



Rotary Roundup

The Sykesville-South Carroll Rotary Club, Sykesville, MD
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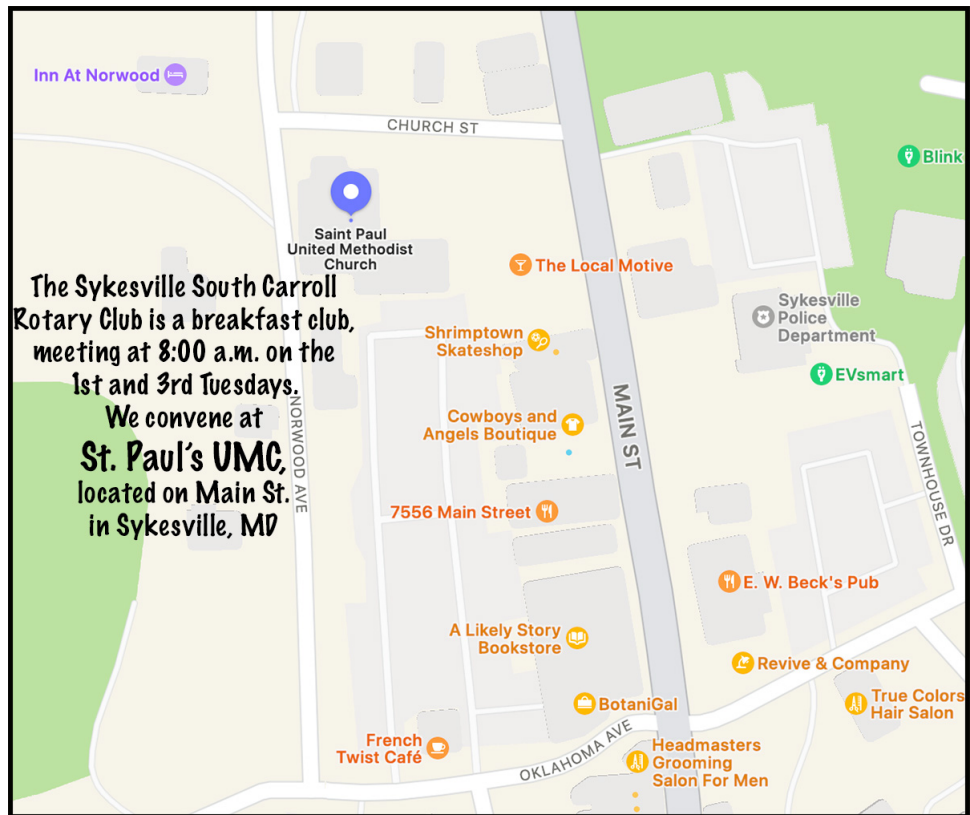
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Rotary Roundup for June, 2024

Where We Meet



**CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD**

Dates to Remember

June 4 â€” Regular Meeting â€” St. Paulâ€™s UMC (8 a.m.)

June 8 â€” Service Project â€” Food Pantry needs help (9:30 a.m.)

June 11 â€” No regular meeting

June 14 â€” R.S.V.P. due to Cindy if attending banquet.

June 18 â€” Regular Meeting â€” St. Paulâ€™s UMC (8 a.m.).

June 22 â€” Food Pantry needs help (9:30 a.m.) and donations.

June 27 â€” Annual Rotary Banquet CCC K 100 (6 p.m.)

Service Opportunities

Continue to support the Food Pantry on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays with a donation or send a check to the Sykesville Freedom Rotary Foundation and say it is for the Sykesville Food Pantry. Community needs have continued to increase. Money and help are always needed and appreciated. The Maryland Food Bank especially needs cereal, jelly, canned fruit, pasta, rice, and cash.

Please continue to contribute to the district-wide service project to support Ukraine by contributing to Disaster Aid USA or to the Rotary Foundationâ€™s official channel for relief funds: The Disaster Relief Fund.

Meeting Notes

May 7, 2024

The following announcements were made:

- Virginia gave an update on the Boys and Girls Club in Hampstead that is now up and running.
- The Sykesville Boys and Girls Club meets at Sykesville Middle and about fifty kids attend.

- The food pantry is this Saturday. Cindy thanked Bob, Buzz, Tony, and Donna (in absentia) for helping last week.
- Impact Church has donated lots of eggs to the pantry, but egg cartons are needed, so Cindy asked members to save and bring their egg cartons to meetings.
- The upcoming Awards banquet was mentioned. (see details above)
- It was announced that Dawn attended the District meeting in Cambridge.
- The Foundation Board meeting on May 14th will decide on a proposed fund-raiser to replace Oktoberfest. It appears likely that it will be a raffle of something, perhaps a robotic vacuum cleaner. Virginia will oversee getting a basket to also raffle. Something may also be held at the fire hall in the fall to raise money for the Club.
- Bill announced there will be a BBQ at White Rock Church from 11-5 this Saturday. It is all you can eat for \$55.00. Glen Patterson's band will entertain.
- Bill also announced the Former Students of Robert Moton are creating a Carroll County African American Museum to be located in the old Robert Moton School on Center Street in Westminster where the Election Board is currently. An 82-year-old lady living at CLV will be working on sculptures for the museum. It was suggested that the Club give a donation to this project, and the matter will be discussed at the upcoming Board meeting. Paula Langmead has already contributed \$1,000 to the project and recently joined the White Rock Church.

