

Rotary

District 7630



District Leadership



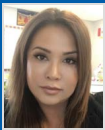
Randolph C. Smith
DG-District Governor



Dale C. G. Kerns
DG-Elect



Ken Montville
DG-Nominee



Yasmith T. Johnson
DG-Nominee Designate



John E. Mager
Immediate Past District Governor



Robin Broomall
Lieutenant Governor



Shawn W. Klapinsky
District Treasurer



John Kai Lassen
District Secretary and Policy and Procedure Chair



James A. Roney III
District Parliamentarian, Insurance, RI COL



William Garrow King Jr.
District Membership Chair



JUNE 9, 2025 MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Greetings my Fellow Rotarians!

Your District Governor, Randy Smith, is informing all those on the District 7630 plane that we are about to start our final descent into the upcoming Rotary year of 2025-2026 with new ideas, challenges, ideas and obstacles. So please fasten your seat belts and take your seats for a smooth descent, but on occasions, a few bumps.

As we approach our first hurdle, we have already approached a major hurdle, which is that we have been informed that our new incoming Rotary International President for the year of 2025-2026, Mário César Martins de Camargo, a member of the Rotary Club of Santo André, São Paulo, Brazil, has resigned, due to health and for personal reasons. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.



Our District is doing well, and new individuals will be placed into new positions which, hopefully, will come with new ideas and thoughts. Yes, the plane is making its descent, but it looks like a safe landing.

The incoming District Governor, Dale, is busy at work, making and ensuring everything is ready for the new District Leadership Team is up and ready to go.

The activities in the District continue to flourish and there seem to be good vibes. So, I just wish to thank all of you for your efforts, and your dedication to making District 7630 a great District as well as an Irresistible District.

Thank You

Randy

24-25 7630 District Governor





Vaughan Russell Hayden
DYS - District
Youth Services
Chair



Kevin John Yencer
District
Easterseals
Camp Fairlee
Chair



William R. Ferguson Sr.
PDG, District
Rotary
Foundation
Chair



Jeffrey W. Kitchen
DRF - Annual
Giving Co-Chair



Tracy E. Reynolds
DRF - Annual
Giving Co-Chair



Susan N. Giove
DRF - Global
Grants Co-
Chair



Judith W. Price
DRF - Global
Grants Co-
Chair



John Nanni
DRF - District
Grants Chair



Margaret M. Mudron
DRF - District
Grants Chair



Carrie W. Gray
AG Area 10 &
Innovative Club
Advocate



Edward J. Gossett Jr.
AG Area 20

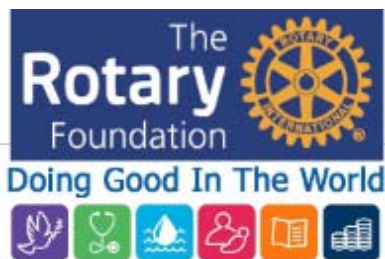


Alexander Benjamin Vaughan III
AG Area 30

Steven L



DISTRICT 7630 FOUNDATION FACTS CORNER



2024-2025 District Grant final reports received, reviewed and approved -\$44,144

OC/BER - \$4,499
Snow Hill - \$4,000
MOT - \$4,056
Admin - \$622
Newark Morning - \$5,000
Tidewater - \$3,200

Camden-Wyoming - \$3,352
Centreville - \$3,483
So New Castle Cty - \$1,000
North East - \$5,000
Rehoboth Beach - \$5,000
Lewes-Rehoboth - \$2,667
District 7630 - \$5,000

2025-2026 Rotary District Grants – new applications received – Requested \$53,162
Estimated DDF funds available - \$72,326

OC/Berlin - \$5,000
Lewes-Rehoboth - \$4,800
Kent Island - \$2,950
Dover Capital City - \$5,000
Wilmington - \$5,000
So Sussex - \$4,395
Camden-Wyoming - \$4,072
Newark Morning - \$5,000
MOT - \$4,987
Centreville - \$3,200
North East - \$5,000
Chestertown - \$3,758

