

Rotary



Club of Prince George County

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

Club Meeting

Prince George County
Meets at Luca Italian
Restaurant
6411 Courthouse Road
Prince George, VA
23875
Time: Wednesday at
07:30 AM



Rotary Opens Opportunities

Club Leaders



Lillian K. Boyd
President



Brian K. Manning
President -
Elect



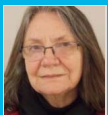
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March - Rotary Water, Hygiene, and Sanitation Month

By Lillian K Boyd on Tuesday, March 2, 2021



"Water is the foundation for our economics, communities, ecosystems and quality of life." Kate Brown Water, Hygiene, and Sanitation is one of The Rotary Foundation's seven causes and is highlighted in March of every year. The Rotary Club of Prince George County has been very active in this cause, beginning first with helping establish the first Kayak/Canoe Launch in Prince George County on the Appomattox in 2011 (we may need to check out the year on that one) and subsequently coming back with another district grant, this one shared with Colonial Heights, Petersburg, Petersburg Breakfast, an Hopewell Rotaries, to build a comfort/changing station at the launch site and upgrading the launch itself. With the addition of Protecting the Environment, these type projects might fall under the Environmental cause as well.

The two grant projects above were undertaken with the Prince George County Parks and Recreation Department and Friends of the Lower Appomattox River (FOLAR). Our partnerships continue as FOLAR and Recreation and Parks continue to develop the regional Blueway/Greenway trail and boating system, provide education about the river habitat's flora and fauna, and encourage people, especially in these trying times, to get out to the Appomattox Regional Park and other area parks to enjoy nature, breathe the air, and just get away from the TV. Having citizens hike the trails and help with clean up efforts helps keep the Appomattox cleaner. The Appomattox is a significant source of drinking water in our area.

Our club has also been active in a series of Water, Hygiene, and Sanitation Global Grant Projects in Ghana. Our Past President and Past Assistant Governor, Shel Douglas, is one of the authors of a number of these grants in which we train Rotarians on the ground to install and maintain, borehole wells, microflush toilets, oh, and by the way, build Simple Schools often providing suitcase solar panels to provide light and internet.

Our speaker this week (see the related article) is a Water and Hygiene Utilities Manager in Ghana.

If you would like to know more about the Water, Hygiene, and Sanitation Cause, please visit <http://www.rotary.org>.

Saeed Ishakaku from Ghana to speak to club on March 3rd

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, February 24, 2021



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Community
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Chair



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Services
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Chair



Mary S. Elmore
Assistant
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Events/Speakers

March 10th
Prince George
County Weekly Club
Meeting
Speaker: Angela Paez
Subject: Water,
Hygiene, and
Sanitation

Birthdays

Reginald Reynolds
March 30th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding
Anniversaries Found

Club Member Anniversaries

Denya C. Hankerson
03-21-2016
5 Years

Mark S Creech
03-22-2017
4 Years

Brian K. Manning
03-29-2017
4 Years

Benton E. Woodruff Jr.
03-07-2018
3 Years

We are honored to have as our speaker on March 3rd Saeed Ishakaku, Director of Water and Sanitation in the Bekwai Municipal Assembly in Ghana. The Prince George Rotary has been involved in a number of water, hygiene, and simple school projects in various districts in Ghana over the last three years. Many of those borehole wells have been installed in Saeed's district.

Peg Whipple is the program chair and Shel Douglas, Ghana Global Grant Author and our past Assistant Governor, was instrumental in securing our speaker.

We hope to have more bio in the next day or two and if Zoom and FaceBook honor us, we will provide his presentation on FaceBook Live.

Celebrating Local Heroes, Businesses, and our Rotarians

By Janice L. Rowley on Tuesday, March 2, 2021



What a Year!

Each year at our Scholarship Picnic, we also recognize a Community Hero who is not yet a Rotarian but exemplifies our motto of "Doing Good" in the world. Last year, the Community Hero was Carol Bowman, longtime leader of the Prince George Historical Society. Even though we could not invite her and her family, friends, and well wishers to a picnic, we could still bring an acknowledgement to her.

We also recognized Starkes Automotive as the Business of the Year and we socially distanced in Corey's parking lot to present a plaque and flowers.

Alisa Skipper and I were able to catch up with Denya Hankerson to present the Rotarian of the Year for 2020, catching her on a break from her Electoral Board duties.

As in years past, we wish to acknowledge those making a difference in Prince George County. I will be sending out a pmail to Club members with the forms but please put on your thinking caps now. The tentative deadline for return of the forms is March 31 so that Committee Members will have time to evaluate the nominations and submit their candidate(s) to the President and Board for approval.

I will also be uploading the nomination forms to our website this week.

I apologize for this late notice but the committees and Board look forward to your nominations!

