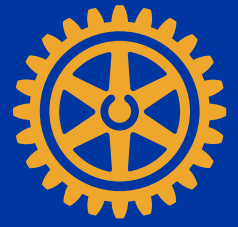




# The See-Way

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## Bishop Robinson Chautauqua Institution



The Rt. Rev. V. Gene Robinson was elected Episcopal Bishop of New Hampshire on June 7, 2003, becoming the first openly gay and partnered priest to be elected Bishop in historic Cristendom. He served as IX Bishop of New Hampshire until his retirement in early 2013. A Senior Fellow at both the Center for American Progress and Auburn Seminary, Bishop Robinson is a celebrated interfaith leader whose ministry has focused on helping congregations and clergy, especially in times of conflict, utilizing his skills in congregational dynamics, conflict resolution and mediation. He is the author of *In the Eye of the Storm: Swept to the Center by God* (Morehouse, 2006) and *God Believes in Love: Straight Talk about Gay Marriage* (Knopf, 2012). In addition to being a popular speaker in the U.S. and abroad, he writes opinion columns on a variety of topics for *The Daily Beast*, *Huffington Post* and *Time.com*.

Also, more info here: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gene\\_Robinson](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gene_Robinson)

### Supporting Cast:

President: *Dennis Lagan*

Greeter: *Marci Honard*

Invocation: *Korin Giles*

Pianist: *Bruce Gingrich*

Song Leader: *TBA*

Sgt at Arms: *James Hynes*

Speaker Intro: *TBA*

### Program Schedule

#### 8:00 am Breakfast Meeting

at the Manufacturer & Business Assoc.

7:30 am buffet opens

8 am meeting

#### JUNE 6:

##### **Bishop Robinson**

Chautauqua Institution  
Breakfast Meeting @ MBA

#### JUNE 13:

##### **NO MEETING**

Rotary Club Picnic  
Rotary Pavilion at PI

#### JUNE 20:

##### **John Persinger**

Erie Downtown  
Development Corp.  
Lunch Meeting @ Sheraton



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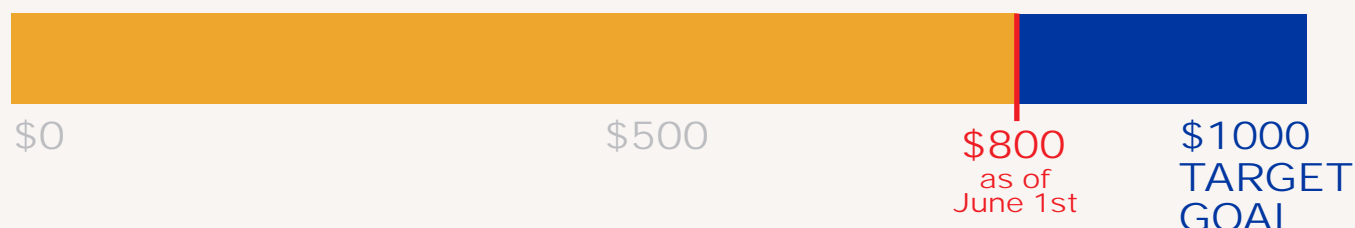
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DISTRICT SITE: [ROTARYDISTRICT7280.ORG](http://ROTARYDISTRICT7280.ORG)



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ROTARY has collected \$800 from members so far.



**LAST DAY FOR DONATIONS - JUNE 9th**

## Rotary Club of Erie—International Service Project 2018

This year's international service project, approved by the board, is to provide sponsorship for the public lecture by Noble Peace Laureate Jody Williams at the 2018 *Peace Jam Ghana*, June 28-July 1.

**Target: Raise \$1000 from donations by club members**

**This will be matched by \$1000 contributed by the Rotary Club of Erie**

**These contributions will be matched (up to \$2000) by Joyce Miller\***



WEST AFRICA CENTRE FOR PEACE FOUNDATION (WACPF)

**LECTURE BY NOBLE PEACE LAUREATE JODY WILLIAMS**

**On**

**Finding the Balance: Security and Human Rights in the Contemporary World**



**1997 Noble Peace Laureate**

The 2018 PEACEJAM Ghana is a two-day, residential Youth Conference event with a public lecture featuring the Nobel Peace Laureate from America, Jody Williams - a peace activist and a driving force in the international campaign against landmines. (<http://www.peacejam.org/nobels/Jody-Williams/>)

The lecture will be attended by Rotarians, Rotaracts, government officials, security service personnel, academia, teachers and head teachers, religious groups, chiefs, civil society operatives, the media and other stakeholders, including the general public. The lecture will be on the topic "Finding the Balance: Security and Human Rights in the Contemporary World."