Rotary Foundation Giving July 2024 thru May 2025 ([see attached worksheet](#))



Grossman
AG Area 40 &
41



Bradley
Lundberg
AG Area 50



Michael A.
Friedberg
AG Area 51



Molly Lynn
Hilligoss
AG Area 60

Events

June 10th
District DDF Committee Meeting

Speaker: PDG Bill Ferguson, Foundation Chair & Foundation Committee Members
Subject: The DDF committee meeting will be to discuss the process for the 25-26 District Grants

June 10th
District 25-26 AG Meeting

June 16th
25-26 DDF Committee - District Grants

Speaker: PDG Bill Ferguson, Foundation Chair & Foundation Committee Members
Subject: To review and approve 25-26 District Grants

June 21st
Milford's Centennial Celebration!

Foundation Giving	2024-2025	2023-2024
Annual Fund	\$183,349.31	\$192,374.21
PolioPlus	\$111,163.85	\$78,398.80
Endowment	<u>\$272,889.90</u>	\$76,482.65
Total Giving	<u>\$577,958.06</u>	\$350,430.66
Per Capita-Annual Fund	\$131.81	\$138.30
Per Capita-PolioPlus	\$79.92	\$56.36

PolioPlus – The following clubs have given zero to PolioPlus this Rotary Year – please ask your club members to contribute by June 30, 2025 ([contribution form attached](#))

Chestertown, Denton, Dover Downtown, Harrington-Felton-Greenwood, Nanticoke-Seafood, Southern Sussex

***Any club that has collected Rotary Foundation contributions for a club member please remit those funds to them immediately. This will guarantee that the member, club, district and Rotary will get credit for those contributions. The end of 2024-2025 is just over a month away. Presidents and Presidents Elect, please contact your treasurer and ask them if all contributions have been made to the Rotary Foundation.

PDG Bill Ferguson

DRFC 2023-2026
fergy123@comcast.net
443-786-6345

Two Rotary Foundation brochures and two Rotary Foundation forms are attached:

[Every Rotarian Every Year \(EREY\) Brochure](#)
[Paul Harris Society Brochure](#)
[Rotary Foundation Contribution Form](#)
[Rotary Direct Contribution Form](#)



The Foundation Matters Webinars are scheduled for the third Thursday of each month at 6 PM Eastern Daylight Time. (5 PM Central and 7 PM Atlantic). During this webinar we will be discussing key elements for engaging your club with The Rotary Foundation. You will hear actionable ideas from experienced Club Foundation chairs.

The monthly Foundation Matters Webinar Series is designed for club leaders like you. The series will deliver bite-sized informational content about different aspects of The Rotary Foundation. Don't miss this opportunity to hear from experienced leaders who will share proven strategies to engage your club in The Rotary Foundation.

Please click on the link to learn more about the webinars, including links to past webinars!
<https://www.rizones33-34.org/foundation-matters/>

The final webinar topic for this year: **June 19, 2025 Year End Recap**

(Zoom link is in the DACdb calendar under Multi-District Events!)

LEWES REHOBOTH CLUB - SEWING FOR SOULS GLOBAL GRANT

NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT!

We need your assistance! We're **\$3,000 away from funding a \$41,000 Global Grant project** in the Dominican Republic!

We can provide **sewing skills vocational training**, education and empowerment for young girls and women in the village of Loma de los Chivos in Sosua, DR! The funding will be used to purchase sewing machines and supplies and to hire local teachers to formalize a sewing school. Once they complete the program, they'll be able to generate income by starting their own business, making clothes or repairing garments. Local children are unable to attend school because they cannot afford to purchase their school uniforms---now these can be made in their own communities. The Sewing School will be transformational for this community.

Read more to learn more about Servant's Heart and how Lewes Rehoboth member, Jason Bentley, got involved! [Read More](#)



MEMBERSHIP ACTION PLAN (MAP) WEBINAR HAPPENING TODAY!



