

Rotary



Club of Asheville THE COG

Tuesday, July 14, 2020



Club Meeting

Asheville
Meets at Tuton Hall at
Trinity Episcopal Church
60 Church Street
Asheville, NC 28801
Time: Thursday at
12:30 PM

Speakers

July 16, 2020

John Nanni is a polio survivor who will present "The Three P's: Polio, Post Polio Syndrome & PolioPlus"

July 23, 2020

Maureen McCarthy and Ed Manning facilitators and collaboration coaches will discuss "Connection as Medicine" and the Center for Collaborative Awareness

July 30, 2020

Dr. Chris Cooper Head of the Department of Political Science and Public Affairs at Western Carolina University, will discuss the current political climate in the region in light of the upcoming fall elections.

August 06, 2020
New Member Talks

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

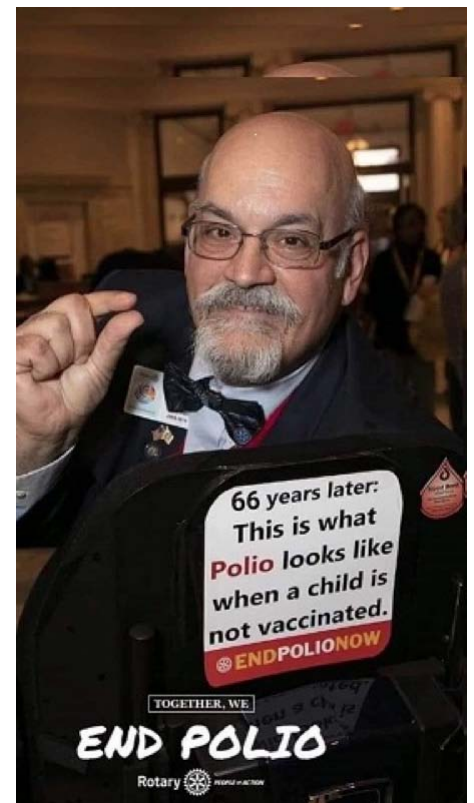
By Sally Ekaireb on Saturday, July 11, 2020

POLIO, POST-POLIO SYNDROME AND ROTARY'S PolioPlus

This **Thursday, July 16th**, we welcome John Nanni to our club to share his personal experience with Polio. His talk titled, **◆The 3 P◆s in my Life: Polio, Post-Polio Syndrome and Rotary◆s PolioPlus◆** will give us great insight to the importance of Rotary◆s PolioPlus program around the world. John is a polio survivor (Class of 1953), paralyzed from his neck down for 6 months, just prior to the distribution of the Salk Vaccine. He now uses a wheelchair for most of his daily mobility due to severe Post-Polio Syndrome issues.

2019-2020 President of the MOT Rotary Club, Middletown, Delaware, John has been an active in leader in his club for many years. He currently serves as the District 7630 PolioPlus Chair and the Rise Against Hunger Philadelphia Regional Rotary Ambassador.

We invite you to join us Thursday as John Nanni discusses polio and the vital work of Rotary's PolioPlus.



CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

ABCCM Kitchen Project - Carolyn Cronin announced that on Thursday, July 16 from 9 am-noon, volunteers are again needed for the continuation of the Kitchen Project. Masks and gloves are provided.

Short, autobiographical talks from three new club members.

August 13, 2020

Jeff Wilcox, Associate Professor of Environmental Studies at UNCA

A geological history of the Appalachian Mountains

Please look for Dustin Schalbach to email the weekly meeting Zoom. Click on the link or copy and paste in your web browser. If that will not work go to zoom.com, click join a meeting and enter the meeting ID included in Dustin's email.

**For Birthday/Anniversary/Happy Dollars
please mail your check to
Rotary Club of Asheville Foundation
P.O. Box 1954
Asheville NC 28801.**

If you would like to add an announcement in an upcoming COG please email to Sara Marshall smarshall@firsthorizon.com

Additional Volunteer Opportunities :

*Contact Salvation Army Commander and fellow club member [Phil Swyers](#) if you'd like to help out with Covid-19 relief efforts

*Contact the Red Cross of WNC at redcross.org/volunteer. (Rotarian Megan Robinson, Executive Director Red Cross of WNC)

*Contact the Asheville Y downtown or Ferguson branch to give shopping bags for their food packages. (Rotarian Jessica Hendrix, Executive Director Asheville Y)

*Contact handsonasheville-buncombecounty.org for all volunteer opportunities in the area. (Rotarian Kevin Montgomery, Director of Resource Development)

Coming Events

August 4th
Club Board Meeting

Club Leaders



Sophia S. Ungert
President



Katherine Morosani
President-Elect



Richard T. Devereaux
Secretary



David A. Kozak
Treasurer



Stephen F. Anderson
Club Service



Bradley A. Arnold
Rotary Foundation Chair
Club Director



Melissa R. Drennan
Club Service A



Mark A. Knollman
Club Director
Vocational Service Chair

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

By Melissa R. Drennan on Sunday, July 12, 2020

DISTRICT GOVERNOR, DAVID WAECHTER

Our new District Governor, David Waechter addressed the club at our July 9 meeting. DG Waechter shared his vision for creating opportunities in Rotary for the coming year with an emphasis on service and building involvement through creative new Rotary models. If you missed last week's meeting, please see the presentation recording to learn more. Many thanks to DG Waechter for sharing his insights and time with us and especially for his many years of dedicated service to Rotary.



NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Sharon Kay LeDuc
Club Director
International Service Chair



Sara L Marshall
Public Image Chair



Donna W. Prinz
Youth Services Chair



Ross Sloan
President-Nominee



Patrick A. Snyder
Club Director
Community Service Chair



Eva-Michelle G. Spicer
Club Director



Patricia M. Puckridge
Membership Chair



Dustin L. Schlabach
Sergeant-at-Arms



Ford Willis
Sergeant-at-Arms



Megan E. Robinson
Club Programs Chair



Janet L. Whitworth
iPast President



Donna Rogers Ensley
Assistant Governor

Birthdays

By Steven B. Shechter on Tuesday, July 14, 2020

HONORARY MEMBER JOYCE HORN INDUCTED

◆Frank, I think it◆s time for me to retire from Rotary◆ is something that newly inducted Honorary Rotarian Joyce Horn said to her husband, probably more than once. ◆Oh no it's not. I want you with me,◆ was



always his response, she recalled. Joyce and Frank met on the job. They both worked for the Secret Service in Washington, D.C. and had 31 years together.

Joyce came to know and be a part of Rotary, first in Tennessee and later in Asheville, through her active support of her beloved husband and our beloved Asheville Rotarian, Frank Horn. Together, they attended many district conferences. She is pictured here,

front and center with Frank at a Rotary Club of Asheville Christmas Party. She was with him at fundraisers and other events, and she continues to believe in all that Rotary does with a special fondness for the Tennant Scholarship and PolioPlus.

They were a perfect Rotary couple. It is not possible to honor one without honoring the other.

Welcome to the club officially, Joyce. We are so happy to have you.



ROTARY RECEIVES RECOGNITION

By Sara L Marshall on Saturday, July 11, 2020



Rotary Club of Asheville received recognition this week from ABCCM for their tireless volunteer work at Transformation Village. See what was said below (taken from an update from ABCCM to Rick Devereaux):

Charles P Thompson
July 19th
Dustin L. Schlabach
July 24th
Kevin R. Montgomery
July 26th
Scott Hicks
July 28th
R. Scott White
July 30th
Benjamin P. Powell
August 4th
Gina Collias
August 5th
Betty A. Doll
August 7th
Robert H. Haggard
August 12th

Wedding Anniversaries

Donald P. Weidemann
July 14th
James W Baley
July 15th
David K Snider Sr.
July 23rd
Levon B. Reese
July 27th
Stephen F. Anderson
July 29th
Kimberly S Winters
July 30th
Zachary F. Lamb
August 2nd
Richard Travis Hall
August 5th
Bruce G. Clark
August 7th
Alexander P. Pence
August 11th
Linda Nelson
August 11th

The Rotary Club of Asheville is helping transform the lives of homeless Veteran women, women and moms through feeding and training opportunities. ABCCM is expanding from 50 beds to 100 beds during Phase I for homeless women and moms with children on a 24 acre site called Transformation Village. Transformation Village is ABCCM's vision of taking every single woman, moms with children, and intact family off the street or out of a car.

The Rotary Club continues to demonstrate strategic leadership in overcoming one of Asheville's biggest needs through their financial and volunteer support of ABCCM's Transformation Village. The club raised over \$51,000 for the commercial kitchen at Transformation Village. Items purchased included 5 transport carts, 12 work tables, 30 shelving units, commercial mixers, food processor and much more! For a complete list of items please go to our [Transformation Village page](#). Their investment paid for the equipment and tools ABCCM will need to prepare food for 300+ residents in the expanded transitional facility and provide training to our residents in culinary skills in partnership with A-B Tech. Chef Eric B. Cox, the Food Services Manager for ABCCM commented, *Rotary has once again demonstrated service above self in their support of ABCCM and Transformation Village. Their support has been immense and kind hearted.* **Chef Eric Cox** (AB Tech Culinary Instructor) and ABCCM Food Services Director

Members of the club recently provided their precious time in providing 40 volunteer service hours to set up the kitchen at ABCCM's Transformation Village. Special thanks to Sharon Le Duc, Bill and Lynnell Goacher, Richard Douglas, Christena Southwick, Linda Nelson, George Lycan, Pat Snyder, Carolyn Cronin, Tom Leavesley and Charles Reiley.

Positive activities like this makes a huge impact in the lives of homeless Veteran women, single women and mom's with children. This kind gesture means so much to our community as we prepare to double the capacity to serve those in need.

NOTEWORTHY NEWS

Congratulations to Brad Rouse on his 2nd article publication about energy transition. Links to articles provided below (may need to be copied and pasted into web browser).

<https://cleantechnica.com/2020/07/08/carbon-pricing-and-lighting-evs-heat-pumps-electric-everything/>

<https://cleantechnica.com/2020/06/14/carbon-pricing-the-energy-transition>

FOUR WAY TEST



THE FOUR-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?
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