

Rotary



Club of Asheville THE COG

Tuesday, November 8, 2022



IMAGINE ROTARY

Club Meeting

Asheville
Meets at TUTION HALL, TRINITY
EPISCOPAL CHURCH--Proof of
Covid-19 vaccination or recent
(72 hrs) negative Covid-19 test
required to attend in-person. To
request a Zoom simulcast link
email avrotary1915@gmail.com.
60 Church St
Asheville, NC 28801
Time: Thursday at 12:30 PM

Speakers

November 10, 2022

New Member Talks

Short, autobiographical talks
from some of our newest
members

November 17, 2022

Veteran's Day Panel Discussion

Rick Devereaux will emcee a
discussion with our club's
military veterans about their
service experiences and
thoughts concerning current
veteran issues

December 01, 2022

Andy Barnett

Asheville Habitat for Humanity

Coming Events

November 30th

Board Meeting

December 4th

Holiday Party

December 5th

Community Service Monday

Club Leaders

Ross Sloan
President

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

By Sophia Stefanidis Ungert

We're looking forward to hearing from three new members this week:

Donald Cameron, a retired teacher with a long list of professional achievements and a nationally ranked runner.

Michelle Daniels, a Peace Corps alum and Vice President and Director of Asia Programs.

Anna Preddy, owner of Asheville Lice and a realtor with Preferred Properties.

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

By Melissa R. Drennan

The various talents and experiences of our club members are endlessly amazing. Michelle Daniels is no exception. She joined our club a year ago after relocating to Asheville. On November 3, she addressed our club as the Vice President and Director of Asia Programs for TCP Global.

TCP Global is an affiliate of the National Peace Corps Association whose mission is to provide affordable micro-loans to impoverished entrepreneurs and to empower and strengthen effective local organizations. Michelle's experience serving in the Peace Corp in Nepal launched her enthusiasm for this work.

TCP Global does the fund raising, mentoring, and loan tracking necessary to build zero-overhead, sustainable micro-loan programs in underserved communities. She explained how partnering with local individuals and organizations makes this program particularly effective in meeting the unique needs of each community.

TCP Global has a proven track record of combating poverty and providing opportunities for women as marginalized entrepreneurs. Some examples of successful businesses that benefited from this lending model include farming, textiles, bakeries, bike repairs and a beauty salon. To date, over 14,000 micro-loans have been leveraged into \$3 million of community enrichment. Many thanks to Michelle for educating us about TCP Global and it was fun to learn more about her also.





Patrick A. Snyder
President-Elect



Betty A. Doll
Secretary



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Past President
Treasurer



Celeste B. Collins
Club Admin Chair
Club Director



Lisa Cutshaw
Bulletin Editor



Tanya N. Fletcher
Club Director
Youth Protection
Officer
Youth Services Chair



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Club Director



Kevin R. Montgomery
Club Director



Linda Nelson
Club Director
Communication and
Outreach



Maxine O. Parsons-
Kogut
Club Director
Rotary Foundation
Chair



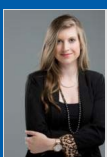
Charles M. Peabody III
Attendance Secretary
Sgt-at-Arms



Kelly C. Shanafelt
Attendance Secretary
Sergeant-at-Arms



Eva-Michelle G. Spicer
President-Nominee



Kristy Wilson
Club Director
Vocational Service



CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations and Thank You to Paul Harris Fellow

Debbie Francis receives her PHF + 4. Thank you Debbie for your continued support.



Donations and Scholarships

Donations to our **Club Foundation** can now be made directly on our website. Couldn't make the fundraiser but want to contribute to our projects this year, owe happy dollars for birthdays and anniversaries,



Chair



Albert Davis
Club Service Chair



Richard T. Devereaux
Webmaster



David Andrew Mans
International Service
Chair



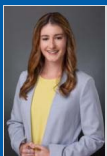
Andrew Mercurio
Club Fund Raising
Chair



Marcia Whitney
Diversity Equity &
Inclusion



Daniel M. Crupi
RYLA Point of Contact



Cassidy Harbison
Club Public Image
Chair



Katherine Morosani
Past President



Lynne Porter
Assistant Governor

Birthdays

Katherine Morosani
November 14th
Avtar Singh Dhaliwal
November 14th
Kelly C Shanafelt
November 20th
Mark A. Knollman
November 21st
Miles Mennell
November 24th
William C. Rawlings
November 24th
Michael E. Greene
November 28th
Lacy A. Hagan
November 29th
David A. Kozak
November 30th
Skyler Duncan
November 30th
Levonina B. Reese

been fined for looking too good in the media – hit the EASY button by going to RotaryAsheville.org.

Please bring raffle items for our weekly drawing that benefits the **Tennent Scholarships**. Promote your business, your passion, or your creativity.

Cart Fund



The CART Fund is dedicated to raising funds to provide “seed” money for cutting edge, high impact research in hopes of finding a cure/prevention for Alzheimer’s disease. Consider contributing \$1 a week per quarter; \$13.

For Birthday/Anniversary/Happy Dollars/CART Funds
please mail your check to
Rotary Club of Asheville Foundation
P.O. Box 1954
Asheville, NC 28801

Additional Volunteer Opportunities :

*Please submit any volunteer opportunities you feel your fellow Rotarians would enjoy being a part of.



If you would like to add an announcement in an upcoming COG, please email [Lisa Cutshaw](mailto:Lisa.Cutshaw) no later than Saturday, prior to Tuesday publishing.

