

Rotary



Club of Prince George County

Thursday, September 26, 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



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Events/Speakers

County Registrar Allan Richeson To Speak to Club October 2

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Please invite a guest to our hybrid meeting on October 2nd. Allan Richeson, Director of Elections & General Registrar for Prince George County, will be our speaker. As most know, early voting in Virginia began on September 20th. Learn more about it and the operations of the office of the Registrar.



More about Allan: He is a 1977 graduate of Atlantic Christian College in Wilson, NC, where he double majored in Political Science and Accounting with minors in Sociology and Philosophy. Allan is a Certified Elections/Registration Administrator graduate from The Election Center featuring professors from Auburn University. As a Certified Virginia Election Official, he has 13 years experience working in elections and for 6 years as the Director of Election/General Registrar in Prince George County. He will speak on early voting, voter registration, and will answer to any questions our members and guests may have.

October 2nd
**Prince George County
Weekly Club Meeting**
Speaker: Allan Richeson,
Prince George Director of
Elections/General Registrar
Subject: Early Voting and
Voter Registration

Birthdays

Lili Quintana
October 18th

Wedding Anniversaries

Mable C Farris
September 30th

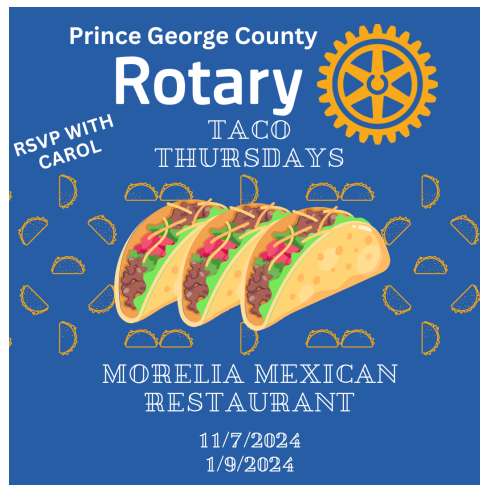
Club Member Anniversaries

Lillian K Boyd
07-06-2016
9 Years
William O Johnson II
07-13-2023
2 Years
Tracy Patterson III
07-17-2024
1 Year

Membership Drive Socials Coming UP

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Get these dates in your calendars and invite guests! Kudos to Deloris Jefferson on these graphics which she created.



Talk with Mark or Chana for more details. And check your pmails.

Rotarians Out And About

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Meals on Wheels:

Since our last newsletter, there have been two Meals on Wheels deliveries. Carol and Donna did the fun journey on September 19th and, actually today, September 26th, Donald and Cynthia will be doing the honors.

Community Volunteerism by Rotarians:



Last weekend Jan and Carol assisted the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), of which they are trained members, in supporting sponsorship of Wreaths Across America at the riding weekend of a local motorcycle club. The Prince George County CERT supports the nationwide effort of sponsoring wreaths for fallen service members on December 14th. Our efforts support Wreaths at the Merchant's Hope Cemetery. On December 14th, we will assist families in locating and placing wreaths on their loved one's last resting place.

Community Events:

Mark and his sister Iva participated in FOLAR's (Friends of the Lower Appomattox River) Battle and Paddle last weekend. Mark reported that it was his first time in a kayak. There was some adjusting to do because of the hard seats of the kayaks, but his athletic sister came up with a solution for future forays on the river. They are buying their own kayaks so they can navigate the river in the future with more comfort.



Iva and Mark report having had a great time.



Another Taco Thursday:

Members and guests enjoyed a perfect evening (well for about an hour or so) at Morelia Mexican Restaurant on September 19th. With guests, we had 17 in attendance. Some came early as they had to move on to another engagement and others came later as they wrapped up other obligations. Guests included Carol's daughter Angela and the Reynolds children Bella and Ryan. Daughter Brooke is away at college and we miss her. There is nothing more relaxing than an evening on Morelia's patio with Rotarians and friends when the weather is pleasant.



Scott Reiter and the mixed outlook on native plants

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Scott, the County Extension Agent, spoke of many plants, primarily trees, which we think of as native, but are not. He spoke candidly about some of the disadvantages of some native species. Perhaps of surprising interest was the education he gave us about fire ants and how to deal with them. These insects are hard to control and if threatened, they will just vacate and create a colony elsewhere on the property. His wide-ranging presentation was recorded and can be seen on our [Facebook page](#). Scott was invited to speak by charter member Donald Hunter. Scott has spoken to our club before, but it was years ago. President Brian rewarded Scott on his presentation by presenting him with our club challenge coin. We must have him periodically to update us on the migration of various insects and how to address landscaping issues.

Breaking News: The October Meals on Wheel Schedule is Announced

Saturday, September 21, 2024



Our club, Meals on Wheels (MOW) delivery crew just grew by another team member. Mable Farris is now the newest set of hands on the MOW crew. Every Thursday, two of us pair up as scheduled and deliver meals to 17 -20 recipients. The actual deliveries actually take about an hour to an hour and a half and then, time and inclination permitting, the delivery team often go to lunch.

Hats off to Donna for her gracious and efficient management of this club partnership effort with FeedMore.

The October schedule follows in the ReadMore section.

Donald and Cynthia will have the final September delivery on the 26th and then we are into the glorious Fall deliveries.

Oct 3 - Mable and Bill J.

10 - Deloris and Jan

17 - Katie and Carol

24 - Donna and Donald

31 - Cynthia and Mable

Rotary International Monthly Theme - Education and Literacy

Tuesday, September 3, 2024

SEPTEMBER THEME

Promoting Literacy & Basic Education



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?