After the usual closing exercises, the meeting adjourned with eleven people in attendance.

May 21, 2024

The following announcements were made:

- The Boys and Girls Club in Hampstead is doing well and even has an elevator.
- Paula distributed the promised Wish List for Springfield patients (*see below*).
- Dawn presented a report on the District Conference and the installation of the new governor. The District

Conference will be moving to the fall and held the first weekend in October in DC. She also mentioned that a Pantry volunteer who has cancer needs resources to help her.

- Dave said that scholarship applications are coming in. (*See below for information from Dave regarding the recipients.*)
- On June 17th there will be a reception for Dr. Ball who is retiring.
- There was a reminder about the banquet on June 27th to distribute money to the community.
- The Westminster Club is open to joining a joint fundraiser to replace Oktoberfest. Dave pointed out that money is made through sponsorships.

In a follow-up discussion of a Battle of the Bands for a fundraiser, Charles reported that bands are VERY expensive, and that they have contracts restricting where they can play. A band that has a following would be needed, and he said a lot of money would be needed to pay the sound guys. He will continue to work on it for next year.

Dawn suggested a mass flag display on a weekend. Sponsors would pay \$50.00 for a flag. Flags could be rented from the Westminster Club. It was also suggested to have something like a Golf X tournament and sell sponsorships.

A discussion was held whether or not the Club wants to participate in the 4th of July parade.

Since there was no more to discuss, the meeting adjourned after the usual closing exercises. There were ten in attendance.

WISH LIST FOR SPRINGFIELD PATIENTS



Springfield Hospital Center
Volunteer Services
6655 Sykesville Road
Sykesville, MD 21784
410-970-7250
email: andrea.pastor@maryland.gov

WISH LIST

MONETARY DONATIONS ACCEPTED.
FOR SPECIAL PROGRAMS;
FOR THE GENERAL NEEDS OF
OUR PATIENTS
(Please make checks payable to

CLOTHING
NEW & USED

*MEN'S
SWEATSUITS

Springfield Auxiliary/CFCC)

GIFT CARDS FOR LOCAL STORES

PUBLICATIONS

- *MAGAZINES, current within a year
- *NEW PAPERBACK BOOKS
- *PAPERBACK MULTI-LINGUAL MULTI-CULTURAL RELIGIOUS MATERIALS

EQUIPMENT

- *RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT

GAMES

- *BOARD GAMES
- *PLAYING CARDS
- *PUZZLE BOOKS

****Direct Need:**

Men's and Women's sweat pants and hoodies – S – 4X

Men's jeans waist sizes 34 & 36, length 32, 34, 36.

Women's sports bras, all sizes, no underwire.

Shoes without laces: Velcro, Loafers, Skater Shoes

Blue Magic Conditioner Hair Dress.

PANTS/JEANS
SHIRTS
PAJAMAS

*WOMEN'S

SWEATSUITS
PANTS
TOPS
DRESSES
PAJAMAS

*CLOTHING ACCESSORIES

HATS
WALLETS
SOCKS, ankle, no show, or crew length

TOILETRIES

*HAIR CARE PRODUCTS

SHAMPOO, CONDITIONER,
GELS, CONDITIONING
HAIR GREASE, WAVE CAPS,
WRAPPING LOTIONS

*BATH PRODUCTS

BODY WASH

*ELECTRIC RAZORS

*NAIL CARE PRODUCTS

*LOTIONS

*DENTAL SUPPLIES

TOOTHBRUSH

TOOTHPASTE

DENTURE ACCESSORIES

*DISPOSABLE UNDERWEAR

All sizes, preferably pull on style

REPORT ON SCHOLARSHIP AWARDEES

Congratulations to the recipient of our annual Douglas E. Metz Scholarship, Irylun Harald, of Century High School and she will be attending University of Maryland Eastern Shore this fall. Our goal in awarding the scholarship was to identify the one student who displays the love of learning and commitment to community that Douglas did – “A very special individual, indeed.

Irylun embodies Metz’s passion for learning, the arts and most important people and community. She also enriches her life with music, playing the bass clarinet, in the concert band as well as the wind ensemble. She challenges herself academically by being a Carroll Community College dual enrolled as well as a Career & Tech student.

In addition to the Douglas E. Metz scholarship, we award additional scholarships worth \$1000 each to selected students from area high schools. They are awarded based on academic record, letters of recommendation and community service. Congratulations for this year’s winners, Bradley Brown from Century and Catherine Grace Piek from Liberty High Schools. These students are also Carroll Community College dually enrolled, and each represent the values Rotarians hold

so dear.

Catherine who is also a Career & Tech student, will be continuing her education at York College on her way to become an excellent nurse. Catherine also has an impressive has 324 hours of community service. Bradley has played both Lacrosse and Basketball, He is a member of the FBLA Future Business Leaders of America and came in 2nd is state completions in social media marketing.

The Sykesville-South Carroll Rotary Club, a chapter of Rotary International, provides service to others throughout our community, the United States and worldwide. It promotes integrity and aims to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

I would also like to thank the other committee members! Reggie, Bob, Pat and Virginia, I think we did well, and I am confident Doug would have loved his namesake scholarship recipient!

--Dave O'Callaghan