Global Rotary Peace Fellow Scholarship

By Linda Nelson

The Rotary Peace Fellowship is designed for leaders with work experience in peace and development. Our fellows are committed to community and international service and the pursuit of peace. Each year, [The Rotary Foundation](http://TheRotaryFoundation) awards up to 50 fellowships for master's

December 2nd
Celeste B. Collins
December 3rd
Charles E. Reiley
December 4th
Zachary F. Lamb
December 6th
Bruce G. Clark
December 6th
Steven B. Shechter
December 7th

Wedding Anniversaries

Chris Werte
November 11th
Scott B. Carter
November 13th
John S. Donahoe
November 16th
Avtar Singh Dhaliwal
November 17th
Stephen E. Aschmann
November 20th
Oscar P. Wong
November 25th
Sharon Kay LeDuc
November 28th

degrees and 80 for certificate studies at premier universities.

The Rotary Club of Asheville is thrilled to announce that Grace Colby has been awarded the Rotary Peace Fellowship, and she will study at the International Christian University in Tokyo.

Stay tuned for full article from Sharon LeDuc.

Exchange Update

By Linda Nelson

Exchange student, Marielen Hartmann from Germany, is enjoying her first trip to the Biltmore estate with Jackie Boone and Tanya Fletcher.





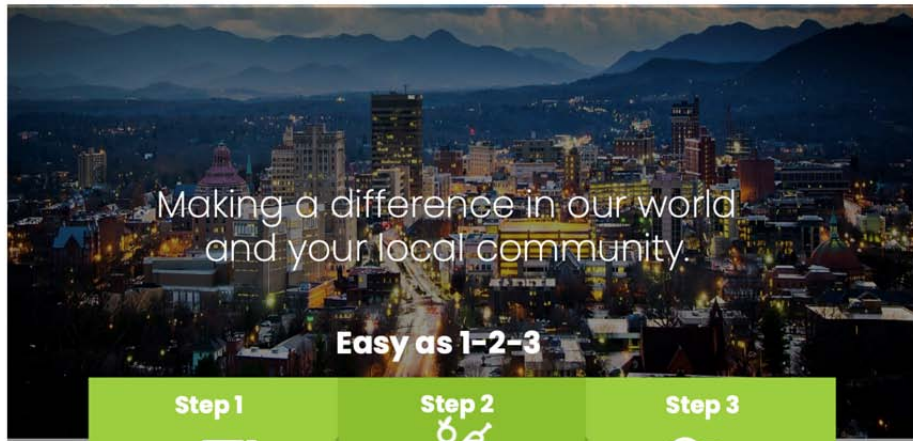
THE GREEN CORNER

By Christena Southwick

The Three R'S: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

One of the best ways to reduce waste is to buy only what you need.

Another way to get to zero waste is to compost your kitchen waste.



Easy as 1-2-3

Step 1  Receive Your Bin	Step 2  Fill it with Food Waste	Step 3  We Pick-Up & Drop Off
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Local Composting Service

Reduce waste in landfills by making a difference today. Join the movement and let's do this!

compostavl.com/join

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

By David T. Kaverman

Our latest membership update for the Rotary year—added four new members with one resignation. Thank you to the sponsors and all who made our guests feel welcome.

We will update this list after each month during the Rotary year by adding the activity for the previous month. After the Rotary year ends, we will start with a fresh list. Any feedback or suggestions are welcome. Send those to the Membership Chair, Dave Kaverman, at dave@acuityma.com.

Membership at a Glance: 154 Active & 6 Honorary

New Active Members:

Margot Baron (July)—Google Cloud Certifications & Certifications Lead, Google, Sponsored by Barbara Bowers & Eva-Michelle Spicer

David McNamee (July)-- Professor of Leadership in the MS in Leadership program at the University of Arkansas Grantham, Sponsored by Keith Bell

Donald Cameron (August)—Retired High School Teacher, The Brooks

School Andover, Massachusetts, Sponsored by Dave Kaverman
Jennifer Soster (August)—Higher Education, Warren Wilson College,
Sponsored by Dave Kaverman

Sandra Smith (October)—Sales Training Consultant/Business Owner,
Sandra K. Smith LLC, Sponsored by Jim Davidson

Chris Werte (October)—Development Manager, Asheville Community
Theatre, Sponsored by Susan Harper

Jane Brody (October)—Commercial Real Estate Broker, NAI Beverly-
Hanks, Sponsored by Kevin Montgomery

Paul Hatfield (October)—Food Service Manager, Brookdale Senior
Living, Sponsored by Jim Deuel

Resignations:

Dena Whalen (July)—Family Obligations

Scott Hicks (September)—Not Available due to Travel

Heinz Grohs (October)—Health Issues

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Rotary Hiking Group

The Downtown Rotary Club has a monthly hike on short routes in and around the city. It goes on the 1st Wednesday of every month at 5pm. We have a fun hike and then have a fun social-home for dinner.

If you are interested, please contact George Lycan at glycan@kw.com

Thirsty Third Thursday

Join us on the third Thursday of each month around 5 pm at Highland Brewery for Thirsty Third Thursday. Join with fellow Rotarians, spouses and partners, friends, guests and anyone else who is interested, sip a libation, and get to know each other a little better. Weather permitting, we'll be out on the Meadow at Highland--if not, we'll be inside.

FOUR WAY TEST



THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

first

Is it the **TRUTH**?

second

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

third

Will it build **GOODWILL** and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

fourth

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