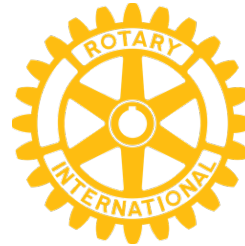


# Rotary

## Club of Spring Valley (Columbia)



### Club Meeting

Spring Valley (Columbia)  
Meets at Northeast  
Presbyterian Church  
601 Polo Road  
Columbia, SC 29223  
Time: Thursday at 01:00  
PM

### Club Leaders



Ted Rausch  
President



Denise LaRue  
Ruben  
Satellite Club  
Chair



Lachaska  
Salmond  
President-Elect  
Vice President



Holly Swan  
Secretary



William Keith  
Chichester  
Treasurer



Patricia A.  
Barclay  
Club Service  
Chair



Diane Wood  
Junis  
Club Public  
Image Chair



Brian P. Dunphy  
iPast President  
Membership  
Chair



Peter J. Stahl  
Club Foundation  
Chair



John Walko  
Community  
Service Chair

Tuesday, September 17, 2024

### Meeting agenda 9.19.2024

**Menu: Hibachi chicken, brown and white rice, sauteed peppers and onions, salad and dessert**

**Invocation and Pledge: Phil Newsom**

**Announcements - Ted Rausch**

**Popcorn Fundraiser Kick Off - Shelly Dunphy**

**Today's Program-Introduction by Ted Rausch**

**Angela Vandelay - Peace Corps Presentation**



### Peace Corps

<https://www.peacecorps.gov/>

Mission: To promote world peace and friendship through community-based development and intercultural understanding.

Peace Corps Volunteers and host community partners advance and embody our mission, values, and three goals in communities around the globe. We invite you to learn more about the Peace Corps and how we promote human connection across cultures and make a lasting impact.

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**Michele L. Dunphy**  
Youth Services  
Director

## Speakers

**September 19, 2024**

Angela Vandelay  
Peace Corps

**September 26, 2024**

Jennifer Burgos-Carnes  
and Stephanie Harrell  
Richland Two's  
Elementary English-  
Language Arts  
Specialists

**October 03, 2024**

David Hall, Midlands  
Orphan Relief

**October 10, 2024**

2024 Nut Campaign Kick  
Off

**October 17, 2024**

Shannon Willis Scruggs,  
Executive Director,  
Town Theatre

**October 31, 2024**

Dr. Cynthia Davis,  
Senior VP, Sustain SC

**November 07, 2024**

Gary Hartman  
Armed Services  
Veterans Band

**November 14, 2024**

Sarah Hayes, Associate  
Commissioner, South  
Carolina High School  
League

**November 21, 2024**

Charles "Chuck"  
Fienning  
Arch Klump Society -  
Rotary Foundation

**November 28, 2024**

THANKSGIVING DAY  
NO MEETING

## Events

September 18th  
**Satellite Club**  
**Meeting**

September 19th  
**SV Rotary Board**  
**Meeting**

September 30th  
**Transitions Service**  
**Opportunity**

October 17th  
**SV Rotary Board**  
**Meeting**

# Double Good Popcorn Fundraiser for Youth Exchange - SAVE THE DATE!

Our



virtual **Double Good fundraiser** will be held **Thursday, Sept 19 through Monday, Sept 23 (Begins at 1:30 pm Thursday and ends at 1:30 pm on Monday.)**

This project is 100% contactless, meaning we don't have to touch a bag of popcorn....the product ships directly to each buyer, and we get 50% of the profit, which will help fund our Rotary Youth Exchange Program. This year we are hosting one inbound student, Iina Linna from Finland. We already have several interested candidates for OUTBOUND exchanges next year.

We'll each create a "Pop-Up" store and sell Double Good popcorn. Prices for signature bags (5 cups each) start at \$11. The popcorn is ultra-premium, delicious and award-winning.

### **You will need to download the Double Good app to your PHONE**

(we'll show you how to do this at our meeting on Thursday 9/19) If you participated last year, you already have an account. Use the APP on your phone.

Enter our event code **CXV BTT** in the app

Create your Pop-Up store. If you have a photo of you with an exchange student, use that....or just a photo of you....maybe in a Rotary shirt, but definitely use a photo!

Shelly Dunphy will lead our kick-off at Thursday's meeting. (9/19)

Here's the website for more info: <https://www.doublegood.com/popup/>

Contact Shelly Dunphy with any questions at (803) 920-3709 or

[shellydunphy@icloud.com](mailto:shellydunphy@icloud.com)

November 16th  
**Adopt-a-Highway**  
**Trash Pick-Up**

November 21st  
**SV Rotary Board**  
**Meeting**

## The Weekly Raffle



**Door prizes are always needed for our weekly raffles. Please consider contributing an item.**

Any questions, contact Judy Gaskins, [jgaskins001@sc.rr.com](mailto:jgaskins001@sc.rr.com) or (803) 315-3723. Have items you can "re-gift?" A bottle of wine is always the coveted prize! Or maybe a gift card?

For the first quarter of this Rotary year (July-September) our weekly raffle proceeds will help fund our End Polio Now campaign.