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Gary Flick ([agflick1@neo.rr.com](mailto:agflick1@neo.rr.com)) to submit your donation. You can make your check out to the **Scholarship Foundation of the Rotary Club of Erie** (for a tax deductible donation).

\* Joyce Miller, a Rotary Peace Fellow in 2012, attended the PEACE JAM GHANA conference in 2017, and saw, firsthand, the power of these conferences for youth in Ghana with respect to their acquiring leadership, as well as peace and conflict resolution skills. The WACPF, which runs these conferences, was founded by Wisdom Addo, a Rotary Peace Fellow who served in the same cohort with Joyce at the Rotary Peace Center in Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand. Wisdom has visited Erie over the past and made presentations to our Rotary club regarding his peace work in Ghana.





# Back-2-School Supply Drive BBQ

Donate new & used school supplies  
to benefit inner city kids

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Saturday JULY 14th 11am-2pm  
4528 Zuck Rd | Erie, Pennsylvania 16506

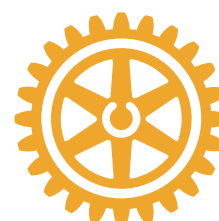
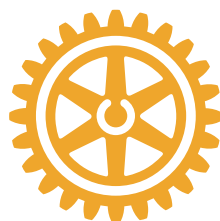
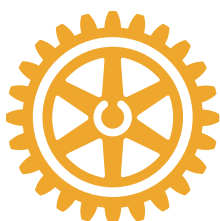
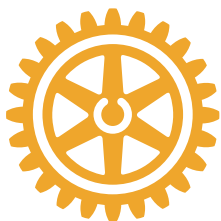


## Haiti Mission Benefit

Donations can be made to  
Karen Burton Horstman  
any time until the team leaves on  
**July 10th**

Checks can be made out to  
*Villa Maria Mission Club.*

Questions? contact Karen:  
[kbh@burtonfuneralhome.com](mailto:kbh@burtonfuneralhome.com)



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY to you!

We want to send lots of birthday wishes to

**Robert Nelson on June 2nd**

**Tony Snow on June 6th**



# SAVE THE DATE

Join us this year for the annual

## Rotary Picnic

*with Family and Friends*

**Wednesday, June 13, 2018**

Rotary Pavilion at Presque Isle State Park

5:00pm —8:00pm



Food, Raffle, Chinese Auction, Kids Games, and FUN!!

Support the Chinese auction by bringing a basket to raffle or a new item, gift card, or sports/event tickets. Proceeds will benefit Rotary scholarships.

**RSVP  
TODAY!**

**SIGN UP AT A ROTARY MEETING**

or e-mail Nicole Reitzell at [NReitzell@eriezoo.org](mailto:NReitzell@eriezoo.org)

or Jaimee Black at [blackjl@upmc.edu](mailto:blackjl@upmc.edu).

*Please provide number attending.*

## - CHINESE AUCTION INFO -

**Please bring any donations (such as bottle of wine, basket of flowers, gift cards, etc.) with you to the picnic for the auction. Tickets are 1 for \$1 | 10 for \$5 | 25 for \$10.**

Proceeds benefit Rotary Scholarships. Tickets will be on sale at a future meeting for those of you who cannot attend the picnic, but want to contribute. Tickets will be on sale at the picnic from 5-6:45 pm. **Brady Louis will assist with the drawing promptly at 7:00 pm.**

*Contact Stephanie Williams with any auction questions:*

*[wlfive74@gmail.com](mailto:wlfive74@gmail.com) -or- 923-6145*

# - JUNE BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES -

<b>Name</b>	<b>Date</b>
Nelson, Robert	Jun 02
Snow M.D., Tony	Jun 06
Walczak, Chuck	Jun 10
Lillis, William L	Jun 16
Mead, John J.	Jun 17
Wienecke, Fred	Jun 17
Liebel, Rick	Jun 26



<b>Name</b>	<b>Years</b>	<b>Date</b>
McBrier, James P.	26 years 0 months	Jun 01 1992
Mechley-Porter, Penny	3 years 0 months	Jun 03 2015
McEldowney, James	8 years 0 months	Jun 09 2010
Oliver, John	14 years 0 months	Jun 09 2004
Peters, Bob	3 years 0 months	Jun 10 2015
Bennett, Brenda	4 years 0 months	Jun 11 2014
Desrochers, Dan	4 years 0 months	Jun 11 2014
Philabaum, Tamara	2 years 0 months	Jun 15 2016
Poor, David R	22 years 0 months	Jun 19 1996
Zymm, Norm	14 years 0 months	Jun 23 2004

