



Midlothian Rotary Coal Line

August - Bob Roop, Reporter
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Club Calendar

September Programs

- Will Shewmake
- 9/6 Garrett Hart
Chesterfield Economic
Development Director
- 9/13 David Saunders
College Assurance Partnership
- 9/20 Sheriff Karl Leonard
- 9/23 Dist. Conference
- 9/27 Club Assembly

August Birthdays

- 8/10 Richard McCullough
- 8/13 Dunn Dillard
- 8/14 Mark Steil
- 8/17 Bob Stallworth
- 8/24 David Denson
- 8/24 Tracy Seredni
- 8/26 Judith Daniel
- 8/27 Brad Bailey
- 8/30 Tom Stepka

Rotary Anniversaries

- 8/24 Allen Worley 5 yrs

Wedding Anniversaries

- 8/8 Jim & Josephine Kelly 46 yrs
- 8/12 Joe & Pat Crockett 44 yrs
- 8/15 Bob & Lynn Stallworth 45 yrs
- 8/16 Veronica & Lee Nugent 2
- 8/20 Tom & Dorcas Yeager 39 yrs
- 8/24 David & Betty Larmore 48 yrs
- 8/26 Wayne & Sue Woodcock
49 yrs
- 8/28 Richard & Kimi McCullough
45 yrs
- 8/30 Maureen & Mark Patterson
19 yrs

Thanks to Bob Roop for serving as bulletin reporter for August

Announcements

President Maureen Patterson called on **Brad Bailey** to open the meeting with our blessing and pledge.

Maureen made the following announcements:

The Food Festival committee will meet on **September 6, 6:00PM** at Stonehenge.

The **September 23 District conference** will be at the Newport News City Center Marriott.

The presentation of a check from the collection last week, plus club match, for \$1300.00 for the district donation to Louisiana Flood victims, to **District Governor Diane Hagemann**.

The Club Board approved a \$1000 contribution to the **Chesterfield Performing Arts** facility.

The District Interact fall training Conference is **Oct. 29th** in Newport News.

On **Wednesday, August 31, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.** the service committee will have a committee meeting via telephone conference call to learn more about **Roc Solid** and how we can support this organization. The call will be lead by Richard Adams. Please plan to attend by phone. You can call in from wherever you are, place your phone on mute, and listen. A follow up email we be sent out on Wednesday to the committee members with the conference call call-in information. Please mark your calendar and plan to participate.

Robbin Kolbe announced that sponsorships for MMFF are due by September 9 to get on broadcast and in literature.

David Saunders passed on that the District Conference Silent Auction is looking for donated auction items. This is a district fund raiser.

Chandler Williams invited members to the Manakin Episcopal Church Gala and Auction at Salisbury CC on September 24 at 6:30. Tickets are \$50.00 and

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only 200 will be sold. This is an event to raise funds for Church missions.

Assistant Governor Richard Cunningham announced that local charity, Housing Families First is seeking beds and bedding for their homeless program. If you can help, go to housingfamiliesfirst.org.

Commissioner Tom Yeager's Sports Reports start next week.

Club Care & Concern

Wayne Woodcock reported that **Larry Chottiner's** granddaughter, **Emily**, is now in hospice care. Please keep Larry's family in your thoughts and prayers.

Happy Dollars

Allen Worley is happy that he ran the Patrick Henry half marathon, is going to Baton Rouge with his church to help with flood recovery, and son Josh is coming home from deployment in September.

Robbin Kolbe is happy to be mentoring 2 boys and had an eventful day at Kings Dominion

Governor Diane Hagemann is happy to be in the Best District in Rotary.

Bob Stallworth is happy to be celebrating the anniversary of Midlothian Rotary Club participation in Hurricane Katrina recovery.

Patricia Greene is happy for help with Bright Beginnings and her son starting 2nd grade. This is our 6th year assisting with Bright Beginnings.

Assistant Governor Richard Cunningham is glad for James River Rotary Club to be enthusiastic about MMFF and encouraged Midlothian Club to join the Midlothian Village parade in October.

Program

Assistant Governor Richard Cunningham introduced **District Governor Diane Hagemann**.

Governor Diane gave us some background on Rotary Structure. She is one of 540 District Governors and there are 64 clubs in District 7600. Her goals include the following:

Enhance committee programs to engage members

Rotary Clubs should be known for results

Clubs should use all means to communicate to members and community

Ask someone to join the club

All clubs achieve a Club Presidential Citation

Members attend training sessions and use "My Rotary" as a tool



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Start a Rotaract Club and encourage young professionals to join Rotary

Increase foundation giving through a district goal of \$200.00 per member and recognize benefactor donors

Energize leaders in Rotary and celebrate 100 years of local clubs and 30 years of women in Rotary

She also invited all members to the district conference. The next president of RI will be in attendance and our **David Saunders** will be presenting a Public Image program. Also consider attending the RI Convention, next summer in Atlanta.

Diane left us with the charge of being inspired by Rotary, to go and tell the Rotary story and to continue to serve in the community.

Attendance - Ernie Rogers

Members - 42

Visiting Rotarians - **Dennis LaLiberte**

Guests - **Glen Groat, Amanda Chase, Thomsa and Omar (with Sandra Sylvester)**

Small Pot winner - Randy Ellington - \$21

Large Pot - \$331

Four Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOOD WILL
and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



