



Birthdays

Edward
Delaporte V
August 27th
Marlys J.
Scarborough
September 2nd
Alan Wilcox
Haussermann
September 4th
John W. Wright
September 7th
W. Todd Salen
September 8th
Haley Wright
September 9th
Peter T Tomaras
September 10th
Michael
DeLorenzo
September 11th
Stephen D.
Hamburg
September 11th
Scott Dahman
September 13th
Carol Timms
September 15th
Francis J. Jahn
September 19th

Wedding Anniversaries

Anh D. To
August 30th
Danielle
Matthews
September 2nd
Kenneth A. Buel
PDG
September 7th
Edward
Delaporte V
September 8th
Joanna
Delaporte
September 8th
Randall L
Summit
September 24th

Events

August 29th
[Golf Outing and Corn Roast](#)

The FIZZ - August 29, 2022

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August 29: Golf Outing and Corn Roast (no regular meeting)

The annual Champaign Rotary Corn Roast will take place immediately following the Tom Costello Memorial Rotary Cup Golf Challenge on Monday August 29. Enjoy all you can eat roasted corn from Maddox Sweet Corn Farm in Warrensburg, IL. The menu will also feature Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Bratwursts, Veggie Burgers, Sides, Beer, Wine and Soda. Kids activities and lawn games will be provided. **Use the Corn Roast Ticket [payment link](#) on the [Champaign Rotary website](#) to purchase tickets via credit card prior to the event (<https://www.champaignrotary.org>). Tickets are also available for purchase at the event: only cash payment will be accepted at the event check-in table. Bring all your family and friends and enjoy one last summer cookout at Rotary Hill Shelter in Lake of the Woods!**

**DICK BURWASH MEMORIAL
CORN ROAST**

MONDAY, AUGUST 29TH
ROTARY HILL PAVILION, LAKE OF THE WOODS
5:00-7:00 PM

\$15/person
Kids 12 and under FREE

Rotary  **TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED**
at champaignrotary.org or at the event

ROASTED CORN, HAMBURGERS, HOT DOGS, BRATS, VEGGIE BURGERS, SIDES, BEER, WINE, & SODA

Check Presentation: DREAAM

Sheryl Palmer presented a check to [Driven to Reach Excellence & Academic Achievement for Males \(DREAAM\)](#), accepted by CEO **Tracy Dace** and Director of Donor Relations **Jacqueline Jasek**. The funds will be used to support their "[Hope for the Future](#)" proactive community violence prevention initiative.



Tracy Dace, Sheryl Palmer, and Jacqueline Jasek

Rotary Club of Champaign Foundation Members

Jared White reported that the terms of directors **Tracy Wahlfeldt**, **Scott Burge**, and **Anthony Corapi** were concluding. Nominated to replace them were **Dana Schaumburg**, **Stephanie Seay**, and **Zach Wetherell**. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to accept the new directors.

Paul Harris Fellows

Janet Ellis-Nelson graciously donated some of her multitude of Paul Harris points to help those who had provided special service in the planning and execution of the 2022 Action Auction.

- **Sam Banks** (Paul Harris Fellow +3) and **Dean Cavey** (PHF +4) for securing sponsorships;
- **Abbie Osterbur** (PHF +2) and **Eric Meyer** (PHF +6) for meal and facility coordination;
- **Joan Dixon** (PHF +3) and **Renee Cory** (new PHF!) for table assignments, registration, and graphics;
- **Rebecca Ries** (PHF +3) for social media, graphics, and sponsor "thank you's";
- **Renee Osterbur** (PHF +1) for accounting and payment processing; and
- **Marlys Scarbrough** for arranging fine wine and other big donations. Marlys is already a *Major Donor* (aka "Grand Poobah" of PHFs), so Janet donated \$100 in her honor!



Janet Ellis-Nelson with her proud Paul Harris Points recipients!

