



Rotary Club of Durham



Club Meeting

Durham
Meets at Zoom Virtual Meeting See
Weekly Email for Zoom Meeting
Login Information Link

Durham, NC 27701
Time: Monday at 12:30 PM

Events

No Events found

Speakers

October 26, 2020

Presiding: Emilee Collins, President
Rotary Club of Durham Board of
Directors, Officers and Committee
Chairs Monthly Meeting.

October 26, 2020

Lynn Richardson
Biodiversity Begins At Home: A
Pioneering Project In Durham's
Woodcroft Subdivision

November 02, 2020

Jessica Sheffield, Executive
Director, Eno River Association
Presentation Topic: Outdoor Living
During Covid Times

November 09, 2020

J B Buxton, President -- Durham
Technical Community College
Durham Technical Community
College

Club Leaders



Emilee J. Collins
President



Indira M. Everett
President-Elect



Shannon Leskin
Secretary



Elisabeth Harper Wiener
Vice President



Susan R. Miller
Treasurer

Friday, October 23, 2020

REMINDER! 10.24.2020 -- Polio Walk at 10:00 a.m.

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Friday, October 23, 2020

REMINDER!!

JOIN US FOR OUR POLIO WALK
SATURDAY, 10.24.2020 --- 10:00 A.M.

District Governor, David Hayden, will be joining us!
Please come out and show your support!

One Day. One Focus: Ending Polio

24 October

Bring your friends and family for *A Walk For Polio* starting at 10AM to raise awareness of our Polio Plus Campaign. Show our community what it means to be a Rotarian as we are "This Close" to eradicating the crippling disease. We will be walking around the East Duke campus wall starting on the corner of Main and Broad Streets. Sign up below for a time to start which is in five minute intervals. Wear your Red Shirts and your face coverings to show Durham what it means to have a powerful health impact all over the world.

Sign Up for your Start Time:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0845aaa62caa8-world>

Please also join us for
The Riverside High School Interact Club
Interact Leadership Induction -- Beginning at 9:30 a.m.
For Additional Information, Please Contact President Emilee
emilee@emileecollins.com 919.730.7040

International Rotaract Happy Hour--United Nations & Polio Day

By Emilee J Collins on Friday, October 9, 2020



Marie Baker
Club Director



Erik Benson
Club Director



Craig Brown
Club Director



Robinson O. Everett Jr.
Club Director



Ralph L. Haynes
Club Director



Emily K. Hill
Club Director



Jennifer Levine
Club Director



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Club Director



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President-Nominee



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Tom Bagby
Club Photographer



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Club Finance Advisor



Steed Rollins Jr.
Club Programs Chair



Tammie Sellman
Webmaster



Meg Solera
Club Fellowship Chair

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INTERNATIONAL ROTARACT HAPPY HOUR

IN CELEBRATION OF UN DAY & WORLD POLIO DAY



Sat, Oct 24, 2020
3pm-4:30pm EST

Zoom Event/Registration
[Bit.ly/irhh2020](https://bit.ly/irhh2020)

Make Your Polio Plus Contribution

By Emilee J Collins on Friday, October 23, 2020

The screenshot shows the 'www.endpolio.org/donate' website. The form includes fields for 'Select your country' (United States), 'Select your currency' (US Dollar), and 'Select a donation type' (One-time donation selected). Under 'Select an amount', there are radio buttons for USD 25, 100, 250 (selected), 1000, and Other. At the bottom, there are 'SIGN IN' and 'CONTINUE AS A GUEST' buttons. A red arrow points from the 'One-time donation' button to the 'SIGN IN' button.

President's Challenge



- Please Consider Making a \$60 Gift
- Emilee Collins, Elisabeth Wiener & Nina Morley-Daye Each Will Donate \$1 For Every Walker!