Angela Paez of the GFWC will speak to the club on March 10

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, March 2, 2021



Our speaker, Angela Paez, will speak to the club about the Women's Clubs efforts to promote water, hygiene, and sanitation. Thanks to Steve Woith, a Past President of the club for securing this speaker. Angela Paez has been a GFWC Clubwoman since 2000, after saying yes to an invitation to a GFWC Junior Woman's club meeting; she is also a chartering member of the GFWC James River Junior Woman's Club and the GFWC JILTS Juniores liaison, supporting the efforts of all clubs in their community outreach. Having recently served several positions on the GFWC Board, Angela currently serves as the Southeastern Region Timekeeper. In the past, Angela has served Southside District as the 3rd VP/Director of Junior Clubs (2010-2012), GFWC Virginia as 3rd VP/Director of Junior Clubs (2012-2014) and GFWC as a Membership Committee member (2014-16), International Liaison Committee member (2016-18) and Credentials Member (2018-20). During her time on the GFWC Board, she has also been fortunate enough to serve on the GFWC Junior Executive Board (2012-2020).

Angela currently works for Evonik Corporation, enjoying traveling across the country (when it isn't shut down during a pandemic) where she supports the personal care industry. She is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Prince George, and also attends First Baptist Church with her husband, Jeri. In her downtime, Angela enjoys traveling for fun, including real camping, laughing and spending time with her sister, Amanda and her GFWC sisters, but probably the most exciting thing for her is being Lola to her grandchildren, Charlie, Luke, Georgia and Carson!

Grant Management Seminar on March 18th.

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, February 24, 2021

GRANT MANAGEMENT SEMINAR

March 18, 2021 | 7-9 pm

Virtual/Free/Register on dacdb.com calendar

**Register by March 17 to receive Zoom Link
Training Materials on d7600foundation.org**



The second and last Grant Management Seminar for the 2021-2022 grant year will be held on March 18 from 7-9 pm.

Any club wishing to be eligible to receive a Rotary grant must have at least one person (more is preferable) from the club attend the seminar. Prince George is already eligible, but if you would like to know more about obtaining a Rotary grant from District 7600 consider attending. It is free. It is virtual. You register on the dacdb.com calendar.

If you aren't familiar with dacdb.com, just give Carol a call and she can walk you through the registration process.

Warm Knit and Crochet Items Approved by Jingle Rowley

By Anna Kroyer on Tuesday, March 2, 2021



The James House Corporate Partners made a donation of warm hats, scarves, and gloves possible via The Rotary Club of Prince George County to the Central Virginia Health Services.



Learn more about [The James House](#). Thanks to the approval of The James House CEO, Chana Ramsey, handmade warm clothing items were secured and donated to provide warmth during these cold months to citizens of the Hopewell/Prince George Area. Central Virginia Health Services (CVHS) is the rebranded name of the Community Health Center. Jan Rowley, a Past President of the club will insure that the items are delivered to CVHS now that Jingle Rowley has approved the items.

The Rotary Club of Prince George County has provided seasonal comfort toiletries and clothing items to the CVHS to pass on to patients in need. In better times the items would be placed on our Rotary tree in the facility and patrons could take what they needed, for free. Now that entry and access to the facility is more controlled, seasonal items are provided by the CVHS staff as warranted.

When Summer arrives Rotarians will provide sun screens, lip balm, visors, sunglasses, and other items to ease the impact of the sun and heat on Central Virginia Citizens.

The James House is a Corporate Member of the Prince George Rotary and I am honored to be one of The James House Staff to be

designated by Chana as a Corporate Member of the Club. Chana is a long-standing member of the club as well as one of its Past Presidents.

Charming little story about a club member

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, March 2, 2021



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C/N 24-1739

Dana Rieves, Club Secretary and overall go to person, shared a post she received that her sister, Kristy Lewellyn had put on Facebook. Dana had text some pics to her the night before. This is the post by Kristy.

"My sister sent this cool text last night. It's the most recent flight log of my Dad's airplane. It's still in the air. Same call letters. His call letters and a sketch of the plane are on his gravestone. Mom and Dad would take us kids up in this plane when we were little. Dad also took friends and family on flights and vacations. The plane is 60 years old and still making flights. Dad used to fly Santa Clause into Dugger too lol. My heart is smiling. Miss my parents daily."

[Dana Lewellyn Rieves](#)

[Daryn Lewellyn](#)

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FLIGHT TIMES

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| Takeoff | Landing |
| 02:03PM MST | 02:45PM MST |
| Scheduled 02:27PM MST | Scheduled 03:08PM MST |

AIRCRAFT INFORMATION

Tail Number N6618P · Registration

[#n6618p](#)

D7600 Rotary Foundation Giving Tuesday

By Janice L. Rowley on Tuesday, March 2, 2021

Please see this reporting of the article by our District Rotary Foundation Chair, Stephen Beer. It was published yesterday in the District Newsletter, The Spirit of 7600.

Remember the donations to be matched by recognition points must be made online on Tuesday, April 6th. The Article has more details, but please reach out to me if I can answer questions or assist in any way. Stephen Beer's message:

[Giving Tuesday April 6](#)




The Four Way Test

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, June 8, 2020

Rotary  **Four Way Test**
of the things we think, say, or do

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| IS IT THE TRUTH? | IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED? |
| WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? | WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED? |

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST
Of the things we think, say, or do

The Four-Way Test is a straightforward and memorable ethical guide for Rotarians to use for their personal and professional relationships.

- 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?