ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Attendance Last Week
15 ZOOM 58 in person







Chartered 1921

Distinct 7570, Area 1, Club

August 15, 2024

OUR PROGRAM THIS WEEK:

Denny Madigan - An Affair to Remember

WHAT'S COMING UP. . .

- Aug. 22 Gracie Flowers and Josiah (JoJo) Carter Rebound Exchange Students
- Aug. 22 Board Meeting, beginning 5:30 pm
- Aug. 29 Amanda Burrell, Graduate of Recovery Court
- Sept. 5 New Member Talks
- Sept. 12 Neighborhood Nights event at Whittier Park
- Sept. 21 & 22 APPLE HARVEST FESTIVAL

OUR FAMILY PICNIC

Dan Martin thanked Dave Kelly, Chris Lewis, Jean Barch and all of the cooks and crew for their help at the family picnic.



Thanks to all who

volunteered to prepare the food, cook, serve and clean up this wonderful dinner. He encouraged people to not miss all the fun at next year's picnic.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

President John inducted Jessica White into our club. Sponsored by her uncle Ridge White and Jean



Barch. She works as the Creative Director for Willow Grove Farm & White Properties. *Welcome Jessica!*

OUR WEEKLY 50/50 DRAWING

Kevin Callanan let us know that the payout for our weekly drawing has changed. The winner of our weekly drawing will re-



ceive 50% of the weekly pot, 25% of the weekly pot will go to the club and 25% will go to the progressive pot that will be won once "a lucky winner pulls the Ace of Spades from the card deck." Good Luck.

BOARD MEETING - AUGUST 22

Board Meeting beginning at 5:30 5:30 to 6:30 Board Agenda. 6:30-7:30 developing board goals for the year. Members are encouraged to attend.

OUR PROGRAM LAST WEEK

Tom Stamulis spoke to the club about identity theft and cyber security. Tom served for 20 years in Army counterintelligence. Tom started his cybersecurity business True North Group here in Winchester in 2019.



Tom stated that the public has largely become numb to identity

theft and on-line fraud and needs to learn to protect themselves and their P.I.I. or Personal Individual Information. Tom said True North Group will help act as chief data defender.



Tom said that the U.S. averages \$10 billion in consumer fraud losses each year and currently Virginia ranks 22nd in number of cases. Tom said that in addition to the thousands of dollars that identify theft costs the

victim, it also takes an average of 170 hours of the victim's time to restore their identity.

Tom offered tips to protect yourself:

- 1. Never give out PII over the phone.
- 2. Change passwords & store them in a password vault.
- 3. Review your credit report annually.
- 4. Update your operating system software.
- 5. Install anti-virus software.
- 6. Don't use PII when you are on an open WiFi.
- 7. Perform a privacy assessment on your social media.

RUMMAGE SALE - NEW DATE

The Rummage Sale Committee decided to POSTPONE THE RUM-MAGE SALE UNTIL OCT. 19TH. It was determined that there wasn't enough time to adequately organize the sale or enough manpower available to pull the sale off.



Hopefully, members will be able to help out in October. Put the new date on your calendar now – OCTOBER 19TH!

>> RUMMAGE SALE COMMITTEE MEETING

At 11 am before our regular Club meeting on AUG 22nd to discuss logistics of the upcoming sale Oct. 19th at the Ruritan grounds. New members are strongly encouraged to come check out this fun and highly social event.

Absentees Aug. 8
Marc Abrams
William Aikens
Jenny Baker
Cyril Barch
Jean Barch
Jackie Bates
John Blevins
Kim Blosser

Jan Bresch Larry Cain Kevin Callanan Robin Cardillo Eric Chrisman Linda Coffman Anthony Crosan Nancy Davis Rosalee Delcampo Robert DeMay Marie Dil. orenzo Dana Evans Rob Frogale Krista Gibbs Phil Glaize Bob Hall Kim Herbstritt Sven Hlywiak Sherry Hudson Alex Iden Donna Jenkins John Jewell Doug Joyner Don Karolyi

David Kent Dick Kent Trey Kern Alexis LaPorte Chris Lewis Chris Merchant Kent Mull Steve Parrish Chuck Peterson Debra Purrington

Dave Kelly

Madelyn Rodriguez Ben Rothermel Karen Schultz Roy Schwarz Irv Shendow Nancy Silva Martin Tabaka Brandan Thomas Michelle Thomas Elyus Wallace

KALEIDOSCOPE 2024

Kevin Callanan reported that he misspoke last week....and contrary to what he said.....there will be **NO discounted price for a table of eight at Kaleidoscope.** The price per ticket is \$200 and a table of eight is priced at \$1,600....sorry for the confusion.