Meet Our New Member

Thursday, August 25, 2022

Greg Koerner grew up in Chenoa, Illinois. He earned an Associate Degree from Parkland College and a Bachelor of Science from Eastern Illinois University. He holds Master's degrees in Education from Olivet Nazarene College and Physical Education and Educational Administration from EIU. He served as a P.E./Recreation teacher at Cunningham Children's Home for fifteen



years, as the Principal at READY Alternative Program for twenty years and is currently serving as the Principal of Holy Cross School in Champaign. He received the Quarter Century Award from the Illinois Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance and was named an Outstanding Football Official in the Ohio Valley Conference in 2017. Greg volunteers with Little League and with Holy Cross' fish fries. He enjoys golfing and movies. Greg and his wife, Cathy, live in Mahomet and have four children: Justin, Jordyn, Jarred, and Joshua, and one grandson: Callen. His membership in Champaign Rotary was sponsored by **John Calderon**.

New Member Badges

President John presented club badges to new members **Sam Limentato**, a Champaign County Circuit Judge, **Greg Koerner**, Principal at Holy Cross School (and profiled above), and **Lily Walton**, Executive Director of the Housing Authority of Champaign County. Welcome Sam, Greg, and Lily!



Sam Limentato, Greg Koerner, and Lily Walton

Service Opportunity - September 2022

By Scott Burge on Thursday, August 25, 2022



SEPTEMBER EVENT

- What:** Habitat for Humanity of Champaign County is moving ReStore from University Avenue to a new location on Glenn Park Drive. They are looking for volunteers to help paint the new location.
Thursday, September 8 from 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Friday, September 9 from 4:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturday, September 10 from 8:30 - 11:30 and/or 12:00 - 3:00 pm
- Where:** The new ReStore location:
1914 Glenn Park Drive
Champaign, IL 61821
- Sign up:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508084AA8A82BA5F94-restore>

Service Opportunities - September & October 2022

By Scott Burge on Thursday, August 11, 2022



SEPTEMBER EVENTS

- What:** Habitat for Humanity "Raise the Woof!"
A pet shelter building event benefiting Habitat for Humanity

home builds in Champaign County.
When: Saturday, September 17, 9am-3pm
Where: The Habitat warehouse, 302 N Broadway Ave, Urbana
Sign Up: <https://cuhabitat.org/events/raise-the-woof-2022/> or contact Lauren Gramly
What: Developmental Services Center 9th C-U Oktoberfest
Proceeds from the event benefit DSC to help further our mission,
"DSC supports people in living a rich and meaningful life."
When: Saturday, September 24
Where: Downtown Champaign
Sign Up: <https://givepul.se/x2aefm>

OCTOBER EVENT

What: Mattis Avenue Cleanup
When: Saturday, October 1 at 8:00
Where: Meet at Christie Clinic on Windsor
Signup: Contact sburge@f-w.com, or signup at one of our meetings.

Rotary 6490 District Conference: September 16-17

By Scott Burge on Thursday, August 11, 2022



The District Conference to be held on September 16-17 at the Holiday Inn, 101 Trade Center Drive, Champaign.

It will be an inspirational, informative, and fun conference with keynote speakers, interactive breakout sessions, House of Friendship, and a silent basket auction (all proceeds going to PolioPlus). This will be a great opportunity to reconnect and meet others in person as we *Imagine Rotary, Blazing Trails!*

We hope to see you for the entire 1½ day conference, but flexible options are also available. Lunch and/or dinner registrations are available and a 1-day option for Saturday.

[Register NOW](#) for **Rotary District 6490 Annual Conference**

August Cup: Randolph Street Community Garden

August Cup donations support the [Randolph Street Community Garden](#), a volunteer-run project committed to providing an opportunity for the residents of the North-end of Champaign to grow their own fresh organic produce. The organization believes that community gardening makes the neighborhood more cohesive and improves the quality of life. In addition to the intrinsic experience of harvesting the fruits of one's labor, community gardening is an inexpensive source of fresh fruits and vegetables! (Source: [Randolph Street Community Garden](#))

Make a donation [here](#).



In-Person Lunch Reservations

If you plan to attend a Rotary meeting in person, please keep in mind **ALL** reservations must be made by **11:59 p.m.** on



Wednesdays as Holiday Inn now requires our order on Thursdays.

You can register through Square at:
<https://checkout.square.site/buy/N5BEIKXMYFLHSIVAYXBO6OFV>.

The fee for lunch is \$15.00.

Duty Roster

August 29, 2022

September 5, 2022

Greeters

Corn Roast

Labor Day
No Meeting

**Reflection
Introducer
Zoom Greeter
Room Setup
Virtual Meeting
Coordinators**