

# Rotary



## Club of Prince George County

Tuesday, March 19, 2024

### Club Meeting

Prince George County  
Meets at The club has regular  
hybrid meetings on the 1st &  
3rd Wednesday at Luca Italian  
Restaurant. Zoom link can be  
requested at  
pgrotary23875@gmail.com.  
6411 Courthouse Rd  
Prince George, VA 23875  
Time: Wednesday at 07:30  
AM



### Club Leaders



Cynthia Walker Mitchell  
President



Brian K. Manning  
President-Elect  
Membership Chair  
Past President



Janice L. Rowley  
Rotary Foundation  
Chair  
Secretary



Karen A. Skipper  
Treasurer



Katie Harlow  
Administration Chair  
Club Programs Chair



Chana Ramsey  
Public Image Chair



Donna D. Street  
Service Projects  
Chair



Sasha Reynolds  
Youth Services  
Chair



Carol Dois Woodward  
Bulletin Editor  
Club Executive  
Secretary  
Webmaster

### Events/Speakers

No Events found

### Birthdays

## Double Good Popcorn Fundraiser

Tuesday, March 19, 2024

PG Rotary Team,

I set up our Double Good virtual fundraiser! It's 100% contactless, we keep 50% of the profit and the product ships directly to your supporters. If at least 11 of us participate, we can make over \$2000!

We'll each create a Pop-Up Store and sell Double Good ultra-premium popcorn! Prices for Signature Bags (5 cups each) start at \$11, and Curated Collections at \$31. The popcorn is delicious and award-winning!

Our fundraiser begins on March 20 at 5:00 pm and goes until March 24 at 5:00 pm.

Before the fundraiser begins:

1. Download the Double Good app from the IOS or Android App store.
2. Enter our Event Code SIFWOZ in the app
3. Create your Pop-Up Store



The Double Good app is available for free on iOS and Android.

Thank you for all you do to support The Rotary Club of Prince George County!

Other Info:

1. You can upload a photo of you participating in a service project or Rotary logo on your pop-up store. We have set a goal of \$250 per member.
2. Enter a message that explains why we are raising money. You have only 80 characters!
3. Share our event link with possible supporters; via text, email, or FaceBook
4. Supporters have the option to make a donation instead of ordering popcorn.
5. 50% of our sales go to our Rotary club so that we can continue to do good work in the community.

Reginald Reynolds  
March 30th

## Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries  
Found

## Club Member Anniversaries

Lillian K Boyd  
07-06-2016  
8 Years  
William O Johnson II  
07-13-2023  
1 Year

## Hopewell !00 Year Gala

By Carol Dois Woodward on Tuesday, March 19, 2024



The night of March 16th was a memorable evening at the Beacon Theatre as Hopewell hosted its 100th Birthday Party.

Congresswoman Jennifer McClennan (VA-4th) and Jason Miyares, the Virginia Attorney General, were among the special guests along with Prince George Rotarians. Rudy Garcia District Governor of 7600 presented congratulatory remarks at the gala.

Our Charter President, Patricia C. Hale, attended thanks to her chauffeur for the evening, Club Past President Mark Creech. Other Prince Georgians attending were Brian Manning, President-Elect of our club, Donald and Sandy Hunter, Past Presidents Jan Rowley and Michael Moore, along with Michael's wife Susan. Pictured on right with Pat and Mark is Onza Hyatt of the Hopewell Rotary.



Bravo to the Rotary Club of Hopewell for the wonderful evening of friendship and memories and thoughts for the future.

## District 7600 Giving Tuesday on April 2, 2024

By Carol Dois Woodward on Thursday, March 14, 2024

APRIL 2, 2024

# Giving Tuesday!

Donate \$100 - \$500 ONLINE  
to the Annual Fund-Share on April 2nd  
at [myrotary.org](https://myrotary.org) &  
get matching points toward your next  
Paul Harris Fellow



Ron Lynde, the District Chair, sent an email last week to every Rotarian in the District. Please note that this is an opportunity to contribute to the Annual Fund and boost your progress towards your Paul Harris Fellow recognition. It is important that you set up your MyRotary account (if you don't have one) at least one week in advance of April 2nd. Don't hesitate to ask if you have any questions. See Ron's email below:

“Giving Tuesday” online fundraiser on April 2<sup>nd</sup> for the Annual Fund

**Making an impact in your community:**

This is the eighth year we have undertaken this fundraiser and Giving Tuesday has become more popular almost every year. Let's set a new record and raise \$100,000 this year. Last year 350 Rotarians in 38 clubs gave over \$83,000.

