UPCOMING EVENTS

January 16 The Environment Workshop

January 23 Virtual Pre-PETS 2021

February 23 Rotary's Anniversary

April 23 and 24 **Rotary District Conference Graduate Annapolis Hotel in** downtown Annapolis. Two days of action packed events, breakout sessions and hands-on projects.

June 6-10, 2021 **Rotary International Convention** Taipei, Taiwan

[Below] Photos courtesy of Donald E. Roland. Annapolis Rotary Breakfast Group friends support the Salvation Army fundraiser: Elaine Shanley, Trish Farrell, and Barb Eilertsen. Rotarian Fred Fishback and his golden retriever visit Trish Farrell and Elaine Shanley at the Salvation Army Red Kettle at the foot of Main Street.

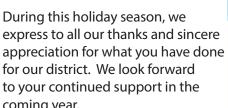
DISTRICT CLUBS SUPPORT PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH AN RI YOUTH EXCHANGE **STANDING COMMITTEE**

By Andrew Baum, PDG 2001-2002 and Council on Legislation Representative 2020-2023, and Jimmie Gorski, District Governor

We are pleased to report that the majority of the clubs in our district have cast votes in favor of an enactment to the RI Bylaws creating a Standing Committee on Youth Exchange. Our clubs and club presidents have demonstrated leadership and teamwork and have shown support of our youth and youth programs.

express to all our thanks and sincere appreciation for what you have done for our district. We look forward to your continued support in the coming year.

Wishing you Happy Holidays and a Jovous New Year.

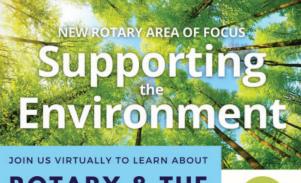


ANNAPOLIS ROTARY RINGS

SALVATION ARMY BELL

By Anne Myers, Annapolis Rotary Public Relations

Rotarians are "ringing the bells," the sound of the season, to support the Salvation Army's traditional holiday fundraiser. Rotarians Jim Dolezal and Carole Brown have managed the Rotary's Red Kettle site at the foot of Main Street downtown for the last 10 years. They have engaged



ROTARY & THE ENVIRONMENT

SAT. JANUARY 16, 2021 8:30AM - 11:30AM



District 7620

REGISTER AT ROTARY7620.ORG

A new era unfolds at Rotary International. Rotary now engages in all issues relevant to humanity with its recent addition of the environment as an area of focus. Join this workshop to learn more about biodiversity loss, clean energy, human pollution, hunger, poverty, emissions and other important topics. Rotary 1

> numerous Rotarians, friends, local companies, and community organizations to join in bell ringing at the festive corner of Main Street daily from the Friday after Thanksgiving to Christmas Eve, except on Sundays. For safety this year, all volunteers will be wearing PPE and maintaining appropriate distancing.

> Donations made to the Salvation Army provide food, shelter, utility and rent assistance, and other services to our neighbors in need. Because of the pandemic, requests to the Salvation Army for help have increased significantly this year, yet donations are down - including those made to the kettle - as people are not out and about as they normally would be. To make up for the expected shortfall in vital contributions, on-line kettle donations can be made to the Salvation Army on our Rotary Club's website at: www.annapolisrotary.org/kettle.

