



# The Warbler

Rotary Club of Bailey's Crossroads

September 13, 2024

*All the News that Fits We Print*



**Weekly Meeting Online Option:** Our club streams its Friday meetings on Facebook Live. Please visit <https://www.facebook.com/BXRCRotary>. You can tune in at 7:50 AM after the meeting break for the program.



DG Amelia Stansell

**Today's Program** – We are excited to welcome our 2024-2025 District Governor, Amelia Stansell. Amelia became a Rotarian in 2006 when she joined the Gainesville-Haymarket Rotary Club. In 2013, she transferred to the Rotary Club of Warrenton where she continues to be an active member today. Amelia is passionate about putting an end to human trafficking. Additionally, one of her focuses for this year is to help Rotarians experience Rotary outside their home club. Amelia encourages us to meet and get to know Rotarians from clubs around the district and around the world. Look out for her e-mails with Rotary news and networking opportunities.

We are excited for this presentation, which is titled “Unleash the Magic of Rotary! Official Visit by the Rotary District 7610 Governor Amelia J. Stansell.”

**BXRC New/Returning Member Banns** – The following individual has been approved by the Board of Directors for BXRC membership. This will serve as the **second** of two Banns announcements for **returning Rotarian Bonny**. Bonny was our club treasurer for the 2023-2024 Rotary year. She resigned from our club last June in good standing. Bonny is sponsored for membership by **Rotarians Kevin and Past President Jim**.

**Mark Your Calendars** – The **Annual Walk for Water** is **October 5 at 9 a.m. at Jones Point Park in Alexandria**. Our club, led by **Rotarian David**, has always supported the Walk for Water which supports water, sanitation, and hygiene programs for global communities. Join in person or virtually. If you cannot attend, consider making a donation to this great annual event and cause. **See flyer on page 5 of The Warbler.**

**Mason District Restaurant Week** – **Ends September 15!** Restaurants in Bailey's Crossroads, Seven Corners, and Annandale are participating in this partnership between C3 and the Mason District Supervisor's Office. **Restaurants include Bawadi Mediterranean Grill, Raaga Restaurant, The Casual Pint Falls Church, Duangrat's, City Diner, and more!** Stop by with your family to try some new food and support local businesses.

**Our Next International Dinner!** Let's have an **International Dinner at Taco Ssam in Culmore Shopping Center on Tuesday, September 24 at 6 p.m.** Everyone will pay individually for their food. Come join the camaraderie and fun!

**From the restaurant's website:**

“Taco, a small corn tortilla filled with a simple protein marinated in Mexican spices and topped with a dash of fresh cilantro or onions.

Ssam, a literal Korean translation meaning ‘wrap,’ is a lettuce shell filled with rice, protein, and seasoned vegetables with a dab of gochujang folded up to be stuffed in one mouthful.

Taco Ssam is a labyrinth of eastern and western flavors that are crafted with authentic and traditional techniques, seasonings, and spices.”

**\*\* Mexican and Korean Fusion – LET'S TRY IT!! [POC Pam]\*\***

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<b>Greeter:</b> Chris <b>Pledge/Invocation:</b> Sam Birthdays/Songs Guests	<u>Today's Program</u> Announcements Program/Speaker <b>50/50: Leslie</b> 4-Way Test	<u>Rotary Birthdays</u> None	<u>Rotary Anniversaries</u> None
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## The Week in Photos



*District Governor Nominee, Rotarian Peter, with BXRC Rotarian Bob and 2024-2025 President Polly. Bob was honored for being a Paul Harris Fellow + 3! Way to go, Bob!*

### Want to become a Paul Harris Fellow?

Paul Harris Fellows have contributed \$1000 to The Rotary Foundation. Rotarians like Bob have gone above and beyond in their ongoing commitment to The Rotary Foundation.

BXRC strives to be an EREY Club – We encourage each Rotarian to make a minimum annual contribution of \$25 to The Rotary Foundation. If you give your first \$100 to TRF annual fund, our club will give you 900 club points to make you a Paul Harris Fellow.



*District Governor Nominee Rotarian Peter spoke at our weekly membership meeting last Friday. He talked about his background, professional and military life, and Rotary's Action Plan.*



*Congratulations to our newest Paul Harris Fellows!  
 (Left to right) Alif, Leslie, BXRC President Polly, Kevin*

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## Recent BXRC Events



*Rotarian Sarah selling raffle tickets at the Burke Centre Festival last weekend. Take a look at upcoming car side sales on page 4 of The Warbler to see where you can help out!*



*This year's Mustang on display at the Burke Centre Festival. Thanks to all Rotarians who came out to help. Sign up for an upcoming event using the links on page 4.*



**Membership Networking Event** – On September 9, BXRC hosted a club membership networking event at Pistone's Inn in Falls Church. Thanks to all who attended and helped share the message of Rotary. If you have a friend, neighbor, or colleague who may be interested in joining us in service, please invite them to an upcoming event to learn more!

