

Birthdays

- Carl Burkybile
April 12th
- Mark Thies
April 12th
- Bethany Whoric
April 12th
- Nancy E. Martin
April 13th
- David Gary Bernthal
April 18th
- Joseph L. Thomas
April 20th
- Lauren Gramly
April 20th
- Chris Chambers
April 21st
- Joanna Delaporte
April 23rd
- Robert T Parkhill
April 26th
- Tom Whooley
April 28th
- Loni Trimble
May 3rd
- John Kelley
May 4th
- Dustin Heuerman
May 11th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Events

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[Centennial High School Interact](#)
- April 26th
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April 12, 2021: Centennial HS Interact

President **Kasumi Guo** and members of Centennial High School's Interact Club will share how they continued their tradition of service virtually this year. **Carol Timms** will update us on Garden Hills' EarlyAct Club, and **Joe Thomas** will introduce Judah Christian High School's Students of Fourth Quarter. Interact will be introduced by Champaign Rotary Liaison to Interact, **Rebecca Ries**.

NOTE: This meeting is expected to take place in-person at the Holiday Inn-Champaign while also being provided via Zoom online as well.



Centennial Interactors

Recognitions from the District Governor

Sunday, April 11, 2021

District Governor **Mike Step** recognized several Champaign Rotarians during his visit:

- **Bill Malone** attained the [Paul Harris Fellowship +5](#) milestone in giving. Paul Harris Fellows have made cumulative donations of at least \$1000 to the [Rotary Foundation](#), with an additional \$1000 for each "plus" level. Fellowship may also be achieved through a combination of giving and matching points, and Rotarians may designate their points to be awarded to another individual such as a fellow Rotarian, family member, or friend.
- Bill was also granted a District Governor Award, for going above and beyond to

ensure the success of his club and district. He received a certificate and a custom artisan-made pencil holder. Every awardee is given a unique design!

- **Jan Bahr** became a [Major Donor](#), Level 1, signifying that she has contributed at least \$10,000 to the Rotary Foundation.
- **Marlys Scarbrough** joined the Bequest Society, signifying that she has committed to future gifts of \$10,000 or more to The Rotary Foundation.

Congratulations Rotarians, and thank you for your generosity to our club, district, and Rotary International!

Meet Our New Member

Sunday, April 11, 2021



Pam Karlstrom has lived in Champaign-Urbana since the seventh grade. She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education from Southern Illinois University and taught in Blue Ridge School District for thirty-six years, where she designed and implemented an after school tutoring program. She currently does seasonal tax work for Overstreet and Company and volunteers weekly at Grace Lutheran Church's food pantry. Pam is a widow with two grown children: Krista and Kai and two grandchildren: Kaitlyn and Garrett. She enjoys golfing, running, reading, and doing organic gardening. Pam joined Champaign Rotary in March 2021 so she could continue to make a difference in our community by helping others and serving where needed.

Members in the News

Bethany Whoric was featured in the [News-Gazette's](#) masked Illini on April 8.

Honorary member **David Bernthal** penned another installment of his [Off the Bench column](#) in the News-Gazette.

Jeff Troxell was named the [Executive Vice President](#) of Commerce Bank in Champaign-Urbana.

April Cup: Feeding Our Kids

By Scott Dahman on Sunday, April 11, 2021



[Feeding Our Kids](#) provides nourishing food to food-insecure school children in Champaign County on weekends and school holidays throughout the school year. Feeding Our Kids defines food insecurity as the absence of access to food, which, for a kid, can include the lack of a full pantry as well as being unable to prepare/open the food themselves. Food bags they provide are shelf-stable and include food that requires little preparation to eat and is attractive and nutritious for kids.

In-Person Meetings Return



In-person meetings return!

We are starting in-person lunch meetings at the Holiday Inn (101 Trade Center Drive, Champaign). **We will continue to Zoom our meetings for those who are unable or not ready to attend in person.**

Advance registration for in-person meetings for Rotarians and their guests will be required so that we do not exceed the allowed 50-person capacity and so that the Holiday Inn can prepare our food order.

Register for a Monday lunch meeting from Monday noon to Thursday midnight the week before the meeting by going to champaignrotary.org and selecting the Click here to Pay for Lunch  link. Lunches are \$15 per person and include a \$1 Charity Cup donation. Paying for lunch constitutes registration.

