

THE TRIANGLE



The Rotary Club of The Historic Triangle

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Andy Robinson *
Bob Tassone *
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Nolan Yelich *(Honorary)

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The Rotary Four-Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

2022-2023 Club Officers

President: Dave Kleppinger
Past President: Mitchell Harry
President Elect: Liz Daley
VP/Sgt.at Arms: Nick Fairbanks
Secretary: Andre Cherebin
Treasurer: Mitchell Harry
Newsletter Editor:Andre Cherebin

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Weekly meetings, Wednesdays, 12:00 noon - Colonial Heritage Clubhouse,
6500 Arthur Hills Drive, Williamsburg, VA 23188

Rotary Club Calendar: February-Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

Feb.1- Guest Speaker – Chris Smith-Virginia Beer Company
Feb.4- Grant Management Seminar-Virtual-9AM- 11AM
Feb.8-Guest Speaker-Ryan McIntire-Junior Achievement of Greater Hampton Rds.Inc
Feb.15-Valentines/Bestow Honorary Membership on Tony Jones
Feb.16- Salvation Army-Food Pantry 1 PM – 4PM
Feb.17-Salvation Army Seniors Party 11AM-1PM.Valentines Theme. Wear Red.
Feb.17 to19-Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA)
Feb.21-Board Meeting
Feb.22.Club Assembly/ Presentation by Scott Biondi

Our Guest Speaker on Feb.8 was Ryan McIntire of Junior Achievement of Greater Hampton Rds.Inc. He was accompanied by Lauren Ciampoli.



Junior Achievement has over 100 local JA Areas across the nation, and together they are the nation's largest organization dedicated to giving young people the knowledge and skills they need to own their economic success, plan for their futures, and make smart academic and economic choices. JA's programs—in the core content areas of work readiness, entrepreneurship and financial literacy—ignite the spark in young people to experience and realize the opportunities and realities of work and life in the 21st century.



Dave presents plaque to Ryan



Patti won again!!!



Welcome back Nick



Clay and Jeff lost Down Under????

ORGANIZATIONS SUPPORTED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF THE HISTORIC TRIANGLE

*Elf's Corner
*The Arc of Williamsburg
*Williamsburg Youth Baseball League
*Friends of the Williamsburg Regional Library
*The Salvation Army
*Dream Catchers
*Angels of Mercy
*FISH

Club Directors

Foundation: Clay McEldowney
Membership: BobTassone
Public Image: Jeff Marston
Service Projects: Mike Jallo
Administration: Swanson Grizzard



HAPPY VALENTINE'S

Welcome to all our Valentine spouses and significant others.



JACK'S ROTARY MOMENT

Its almost time again for the **DISTRICT 7600 AWARDS**

There are 11 different categories of awards, , and we've received several of them in the past. Club Directors should start reviewing the criteria and putting the documentation together to present to the district. Submission deadline is end of April.

ROTARY NEWS

Rotary Responds to devastating earthquake in Turkey and Syria

Turkey and Syria were struck by a devastating earthquake on 6 February that has killed tens of thousands of people, destroyed thousands of homes and other structures, and left people across the region without shelter in bitterly cold winter weather.

The Rotary world responded to this catastrophe immediately. RI President Jennifer Jones activated our disaster response efforts, communicated with the affected districts, and encouraged governors in those regions to apply for disaster response grants and share information about their relief efforts so that Rotary can amplify the calls for support.

Rotary's project partner ShelterBox has an emergency response team assessing the needs in the region and how it can respond. That team is communicating with Rotary district leaders. Our service partner Habitat for Humanity International is also working on its response.

Rotary Foundation approves targeted funds for Pakistan and Ukraine

In response to the worsening humanitarian crises in Ukraine and Pakistan, the trustees of The Rotary Foundation voted in January to create two new, targeted funds that will continue offering lifesaving aid to those affected.

The Ukraine Response Fund and the 2022 Pakistan Flood Response Fund will be separate from the general **Disaster Response Fund**, which had previously been supporting relief efforts for both crises.

BIRTHDAYS THIS MONTH

Feb.1-Efren Olivio; Feb.8- Tom Bozek; Feb.25-Swanson Grizzard

ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

Feb.7-Tom Bozek; Feb.24-Liz Daley

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

- Feb.14- 270 AD- Valentine's Day tradition began
- Feb.13 1689-King **William** and Queen **Mary** were crowned
- Feb.13 1542- Catherine Howard was beheaded; she was the 5th wife of Henry VIII

HUMOUR CORNER

A man left the city to go skydiving out in the countryside. Late Sunday evening, he was found in a tree by a farmer. "What happened" asked the farmer; the man replied that his parachute failed to open. "Well" said the farmer "if you had asked the locals before you jumped, they would have told you nothing opens here on a Sunday."