

Rotary



District 7730

Dawn's Monday Message

To all Rotarians and Rotaractors in District 7730!

It is April! It is Maternal and Child Health Month for Rotary International. With 7 Areas of Focus, we spend one month a year focused on specific areas. If you struggle to identify programs for your Club just look at the Rotary theme and plug into your membership to learn together on this topic area.

I have said since the beginning of COVID: Rotary is not cancelled; it is just a wee bit different. With grant projects being finalized, with 1 new Rotary Club and 1 new Rotaract Club formed, 3 more new Clubs in formation, and more Rotaract Clubs in the hopper, with the list below it shows why Rotary has been relevant for 116 years!

Ways to get more from your Rotary membership no matter your role: Just connect whenever and wherever you can.



- Saturday, April 10, 2021, 9am ♦ 3pm EST Virtual Session: Please join the 18th Annual Duke-UNC Rotary Peace Conference, to be held virtually on Saturday, 10 April. The theme of this year's event is ♦Peace and Resilience: Building Together a Post-Covid-19 World♦. The graduating Rotary Peace Fellows from Duke and UNC-Chapel Hill will discuss their research on peacebuilding and development. Pre-recorded presentations will be released in batches of three on April 6th, 7th, and 8th. Please watch these in advance of the conference if you can. During the conference, roundtables will provide deeper discussion of the Fellows♦ work and experience. For more info and to register: <https://global.unc.edu/event/virtual-18th-annual-duke-unc-rotary-peace-conference/>
- Monday, April 12th, 4pm ♦ 5pm EST: District 7730 Zoom for All Rotarians to connect in our District to upcoming events, ways you can help and to share what is happening so that we can join you! [CLICK HERE TO JOIN](#). Meeting ID 852 0711 7380, Pass Code: 938628
- Thursday, April 22nd: Earth Day, As we kick off the 7th Areas of Focus in 2021 officially, we know that we all care about Mother Earth. Set aside time for a program and developing a project for the environment.
- Saturday, April 24th 9am-11am EST, District Assembly Zoom to be inspired, approve business items and learn together. [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)
- Saturday, May 8th Rotary District 7730 Clean Up Day! Congressman Greg Murphy, M.D. (NC-03) is organizing and participating in a congressional district-wide effort for citizens and constituents to clean up roadsides, beaches and parks across eastern North Carolina. The ♦Third District Spring Cleaning♦ event will take place on Saturday, May 8, 2021. Since Rotary also focuses on the environment, let♦s partner together in this apolitical event to maximize environmental health! Those who would like to participate should RSVP by [clicking the link here](#). Participant may receive a follow up email with further instructions.
- Thursday May 14th through May 16th, Virtual, ♦Collaboration through Relationship Building♦, Zone 33 Training(Zones are comprised of Districts, Districts are comprised of Clubs) To register: <https://www.ascensionrotaract.com/presidentialconference> (you will need to log in with your rotary.org log in as identified above)
- Sunday, June 27th 5pm-8pm EST District 7730 Leadership Installation at Sturgeon City Environmental Education Center, Jacksonville, NC. \$35 per person attending in person to cover meal. Cash bar. Inspirational program. For those wishing to attend virtually, details to come. [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER AND PAY](#).

Highlighting the following Club Fundraising events: (send us yours to be highlighted!)

- Friday, April 9th: Morehead City Rotary Club, Concert raising funds for Alzheimer Research featuring Balsam Range, in person and virtual. For more details: <https://www.facebook.com/RotaryMoreheadCity1st>
- Saturday May 1st: Sneads Ferry Rotary Club Golf Tournament, For more details: <https://www.facebook.com/rotaryclubsneadsferry>
- Saturday, May 22nd: South Brunswick Island Golf Tournament, For more details: <https://www.facebook.com/sbirotary>
- Saturday, June 12th Beaufort Ole Towne Rotary 42nd annual Beaufort Historic Road Race, in person and virtual options. To register: https://runsignup.com/Race/NC/Beaufort/HistoricBeaufortRoadRace?remMeAttempt&fbclid=IwAR2K-u-5sqeKIEriuUfXrHlmRi_GwJN4sHSWqafF5PcjXf8UIMZXtx58H8

Thank you for continuing to elevate Rotary in all that you think, say and do! We are opening so many opportunities!

In Rotary Service:

~ Dawn
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