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A Message from Governor Nancy Carr



Hello October! It's a busy month with fall festivals, football games and, of course, Rotary!

The month kicks off with our Foundation Workshop on October 8th, hosted by District Foundation Chair Jay Sollis.

It's also time to register for the District Foundation Dinner to be held November 12th featuring Rotary International President Nominee Stephanie Urchick.

World Polio Day will soon be here as we celebrate on October 24th. This year there is a special club World Polio Event contest - see the article in this month's newsletter.

Clubs are busy with fundraisers, service projects and other club activities. Many district grants are underway.

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District Foundation Workshop

By Joseph C. Stevenson

[REGISTER TODAY!](#)



2022
Saturday, October 8th
**FOUNDATION
WORKSHOP**

District 7730 - Demystifying Rotary
Foundation

Register on DACdb

Sampson Community College
Activity Building
1801 Sunset Ave
Clinton, NC 28328
Registration Fee: \$10 (lunch)
Check In - 10:30
Program: 11am - 3pm

Scott
Rainville
How We Give



Nancy
Barbee
Why We Give
Polo Plus Giving



CJ Crooks
Club Recognition



Chris
Stevenson
Individual
Recognition



Hosted By
Jay Sollis



District Foundation
Chair

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October 13th
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October 15th
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October 20th
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District 7730 is now accepting applications for District Governor 2025-26! Deadline 10/14/2022!

By Allen L. Quigley

It's an exciting time for District 7730 and Rotary International - Be a part of it and Lead Your District to Growth!

It's a critical time in the growth of our district, and we're looking for leaders with vision, flexibility, and an unselfish desire to lead the most influential service organization in Southeastern North Carolina.

District 7730 is comprised of a diverse and innovative set of 50 Rotary Clubs from 14 counties with over 1600 Rotarians. We have a reputation throughout the Zone and the United States for getting things done, and we reach beyond our country's borders through a myriad of collaborative projects that address Rotary's 7 Pillars of Focus.

The District Governor provides leadership, inspiration, and guidance to Rotary clubs under the general supervision of the Rotary International Board of Directors. In each jurisdiction or district, the Governor serves as the regional officer of Rotary, fostering success in their district at the club level.

As a District Governor in Rotary, you have proven leadership and decision-making skills. During your years in office leading to the Governor year and beyond, clubs will look to you for leadership, support, and motivation as they carry out service projects and participate in Rotary programs.
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Please Join Us for Our Foundation Dinner - November 12th

By Nancy S. Carr

October 24th
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October 29th
[Oyster Roast - Wilmington Burgwin-Wright House](#)
Speaker: None
Subject: 2nd Annual Oyster Roast

November 5th
[Three Bridge Tour](#)

November 5th
[District Governor Nominee Designee Interviews](#)

November 12th
[District 7730 Foundation Banquet - Register Now](#)

November 13th
[Rise Against Hunger Event - Rotary Club of Elizabethtown](#)

November 15th
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November 17th
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November 19th
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November 22nd
[Fairmont Annual Auction and BBQ Dinner](#)
Speaker: Club President Paul
Subject: Our Annual Fundraiser

December 1st
[District 7730 Grants Must Begin](#)

December 31st
[RYLA Application Deadline](#)

February 7th
[PrePETS - Option 1](#)

February 9th
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February 11th
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February 25th
[Chefs of Brunswick 2023](#)
Speaker: Brunswick County Chefs

March 16th
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April 22nd
[Boys and Girls Home - Rotary Day - Hold the Date!](#)

April 29th
[JumpStart 2023](#)
Speaker: Allen Quigley
Subject: Hands on sessions for club leaders to prepare for 2023/24

May 11th
[Morehead City Noon John T Capps Golf Tournament](#)

May 20th
[Fore Kids Golf Tournament -](#)



[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Contest: Best Club World Polio Day Event Receives a Paul Harris Fellow

By Nancy S. Carr

Best club World Polio Day event in each district will receive a Paul Harris Fellow.



Read on to learn more about this important and fun contest.

[Read More](#)

Polio Plus Society - World Polio Day - October 24th!

By Frances M. Wylie



POLIO PLUS SOCIETY



Club Anniversaries

Shallotte
October 3rd

Pollocksville
October 21st

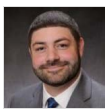
District Leaders



Nancy S. Carr
District Governor



Allen L. Quigley
DG-Elect



Christopher James Crooks
DG-Nominee

On World Polio Day, October 24th, Rotary and its partners will recognize the progress we've made against polio. For World Polio Day, Rotary members are encouraged to continue raising awareness of the importance of polio eradication and Rotary's critical role in this effort, to plan events and fundraisers, and to consider making a personal donation. What better day to become a member of the Polio Plus Society! If you've already pledged to support the Polio Plus Society – THANK YOU! If you haven't joined, we encourage you to commit a minimum of \$100 per year to the Polio Plus Fund until polio is eradicated from the face of the earth. Commitment forms are available through either your Area AG, Club President or by contacting either of us for information.