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## Meals on Wheels Delivery

**Thanks to Phil Newsom and Lindsay Agostini for serving last week!**

**Signed up are:**

**9/19 - TWO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**9/26 - Brian Dunphy and ONE VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

**10/3 - Diane Junis and ONE VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

**Isn't it time YOU signed up?**



Please consider signing up for a **Thursday** Meals on Wheels delivery. This involves meeting at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church at 10:45 a.m. and delivering meals to 5-10 homes on our Northeast Route. Delivery takes about an hour. Ideally, we want two members to sign up. A spouse or friend, non-member or potential member can deliver with you.

**MEALS ON WHEELS SIGN UP link**

**Thanks to PHIL NEWSOM for agreeing to serve as our club's Meals on Wheels coordinator! Contact Phil with any questions.**

803-315-0299

[newsomp133@gmail.com](mailto:newsomp133@gmail.com)

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## Serving Dinner at Transitions

Thanks to Ginny Reed for serving on Monday, September 16th. But next time she'd LOVE to have a Rotarian partner or two!



We're helping Transitions fulfill their mission of serving 3 meals a day, 365 days a year!

NEXT SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES ARE:

**Second Monday in September on Monday, September 30 from 5-6 pm. (Signed up is: Brian Dunphy)**

**Monday, October 21**

**Monday, November 18**

**Monday, December 16**

### [Transitions Sign Up Link](#)

We need a member to lead our monthly service project at Transitions. If you are interested, please contact President Ted or Community Service Chair, John Walko.

To learn more about the great work Transitions is doing in our community, visit: [Transitions website](#)

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## Volleyball - Thursday night Sept 19

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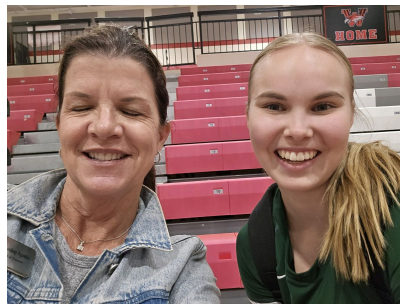


Iina and Spring Valley High School's next HOME volleyball match is:

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19th at SVHS at 7 pm** vs. Lugoff Elgin HS.

Admission is \$6 and cash or card is accepted.

Let's have a nice group of Rotarians show up to cheer on Iina and the team!



Thanks Lindsay for showing up for Iina's match on Thursday, September 12th!

Thanks to Brian Dunphy for bringing Iina to our meeting last week!





## SAVE THE DATE - NETWORKING EVENT - Oct. 10 5-6:30 pm



More details to come but please think about who you can invite to attend this networking event.

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## Lunch A La CART 9.18.24



We are pleased to welcome Dr. Erik Musiek as our guest speaker for the Sept 18 "Lunch & Learn" series to provide an update on Alzheimer's Research, including outcomes from his CART-funded grant. We will meet via zoom from Noon-1pm EST. Dr. Musiek was the recipient of a \$250,000 CART grant in 2015.

Join Zoom Meeting

[https://zoom.us/j/92254791564?](https://zoom.us/j/92254791564?pwd=BK9BiqwScab81bHvaebJ6CzgKKApHL.1)

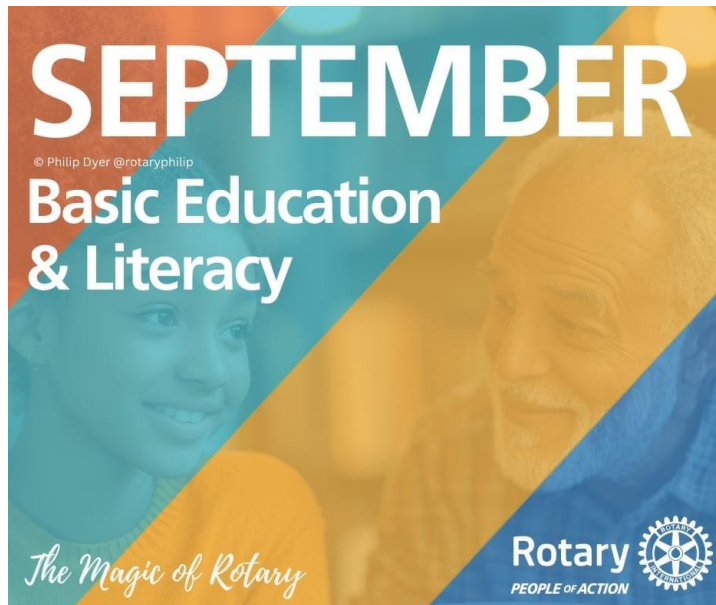
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## Rotary's September Theme



### Walk to End Alzheimer's - Saturday, Oct. 19

The Forest Acres Rotary Club has a team for this year's Walk to End Alzheimer's, scheduled for:

**Saturday, Oct. 19 at Segra Park.**

**Registration 9:00 AM**

**Opening Ceremony 9:45 AM**

**Walk follows Ceremony**



The Forest Acres team page can be found here:

[Registration LINK](#)

You can support this effort by signing up to walk on the team or by contributing to the fundraising effort.

Thanks for your Support!

W. Stan Holland

Forest Acres Rotary Team Captain

[wshrotary@gmail.com](mailto:wshrotary@gmail.com)

### Birthdays



[Dan Perez](#)

September 19th



[Richard C. Hucks](#)

September 20th

### Wedding Anniversaries-None this week

### Years of Service



[Drew Painter](#)  
22 Years



[Michele L. Dunphy](#)  
3 Years



[Lee Roberts Jr.](#)  
1 Year