

Rotary



Club of Rich-Mar (Valencia)



CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

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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RICH-MAR PRESENTS PROTECTIVE VEST FOR NEW K-9 on August 9th



RICH-MAR PRESENTS PROTECTIVE VEST FOR NEW K-9

Please join us on Wednesday August 9 at 530 at the Finley Pavilion in Pine Community Park (across Pearce Mill Road from the police station) as with great pleasure we present K9 Theo of the Northern Regional Police Department with a bullet and stab protective vest through Rich Mar Rotary's generous donation. ***Wear your Rotary shirt/gear for the event!*** Food and refreshments will be served (attending Rotary members will be asked for a \$10 food donation if they are staying to eat).

After the presentation and social is complete, we will conduct a brief Club Assembly for August.

Northern Regional Police

Speaker: Chief Sicilia
Subject: RichMar Club is donating a bulletproof dog vest and dog food for the new K9 in the police force. Join us for the presentation.

August 16th

PARC Picnic

Speaker: PARC Picnic
Subject: Come to our annual picnic where we enjoy the company of special needs children by serving them dinner and playing BINGO.

August 23rd

Rich-Mar (Valencia)

Weekly Club

Meeting -

Empowerment Program

Speaker: Mac Purvis and the BC3 Education Team

Subject: Hear about the empowerment program RichMar is planning for members/guests.

August 30th

Work at the Light of Life Food Pantry

August 30th

No Meeting

Birthdays

Tom O McMeekin

August 24th

Billy Straub

September 8th

Ladislaus J. Hudac

September 15th

Roger Barna

September 16th

John D Chips

September 18th

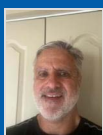
Joseph M. Mancuso Jr.

September 19th

Club Officers



Thomas Kvederis
President



David Hein
President-Elect



Mac E. Purvis Jr.
Secretary



Gary Weston
Treasurer



Purple Sneakers for The Rotary Foundation



Jim Long
Rotary
Foundation
Chair



Joe Schmitt
Membership
Chair



Brandon
Barg
Community
Service
Chair



Roger Barna
Club
Programs
Chair



Seth David
Prentice
Club Service
Chair



Robert Louis
Sigmund
International
Service
Chair



Charles
Matthew
Schellhaas
Youth
Services
Chair



Mary E.
Lord
iPast
President



Linda M.
Clautti
Assistant
Governor



Joe Schmitt and Mary Lord show off their purple sneakers
in honor of their Foundation contributions.

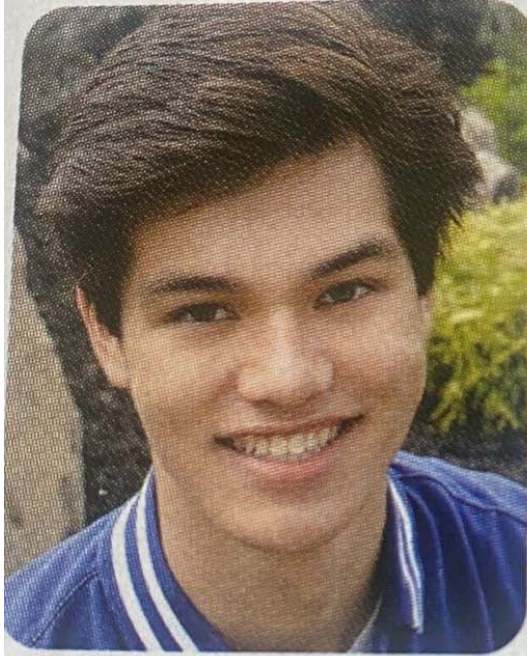
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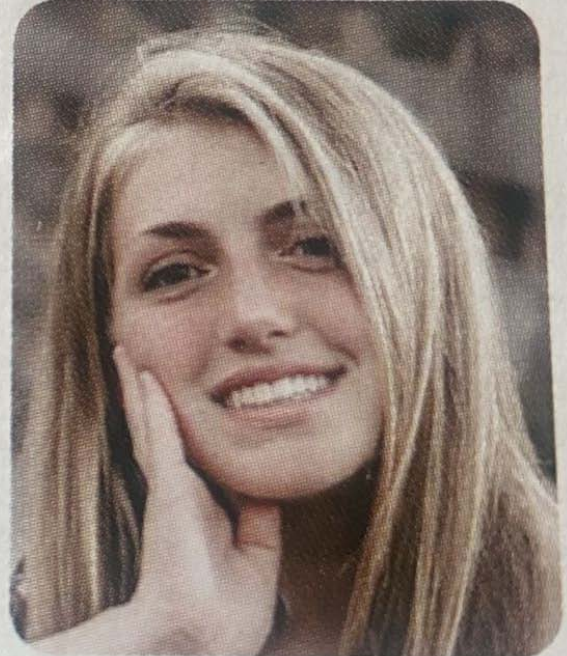
Foundation Chair Jim Long (left) Presents Brandon Barg (center) A Paul Harris Award as President Tom Kvederis Looks On

