

Club of Rich-Mar (Valencia)



Club Meeting

Rich-Mar (Valencia) Meets at Treesdale Country Club One Arnold Palmer Drive Gibsonia, PA 15044 Time: Wednesday at 12:15 PM

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July 17th Rich-Mar (Valencia) Weekly Club Meeting July 24th Rich-Mar (Valencia) Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Brian Perry & Gary Peaco Subject: Adams Twp Initiatives July 31st No Meeting August 7th Rich-Mar (Valencia) **Board Meeting** August 7th <u>Rich-Mar (Valencia)</u> Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Megan Miller Shane Subject: Supporting Parenhood

Birthdays

James Kirchner July 15th Nick Guido July 24th

July 17th: RYLA and Scholarship Awardees



Do you want to be inspired by some terrific local students? Then be sure to attend our noon, July 17 meeting at Treesdale. You will meet and hear from nine outstanding students from Mars and Pine-Richland High Schools. Three have recently attended our District RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) Conference and will tell us about their experiences. Six are our scholarship winners and will tell us about their college plans. All of them will inspire you with their service activities and and their dreams for the future. In addition, we expect twelve of their parents to attend, so please introduce yourself to them. Could there be some future Rotarians among our guests? Come early to mingle, enjoy lunch, and take part in the discussion. You will leave feeling good about our future leaders.



President's Message for July 14th

At the installation dinner, I spoke to the ONE MORE principle - for each member to attend one more meeting than last year, invite one more person to join, make one more Foundation donation and attend one more service event. I urge you to apply your energy to making the Club sustainable and useful to our community. In the meantime, we want to follow in Rotary's theme of making this Club irresistible! You're going to start seeing some changes to how we run our luncheon meetings and events that demonstrate even more fellowship, fun, and information exchange. The board and I will make the Club a place you will be irresistibly happy to apply the ONE MORE principle.

Next Week: I will talk about goals we set for the 24-25 Rotary Year.



Robert Louis Sigmund July 28th

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President



Rich-Mar Rotarians: Opportunities to be People of Action

Rich Mar Rotary invites its members to participate in the following events for August.



Event #1 - 30th Annual Richland Community Day! Saturday, August 10, 2024

Join us at Richland Community Park for their biggest event of the year! The event will begin at 4pm and will end with Zambelli Fireworks. Rich Mar Rotary is looking for volunteer support to help run the Rotary booth and to park cars. Please contact Jim Long at sqtjim@comcast.net for volunteer information and times.



Event #2 - Inspired Hearts and Hands (IH2) 4th Annual Summerfest Friday, August 9, 2024

IH2's Empowered Scholar Program (ESP) focuses on providing children in poverty with nourishment, resources, and opportunities that promote rich, active learning and positive child development while setting a trajectory for continued growth and achievement. Each year, IH2 hosts both an in-person resource day as well as resource deliveries to school districts and subsidized communities throughout Butler, Beaver, Allegheny, and Armstrong Counties. The in-person event will take place at Broadstreet Elementary School on Friday, August 9 where more than 800 attendees are expected! SummerFest is an opportunity for students and their families to get excited about and prepared for the coming school year! They will have food, games, and activities, and a back-to-school shopping experience. Rich Mar Rotary is looking to join our satellite club in helping Inspired Hearts and Hands for the Summerfest.

In addition to volunteer needs at Summerfest on August 9th in Butler, additional volunteer help is needed at the Cranberry facility that Rich Mar visited last year to prep the clothing, backpacks and other materials, and load the trucks. Opportunities to volunteer include loading the truck on August 5th and 6th at noon, a 6pm truck load on the 7th, 9am and 1130 AM truck loads on the 8th and perhaps a few more spots on the 9th.

If interested in volunteering, please contact Harry Austin at haustin3@outlook.com or Dave Hein at dlhein94@gmail.com so that they can register you within the volunteer portal. Can't help on site? Consider a donation at https://e.givesmart.com/events/DgF/



Rotarians Support the Harvest Street Mission

Harvest Street Mission has for many years served a full-scale lunch to over 100 people every Sunday on Pittsburgh's North Side. They also have a wealth of clothing donations available to people who are served. The organizers are wonderful people who truly care and minister to those in need. Each week a volunteer organization (many of which come from north of the city teams with the organizers to feed many hungry and grateful people. Our Rich-Mar Rotary Satellite Club has been one of those regular partners. Pictures from their most recent visit on June 30 are shown below. 'Service above self' for sure.













Rich-Mar Satellite Club

The Satellite Club of Rich-Mar Rotary invites everyone to attend one of their meetings on the second Tuesday of the month, at 6:30pm at Willees Tavern in Valencia. and/or to help out at one of their service projects or fundraising events. Volunteers are always needed to help. September, 2024

Lighthouse cleaning. Teri and Jerry to get specific date.

October 5, 2024

Mars Applefest!

November 1, 2024

Shine for Shelter Box Gala event

Cindy

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District 7280 Keystone Rotary International Eclub

Keystone Rotary International E-Club



Are You unable to make the Rich-Mar Meeting? Are you interested in connecting with other Rotarians from around the world? Do you want to find out more about what Rotary is doing in other locales?

Join the District 7280 Keystone Rotary International Eclub on Thursdays at 2 pm.

Click below to join via Zoom. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89457260709 Meeting ID: 894 5726 0709 Passcode: 7280

Other Items of Interest

Please keep Mary Lord in your prayers. Mary's address is 117 7th Avenue, Valencia, PA 16059.

"Happy Dollar" items? Health concerns or hospitalizations? Other Announcements? Please email any items to Gary Weston <u>glweston65@gmail.com</u>

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?