It's been a year packed with inspiration, innovation, and impactful strategies for growing membership across Zones 33 & 34 — and now, we're wrapping it up with a **power-packed finale!**

Join us for our June Membership Action Plan (MAP) Webinar:

Monday, June 9th

5:30 PM EST

Theme: '24-'25 Greatest Hits – Membership Tips That Work!

"Read More" for details and the zoom link!

[Read More](#)

EPIC AWARDS TASKS NOW OPEN!

Rotary Zones 33/34 are excited to announce the first three tasks for the 2025-26 **Excellence in Public Image Coordination (EPIC)** Award are now open so you can get an early start and begin to maximize your club's success. This initiative is designed to support your club's public image and set you up for an awesome year ahead. All you need to do is complete a task each month and submit the online forms. All clubs in Zones 33/34 are eligible to participate. Click the links below to get started, save your progress, and go back anytime to finish the task.



[July Task – Club Audit](#)

[August Task – Public Image Plan](#)

[September Task – Content Calendar](#)

TIDEWATER ROTARY WELCOMES SPEAKERS FROM TALBOT CO PUBLIC SCHOOLS EDUCATION FOUNDATION



Tidewater Rotary welcomed speakers from the Talbot County Public Schools Education Foundation (TCPSEF) at its May 22nd club meeting at Brookletts Place, in Easton. [Read More](#)

HUB CLUB PRESENTS SCHOLARSHIP TO DESERVING STUDENT

The Harrington-Greenwood-Felton Centennial Rotary (HUB) Club presented a

scholarship to a deserving student, Devi Patel. [Read More](#)



WILMINGTON CLUB VOLUNTEERS TO STAMP OUT HUNGER

Members of our Club joined the Food Bank of Delaware on May 10th to unload postal trucks that had collected critically needed food for our local community.

**THANK YOU to those who volunteered
to help Stamp Out Hunger!**



NORTH EAST FLAGS FOR VETERANS FUNDRAISER LOOKING FOR SPONSORS

The North East Club is holding their Annual Flags for Veterans Fundraiser this July 3rd. Attached are the fliers for [corporate](#) and [individual](#) sponsorships. Payments can be made through the QR code on the flier, through the links on the club's website or by mailing a check to:

Rotary Club of North East
PO Box 367
North East MD 21901
(Please write "Flags for Veterans" in the memo line!)



STRIKE OUT POLIO WITH THE SHOREBIRDS ON AUGUST 5TH!

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Join Us To **STRIKE OUT POLIO!**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2025
Delmarva Shorebirds v. Fayetteville Woodpeckers



\$40.00 per ticket  **Perdue Stadium, 6400 Hobbs Road, Salisbury**

Doors Open 6PM  **Game Time 7PM**  **Right Field Picnic Seating**

National Anthem sung by Polio Plus Advocate District 7630: John Nanni

First Pitch presented by Polio Plus Advocate District 7630: Alex Vaughan

Picnic Deck Menu: BBQ Pulled Chicken, Grilled Hamburgers, Grilled Hot Dogs,
Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Potato Chips, Watermelon and Popcorn,
Pickles and Sliced Cheese on the side, Water, Tea, and Lemonade

Stationed on the first base line, the picnic deck is a spacious area with a unique vantage point of the stadium. The deck features five tiers to provide plenty of space to groups and a great view of the action. It is easily accessible to the new boardwalk deck around the outfield.

Please RSVP by July 20, 2025 (NO EXCEPTIONS)

Make checks payable to: Rotary District 7630 (note line: Shorebirds) and mail to:
Steve Grossman, 32999 Harts Road, Lewes, Delaware 19958.

Name _____ Rotary Club _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone () _____

Number of Tickets @ \$40/ticket _____ Total \$ _____ ☐ cash ☐ check

Act Fast! Only 150 tickets reserved!

Tickets will be distributed prior to the event.

Questions? Contact Steve Grossman, Assistant Governor

Email: stevegrossmande@gmail.com

Phone: 302-363-5766



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If you have any questions, please let me know by emailing: stevegrossmande@gmail.com or by phone : 302-363-5766.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation as we END POLIO NOW.