[Read More](#)

COL resolutions have been transmitted and published!

By Lee Daniel Dixon Jr.

I am very happy to let you know that the resolutions for the 2022 Council on Resolutions have been transmitted and published. Resolutions are available for all Rotarians to read [here](#) and at <https://my.rotary.org/en/council/cor/vote>.

The comment period is from September 30-October 9th.

Any District 7730 Rotarian may forward comments to D7730 Council on Legislation Member PDG Lee at Lee@coastalarchitecture.net

Now is the time to do it!

By Steve Joseph Hellersperk

**Rotary Leadership Institute
Now is the time to do it!**



**Come join us this fall!
Only you can make it Happen**

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Let's get started

By Steve Joseph Hellersperk

District Grants were Awarded in September



Now is the time for you to start working on your Grant

[Read More](#)

DEI Committee Invite

By Joseph C. Stevenson

During the month of October 2022, we will meet on October 3rd, 17th, and 31st. Call information remains the same.



Rotary Alumni for Club Growth-Reconnect Week, October 3-9!

By Christian B. Felden



Finding and developing new members is always one of the greatest challenges in ensuring the continuing success and development of any club. Finding someone with the desire to serve others in their heart is the first step. For most, the next step is the introduction to the ideals of Rotary, followed soon thereafter by the introduction within your individual club to begin building relationships that will hopefully lead to full membership.

What if you could find someone you already knew had service in their heart? Not only that, this person was very familiar with the ideals of Rotary, and had already worked closely with Rotary and Rotarians in the past.

Where could you find such a person?

The answer is Rotary alumni, those individuals who have participated in a Rotary related program in the past, but are not yet Rotarians.

Reconnect Week, October 3-9, is an internationally celebrated time on the Rotary calendar dedicated to bringing together past Rotary program participants and Rotarians. As you go through Reconnect Week and throughout the Rotary year, ask yourself can alumni engage in a club service project? Can you simply take an alum out for coffee?

Please feel free to contact me for more information about alumni in your area.

Chris Felden
District 7730 Alumni Chair

\$375,000 Disaster Response Multi-District Grant for Ukraine

By Nancy S. Carr

We just received approval for our second multi district Rotary Disaster Response Grant. Our District



supplies for Ukraine.

[Click Here to Learn More](#) [Read More](#)

Cars for Cart

By Norman Rogers

WE HAVE A NEW "CARS FOR CART" FLYER with better credit card functionality and **cheaper rates**. We ask that each club purchase at least one ticket. **PAYMENT** Clubs in **Florida** and **South Carolina** are buying tickets for the next **3 District Governors** to use the car. Clubs in **North Carolina** are buying tickets for the next **\$20,000 cash** to be used for their **local needs**. **ALZHEIMER'S** is a **long goodbye** to your **love one** and extreme stress for the **care giver** affecting **6 MILLION** in the **USA** and **50 MILLION** worldwide. **PLEASE HELP US FIND A CURE!!! (NEW FLYER BELOW)**





A Project of the Rotary Clubs of North America

3 CARS for CART Raffle

Win YOUR CHOICE:

TOYOTA AVALON HYBRID * TOYOTA CAMRY HYBRID * TOYOTA RAV4 HYBRID
OR \$20,000 CASH



43/44 mpg




51/53mpg



41/38mpg

***Winner selects 3-year lease on car of choice OR \$20,000 cash**

***Buy \$100 tickets plus fee **PAYMENT** for your club, your Governor, your President, \$20,000 for your club or charity, HELP us grow CART to provide Grants to find a cure for this horrible disease.**



Personal checks accepted mail \$100 to Norm Rogers, 146 Freeboard Lane, Carolina Shores, NC 28467 (check= CARS FOR CART) normrogers@atmc.net Proceeds benefit TRAC (Trust Rotary for an Alzheimer's Cure) www.cartfund.org

Yours in Rotary Service and a Cure for Alzheimer's,
Norman Rogers
910-616-1205
CART Division 1 Director -NC/SC
normrogers@atmc.net

All District 7730 GOLDEN BUCKET checks to be made out to CART Fund Inc.
Mail to: Norman Rogers
CART Chairman 7730
146 Freeboard Lane
Carolina Shores N. C. 28467

CART Golden Bucket Winners

By Norman Rogers

Congratulations to the Wilmington and Leland Rotary Clubs for winning the **CART GOLDEN BUCKET** contest for 2021-2022. The **Wilmington club of 170 members** contributed **\$4,300/\$25.29 per capita** to win the **MOST GIVING** award. The **LELAND club of 32 members** contributed **\$2525.55/\$78.92 per capita** to win the **PER CAPITA** award. **Each club has won the award previously so they will keep these GOLDEN BUCKETS FOR LIFE!!!**
Thanks to all the District 7730 clubs who gave total of \$33,994.84.