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# Mustang Updates

There will be a **Mustang Meeting today, September 13, immediately following the morning membership meeting.** All club members are encouraged to attend. This meeting is to discuss the 2024 Mustang Campaign and how we will finish this selling season strong as a Club. See sign-ups below. **We still need a couple people to help out in Leesburg this Saturday!**

## Mark Your Calendars! Upcoming Car Side Sales

**Saturday, Sept. 14** - NCMRC Fall Mustang Show – Leesburg [POC Kate]  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4BAAAF2CA4FD0-51110567-2024>

**Saturday, Sept. 14** – Falls Church Fall Festival [POCs Sarah and Dennis]  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4BAAAF2CA4FD0-51111863-2024>

**Saturday, Sept. 21** - Edgar Rohr Antique Car Show – Manassas [POC Kate]  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4BAAAF2CA4FD0-47807258-2024>

**Saturday, Sept. 21** - Taste of Annandale – Annandale [POC Needed]  
(Link Coming Soon!)

**Saturday, Sept. 28** - Occoquan Fall Festival - Day 1 [POC Needed]  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4BAAAF2CA4FD0-50869101-2024>

**Sunday, Sept. 29** - Occoquan Fall Festival - Day 2 [POC Needed]  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4BAAAF2CA4FD0-50869101-2024>

**Saturday, Oct. 5** - Warrenton Fall Festival [POC Needed]

**Saturday, Oct. 5** - Town of Vienna Oktoberfest [POC Needed]

**Saturday, Oct. 5** - Manassas Fall Jubilee [POC Needed]

## RECENT CAR SIDE SALES: Burke Centre Festival

Another great weekend and Rotarian turn out. **A shout out to Rotarians Alice, David, Jim, Chris, Polly, Sarah and Dennis, Arpine, and Kate for representing and helping with ticket sales!** Many local Rotarians also stopped by our table to say hello.

Thank you to Virginia Lieutenant Governor Winsome Earle-Sears for stopping by and supporting our club. Our 2022 Mustang winner also stopped by to continue his support – thank you!



*Rotarian Dennis selling tickets and representing The Rotary Club at the Burke Centre Festival.*

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# ANNUAL WALK FOR WATER



Join us in person or virtually on  
**October 5, 2024, 9:00AM**

SCAN to  
REGISTER



SPONSORED BY  
The Strategic Water  
Alliance (SWA) of Rotary  
International District 7610

Please join us at Jones Point Park, Alexandria VA  
or participate virtually in the *Annual Walk for Water*,  
which supports water, sanitation, and hygiene programs  
for global communities.

## REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE AT

<https://SWAWalk2024.eventbrite.com>

**\$10 for teenagers, \$35 for Adults, \$50 for families**

**PAYMENT OPTIONS: Pay online OR Send a Check**

Make Checks Payable to: *Rotary Club of Alexandria (SWA)*,  
Mail to P.O. Box 320666, Alexandria, VA 22320

### SWA Participating Rotary Clubs

Alexandria, Annandale, Bailey's Crossroads, Washington - Dulles International Airport, Dunn Loring-Merrifield,  
Fairfax, Fredericksburg, Rappahannock- Fredericksburg, Falls Church, Sterling, Great Falls, Herndon-Reston,  
Leesburg Evening, Leesburg Daybreak, Manassas Bull Run, Manassas, McLean, Tysons Corner, Vienna, West  
Springfield, Stafford, North Stafford, Gainesville-Haymarket, Crystal City - Pentagon

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# News, Reminders & Trainings

**2024 White House Ornaments have arrived!** This year's White House ornament celebrates the presidency of Jimmy Carter. Check with **Rotarians Alice and/or Pam** for details and to get your ornaments.



***BXRC The Rotary Foundation Campaign:*** We are at 17 percent of our annual fund goal of \$20,000. Our year-to-date total is \$3,442. We are asking every member to give at least \$25 to TRF annual fund so that our club can be a EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year) club. If you give your first \$100 to TRF annual fund, our club will give you 900 club points to make you a Paul Harris Fellow. If you are within \$200 of your next Paul Harris Fellow level, our club will give you club points to get you to the next Paul Harris Fellow level. **POC Polly.**

**\*\* And let us not forget about PolioPlus! Our goal for the year is \$3600. Currently we stand at \$950 \*\***

## **Upcoming Rotary Leadership Trainings**

**\*\* Please register on DACdb \*\***

### **DTA 2.0 – Public Image via Zoom**

Saturday, September 14  
9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

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### **DTA 2.0 – Club Rotary Foundation Chairs via Zoom**

Saturday, September 14  
9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

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### **DTA 2.0 - Secretary and Club Admin via Zoom**

Tuesday, September 17  
5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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### **DTA 2.0 - Successful Club Fundraising via Zoom**

Thursday, September 19  
5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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### **DTA 2.0 – Membership via Zoom**

Saturday, September 21  
9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

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### **DTA 2.0 – Service Projects via Zoom**

Saturday, September 21  
9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

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