

# The Trail



Rotary  
Huguenot Trail



July 17, 2019

## Coming Events

### July

- 17 **Karen Liu & Carly Eileen**  
Travis Manion Foundation
- 24 **Kate Mardigan**  
Jacob's Chance
- 31 **Bright Beginnings**  
Shopping at Target

### August

- 14 **Rose Bowl Special**  
Meet with James River Club  
7:30 am; Richmond Alarm  
14121 Justice Road
- 21 **Governor Clenise Platt**  
Official Visit
- 28 **Paul Kugleman, Sr.**  
Asst. Gen'l for VA for the  
Environment

## New Officers Elected and Installed

*Nick was elected Vice-President of HT Rotary last week. Congratulations, Nick and welcome to the leadership team! His primary task during the current Rotary year will be fundraising and he is already working with Kevin and Paul on the plans for the Food Festival. Nick will serve as club president during the 2021-22 year.*



*Clenise Platt, a member of the Hampton Roads RC, was installed July 13 as Governor of District 7600. Governor Clenise was introduced to Rotary as a member of a Group Study Exchange to England and has been active in both club and District leadership since. She will make her official visit to HT Rotary on August 21.*



*Immediate Past District Governor Susan Zachensky-Walthall (Susan Z-W) is recovering well following a stroke earlier in the summer. Her recovery is in good hands with husband Zach, also a hard worker in the District.*



*The Traveling Rotarian is spending some time in the mountains of western North Carolina with George this week.*

# Our Miles is at CodeRVA

By Miles Shelton



**Miles and Randy (his Godfather)** posed in front of the Freedom Flag after a program on the flag to honor Americans in service.

CodeRVA, which started in 2017, is a Richmond City magnet school with a specialty program in Computer Science. The school uses an open workplace encouraging students to have self directed study, using emails as the main form of communication to send and receive assignments and ask teachers questions. Classroom time is variable, being anywhere from 30 minutes to an hour, with the rest spent in the open space that consists of most of the school. Classwork is done on school assigned laptops using cloud services, allowing students to maintain shared calendars and collaborate in real time with classmates on projects. CodeRVA's curriculum is tiered depending on cumulative grade, with advanced students given the opportunity to graduate with an associate degree in computer science offered with dual-enrollment credits from J. Sargeant Reynolds, while other students have internship positions offered by local Richmond businesses in their senior year, preparing them for the workforce. CodeRVA has extended transportation for many surrounding counties (Charles City, Chesterfield, Colonial Heights, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Hanover, Henrico, Hopewell City, New Kent, Petersburg City, Powhatan, Prince George,



Richmond City, and Sussex) with busses sent out early to their district high school. The program acceptance isn't based on grades, rather a representative lottery system eligible to all students aspiring to pursue computer based fields.



**Sandy's grandson, Joseph,** lined up his putt at a tournament at Stonehenge CC. Joseph came in second in the boys' championship division. Great job, Joseph, and proud Grandma!

**DON'T FOCUS ON GETTING NUMBERS; INSTEAD, START A RELATIONSHIP, TELL YOUR ROTARY STORY AND BY DOING SO YOU INVITE THAT PERSON TO COME ON THE JOURNEY AND BUY INTO THE ROTARY DREAM.**

**YOU DON'T WANT NUMBERS YOU WANT ROTARIANS!**

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