Yours in Rotary Service and a Cure for Alzheimer's,
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CART Division 1 Director -NC/SC
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Here we Grow Again - New Members

New Members from September 1 to September 30, 2022

Member Name	Start Date	Club
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Collins, Crystal
Thayer, Kathy
Willis, Jim
Thigpen, Jimmy
Womble, Andy
Hayes, Ashley
Engrassia, Tony
Ezzell, Jason
Simmons, Virginia
Broce, Nathan
Kahl, Tom
Edwards, Cindy
Howard, Franky
Rivenbark, F.D.
Zimmermann, Bonnie

9/1/2022Lumberton
9/1/2022Morehead City
9/5/2022Laurinburg
9/5/2022Laurinburg
9/5/2022Laurinburg
9/5/2022Laurinburg
9/6/2022Jacksonville
9/8/2022Morehead City
9/9/2022Wilmington Cape Fear
9/12/2022Wilmington West
9/16/2022South Brunswick Islands
9/17/2022New River (Onslow County)
9/20/2022Jacksonville
9/20/2022Jacksonville
9/22/2022Surf City
9/29/2022Maysville

Community Cleanup

By Christine Lamb

Beaufort Ole Towne Rotary Club teamed up with the Towne of Beaufort, Beaufort Lion's Club, and Friends of the Maritime Museum for an NCDOT cleanup on September 24th for a community cleanup.



Maysville is celebrating 75 years! Join us for our celebration!

By Ellen Deaton

Join the Rotary Club of Maysville as we celebrate 75 years.

Save the Date:

Saturday, October 22, 2022
5-8PM
Pollocksville Community Center
215 Foy Street

Pollocksville, NC 28573

RSVP no later than October 10th for a pig pickin' with all the trimmings!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Dress is business casual- Agenda coming soon!

\$250,000 Multi-District Disaster Aide Grant for Ukraine

By Nancy S. Carr on Monday, August 1, 2022

Our district is proud to participate in a \$250,000 multi-district grant to provide essential medical supplies to Ukraine. We partnered with 9 other districts to provide \$25,000 each for this effort. Unlike many other RI grants, no matching funds or financial commitments are required.



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Mark Your Calendars for the SBI Three Bridge Tour

By Antonia Pica



**EVENT DATE:
NOVEMBER 5, 2022**

1 BRIDGE: SUNSET BEACH, 9.5 MILES

**2 BRIDGES: SB and OCEAN ISLE
BEACH, 33 MILES**

**3 BRIDGES: SB, OI, & HOLDEN BEACH,
63 MILES**

SBIROTARY@GMAIL.COM

Buddy Walk October 8, 2022

By Jennifer Hardee Vanasse

Please join us in supporting Oliver's Entourage and our friends at Coastal Buds.

CAPE FEAR
BUDDYWALK[®]
national down syndrome society[®]
EDUCATE | ADVOCATE | CELEBRATE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

9:00 A.M. - NOON

WALK WITH US

• DOWN SYNDROME AWARENESS •

Belville Riverwalk Park, Belville, NC

910-742-5204

Coastal BUDS
Bringing Up Down Syndrome

coastalbuds.org

Southport Cougar Classic - October 29th!

By Shawn Braswell

Southport Evening
Rotary  

2022

Golf Outing for Building Better Futures Campaign for Children at SBHS & our Community




6th Annual Rotary Cougar Classic Golf Tournament

8:30 AM Registration 9:30 AM Shotgun Start
 4 Person's Captain's Choice

Enjoy a complete program of special events, 18 holes of golf (including cart), breakfast & lunch, door prizes for each player and an exciting awards banquet... All for just \$100 / player

SATURDAY, October 29, 2022
 Carolina National Club - 1643 Goley Hewett Rd SE - Bolivia, NC 28422



FUN!

- 2022 Ford Silverado Hole-in-One Challenge sponsored by Jeff Gordon Chevrolet
- Mulligans, 50/50 Raffle & Door Prizes

Cost: \$100 per player
 Registration 8:30 AM
 132 Golfers - 33 Teams & more

To help us properly plan for this event, please pre-register by going to: rotarycougarclassic.com

Golf attire is required. Collared shirts and slacks. No steel spikes are allowed on the course. All participants must be at least 7 years of age.

Blood Drive 9/22/2022

By Daniel W. Parks

Another successful blood drive 9/22/2022. Rotary Clubs of Wilmington have now collected 921 units of blood over 23 blood drives! Pictured is John Hinrichs of Wilmington West Rotary donating a Power Red, the equivalence of two units. John is a frequent donor in our efforts!