So how does all this giving do good in our local communities? The TRF invests our gifts to the Annual Fund for three years and returns a portion to District 7600 in District Designated Funds, designated for district grants or global grants. **Over the last five years an average of 36 District 7600 Clubs each year have invested over a million dollars of DDF in local projects in our communities.**

Rotarians increasingly want to contribute electronically and are avoiding giving by cash or check. Rotary Direct makes it easy for members to contribute on a regular basis (monthly, quarterly, or annually. Simply go to My Rotary. Donations are tax-deductible.

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# April 2

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## A teaser about an upcoming club projects

By Carol Dois Woodward on Thursday, March 14, 2024

**Volunteer Opportunity for Interact:** We have a volunteer opportunity to support our Interact Club beginning March 23 and for five more Saturdays thereafter. The Prince George High School Interact Club, as a fundraiser, have been approved by the school administration to operate the concession stand at the soccer games on Saturdays. However, there must always be an adult present to supervise and look after the Interactors. Each of the six Saturdays will require a 5-hour commitment. Sasha Reynolds, our Youth Services Chair, would like to hear from you if you can devote your service to one of the six Saturdays. She advised that there would need to be a background check. We anticipate hearing more about this opportunity from Sasha soon.



**Build and Installation Project - Little Free Library:** With a grant from the club's foundation we will be constructing and installing another Rotary Free Little Library at one of our Mobile Home Communities. Bill Johnson has volunteered to assemble the Little Free Library kit with assistance from club members and the club will coordinate a date to have the installation and grand opening. County representatives will be invited for the dedication and photo opportunity. Refreshments will be served. Literacy and basic education are one of Rotary's seven causes. This will be the club's second Little Free Library. The first is at Bexley Mobile Home Community.

The Bexley Little Free Library is supported with donations of books from members and from the Appomattox Regional Library System and is stocked by Past President Chana Amaro. In addition to books, various non-perishable food stuffs are also put into the Little Free Library. Anonymous donors have often let various food donations, as well.

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## March Meals on Wheels Schedule

By Donna D. Street on Tuesday, March 5, 2024

This is our March Meals on Wheels Delivery Schedule. We are short some volunteers due to medical issues and other conflicts. There is always room for more members to volunteer. It usually amounts to about 2 hours travel time, once a month with a fellow Rotarians. Reach out to me if you have any questions.

March 7 - Carol and Jan

14 - Katie and ? (Jan will fill in if necessary)

21 - Donald and Donna

28 - Cynthia and Lillian



## Annual Peace Conference Duke UNC Rotary Peace Center

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, March 6, 2024



On April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024, the Duke/UNC Rotary Peace Center will hold its annual Peace Conference featuring the 21<sup>st</sup> graduating class of Rotary Peace Fellows. This Fall the Rotary Club of Richmond and District 7600 will be sponsoring our own peace fellow, Tibeab Abate Asfaw, at the Center.

We have liberally borrowed from the Peace Center's [website](#). If you plan to attend, you need to get your ticket early. They go fast.

Please join us on Saturday, April 6th for the Duke-UNC Rotary Peace Center's 21st Annual Spring Conference. Our theme this year will be "From Self to Society: Envisioning Our Relationship to Peace". Class 21 Rotary Peace Fellows will present their research, exploring new ways of thinking about peacebuilding, international development, and conflict transformation in many regions of the world.

The conference will take place at the FedEx Global Education Center on UNC-Chapel

Hill's campus from 9:00am to 4:00pm. Doors will open at 8:00am for those who wish to check-in early or enjoy coffee and a muffin. Lunch and other refreshments will be provided throughout the day.

If you are traveling from out of town and need to book a hotel room, for your convenience, we have reserved blocks of hotel rooms at discounted rates. [Click here to learn more!](#)

Can't attend in person? We offer a livestream and Zoom webinar for those who would like to participate in our conference remotely. Those that register here to attend virtually will receive a link and instructions on how to attend in advance of the conference.

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## No Burn Law in Virginia

By Carol Dois Woodward on Friday, February 9, 2024

Please be advised that the State Burn Law is in effect until April 30th. There is no burning until 4 p.m. during that period if within 300 feet of trees, bushes, or other combustible flora or leaves. Further, there is no restocking of such a burn after midnight. For those of us surrounded by woods, this matters to us A LOT.





## Rotary Monthly Themes

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, August 7, 2023

### Rotary Monthly Themes

July	Transition Month
August	Membership & Extension
September	Basic Education & Literacy
October	Economic & Community Development
November	The Rotary Foundation
December	Disease Prevention & Treatment
January	Vocational Service
February	Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution
March	Water & Sanitation
April	Maternal & Child Health
May	Youth Services
June	Rotary Fellowships



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## The Four Way Test

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, June 8, 2020

Rotary  **4 Way Test**  
of the things we think, say, or do:

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?