

Yorktown Rotary Club

Recent Events



Club member Dave Fulk and his wife Donna shared stories about their trip to Kenya and Tanzania two months ago. They talked about the vehicles, lodges, clothes, and a lot about the many animals they saw there. It was an interesting talk!



Christopher Galosi, owner of Wild Geese Trading gun shop in Yorktown, talked a bit about his company but his main topic was protecting your valuables. He talked about the need for quality safes if you have valuables to protect and the importance of getting appraisals for those items.



Darren Williams, Chief of Waterfront Operations and Events, talked about all that has been going on this past fall and what's planned for the rest of the year. Kevin Ritchie, Event Planner at York County Tourism Development, talked about several of the large and exciting events on the horizon unique to Yorktown.

December						
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3	4 No Meeting	5 Auction & Dinner Prep	6 Auction &	7	8	9
10	11 Meeting	12	13	14	15 Ed Jackson BD	16
17	18 Meeting	19	20	21 Helmut Walter BD	22	23
24	25 Christmas Day No Meeting	26	27	28 Marc Morin BD	29	30
31						
January						
	1 New Years Day No Meeting	2	3 Malcolm Burgess BD	4	5	6
7 Lou Smith BD	8 Meeting	9 Gary King BD	10	11	12	13
14	15 Meeting	16	17 Gail King BD	18	19	20
21	22 Meeting Dal Maddalone BD	23	24	25	26 Bill Mettler BD	27
28	29 Meeting	30	31			
BD = Birthday		4				

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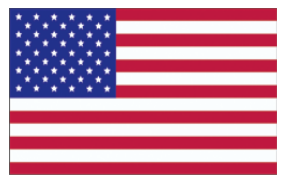
Peace Through Service

Coming Up at Yorktown Rotary Club

Rotary Theme for December - Disease Prevention & Treatment

Club Programs Coming Up

- Dec 4: No Meeting
- Dec 6: Rotary Auction @ Seaford Yacht Club 5:30pm (Wednesday)
- Dec 11: Christa Riley - New Member Classification Talk
- Dec 18: TBD
- Dec 25: No meeting (Christmas Day)



God Bless America!

Highlights from Previous Programs

- Nov 6: Jeanna Henderson, York County Economic & Tourism Development
- Nov 13: Christopher Galosi, "Insurance Appraisals Before You Need It"
- Nov 20: Christa Riley (newest member), Classification Talk
- Nov 27: Auction Planning



Items of Interest to Our Members



Our friends from the Refugio in Ecuador presented President Rob with a plaque in honor of all that we've done for them. Sonia Suarez and Maribel Diaz are both from the Refugio. At the left is Richard Coro who works for the United Nations and has been helping with the Refugio and several other projects in South America.



CREATE HOPE in the WORLD

Visitors

- 11/6 - Kevin Richie Darren Williams
- 11/13 - Marilyn Staton

Attendance

- Sept - 16
- Oct - 20
- 2 Month Avg -18 Members (58%)

WEB SITES

Information is available from Rotary International at www.rotary.com and from the Rotary District 7600 site at www.rotary7600.org. You can find club information at the DaCdb link. The club also has a web site at www.yorktownrotaryclub.org for the general public and Race participants.

- ◆ Increase membership to additional 5 Rotarians.
- ◆ Implement an incentive program to invite guests to weekly meetings, especially service project discussions and special guest speakers.
- ◆ Invite guests who could participate in our service projects, such as plumbers, carpenters, etc.
- ◆ Invite military figures, political figures and city/county officials as guest speakers.
- ◆ Offer lower cost annual memberships to member spouses and significant others.
- ◆ Identify and undertake more non-sweat equity service projects such as social service projects, sponsorship of blood drives, and building book stands with Rotary’s logo and placing in lower income communities.

2023 College Scholarship Winners

- ◆ York HS - Morgan Hatfield who is attending Longwood University
- ◆ Tabb HS - Shannon Myatt who is attending Virginia Tech

Meeting Make-up Opportunities

Check ahead at the websites of these Rotary clubs to confirm meeting times in these Covid-19 times

Monday	6:30 pm	Yorktown, Riverwalk Restaurant on the Yorktown Waterfront, 323 Water Street, 875-1525
Tuesday	7:00 am	James City County, Kingsmill Golf Clubhouse, Williamsburg, 1st & 3rd Tuesdays only, 281-543.6635
	7:30 am	Gloucester Point, Abingdon Episcopal Church, Rt 17 near Hayes, 804-693-3733
	Noon	Newport News, James River Country Club, Newport News, 851-3558
Wednesday	7:30 am	Warwick at City Center Newport News, Café at Virginia Living Museum, 524 J Clyde Morris Blvd, Newport News VA 874-5545
	Noon	Virginia Peninsula, Sentara CarePlex, Left Entrance, 3000 Coliseum Dr, Hampton, 220-5109
	Noon	Historic Triangle, Colonial Heritage Clubhouse, Rt. 60 across from Pottery, 258-4517
Thursday	6:30 pm	Williamsburg, Williamsburg Lodge, 310 South England St., Williamsburg, 903-4403
	6:30 pm	Hampton, Crown Plaza Hotel, 700 Settlers Landing, Hampton, 288-3939
Friday	7:30 am	Oyster Point of Newport News, David Student Union, Christopher Newport University,

Club Organization 2023- 2024

Officers

President
Rob Heavner

President-Elect
TBD

Secretary
Jack Staton

Treasurer
David Fulk

Past President
David Grimsley

Directors

Club Administration & Public Relations
Rodney Hockaday

Membership
Trevor Jones

Service Projects
Scott Chandler

Rotary Foundation
David Tyree

Sergeant-at-Arms
Dal Maddalon

Yorktown Rotary Foundation 2023 - 2024

Trustee/President
Bill Pope

Trustee
Chasity Curry

Trustee/Race Director
Tom Hunter

Secretary
Harry Fagan

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 GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- fourth**
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Club Committees 2023 - 2024

Administration & Public Relations

Rodney Hockaday

Weekly Program s
Bill Riter

Monthly Bulletin
Malcolm Burgess

Communications/Web Site
Dave Fulk

Audit
TBD

Investment Funds Committee
Jack Staton
Bill Pope
Dave Fulk

Charter Anniversary & Year End Dinners
Bob Edwards
Bill Pope

Develop Long Range Strategic Plan for Club
TBD

Membership

Trevor Jones

Community Interact Club
Scott Chandler

Recruiting & Fellowship
Michelle Pollock
Rob Heavner

Member Training
TBD

RYLA
TBD

Photography
Dave Fulk

Community Awards/ Recognition
TBD

Foundation

David Tyree

Club & Member Giving
Dave McElwey

Christmas Auction
Ed Jackson
Scott Chandler
Rodney Hockaday
Dave Fulk

District Grants
TBD

Global Grants
TBD

50/50 Raffle
Dal Maddalon

Service Projects

Scott Chandler

Freedom Run:
Race Director — Tom Hunter

HS Scholarship Awards
Chasity Curry

EdMarc Weekend
Rob Heavner

Woodville-Rosenwald School Project
David Grimsley
Dave Fulk
Scott Chandler

Veterans Fishing
Bill Reiser
Mike Hensley

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

By giving \$100 or more per year to the Annual Fund, you or anyone you designate, will be recognized as a ROTARY FOUNDATION SUSTAINING MEMBER. Giving totaling \$1000 provides for a PAUL HARRIS FELLOW; with club matching funds up to \$100 each year, achieve this goal in FIVE YEARS!

Got Time and Want to Serve? Volunteer to Assist On A Committee!