

# Rotary



# Club of Charlotte Providence

## The Weekly Rundown



**Nov 25 - Happy Thanksgiving - NO MEETING**



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Prior week's meetings have been recorded on Zoom and you can find the replays here --> <https://vimeo.com/user115899696>

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## CPR Meetings Upcoming Presentations

**Dec 2 - Ineke Wilson - Christmas Cultures**

**Dec 7 - CPR Board Meeting**

**Dec 9 - CPR Holiday Party!! - La maison de Fran Fesmire**

**Dec 16 - Club Service Project - TBA**

**Dec 25 - Christmas - NO MEETING**

**Dec 30 - New Years - NO MEETING**



**Happy New Year!!**

**Jan 6 - Eric Spengler - Queens Park (Vision for a new park near uptown Charlotte)**

## Club Meeting

Charlotte Providence Meets at Maggiano's Little Italy and Via Zoom - Please use the email below to contact us for the zoom info  
4400 Sharon Rd  
Charlotte, NC 28211  
Time: Thursday at 12:30 PM

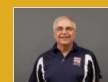
## Club Leaders



Mary Ellen Shuntich  
President



Mark Daniels  
President-Elect



Richard J. Pockat  
Secretary



Howard B. Fogel  
Treasurer



Frances E. Fesmire  
Club Director



J. Grason Hudson III  
Public Relations  
Chair



Georgia Oakes  
Club Trainer



Alan Turner Jr.  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Christine E. Smith  
Interact Chair

Ronald Wimberly  
Past President  
iPast President

**Jan 13 - Deirdre Irlam - Adventures Around the World**

Deirdre's adventures on her cruise tour around the world and getting stuck in Australia for the pandemic before finally being able to get back to Charlotte.



**CLUB  
ASSEMBLY**

**Jan 20 - Club Assembly**

**Jan 27 - Kate Bolkin - Trees Charlotte "Care for our Trees"**

Tips for the best way to care for our own trees

**March 26, 2022 - Mark your calendars! Oyster Roast!**



**Crisis Assistance Cold Weather Needs**



**CRISIS  
ASSISTANCE  
MINISTRY**

Jay Kilroy is coordinating the collection of men, women and children's new or gently used clothing, shoes, coats, gloves, hats, scarves, blankets, etc. for Crisis Assistance to prepare for needs during the cold winter months ahead.

Jay will pick up the donated items at our Club Meeting on

DECEMBER 16 and will deliver the items to Crisis Assistance.



**Autobell Fundraiser !**



Rodney J. Holtzmuller  
Assistant Governor -  
Mecklenburg County  
South



**Birthdays**



Ronald Wimberly  
December 8th



John L. Jacob III  
December 8th

**District Leaders**



Nicolino Iannelli  
District Governor



Kamlesh (Kam) Chandan  
DG - Elect



Debra L. Corbett  
DG - Nominee



John Michael Walker  
iPDG




**SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES**

HELP US REACH OUR FUNDRAISING GOAL  
WITH EACH \$20 GIFT CARD

GIFTCARD \$20

• Apply to your favorite wash.  
• Gift cards never expire.  
• We keep 50% of the sales.

**When We Shine, You Shine** 

CHARLOTTE PROVIDENCE ROTARY CLUB

Help us raise funds for our Club and our Service Projects!  
Our goal is to raise \$2,000!!

Charlotte Providence Rotary is raising funds to help fund the club and some of our service projects. We will be pre-selling Autobell car wash gift certificates for \$20 each. The gift cards can be used to get just a basic exterior wash (around \$7), leaving \$13 remaining on the card, or a full service car wash (\$19) or any of Autobell's other service options. The gift cards never expire. They make great appreciation gifts to your yard maintenance folks, your hair stylist or barber, your mailman, and lovely stocking stuffers. We will be pre-selling the gift cards from now until November, and delivering them to buyers in mid-November. The gift cards are plastic and will come with a nice gift envelope. For every gift card we sell, the club gets \$10!!

Please join with the club and pre-sell gift cards to friends, family, neighbors, etc. We will also be pre-selling gift cards at the Cotswold Farmers Market through October. If you are willing to sit at the volunteer tent for an hour or so on Saturdays, please come and enjoy the cooler weather and pre-sell Autobell gift cards!

Lastly, the disclaimer: gift cards have no cash value and cannot be redeemed for cash. Lost cards cannot be replaced, and gift cards cannot be combined with any other offer.

## 2022 Rotary International Convention - Houston, TX

**JUNE 4th ♦ 8th, 2022**

- Click



<https://convention.rotary.org/en/houston> for details, and to register. Doing so NLT June 16, 2021, during the current Convention, gets you the cheapest ♦early bird♦ Registration fee.

- Here♦s the link to the promotional video for Houston from incoming RI President Shekar Mehta for your viewing pleasure. [https://cdn2.webdamdb.com/md\\_INcbAhXjhw81.mp4?1615311666](https://cdn2.webdamdb.com/md_INcbAhXjhw81.mp4?1615311666)
- IMPORTANT - You will also want to book accommodations NOW for Houston. You don♦t pay for even one room night until next May, and you can cancel at any time. Booking now is the best opportunity to find a hotel with Rotary pricing within walking distance. <https://registration.experientevent.com/showROT221/>
- If you have never been to a Rotary International Convention in person, it is a GREAT experience, and will give you a true sense of the breadth and depth of Rotary around the world.
- Also, Houston in 2022 is the last Rotary International Convention to be held in the United

States until Honolulu in 2027.

- Please feel free to reach out to District Governor Nico Iannelli about the 2022 RI Convention in Houston.

I hope to see you in Houston June 2022!

## ROTARY'S DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION STATEMENT

As a global network that strives to build a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change, Rotary values diversity and celebrates the contributions of people of all backgrounds, regardless of their age, ethnicity, race, color, abilities, religion, socioeconomic status, culture, sex, sexual orientation, and gender identity.

Rotary International adopted this statement on DEI in January 2019 and formed a Task Force bringing together experts from across the world to devise a plan that assesses the state of DEI within Rotary and articulates a vision that incorporates differences, needs and priorities with an international approach. They hope to have an action plan by July.

