Wednesday, March 27, 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



Club Leaders



<u>Cynthia Walker</u> <u>Mitchell</u> President



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<u>Chana Ramsey</u> Public Image Chair



<u>Donna D. Street</u> Service Projects Chair



Sasha Reynolds Youth Services Chair



Carol Dois
Woodward
Bulletin Editor
Club Executive
Secretary
Webmaster

Events/Speakers

No Events found

Birthdays

Meet and Greet with Chesterfield Youth Detention Home Clients - April 5

By Janice L. Rowley on Wednesday, March 27, 2024

The Meet and Greet will be the culmination of the 5 club district grant in partnership with the Chesterfield Central Publid Library, the Chesterfield Juvenile Justice Department. The clubs, Chester, Petersburg, Petersburg Breakfast, Hopewell, and Prince George County, have enjoyed the collaboration and challenges of this successful and impactful multi-club district grant.



The Meet-and-Greet will be an organized exchange between a group of CJDH kids and a group of 10 plus Rotary Club members. This is the last event for the Rotary Grant!

Ms. McFarland from CJDH is bringing her Post-D kids.

All Rotarians are welcome but **registration is required by April 1.** To register, please email Ms. Jessica Gonzalez directly at GonzalezJS@chesterfield.gov.

Ticket for April 6 Peace Conference - Free to a good home

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Rickey Maddux, the President-Elect for the Petersburg Breakfast Rotary Club, has an extra ticket for



the Peace Conference scheduled for April 6 at the Duke-UNC Peace Center. He has offered a ride to the event but he is also willing to transfer the ticket (it's an email ticket) if someone prefers to drive separately. If you are interested, please contact Rickey at mmadu@aol.com or by calling 614-330-8649.

See the related article about the annual Peace Conference in this issue

Reginald Reynolds March 30th Cynthia Walker Mitchell April 24th Donald R. Hunter April 25th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries

Club Member Anniversaries

Brian K. Manning 03-29-2017 7 Years

Annual Peace Conference Duke UNC Rotary Peace Center

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, March 6, 2024



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

We have liberally borrowed from the Peace Center's <u>website</u>. 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 Peaceâ€. 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

 $Hillae^{TM}$ 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. <u>Click here to learn more!</u>

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.â€

Support of Interact Soccer Concession

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, March 20, 2024

Sasha Reynolds, the club's Youth Services Chair, is asking for our help.

The Prince George Interact Club has been given permission by the school to host the soccer concessionthrough the middle of May. However, there must always be at least one adult present to "supervise" the minors.

Sasha & Reggie will be able to cover some, but not all, of the Saturdays and need volunteers from our club to assist in this effort by serving 1 or more of these 5

hour stints. Please look at the dates below and choose one or more that you could be available. Please do it soon as there must be approval of the volunteers. Please contact Sasha for any additional questions. sr8446@qmail.com or call call/text her. Her phone number was sent to you by mail a few days ago and she is in dacdb.com under the club tab.

The Recreation Department Concession Center is at Scott Park. The Interact Club will be selling packaged snacks (chips, soda, etc.), hot dogs and burgers to raise funds for Club equipment and supplies (banners, gavels, etc.) Volunteers just need to show up! Here is the schedule:

When: Saturdays. The games are from 9am to 3pm. It would be helpful to arrive a few minutes early.

March 30th (Jan has volunteered) April 13th, April 20th April 27th (Carol has volunteered) May 4th May 11th May 18 (Cynthia has volunteered.

Please give this your earliest attention!

Foundation Giving - Why It Brings Joy

By Janice L. Rowley on Wednesday, March 27, 2024

On February 29, we had a Social at Morelia's, at which we were honored to present Paul Harris Fellow

(PHF) recognitions to Sasha and Reginald Reynolds. Those recognitions were made possible by Past President Shel Douglas transferring Foundation points that she has earned through her donations to The Rotary Foundation.

We have used Club Foundation points to recognize Community Heroes and others. Individual Rotarians have honored friends and family members with their Foundation Points.

So you get the joy of giving to The Rotary Foundation Annual Fund, knowing that you are helping to fund District Grants, Peace Scholarships, Global Grants, and generally "doing good in the world." And then, you get the joy of recognizing wonderful community members, friends, and your family with the prestigious Paul Harris Fellow award.



APRIL 2, 2024

Giving Tuesday!

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





You can build your Foundation points by participating on Giving Tuesday, April 2. You simply log in to your My Rotary account (you need to have it set up NOW). Make sure to select Annual Fund as your option for donating, and then you are on your way to bringing the joy!

Prince George Rotary Business of the Year

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, March 27, 2024



The busy schedule of Strosnider Chevrolet and of the Prince George Rotary played havoc with the presentation of this award, club President Cynthia Mitchell, Club Secretary Jan Rowley, and Club Youth Services Chair, Sasha Reynolds, were finally able to catch up with Kevin Strosnider to award the club's Business of the Year, 2023-2024 to Kevin.

Strosnider Chevrolet is a family owned Chevrolet Dealership that has been in business for decades. It serves all the communities in the Crater area of the state and regularly engages in philanthropic projects in the region. The high ethical standards of Strosnider Chevrolet and its service to our communities are recognized by the Prince George Rotary's Business of the Year Award.

Preliminary Prince George Rotary Schedule

By Carol Dois Woodward on Wednesday, March 27, 2024



April is just around the corner for all of us. Here is the first look at the club's April schedule.

- April 1 Club Board Meeting RESCHEDULED to April 8th at 6 pm, via Zoom
- April 3 Regular Club Meeting Canceled for Spring Break
- April 8 -_Club Board Meeting 6pm via Zoom
- April 10 Rotary Open Mic via Zoom 7:30 a.m.
- April 17 Club Hybrid Meeting at Luca Italian Restaurant & via Zoom, 7:30 a.m., Hopewell Healthy Families

April 24 - Rotary Open Mic via Zoom 7:30 a.m.

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 Developmer

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





The Four Way Test

By Carol Dois Woodward on Monday, June 8, 2020



Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

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