

Rotary



Club of Prince George County

Wednesday, November 25, 2020

Club Meeting

Prince George County Meets at Luca Italian Restaurant
6411 Courthouse Road
Prince George, VA 23875
Time: Wednesday at 07:30 AM



Rotary Opens Opportunities

Club Leaders



Lillian K. Boyd
President



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Mary K. Ford
Club Admin Chair

Donna D. Street

Thankful for each other

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, November 25, 2020



Service Projects

By Donna D. Street on Sunday, November 22, 2020



Prince George Rotary will adopt two families and seniors in need of assistance during this winter season. We also have a continuing project to provide seasonally appropriate items for the Central Virginia Health Services center and an ongoing collection for non-slip socks for seniors. Prince George Rotary Club is taking on a community service project to provide necessities to two families who need assistance coming into this cold and stressful winter season. PG Department of Social Services has provided the ages and sizes for the eight children involved. In addition to clothing we hope to be able to provide gift cards for groceries or other necessities. Members who wish to participate can either shop for items for a particular child or make a monetary donation so others can do the shopping. Items will be dropped off on at Social Services on December 10 so we are requesting that donations be submitted by December 5. Checks can be made out to Prince George Rotary with the notation "2 families project" on the memo line. Please contact me, Donna Street, to coordinate the purchases or donations: dmainst@aol.com or cell# 804-301-4552. Be on the lookout for a pmail to Club members which will be a reminder about this project.

Collections are also ongoing for our Rotary Tree at the Hopewell-Prince George Community Health Center. One delivery has been made and we hope to make regular drop-offs throughout the winter. In addition to those winter items (hats, gloves, scarves, moisturizer, hand warmers, etc.) we are still collecting the non-slip socks for seniors. The need is greater than usual this year so thanks for all you do to provide service to the community.

With regard to the nonslip socks for seniors, Anna Kroyer has advised us that the Girl Scouts are collecting grippy socks for seniors in assisted living. We strongly encourage Rotarians who are collecting non-slip socks to join your efforts with the Girl Scouts. More details to follow, but the time is short. Look for more details in the next day or so. Please see her comments here: "Local cadette scouts from Girl Scout Troop 5000 are collecting fuzzy socks with rubber grips on the bottom to donate to a nursing home. The deadline to turn in socks will be December 17. Anna Kroyer's daughters Lily and Lorelei are earning this award as a part of the cadette group, working on this collection, and will attend the December 10 or 17 meeting to collect any contributions. A collection box will be put in a public location soon, stay tuned.

Rotarians never forgot those in need of a bit of warmth - spiritual or physical.



Community Service
Chair



Sasha Reynolds
Youth Services Chair



Shel M. Douglas
International Service
Chair



Mary S. Elmore
Assistant Governor

Events/Speakers

No Events found

Birthdays

Mark S Creech
December 3rd
Karen A. Skipper
December 7th

Wedding Anniversaries

Janice L. Rowley
December 22nd

Club Member Anniversaries

Steven M. Woith
11-30-2003
17 Years

A Rotary Coin Goes out to Amanda Wilson of the Ft Lee Federal Credit Union

By Cynthia Walker Mitchell on Sunday, November 22, 2020

Last Wednesday Amanda Wilson told Prince George Rotarians that the Ft Lee Federal Credit Union is all about "People Helping People" so that they can build stronger lives.

Ms. Wilson, Vice President of Business Development, stressed having a trusted relationship with your credit union. With a credit union, you are a member not a customer! Because credit unions are non-profits, they can pay more interest than banks.

The Ft Lee Federal Credit Union offers financial Literacy classes in our schools. What a great addition to the education of the children!

Thank you to Amanda Wilson for teaching the Prince George Rotarians about credit union services and community outreach. Amanda has a B.S. in Organizational Management and a Master's in Public Administration with an emphasis in Non-Profit Management. She has a number of financial certifications and sits on a number of local Boards of Directors and advisory panels.



Create sparkle for your holidays and help The James House

By Anna Kroyer on Tuesday, November 10, 2020



Anna Kroyer, Marketing Director, and Chana Amaro, CEO, of The James House ask you to sparkle up your holidays and support The James House at the same time.

Create your holiday cards, photo calendars, ornaments, mugs, notebooks & tabletop panels with FOREVER: 30% of sales will be given to the James House during the month of November.

This is a great opportunity to make a difference ordering your businesses' holiday cards and gifts. Create your free FOREVER account at <http://bit.ly/SupporttheHouse> for \$20 Coupon! All orders placed with Lorrie Curley in November will count towards Create for a Cause with the James House. Question? Reach out to Lorrie at lacurls@comcast.net or 804-931-6943.



