

Rotary



District 7730

Message from Dawn

I am looking forward to the District wide Call this afternoon at 4pm. Click [here](#) to join us. Event ID 852-0711-7380, Passcode 938628. Today is a day to tune in as we will be hearing from our District Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Taskforce that has been Zooming and working together since July to bring forward recommendations for our District overall and for Clubs individually to consider. Having had a preview, I am humbled and honored with the thoughtfulness and intention of this group of Rotarians.

Today also brings conversation of how we can honor the work of Rotary October 24th as we celebrate World Polio Day together with two other Districts. Rotary International President Holger Knaack will join us with other global leaders to look at the work that has been done and the work that is still needed. Thank you to all who have given and continue to give as because of YOU, we are fulfilling a commitment that we made to the world's children in the 1980s to ensure that no child knows polio.

As I presented last District Call, COVID is still very present in our District and all of us deal with some level of uncertainty. We are all facing group event decisions that Rotarians have long looked to as important for the Club and the District. Whatever the decision, ensure Club leadership is aligned on public health safety guidelines because as community leaders we are the ones that will be looked to should there be any concerns. On the call today, I will share a snapshot of the numbers for COVID in our District and welcome any questions or thoughts as we move forward.



- District Events not happening due to COVID: RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) held at Training Center in January
- Multi-District Events that have moved to virtual: PETS (President Elect Training Seminar) held in Greensboro in March

Thank you to everyone inviting me to your virtual and your face to face meetings that follow the 3Ws. I remain inspired by all that you are doing in your lives and in your communities as we place our families first, navigate our businesses and serve our communities. #rotaryopensopportunities.

In Rotary Service,

~ Dawn
District Governor 2020-21