

The Trail



Rotary
Huguenot Trail



July 31, 2019

Coming Events

July

- 31 **Bright Beginnings**
Shopping at Target
Target on Midlothian
5 pm

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

September

- 11 **Rachael Ramirez**
Lifelong Learning Institute



Kate Mardigan told us all about Jacob's Chance, which provides programs for children and young adults with disabilities

Bright Beginnings Shopping
Wednesday, 5 pm
Target across from Chesterfield Town Center
NO REGULAR MEETING



We filled 18 backpacks for the Y's Bright Beginnings program. Linda presented Karen Liu a check for the Travis Manion Foundation. And, she gave Adam Foster, Exec. Director of the Manchester Y, a check for Bright Beginnings.



The Traveling Rotarian gave Jeff a nice break on the job!



Paul is the new "sign guy," making sure our sign is up each week.

A Rotarian on the Moon

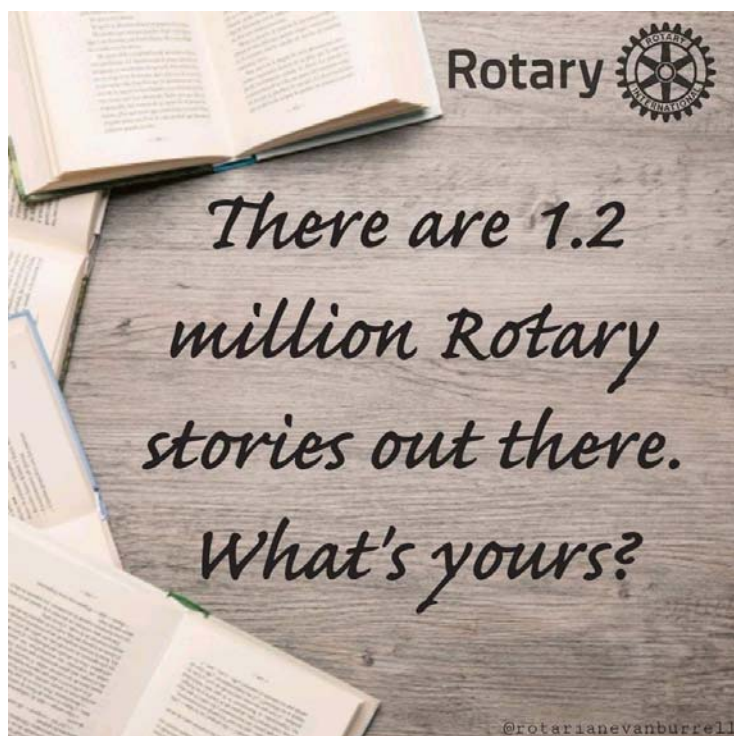
Last week, we honored Neil Armstrong as the first American, first human and **FIRST ROTARIAN** to step on the moon! Bet you didn't know he was a member of the Rotary Club of Wapakoneta, OH., his hometown!

How about some other notable folks who were (or still are) members of Rotary Clubs?

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| Diane Feinstein | San Francisco, CA, RC |
| JC Penney | New York City RC |
| Col. Harlan Sanders | Jeffersonville, IN RC |
| Sam Walton | Bentonville, AR RC |
| Frank Borman | Space Center RC, Houston |
| Thomas Edison | Orange, NJ RC |
| John F. Kennedy | Hyannis, ME RC |
| Guglielmo Marconi | Bologna, Italy RC |
| Orville Wright | Dayton, OH RC |
| Prince Phillip | Edinburg, Scotland, RC |
| Prince Charles | Banchory-Ternan, England, RC |
| Gerald Ford | Grand Rapids, MI RC |
| Franklin D. Roosevelt | Albany, NY RC |
| Donna Shalala | Madison, WI RC |
| Luciano Pavarotti | Modena, Italy RC |
| Pope Francis | Buenos Aires, RC |
| Emilio Pucci | Florence, Italy RC |
| Winston Churchill | London RC |
| Walt Disney | Palm Springs, CA RC |

And, that's just a few of them gleaned from news articles about famous Rotarians.

We're members of a good group of folks!



Rotary Partners with Heifer International To Build Sustainable Projects

In the fall of 2015, volunteers from Rotary and Heifer International came together to build hoop houses for a few farmers working small lots in Arkansas, USA. The afternoon outing was part of a larger project that is still reaping benefits four years later, supporting small-scale agriculture in the region and increasing access to locally-grown food.

Heifer has been using the small-scale agriculture model for decades to alleviate hunger and fight poverty around the world. The approach has the added benefits of being environmentally friendly and offering healthier food options.

That mission dovetails with Rotary's mission to grow local economies and improve health. So it's not surprising the two groups have teamed up on a number of occasions in the past 30 years to improve communities by helping families escape poverty. Several Heifer employees are or have been members of the Rotary Club of Little Rock, Arkansas, USA, the city where Heifer has its headquarters.

"Our values line up very well," says Ardyth Neill, a member of the Little Rock club and president of the Heifer Foundation. "With Rotary, it's Service Above Self and helping to serve others. Heifer has been working with farmers to be accountable, pass on their gifts, train other farmers, and work together in community. It's learning to share and care, basic things that work well together."

Read more about this project on the Rotary International website under news: Rotary and Heifer Help Farmers.