YIRS,

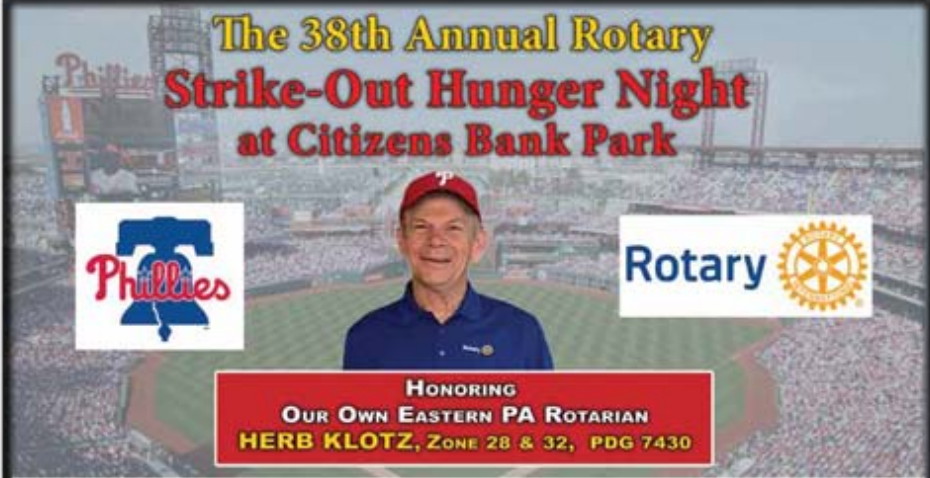
Steve Grossman

Assistant Governor Area 40-41



District 7630 Strike Out Polio Game Coordinator

[Click here to download the flyer!](#)

38TH ANNUAL STRIKE OUT HUNGER NIGHT AT CITIZEN'S BANK PARK



**The 38th Annual Rotary
Strike-Out Hunger Night
at Citizens Bank Park**

**HONORING
OUR OWN EASTERN PA ROTARIAN
HERB KLOTZ, ZONE 28 & 32, PDG 7430**

**The Phillies vs Mariners
Monday, August 18, 2025 • 6:45 PM**

We are so close to Eradicating Polio


The U.S. is ending grant funding for international aid, including Polio immunization. As Rotarians, we must help raise even more money this year for Polio Plus.

For every ticket sold through this event, the Phillies will donate almost 50% of the Ticket Price, with 100% going to the Rotary Foundation. Each participating Club will receive RI Foundation credits for the money raised from their ticket sales. Also, the Gates Foundation will match \$2 for every \$1 raised. Over the last few years, Strike-Out Hunger has raised enough money for the inoculation of around 1.5 million children.

We ask everyone attending the game to bring non-perishable food and deposit it in the drums by the ball park entrance. The food will be distributed to local food banks.

To purchase tickets, go to the Phillies Rotary Strike-Out Hunger landing page: Phillies.com/RotarySOH or use the QR Code below. Click on the green **Buy Now** box and type in the "Enter Offer Code" This will insure your donation.

**To Order Tickets
use this QR
or go to:
Phillies.com/RotarySOH**



Seat Level	Sections	Ticket Price	Donation to RI Foundation
Baseline	138, 139	\$69.00	\$8.00
Outfield	141	\$59.00	\$28.00
Terrace	329	\$46.00	\$21.00
Terrace Deck	426	\$42.00	\$19.00
Terrace Deck	431	\$39.00	\$18.00

For information contact Marvin Axler
(856) 665-6555 • marvin@cmi-direct.com
For 12 or more tickets per person contact
Robb Kazemski (215) 463-1000 ext. 5182 • rkazemski@phillies.com

Sponsored by: Garden State Rotary of Cherry Hill

[Download Flyer Here!](#)

Please note!

The code to order tickets online is D7630-Club#..... for example, MOT Rotary: D7630-5909
(Your club number is in DACdb!)

UPCOMING CLUB FUNDRAISERS AND EVENTS!

