

Rotary

Club of Oyster Point of Newport News



Club Meeting

Oyster Point of Newport News
Meets at We are meeting in person at the James River Country Club and via Zoom. Please email the President for the link to join us.
1500 Country Club Road
Newport News, VA
Time: Friday at 07:30 AM

Events

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Birthdays

Antiono Willis
December 21st
Michael Daniels
January 3rd

Years of Service

Thomas P Herbert
12-31-1996
28 Years
Wayne Futrell
12-17-2004
20 Years

Club Bike Build

It's that time of year! We have 100 bikes to build and pay for. These bikes will be donated to four incredible organizations; Boys and Girls Club, The Salvation Army, Newport News Redevelopment & Housing Authority, and Tidewater Friends of Foster Care.

First off, we need to raise the funds to cover the cost of these bikes. If you would like to donate, we will have a sign-up sheet going around at the Friday morning meetings between now and Christmas. Otherwise, you're more than welcome to respond to this email and I will track your contribution. Your amounts will be billed on the January cycle unless we receive a check prior. We are keeping the cost of each bike at \$100 even though you are more than welcome to donate as much and in any increment you would like.

Next, we need to build these bikes. We will have numerous opportunities for everyone to help, including a Community wide event at Coastal Fermentory.

Our build/community awareness dates are as follows:
Tuesday December 10th, 6:00PMish, Village Bicycles.
Thursday December 12th, 6:00PMish, Village Bicycles.

Finally, we will be "donating" the bikes on Saturday, December 14th at 9:00AM. We will load them up at Village Bicycles and deliver them to the YMCA. I look forward to seeing y'all there.

If there are any questions, please reach out to Andrew Dunn.

Bell Ringing on December 21st



DOING THE
MOST GOODSM

Rotary Club
Oyster Point up
at SAM's Club for
SATURDAY
12/21/2024;
starting time will
be 10:00am and
ending time will
be 6:00pm. Sign
up with Tom
Herbert!

Holiday Social

Join the Rotary Club of Oyster Point's Holiday Party on December 20th, 2024! Save the date!

12/13/24 Speaker Linda Dyer, Director of Engagement at The Muse Writers Center

Linda Dyer is a Norfolk native whose love of music, writing and teaching has been evident since she was a young child. A professional violinist and violist for over 45 years, her biggest joy comes from watching her students discover that same joy. She is a regular section violist with

Philip L. Hatchett
12-31-2005
19 Years

John McCroskey
12-30-2010
14 Years

Club Leaders



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Chair



Michael Daniels
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Hospitality

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Club

Symphonicity- the Symphony Orchestra of Virginia Beach and maintains a private studio offering violin and viola lessons.

She is a frequent TV and radio personality across the region as well as the author and owner of Finishing Touches, a company teaching etiquette and manners classes for children and teens across the country since 1984. Her best-selling books and classes, Finishing Touches for Girls, Finishing Touches for Teens, and Boys At Their Best have been enjoyed by over 45,000 students nationwide.

She has enjoyed a 40+year career as a professional fundraiser and marketing director in the non-profit sector and currently serves as the Director of Engagement for the Muse Writer's Center in Norfolk. Ms. Dyer serves on several non-profit boards such as The Governor's School for the Arts, The Portsmouth Museum and Arts Commission and Zeiders American Dream Theatre.

Her biggest joy is her family, including daughter Ashley, husband Mark and four-year-old granddaughter Daisy Hazel, and daughter Lizzie, her husband Jeff and four-year-old granddaughter Ola Emery, and a very loyal and charming cat, Boo-Kitty



In Person Breakfast Meeting + Zoom

The Rotary Club of Oyster Point is meets at the James River Country Club at 7:30 am for breakfast as well as in a [Zoom Meeting](#).

The Zoom meeting will start at 7:45 a.m. You can log in as early as 7:00 am to enjoy coffee and social time before the meeting starts. There is plenty of capacity to host visiting Rotarians, potential members, and guests. Bring a guest and introduce them to the Rotary Club of Oyster Point!

[Read More](#)

Rotary Month: December is Disease Prevention & Treatment Month



DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

December is Disease Prevention & Treatment Month! Rotary is dedicated to equipping communities to stop the spread of disease and expand access to low-cost and free health care. Rotary does so through education, vaccines, telemedicine and building hospitals, training medical staff, and more.

2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference in Istanbul



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Healing in a Divided World

Led by Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick, the 2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference in Istanbul, Türkiye, 20-22 February 2025, will be an opportunity for the Rotary community and our partners to build on Rotary's contributions to promoting peace by exploring:

- Peace in a polarized world
- Technology, media, and peacebuilding
- Environmental issues in peacebuilding
- Making peace last

The conference will also recognize the launch of the new Otto and Fran Walter Rotary Peace Center in partnership with Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul.

The three-day conference includes keynote speakers, panel discussions, and breakout sessions that will highlight the many ways Rotary members, program participants, partners, and community leaders can advocate for peace; share stories, insights, and ideas about building peace locally and globally; and foster meaningful conversations about promoting peace within our communities and beyond.

Don't miss this special, one-time event focused on ways to take action to advance the cause of peace and explore important issues of our time, including creating sustainable peace and healing in a divided world.

More details at <https://www.rotary.org/en/2025-rotary-presidential-peace-conference>

Calgary International Convention: Registration Open!

The Rotary International Convention is open to all Rotarians. Register [here](#) for an exciting opportunity to have fun with fellow members from our district and around the world.



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