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**Youth Service Month**

**This Week**

Childcare Panel Discussion (Angela Rouse, Krisztina Szekely, and Delores Jameson)

**Last Week**

Dr. David Trouille Ph.D., Professor of Sociology at JMU



**The fool puts his finger into the matter; the wise puts it aside. - Ethiopian proverb**

**Pics and Words**

We would like your photos of club events and weekly programs for the club website. If you also can do a brief write-up to go with your photo(s), you will be a published web author! Keeping the website current and showing the fun and interesting things we do within the club, and in service to the community and world, will help us recruit new members—so we can have more fun and service. Send to [harrisonburgrotary@gmail.com](mailto:harrisonburgrotary@gmail.com).

**50 Things Every Rotarian Should Know About Rotary (by Steve Garret, District Governor 1994-1995)**

**42 – HEALTH, HUNGER, AND HUMANITY GRANTS**

In 1978 Rotary launched its most comprehensive humanitarian service activity with the Health, Hunger, and Humanity Program. The 3-H Program is designed to undertake large-scale service projects beyond the capacity of individual Rotary clubs or groups of clubs.

By 1994 more than 135 different 3-H projects have been approved and undertaken in 49 different countries, with an appropriation at more than \$37 million. The objective of these projects is to improve health, alleviate hunger, and enhance human, cultural, and social development among peoples of the world. The ultimate goal is to advance international understanding, goodwill, and peace.

The first 3-H project was the immunization of 6 million children in the Philippines against polio. As 3-H progressed, new programs were added to help people in developing areas of the world. Now, in addition to the mass polio immunization of over 100 million children in various countries, 3-H has promoted nutrition programs, vocational education, and improved irrigation to increase food production, polio victim rehabilitation, and other activities which benefit large numbers of people in developing countries. All 3-H projects are supported by the voluntary contributions of Rotarians through The Rotary Foundation. In years to come the 3-H Program may well be considered Rotary's finest service activity, showing how Rotarians care and are concerned about people in need, wherever they may be.