YOU ARE INVITED

To Celebrate the
Installation Luncheon of

**DISTRICT GOVERNOR
MRS. DALE KERNS**

and the 2025-2026 District Leadership Team

Sunday, July 13, 2025 at 11 am
Schaefer's Canal House
208 Bank Street | Chesapeake City, MD



Buffet lunch will be provided with cash bar.
Cost is \$50 per person, cash or credit accepted.
Dress is Business Casual.

Please RSVP with payment information
and questions to Tracy Reynolds at
nerotaryclub@gmail.com or 443-907-4380
by June 20, 2025.

We look forward to sharing this special occasion with you!



To RSVP (Register) for this event, [click here!](#)

\$50 per attendee payment should be sent as instructed below!

Please make checks payable to:
Rotary Club of North East
Mail to:
PO Box 367, North East, MD 21901

*Celebrate
With Us
Limited Tickets!*



The One Hundredth Anniversary
of the **Milford Rotary Club** takes
place June 21, 2025 at the
Big Oyster - Milford, DE -
5-9PM.

You are invited to join us for
dinner and fellowship to celebrate
100 Years of service to the
Greater Milford Community.

 **BIG
OYSTER
BREWERY**  

\$125 Single / \$200 Couple

Please submit checks to:
Milford Rotary Club P.O.
Box 10 Milford, DE 19963

 **QR** Scan QR Code:

**Act Now to Golf
This Famous Private Course!
...And Support a Worthy Cause**

Monday, June 23, 2025

**THE PENINSULA
ON THE INDIAN RIVER BAY**



Our kids. Our future.