Rich-Mar Scholarship Winners Named

Mars Area High School graduate **John Sutton** was named valedictorian of the Class of 2023, and **Madeline Wolf** was named salutatorian of the Class of 2023.



John Sutton



Madeline Wolf

Congratulations to two of our 2023 Rotary Scholarship winners for their classroom excellence.

Light of Life Food Pantry Help

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Our 'September' service event will actually occur on August 30. We will travel to the Light of Life Food Pantry on N. Charles Street (North Side) on August 30. This is light duty work (preparing the pantry for its opening that day, helping clients get their food and to their cars). It is very meaningful for the 100+ families we will serve and the few Rotarians that have done this in the past will tell you it is very fulfilling. Reach out to Brandon Barg if you can join us.

We have committed to multiple people attending.



Rotary Pig Roast - September 17th

[Register Here](#)

TIRED OF ROTARY CHICKEN?



**DISTRICT GOVERNOR JOHN MARSHALL,
CRANBERRY NOON & RICH-MAR ROTARY
CLUBS INVITE YOU TO A**

ROTARY PIG ROAST

17
SEPTEMBER
1pm
ONWARDS

**JAYCEE PAVILION
CRANBERRY
COMMUNITY PARK**

111 ERNIE MASHUDA DR,
CRANBERRY TWP, PA 16066

PRICE:
\$25 PER ADULT KIDS
(7-12)
\$15
KIDS (6 & YOUNGER)
FREE

**SAXONBURG ROTARY WILL HAVE THEIR BEER
CART W/ROTARY BEER!**

Bottled water and pop will be provided.

All other alcoholic drinks are BYOB

**ALL ROTARIANS MUST HAVE A ROTARY SHIRT OR PIN ON OR
BE FINED \$5.00**

**To register for the event, click on the link above, below your name,
or send the attached registration form along with your check made
payable to Rich-Mar Rotary, to Mary Lord, C/O Rich-Mar Rotary
P.O. Box 392, Mars, PA 16046**

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 needed to help with the following events:
August 19, 2023

Swings Project for Special Needs Individuals
Camp Spencer/Camp Kon-O-Kwee, Fombell, PA

September 9, 2023

Clean the Lighthouse Food Pantry
Periodic Lighthouse food pantry cleaning event
(Middlesex Township where we volunteered earlier
this year). Please consider volunteering to freshen
up the Lighthouse Food Pantry.
RSVP to Bill Ruhe at william.ruhe@gmail.com.

September 17, 2023

Regional Rotary Pig Roast

November 3, 2023

Shine for Shelterbox Gala. <https://shelterboxshine.square.site/>

Thanks!

Cindy

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724-355-1620 (c)
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Mars Applefest: October 7th



We are beginning to plan for Mars Applefest 2023. We would love to have you participate this year. Please contact me if you would like to participate as a vendor. I will provide you with a copy of the rules and regulations and a vendor application. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Brian Fleeson
Rich-Mar Rotary Satellite Club

c/o Rich-Mar Rotary, P.O. Box 951, Mars, Pa. 16046
marsapplefest@yahoo.com

District 7280 Keystone Rotary International Eclub

Keystone Rotary International E-Club





KeystoneRotaryClub.org

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 Secretary Mac Purvis, Jr. in your prayers. He was in and out of the hospital, with an infection of undetermined origin. Now he is getting rest at home.
Mac's address is 114 Sylvan Springs Lane, Valencia, PA 16059.

Great news! Honorary Rich-Mar Rotarian Chris Abernethy has completed his 40th radiation treatment in his battle against cancer. He's tired but happy. Future tests should show this was the right way to go. So please keep Chris in your prayers.

Chris' address is 8234 Planters Knoll Terrace, Bradenton FL 34201

Please pray for Jim Meighen's wife, Melinda, who is recovering from a broken ankle.
Melinda's address is 80 Mystic Harbor, Bradford Woods, PA 15015.

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

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?**