**Next Week**

Ethics Awards – JMU FESTIVAL CENTER

**May 22nd**

Scholarship meeting

**May 29th**

Memorial Day – no meeting

**Birthdays**

Robyn Neupauer 5/08

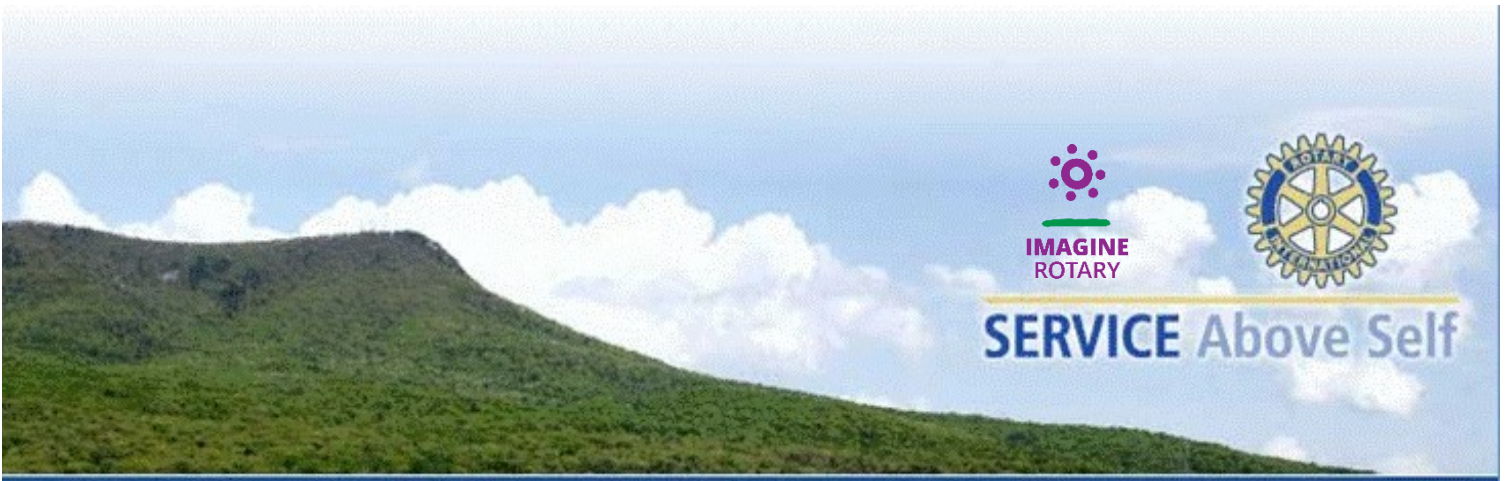
Bill Lee 5/10

**Anniversaries**

Kevin & Katie Baker 5/08

Howard & Zanette Hahn 5/08

Jeff & Claire Kesecker 5/10



## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Wayne Witmer, President	Quinton Callahan (2023)	Mike Garber (2023)
Rodney Alderfer, President-Elect	Ken Horst (2024)	Kelly Long (Satellite Rep)
Braydon Hoover, Past President	John Mather (2025)	Tom Mendez (2024)
John Rosenberger, Treasurer	Robyn Neupauer (2024)	Shannon Porter (2025)
Michael Neupauer, Secretary	Holly Ruff (2025)	Marshall Yoder (2023)

The following represents the new Club Committee structure as we see it. Unless otherwise noted, all current committees were nested under the five major umbrella committees in this proposal.

### **I. Club Administration – Board Member Responsible: Current President**

- A. Programs:
  1. Weekly Programming – Shannon Porter
  2. Audio/Visual – Michael Neupauer
  3. Invocation/Song – Les Helmuth
  4. Code of Ethics Awards – Andy Vanhook & Lynn Dively
  5. Club Scholarship Awards – Sue Totty & Mike Mendez
  6. Skelton-Jones Scholarships – Lynn Diveley
  7. 4-H/FFA Agriculture Awards - John Rosenberger
  8. YES! Economic Education Awards – Paul Cline
- B. Social Events – Wayne Witmer & TBD
- C. Member Communication and Attendance – Michael Neupauer
- D. Technology – Andy Miller
- E. Catering Contract Review – Tom Jackson
- F. Hospitality
  1. Family of Rotary – Valerie Weaver
  2. Welcome – Dan Rice

### **II. Membership – Board Member Responsible: Braydon Hoover**

- A. New Member Attraction and Orientation – Robyn Neupauer
- B. Member Engagement - Ash Heatwole & Valerie Weaver
- C. Diversity, Inclusion, Equity – Michael Sharp

### **III. Public Image – Board Members Responsible: John Mather & Mike Garber**

- A. Website – Michael Neupauer
- B. Social Media – Michael Neupauer (photos), John Mather, Mike Miriello
- C. Advertising and Marketing – John Mather
- D. Media Relations – Michael Miriello & Rodney Alderfer

### **IV. Services Projects – Board Member Responsible: Quinton Callahan**

- A. Club Service Projects – Noah Yoder
  1. At least one Polio Event – TBD
  2. Strawberry Festival – Dave Larson
  3. ValleyFest – Andy Vanhook & Quinton Callahan
  4. Blacks Run Cleanup – Quinton Callahan
  5. Great Day of Sharing – Wayne Witmer
- B. Grants and Collaborative Projects – Quinton Callahan
- C. Youth Services – John Downey
  1. RYLA/Interact – Braydon Hoover
  2. Rotaract (both JMU and EMU) - TBD
  3. Youth Protection Coordinator – Braydon Hoover

### **V. Foundation – Board Members Responsible: John Rosenberger & Ken Horst**

- A. Grants administration – Corey Davies
- B. Fundraising – Les Helmuth

#### **Other local clubs and meeting times and places:**

**Harrisonburg Satellite** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday, 5:30pm, Beyond Restaurant, Harrisonburg

**Harrisonburg-Massanutten** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays, Noon, Spotswood Country Club, Harrisonburg

**Rockingham County** – Tuesdays, 7am, Hyatt Place, Harrisonburg

**Bridgewater** – 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays, 6pm, Alexander Mack Room, Bridgewater Retirement Community, Bridgewater

