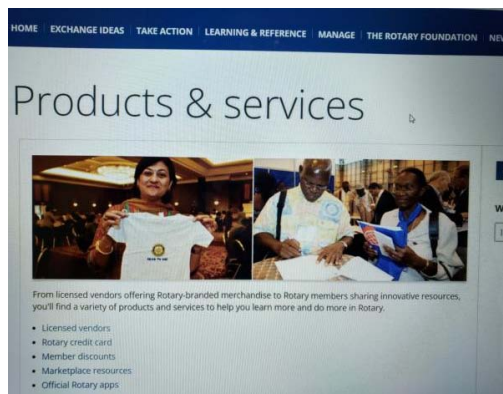
Have You Visited the Member Center at MyRotary.org?

By Cynthia Walker Mitchell on Saturday, October 23, 2021

In addition to being involved in Rotary to "Serve to Change Lives", Rotarians can enjoy other pluses, perks and advantages.

My Rotary is a place for members of Rotary to access tools and information to make your membership experience better. Simply go online to MyRotary.org, go to the Member Center, and click on Products and Services. You can explore and find all kinds of helpful resources; like discounts. Who doesn't like discounts? Rotary International offers select discounts to its members in some areas of the world. You can find discounts on entertainment, shopping, travel, and products like Zoom.

Make sure to register for your MyRotary account!



Coats, Hats and Gloves for Warm Hearts - November Service Project

By Renee Chapline on Sunday, November 7, 2021

Each month the Prince George Rotary Club selects a community service project. For the month of November our special project is the Hopewell-Prince George Community Health Center (CVHS Health Services). The facility is a non-profit community health center offering comprehensive care, dental, behavioral health and pharmacy services. They are committed to providing safe, accessible, affordable, comprehensive, high quality and culturally sensitive care to the people in Hopewell and Prince George County. In previous years the Prince George Rotary Club has supported the center by repainting and performing other general supplemental maintenance tasks at the Health Center. The Club continues to routinely support the patients



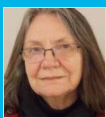
Club Service Chair



Patricia C. Hale
Youth Services Chair



Sasha Reynolds
Youth Services Chair



Carol Dois Woodward
Club Executive Secretary

Events/Speakers

November 17th

Prince George County Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: Club Assembly

December 1st

Prince George County Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: Program Host- Renee Chapline

December 6th

Prince George County Rotary Board Meeting

Speaker: Club Board Meeting

Birthdays

Margaret T. Whipple

November 15th

Patricia C. Hale

November 24th

Mark S Creech

December 3rd

Karen A. Skipper

December 7th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Club Member Anniversaries

Steven M. Woith

11-30-2003

18 Years

Michael L. Moore

11-14-2012

9 Years

at the Health Center by providing seasonally appropriate free clothing and sundries.

Years ago, a Rotary club member created a hat stand, which the club refers to as the Rotary Tree, complete with Rotary logo, on which club members hang new and unused items on the twigs of the tree for all age ranges. The items range from woolens, caps, scarves, ear muffs, non-skid socks, regular socks, lotions, sunscreen, sun visors, etc. Members periodically check the Rotary Tree and resupply it regularly.

This month club member can make a difference in the lives of many who utilize the services of CVHS Health Services by donating warm clothing, coats, scarves, gloves, socks, hats, lotions, Chapstick or any personal items that one may need in the colder months. These items are needed in all sizes for adults and children.

Our November 17th meeting is on Zoom, so feel free to contact Renee Chapline (804) 835.2379 or creneechapline@gmail.com to coordinate a pick- up for your donated items. At the end of the month club members will deliver the much-needed items to the center.



Rotary Runner

By Steven M. Woith on Sunday, October 31, 2021

I ran in the CityPoint 5K, Saturday October 30, in 32 minutes/34 seconds. This run included the Kids Fun Run and Kinder Dash. This fun run attracts participation from runners, joggers and walkers from Central Virginia. The fabulous course gives you a breathtaking view of the Appomattox River and parts of downtown Hopewell and historic City Point.

The weather was perfect for the run. There were many visitors and observers who enjoyed the out of doors on a perfect Fall day.



School Daze Memories

By Lillian K Boyd on Thursday, November 11, 2021



It was fall 1956 and the excitement of a new school year was heightened by the prospects of entering a brand new school building. The old Disputanta Training School for colored children was finally being decommissioned. Its old campus was comprised of 3-4 older buildings, several Quonset huts, some oddly placed basketball hoops and make-shift baseball/softball fields.

It had a government funded coop cannery which served the community via the home economics department. What it did not have was a gymnasium, a science lab, a music department or many other things needed to meet the mid-century needs of its young 11th grade graduates.

The new JEJ Moore High School was bright and fully self-contained, everything under one roof! The gym included showers; the equipment was limited but much more than we at the old school. The science lab looked really impressive but without equipment, specimens and other essential instruments necessary for experiments. Dissecting frogs would be delayed until college.

Roaming through the hallways of the rededicated Central Wellness Center (CWC) on October 30th brought back so many memories. I especially remembered how I had hoped the very strict older English teacher would have retired over the summer. Our previous English classes had been taught by the only music teacher; we knew of Mrs. Hall's high expectations. She would make us write and write and write!

Well, Mrs. Hall did NOT retire. She sent us future graduates out with the skills necessary to pass the college required English entrance examinations. She has been thanked many times over, in absentia. While the building itself did not ensure a quality education for the colored high schoolers in Prince George, it gave us a sense of pride in our new building. Thank you JEJ Moore High School! You served your African American High School students for more than a decade. Now, in a new capacity, you serve all of Prince George County as its Central Wellness Center.

Lillian King Boyd, Ph.D. Class of 1958

The Four Way Test

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, June 8, 2020