Members who are not able to pay online can register by leaving a message with Marlys Scarbrough (scarbrou@illinois.edu or 217-778-5203) by the Thursday midnight deadline and paying at the door on the day of the meeting. The no lunch  option is not available at this time. *Registration for the April 5th meeting goes from noon March 29th to midnight April 1st. *Registration for the April 12th meeting goes from noon April 5th to midnight April 8th, etc.

The self-service buffet lunch on Mondays will be available from 11:45am to 12:15pm. Tables of 10 will be set up in the meeting room. Attendees should wear facemasks unless they are eating drinking or presenting. Hand sanitizer and vinyl gloves will be available.

For additional details see the email sent out our March 24, 2021.

March FUNdraising Update

March FUNdraising for World Water Day



Q: What do a basketball game and a leaky faucet have in common?

A: they both involve dribbling.

The Social Committee notes that this is the last week for our March FUNdraising Calendar in support of Rotary s World Water Day on March 22nd. Use the calendar below as a guide to donating funds for a water project that supports survival gardening in Zimbabwe.

On or after April 8th:

- Tally the amount in your donation bowl,
- report the amount in your donation bowl to gina.scarpetta@gmail.com, rcory@dmbgc.org, or scarbrou@illinois.edu,
- make a HAPPY BUCKS donation on our website equal to or greater than the amount in your donation bowl. We are hoping to raise at least \$1576 in Happy Bucks throughout the month of April for the water project.

Those who participate will be entered into a drawing for a prize.

Champaign Rotary 2021 March FUNdraising Madness

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Your source for calendars

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	MARCH 8	9	10	11	12	13
Get a donation jar, bowl, or other container ready.	Put 50 cents in your donation pot for each year you have been a Rotarian.	Put 50 cents in the pot for each Club Committee that you serve on.	Put 50 cents in the pot if you know or can find your Rotary member number.	Put 50 cents in the pot if you have ever done the Reflection at a club meeting.	Put 25 cents in the pot for each Rotary pin that you own.	Put 50 cents in the pot if you have Liked our club's Facebook page.
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
NCAA Selection Sunday Pay \$1 if the Illini are in the field of 64 teams competing.	Pay 50 cents if you have attended a club Corn Roast.	Pay \$1 if you can sing the Rotary song "Smile".	Pay \$1 if you rang bells for the Salvation Army on December 12 th .	Start keeping track of each NCAA Tournament game you watch March 18-April 5.	Have you visited Rotary International headquarters in Evanston? If yes, pay \$1.	The first Action Auction was in 1977 & is held every 3 years. Pay 50 cents for each Action Auction you have attended.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Have you ever attended a Rotary International Convention? If so, pay \$1.	Rotary World Water Day Pay 50 cents for each sink in your home.	Pay 50 cents for each tub or shower in your home.	Pay 50 cents for each toilet in your home.	Pay 50 cents if you do NOT own any Rotary clothing.	Can you recite the Rotary 4-Way Test by heart? Pay \$1 if yes. Pay \$2 if no.	NCAA Sweet 16 Games Start Pay \$2 if the Illini are in this group.
28	29	30	31	APRIL 1	2	3
Pay 50 cents if you attended the Coach Bielema meeting on Feb. 22 nd or watched the video on the club website.	NCAA Elite 8 Games Start Pay \$2 if the Illini are in this group.	Take \$1 <u>OUT</u> of the pot if you are signed up for automatic Rotary Direct donations.	Put \$1 in the pot if you are a Paul Harris Fellow.	If you have ever played an April Fool's joke, pay \$1.	Put 50 cents in the pot for each COVID vaccine you have received.	NCAA Final Four Games Pay \$2 if the Illini are in this group.
4	5	6	7	8	9	
EASTER SUNDAY FREE DAY	NCAA Championship Game Pay \$2 if the Illini are in this group.	Pay 50 cents for each NCAA Tournament game you watched March 18-April 5.	Did you like this fundraiser? If yes, pay 0. If no, pay \$2.	Report the total in Your pot to the Social Committee To be entered into a drawing for a prize.	Donate the amount in your pot to HAPPY BUCKS for a Rotary Water Project. (Extra donations welcome.)	Thank you for your support of Champaign Rotary!

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Duty Roster

	April 12, 2021	April 19, 2021
Greeters	Pam Karlstrom Dana Schaumburg	Jared White Haley Wright
Introducer	Scott Burge	Scott Burge
Invocator	Jan Bahr	Robert Freeman
Cashiers	Chet Alwes Holly Thompson	Chet Alwes Holly Thompson