New River Onslow Reverse Raffle November 17th

By John M. Potter

**REVERSE
RAFFLE**

**NOVEMBER
17th**


**\$5,000.00
GRAND PRIZE**

NEW RIVER ROTARY CLUB

DOORS OPEN AT 6PM // TICKETS \$100 // FREE PARKING
JACKSONVILLE COUNTRY CLUB - 2201 COUNTRY CLUB RD, JACKSONVILLE
STREAMING ON FACEBOOK LIVE
@NEWRIVERROTARY

RED CROSS NEEDS ROTARIAN HELP!

By Daniel W. Parks

 The American Red Cross is a non-profit that was founded to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors. We aspire to turn compassion into action so that: all people affected by disaster across the country and around the world receive care, shelter and hope; our communities are ready and prepared for disasters; everyone in our country has access to safe, lifesaving blood and blood products; all members of our armed services and their families find support and comfort whenever needed; and in an emergency, there are always trained individuals nearby, ready to use their Red Cross skills to save lives. If you are looking to volunteer, visit www.redcross.com/volunteer to browse our many open positions right in your area! If you are looking for a speaker to come talk to your organization about different ways to get involved with the Red Cross, email Janie McLamb at janie.mclamb2@redcross.org

Young Man still needs a kidney!

By Daniel W. Parks

Please forward this story of a young man's need for a kidney transplant to all social media at your disposal!



The donor waiting list is 7 YEARS, and Justin likely will not survive that long without a new kidney.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

Become a Living Donor

For Living Donations, specifically for Justin, please contact Duke Health Transplant Center, Living Donor Program directly at 919-613-7777 or 800-249-5864. Learn more at www.dukehealth.org/treatments/transplant-program/kidney-donation

Spread the Word Share Justin's story on your social media and with organizations in which you are involved. We need lots of likes on FB site: [kidney2justin](https://www.facebook.com/kidney2justin). For more information, go to kidney2justin.com

JUSTIN'S STORY

Justin is once again fighting for his life

Justin won a similar battle 25 years ago with a successful heart transplant, but the medicines have destroyed his kidneys.

Dialysis started, fall of 2021 and he is in acute kidney failure. To stay alive Justin is on dialysis 24/7.

Justin desperately needs a kidney transplant now before there is damage to his heart. The best option is a live kidney donor.

Justin has been a good steward of his transplanted heart, and he would be a good steward for your kidney.



- Ron Lammerts

www.kidney2justin.com

Night on the Town 2022 - Southport Evening Rotary

By Mary Beth Elizabeth Livers



Southport Evening
Rotary 

NIGHT ON THE TOWN 2022

Restaurant Raffle \$20 Ticket

Every year the Southport Evening Rotary Club puts together a raffle that gives you a chance to win \$500 in local restaurant gift cards.

The drawing will be held on **October 29th, 2022.**

All proceeds from the raffle go towards the Southport Evening Rotary Club's Building Better Futures Campaign which provides items and assistance that enrich the lives of the youth in Brunswick County, NC.

- **1st prize:** Five \$100 Gift Cards to local restaurants
- **2nd prize:** Two \$100 Gift Cards to local restaurants
- **3rd prize:** One \$100 Gift Cards to local restaurants

<https://sercrestantraffle.com/>



Do not need to be present to win!

[CLICK HERE TO BUY YOUR TICKET ONLINE](#)

Wilmington West Welcomes DG Nancy to their club!

By Tori Jones

District Governor Nancy Carr spoke at the Rotary Club of Wilmington West on Thursday, September 9, and club President Hunter Cockrell presented her with a check for the Rotary Foundation. Also at the meeting from the District level were (L-R) Dan Parks, Area 3 Governor; Allen Quigley, District Governor Elect, and Andi Young, District Membership Chair. Allen and Andi are members of Wilmington West, and Dan is a member of Wilmington East.



Tori Jones

Youth Services



Click on the chair name to email them.

District Interact Chair: [Jennifer Hardee Vanasse](#)

- For more information: interact@rotary.org

District Rotaract Chair: [Magda Baggett](#)

- For more information: Rotaract@rotary.org

District Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) Chair: [Phil Panzarella](#)

District Youth Services Chair: [Ken Benton](#)

District Student Protection Officer: [Jean Hall](#)

- You can find our clubs in Bladen, Brunswick, Carteret, Columbus, Cumberland, Duplin, Jones, Lenoir, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender, Robeson, Sampson and Scotland Counties!

Rotary International Calendar

By Lin Kelly

Visit [this calendar](#) throughout the year to find [award](#) nomination due dates and [convention](#) and event information. Develop meeting agendas, projects, or public image campaigns based on these special occasions. All dates are subject to change.

See a complete list of [United Nations observances](#), including international days, weeks, and years.

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