Polio Goal





John J. Zenner III
Club Photographer



Todd E. Taylor
iPast President



Sharon Kay Lassiter
Club Executive Secretary



Newman C. Aguiar
Past District Governor



Jeff Blass
Asst Governor

Reminder: Rotary Club of Durham Board of Directors, Officers & Committee Chairs Meeting

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Saturday, October 17, 2020

REMINDER



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MEETING

**TO: THE ROTARY CLUB OF DURHAM
BOARD OF DIRECTORS, OFFICERS & COMMITTEE CHAIRS
BOARD MEETING**

**MONDAY, 10.26.2020 --- BEGINNING AT 11:A.M.
ZOOM LINK WILL BE PROVIDED**

Rotary Meeting 10.26.2020 Guest Speaker: Lynn Richardson

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Monday, October 12, 2020

**Join Us On Monday, October 26, 2020
12:30 p.m. --- 1:30 p.m.**

For Our Weekly Rotary Meeting

**Our Guest Speaker Will Be: Lynn Richardson
Presentation Topic: Biodiversity Begins at Home:
A Pioneering Project In Durham's Woodcroft Subdivision**



Zoom Link Will Be Provided

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Durham Rotary Happy Hour

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Friday, October 23, 2020



**Join Us On Monday, October 26, 2020, at 4:30 p.m.
For Durham Rotary Happy Hour!!**

**We'll be back at Roots Bistro & Bar --- We'll be hanging out
outside on the patio, socially distancing, and abiding by all
mandated guidelines.**

Don't miss the fellowship and great time hanging out with your Fellow Rotarians & Friends!!

Monday, October 26, 2020 4:30pm

Roots Bistro & Bar



[4810 Hope Valley Rd #101, Durham, NC 27707](http://4810.Hope.Valley.Rd.#101.Durham.NC.27707)

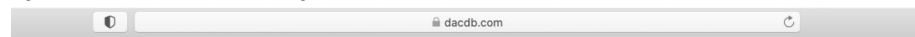
<http://rootsbistroandbar.com/>

The Zoom link will be our weather backup only, and we will NOT be doing Zoom during this in person happy hour.

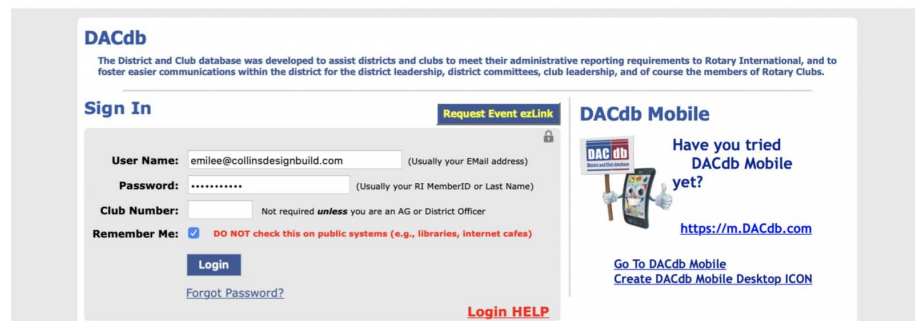
*If you have a restaurant with a patio (or have a tenant with a restaurant with a patio), we would love for it to be our next stop. Send an email to lauren@durhammag.com with your ideas of who we can support!

You've Gotta Try DACdb!

By Emilee J Collins on Friday, October 16, 2020



www.dacdb.com



The District and Club Database (DACdb) is just what it sounds like! It is the official database that allows you to **find other members' contact information, look up events and access past bulletins**. It's easy to login. If you do not know your login, please email Sharon Lassiter slassiter38@nc.rr.com and she will send it to you. Don't be shy. This is easy technology to help you stay connected with your club members. Stay tuned for more information about this handy technology at our club meeting Monday.

Rotary Opens Opportunities For Service

By Emilee J Collins on Friday, October 9, 2020



We have several opportunities to serve or help our community. Please consider how you may contribute your time or treasures in a safe, distanced way.

MEAL DELIVERY:

Eat NC is the organization that connects Durham families who cannot pick up lunches for kids with folks who volunteer to delivery to those families' homes. **They need people to deliver meals.** Choose the day(s) you can commit - the total route generally takes less than 90 minutes. Apparently, the DPS lunch program is currently distributing an average of 5200 meals per day - they need to serve 8000 meals per day to keep DPS school nutrition employees employed so the delivery of these meals is critical so the food is getting to all those in need.

<https://www.eatnorthcarolina.org/take-action?fbclid=IwAR017zVRLVdIGrHto0ILhvFPb2VuoV1AWdPcaobGBL0a0V0g9A1CRxaU2lc>

CHAIR LIFT:

We have a request from an Occupational Therapist working with the Durham VA Homeless Program to **locate a motorized lift chair for a disabled Veteran.**

These chairs have a motorized component underneath that elevate the seating surface to assist people with decreased leg strength while standing from the chair. The most famous brand of lift chair is Golden, but any brand would be helpful to this veteran. The main help would be with standing from a seat, as this veteran has difficulty with standing, and thus **has nowhere to sit in his apartment.**

If you know of a resource for this type of chair that can be donated or obtained contact:

Benjamin Triplett / Occupational Therapist, HUD/VASH

Durham VA Health Care System / C: 919-396-1952 Email: benjamin.triplett@va.gov



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A Thanksgiving Meal Can Lead to a Changed Life!



