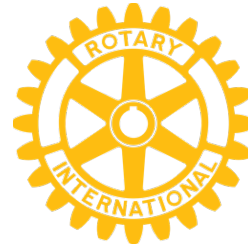


Rotary



Club of Caesar Rodney of Wilmington

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Speakers

March 1st
[RYLA Students](#)

Events

No Events found

Birthdays



[Neal Donaldson](#)
March 2nd



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March 4th



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March 17th



[Alexander Crawford](#)
March 28th

Years of Service



[Richard Harra](#)
14 Years



[David P. Kenney](#)
5 Years

Committee List 2024-25

[Nominations](#)

This Week's Meeting

Whist Club
7:15 ish
RYLA Kids - Always An Interesting Presentation



Austin
Publicover
Club
Communications
Chair
Club Webmaster

Upcoming Greeters

Please try and swap with someone if you can't make it. If you have no intention of attending meetings please give Rob a shout so he can modify the greeter list accordingly.

Feb 23 - Offsite Service

March 1 - Blake Werley, David Andrews, Des Baker

March 8 - Jack Barr, Alisha Bryson, Jim Cloonan

March 15 - Chelsea Collins, Charlie Copeland*, Wes Davis

Chaplains of the Day

Feb 23rd - Offsite

March 1 - David Andrews

March 8 - Kay Keenan

March 15 - Roseanne Miller

*Some may ask, just who is Charlie Copeland? A tall, handsome man occasionally seen in birthday or years of service pictures? A whispered rumor in the hallowed halls of the Whist Club? A pre-Covid Rotarian who has not quite made it out in public yet? We need Charlie back! Accordingly, a \$100 CRR dollar bounty will be paid if Charlie shows up to greet on March 15th. Will it happen? Show up on March 15th to find out!

WORLD CUP OF BOWLING FUNDRAISER SET FOR MARCH 11TH

Please click on the photo to download the flyer for Tidewater Rotary's bowling fundraiser. Sponsors and participants needed!

Here is a link to register a team: <https://tidewaterrotary.org/bowling/>

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DISTRICT 7630'S JOHN NANNI REPRESENTS POLIOPLUS EFFORTS WHILE VISITING CONGRESS



According to John Nanni, he was "Honored to have represented Rotary's PolioPlus efforts this past week by being a member of PolioPlus Advocacy Task Force to the US Congress."

Our wonderful group of Rotarians and Advocates visited around 40 Congressional offices to update them on the status and progress we are making to eradicate polio.

We received very positive bipartisan reception and commitments to continue to vote to support the US Government's long history of being the largest government

donor to the Eradication of Polio. They are a great partner!

John Nanni



FEBRUARY 26, 2024 MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Dear Fellow Rotarians:

Congratulations to Phil Reed, all the RYLA committee and the RYLA staff for, in Phil's words, "One of the best RYLA's we have had". On President's Day weekend, our District hosted our 2024 Rotary Youth Leadership Awards. The Clubs in our District sent 120 delegates to Ocean City, Maryland to attend RYLA. On Friday night, the delegates packed 10,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger and afterward enjoyed a pizza party.

On Saturday, the Delegates heard from DGE Amelia Stansel of District 7610 on Human Trafficking, Katie McGrath of Chick Filet on Leadership, Mallory Metzner of Coast TV on public speaking and interview preparation, Samantha Scott on mental health and Ken Wood on the service projects he continues to do in Africa. In between the speakers, the delegates worked on an egg drop challenge, getting their presentation ready for the Four Way Test Theater of Ethical Dilemmas which was held Saturday evening, their community service project which they would present on Sunday and various team building exercises hosted by Dan Tabler.

On Sunday the Delegates heard from John Nanni on Rotary's mission to eradicate polio and from Elayna Aiken of what she's doing to create hope, education, and economic opportunities in Kenya.

After working on finishing their presentations, each group had fifteen minutes to present their community service project. Group #1 won the competition with their presentation on "Athletic Equipment Drive" and their charity "Uplifting Athletes" will receive a \$500.00 contribution in Group #1's names.

This year's outstanding group leader was Khloe Barrett Kues. This was the third year Katie served as a group leader, and she was a delegate to RYLA during her junior year at Cambridge South Dorchester High School. Katie is currently a junior at

junior year at Cambridge South Dorchester High School. He is currently a junior at Salisbury University majoring in Exercise Science. Congratulations and thank you Khloe!

Special thanks to all the Rotary Clubs, Companies and Rotarians who sponsored this year's RYLA tee shirts and the cost of Rise Against Hunger and to DGN Dale Kerns for filling in for me when I had to leave.

Last call for your District Conference room. The discount on our room block goes away after March 1st.

This coming Thursday, all our Club Presidents, Area Governors and District Leadership leave to go to Chantilly, VA for the Chesapeake President-Elect Training Seminar or CPETS for three days of training. Everyone in Rotary says that the best job in Rotary is being the Club President. Please reach out to your incoming Club President, and thank them for committing their time to the club service time necessary to make your club grow and become irresistible.

Finally, Happy Birthday to all our Rotarians whose birthday is February 29th.

Thanks for all you do to Create Hope in the World.

John

[23-24 7630](mailto:23-24.7630) District Governor

DG John speaking at RYLA

Mark your calendars for the following District/Zone events:

02/27/2024 [Zone 33/34 Public Image Webinar](#)

[02/29-3/2/24 Chesapeake PETS](#)

03/30/24 [District Grant Application Training via Zoom](#)

04/19-20/24 [District Conference, Ocean City, MD](#)

05/03-04/24 [Easterseals Rotary Work Days](#)

05/11/24 [District Assembly](#)

06/23/24 [DG Randy Smith Installation](#)

[Click here to download the Conference flyer!](#)

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District 7630

**52nd Annual
District Conference**

**SAVE
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ROOM!**

The Grand Hotel
2100 Baltimore Ave, Ocean City, MD
To book call: 410-289-6191 or 800-447-6779
Rates good April 18 to April 20, 2024

Room Rates:
\$109 for City View
\$119 Partial Ocean View
\$164 Deluxe Direct Ocean View

Plus 11% tax, one night's deposit is required
Cancellation policy is 3 days prior for a full refund
When booking - ask for the 7630 District Conference group rate!

Friday, April 19, 2024
Welcome Cocktail Reception
Major Donor Reception (Invitation Only)
Dinner with Special Guest Speaker
After dinner party with Club Phred for music and dancing

Saturday, April 20, 2024
9am to 5pm District Conference Activities with breakouts and educational opportunities!
- Stay tuned as details are still being finalized

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REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY

As is tradition, the District would like to acknowledge and remember Rotarians that have passed away since the last District Conference. Please contact the District Executive Secretary if anyone from your club has passed away since October of 2022. (A link to the obituary, any thoughts or stories about them as a member of your club and a photo is helpful!)
7630RotaryDistrict@gmail.com

THANK YOU



April 18, 2024 District Conference Golf Tournament

If you are interested in playing golf, we are trying to organize a round of golf on Thursday, April 18th at a golf course to be determined depending on the area the golfers are located. We are thinking of the Dover area for the middle of the district.

If you have an interest, please contact PDG/DRFC Bill Ferguson at fergy123@comcast.net or cell [443-786-6345](tel:443-786-6345) or Robert Smith at rls.terps22@gmail.com or cell [443-614-2503](tel:443-614-2503). Would appreciate your participation and support!

Club Meeting

Caesar Rodney of Wilmington
Meets at University and Whist Club - Washington Room
805 N Broom St.
Wilmington, DE 19806
Time: Friday at 07:15 AM