***A Charity Golf Outing to
Support Long Neck Youth***

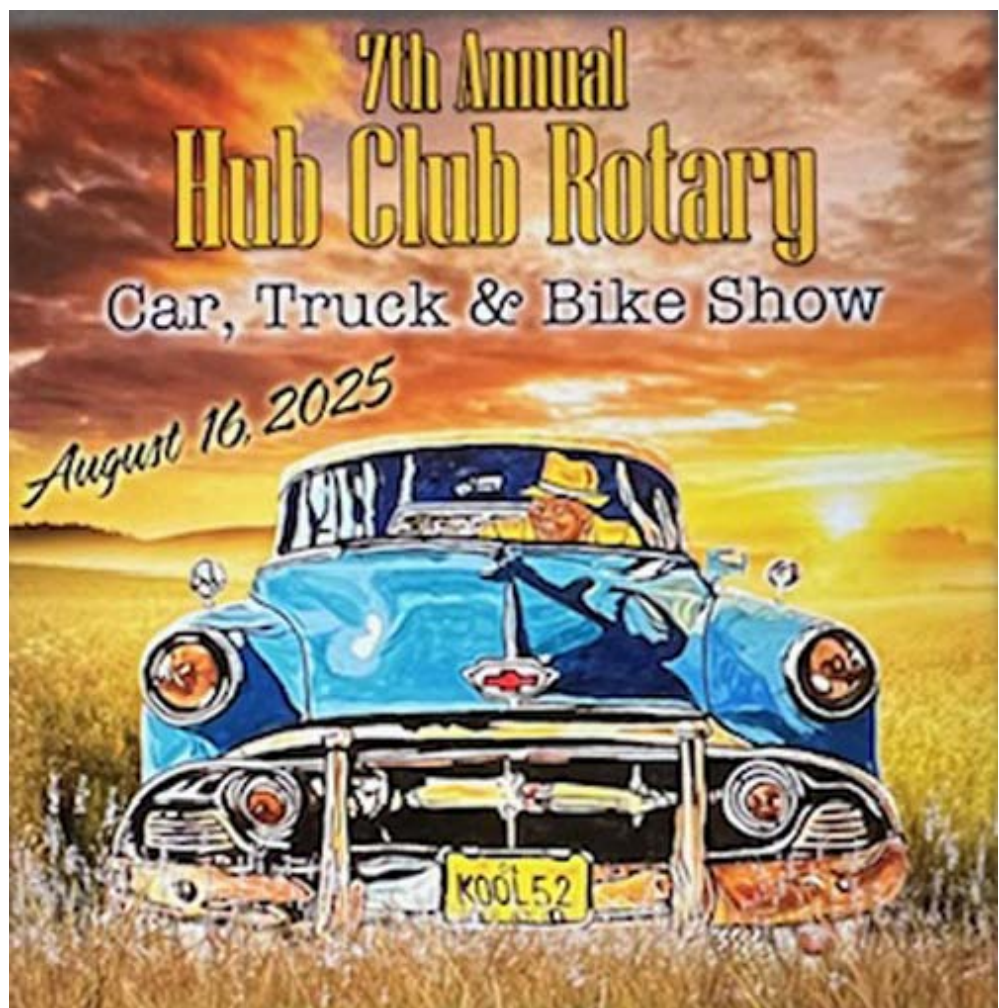


**Join us.
Scan to
learn more
and register.**

Rotary
Long Neck Sunrise Club



[Click here for more information including registration and sponsorship opportunities!](#)



**Save the Date!!! Calling All Cars!
SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 2025.**

2025 HUB Club Student Scholarship Car Show Fundraiser

HUB Club Rotary 7th Annual Car, Truck & Bike Show!

August 16th, 2025. 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Registration begins @ 8:30 a.m.

Lake Forest N. Elementary School Parking Lot, 319 E. Main St., Felton, DE.

Proceeds benefit Student Scholarships!

\$15 registration per vehicle.

Sponsor our Students (\$250). Donors - \$100.

Any & all donations appreciated!

Trophies & Dash Plaques Awarded. Door Prizes & Games all day.

Delicious food by Kirby & Holloway. Music by A.c.e. Entertainment.

Custom limited t-shirts are \$20. Free admission to the public!

Vendors are welcome. \$25 per space. Pre-registration recommended!

Contact Tee Bell, HUB Club Events. Bttbell@comcast.net (302)249.0140

15TH YEAR!



IRON FURNACE FIFTY

Features: Great snacks at 3 rest stops w/ SAG vehicle on call.
Picnic Lunch w/ homemade sides, beer & soft drinks.

Fully Supported 50K - 50 mile - 100K
IronFurnaceFifty.org
Saturday August 23rd, 2025





Sponsored by Furnace Town Historic Site and Rotary Club of Snow Hill

[Click here for more information and to register!](#)



Rotary District #7630 Hero Blood Drive in 2025

Blood is needed daily by patients in our local hospitals. You can help!
Rotary District #7630 is supporting the Blood Bank of Delmarva.



Schedule an appointment to give blood

<https://donate.bbd.org/donor/schedules/zip>

Or call 888-8blood8 (888-825-6638)

After you donate fill out the hero card and select your Rotary Club or email Sherye Nickerson sheryeh@gmail.com

[Digital Hero Card - Blood Bank of Delmarva \(BBd\) \(delmarvablood.org\)](#)



Make a financial contribution

☑ Online giving: <https://give.delmarvablood.org/Rotary7630HeroDrive>

☑ Or mail check to:

- Blood Bank of Delmarva, PO Box 419354, Boston, MA 02241-9354
- In Memo add: **Rotary District #7630**



Volunteer

<https://www.delmarvablood.org/get-involved/volunteer/>

- ☑ Volunteer at a local center or mobile near you giving donors attention, care, and snacks and drinks

Host a Drive

<https://www.delmarvablood.org/host-a-blood-drive/>

ROTARY DISTRICT 7630 DEI MISSION STATEMENT



MISSION STATEMENT

Rotary International is an organization that acknowledges the differences of backgrounds, education, professional expertise, socio-economics and its differences of its members. Rotary serves the community, accepts and values a variety of individuals from an array of different lifestyles. These core values are a priority for Rotary, which encompass Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI). Rotary District 7630 will ascertain that all current and future

Rotarians are aligned with the concepts of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. The Club's leadership and Club members will ensure that training, education and implementation of DEI are strategically planned. Diversity, Equity and Inclusion will be in alignment with Rotary International's standards of practice.