MEAL TICKET
\$51.25 PROVIDES 25 MEALS

[GIVE NOW](#)

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Rotary Meeting 11.2.2020 Guest Speaker: Jessica Sheffield, Executive Director, Eno River Association

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Wednesday, October 21, 2020

DURHAM ROTARY CLUB WEEKLY MEETING
MONDAY, 11.2.2020 --- 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M.
GUEST SPEAKER: JESSICA SHEFFIELD
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR --- ENO RIVER ASSOCIATION



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Youth Education Success Committee

By Emilee J Collins on Friday, October 9, 2020



The Youth Education Success Committee (YES!) is putting out a call for volunteer service projects for the 2020-21 Rotary Year.

As with all things these days, how we volunteer will need to be adapted for everyone's safety. It can be done!

The YES! Committee organizes and offers Rotary members opportunities to support youth and education through sharing their time, talents, and/or treasure.

Please note: there is no funding associated with this call for projects. It's strictly an attempt to identify service opportunities that we can undertake on a club level.

Complete the questions below and send to Susan Ross ssross@mossandross.com by October 26. We aren't looking for a long response! The YES committee will review on November 2 to identify several to present to the Club. We will be back in touch with you after our meeting

1. Rotary champion for this project: responsible for organizing Rotary volunteers, etc. Include contact information.
2. Please provide a short description of the event/project, its purpose, and how it supports youth/education.
3. How many volunteers are needed?
4. Please describe the role Rotary members would play. Volunteer opportunities will observe appropriate health safety measures.
5. Date and time/timeline of your event/project.
6. How is this event publicized in the community?

Infinite Possibilities --- Women In Rotary (Part 4)

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Wednesday, October 21, 2020

Infinite Possibilities



Jennifer Jones will be the Guest Speaker for the October 30th Women In Rotary Series Finale. In 2022, Jennifer will make history when she becomes the first female President of Rotary International. You'll know why when you hear her story. #womeninrotary #InfinitePossibilities

Register NOW for Infinite Possibilities - Women In Rotary, 1:00 pm EDT October 30, 2020 or send your regrets that you cannot attend by [clicking here](#).

If you think you're registered, please click the link above to confirm - we will not double register you.

Zoom credentials are part of your Confirmation email.

You can find recordings of Sessions 1, 2 and 3 of our past outstanding speakers at: <https://www.rizoness33-34.org/infinite-possibilities-videos/>

We will be offering a second Four-Part Series - **INFINITE POSSIBILITIES: Diversity Equity Inclusion**, beginning January, 2021, so stay tuned for more exciting news to come your way!

Rotary Opens Opportunities...

Stephanie Urchick
Rotary International Director 2019-21

Peter Kyle
Rotary International Director 2020-22



Rotary Meeting: 10.19.2020 Guest Speaker: Walter A. Orenstein, M.D.

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Monday, October 12, 2020

**WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO OUR
VERY SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER AT OUR WEEKLY
ROTARY MEETING ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2020
FOR A VERY INFORMATIVE PRESENTATION!**

**GUEST SPEAKER: WALTER A. ORENSTEIN, M.D.
PRESENTATION TOPIC: END POLIO NOW
[IF YOU MISSED THE MEETING CLICK HERE FOR YOUTUBE RECORDING](#)**



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Birthdays



[William Barker French](#)
October 25th



[Katherine S. Gill](#)
October 29th



[Robert L. Wiley III](#)
November 1st



[Michel C. Tharp](#)
November 3rd



[Lloyd G. Gurley](#)
November 3rd



[Michael Goodmon](#)
November 3rd



[Nancy E. Gordon](#)
November 6th



[Danielle Kaspar](#)
November 8th



[Joseph K. Tamakloe](#)
November 9th



[Bert Collins](#)
November 9th



[Arthur W. Whitehurst](#)
November 10th



[Robert E. Bratcher](#)
November 11th



[Cerelyn J. Davis](#)
November 11th



[Julie Wells](#)
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[Caleb Winslowe Baker](#)
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