Emergency Incubator Global Grant - Great way to support The Rotary Foundation

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, November 10, 2020

Sue Carter (Farmville Rotary) is the author of this global grant. She went on the last project trip to Ghana with Shel and learned about Shel's gift of a emergency incubator to the Sunyani Central Hospital. You may remember that Sue is also the District Membership Chair and spoke to our club by Zoom during the summer.



If you haven't yet made a donation to The Rotary Foundation, please consider making a donation to this global grant. If you have questions or need assistance in making your donation you can contact Sue or our own Jan Rowely, our Club Rotary Foundation Chair. The Rotary Club of Farmville, The Rotary Club of Sunyani Central, Ghana, Warmilu Inc., Rotary District 7600, and many clubs and individuals have received approval of Rotary Global Grant, GG2096430. This \$74,000 grant will provide 50 field incubators and delivery equipment to the Sunyani Municipal Hospital in Ghana which will provide warmth to babies at 17 area hospitals and clinical sites.



Past Assistant Governor Sue Carter of the Farmville Rotary Club has been the spark and champion for this grant. She first observed the provision of these incubators while on a Health, Education, Water and Hygiene project in Ghana in 2019. Past Assistant Governor Shel Douglas had obtained a grant to provide a small number of the incubators to the main area hospital in Sunyani. The effort went straight to Sue's heart because of its elemental simplicity and the absolute need for the ability to warm newborn babies and toddlers in distress. These incubators are like a mitten type snow suit with gel inserts to provide the warmth for the youngsters. The gel backs can be heated in a number of ways, even when there is no electricity, and can provide warmth for hours. Many clubs have made pledges to support this grant and as soon as all pledged money has been received The Rotary Foundation will release the check for the project.

Would you and/or your club like to support this special project?

1) You can go into myrotary.org and donate online using the GG2096430 grant number on the donate link and pay with credit / debit card. The grant is credited with the donation almost immediately.

2) To send a check, download a donor form to accompany the check and remember to reference GG2096430. The grant will be credited when the Foundation receives the check.

Sometimes You Feel Like a Nut - Peanut Fundraiser

By Cynthia Walker Mitchell on Tuesday, September 22, 2020



Please don't forget to order your nuts from Steve ! It is still possible to purchase peanuts, please let Steve know. He will pick the peanuts up from Appomattox River Peanut Company in Hopewell and meet you at a mutual location for delivery. All checks should be made out to: Prince George County Rotary.

Our club gets a special fundraising price on peanuts purchased. We have to have a minimum order of 5 cans in order to place an order.



These are the peanuts available in fundraising plan.

Contact Steve at: 804-930-7802, or send him an email to: goats4steve@yahoo.com.

Clark's Automotive Project

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, October 20, 2020

Clark's Auto Care Center, Inc., has been a long-time friend and supporter of the Rotary Club of Prince George County. Please consider joining in their effort to provide for children of service members. Drop of any new toy at Clarks before December 4th.

[Clark's Auto Care Center, Inc.](#)

We are honored to be partnering with [Holiday Helper Association](#) for our 5th year!

[Clark's Auto Care Center, Inc.](#) will serve as a drop off location for the Annual Toy Drive which serves the Fort Lee Service Member Families.

Their donations are down this year and we need your help! I have included a list of items that they are collecting this year. So let's bring in the Joy of the Christmas Season by Giving! Thanks from all of us here at Clark's! Deadline for collections is December 4th!



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[Prince George Hunt Club](#)

Colonial Heights Rotary Fundraiser

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, September 22, 2020



The Colonial Heights Rotary Club, one of our favorite sister clubs, is hosting a virtual fundraiser. Do you want any items for yourself, or perhaps gifts for family and friends? Christmas is not that far away you know. See the email below from Debbie Wall, a past president of the Colonial Heights Rotary and our District Governor Elect.

The Colonial Heights Rotary Club fundraising campaign won't last long, can we count on your support?

It's easy! You can shop over 2,500 items that are perfect for holiday gift-giving or as a treat for yourself. Just [CLICK HERE](#) to shop.

You'll find great gift wrap, kitchen and home decor, gourmet goodies, personalized gifts and more! The proceeds from each order supports Colonial Heights Rotary Club and will help reach our fundraising goal.

Thank you for taking a moment to help support Debbie and Colonial Heights Rotary Club! They do good works for our communities such as Maddie's Playground, their multi-club district grant in 2019-2020.

The Four Way Test

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, June 8, 2020