NW Works is the beneficiary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

>> The Board has selected **Opportunity Scholars**, as recommended by the committee, as the beneficiary for our Rotary Golf event.



NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHTS

Our club is a co-sponsor for the **September 12th Neighborhood** Nights event at Whittier Park. **Neighborhood Nights** is the City of Winchester's effort to bring "City Hall to the Community".

We will be grilling hotdogs and handing out information about our Club. There will also be a taco truck, games, and at dusk a movie will be shown."

For questions or to help out, contact **Kit Redmer** at 720-289-1830 or *kitredmer@hotmail.com*. He needs about 4-6 people to make this happen.

Apple Harvest Festival



The kids are back in school and our minds look forward to seasonal changes and THE APPLE HAR-VEST FESTIVAL!

September 21 & 22

It's our 50th Anniversary and we're celebrating with "Apple Harvest at Night", Saturday night. As with previous festivals, this is an "all-hands-on-deck" event so please sign up! Each shift you work counts as a floating makeup, which means you can use it anytime during the year.

https://www.signupgenius.com/ go/508044BAFAA2BA0FC1-50601974-apple

Or feel free to email me and I will add you to the list.

Please consider signing up sooner, than later! Why not DO IT NOW? All areas need help...parking set up and assistance, gate admission, kids area, set up, tear down, festival maintenance, serve adult beverages (always a fav)...there is something for everyone!

NEW MEMBERS...please sign up...It's a great way to get to know your fellow Rotarians at work!

ROTARIANS ARE PEOPLE OF ACTION!

Yours in Rotary,
Darla & Paul Festival Co-Chairs

Make-ups* (Date & Function Attended)
Cyril Barch – 8/9 – Apple Harvest Meeting
Michelle Cody – 8/3 – App Harvest Meeting
Bob Hall – 8/1 – Family Picnic Crew
Dave Kelly – 7/25 – Golf Committee Meeting
Rick Mabe – 8/9 – Apple Harvest Meeting
Chuck Peterson – 6/18 – Apple Harvest Meeting
Jonathan Snowden – 8/5 – Rummage Sale Meeting

Turning in a Make-up?

Please make sure to complete all information, including your name, the event or club attended, date attended and date making-up on all make-cards and slips submitted.

HEALTH TIP

Libba encouraged club members to get some exercise and support a good cause by joining **CCAP's 4th Annual Bike Tour.** The family ride will be at the MSV but also 30, 50, 70 and 100 mile routes are available for those ready to test their endurance. The event will take place **August 24th.**

Libba also reminded club members to protect themselves from the sun during these dog days of

summer.

Libba let us know that August 8th was both sneak a zucchini on

your neighbors' porch day as well



as dollar bill day.

ROTARY BANNER DONATION

President John displayed a Rotary banner that was donated to the club by Doc Madigan's family.

ROTARY DAY AT CAMP FANTASTIC

More than a dozen club members traveled to the northern Virginia 4-H Educational Center last Thursday to serve dinner at camp fantastic, the one week adventure for children with cancer that the late Tom Baker and his wife, Sheila, founded it in 1983.

A little rainy weather didn't dampen the enthusiasm of the 47 campers in attendance, and the delicious chicken barbecue did a lot to help them forget about the weather - though Hurricane Debbie provided a big reminder later that night. Many thanks to all the members who joined the fun, especially Chris Lewis for leading the charge.

Dave Smith Sr. Director, Outreach & Programs Special Love, Inc.



NEXT BOARD MEETING THURSDAY, AUGUST 22 5:30 PM

Winchester Country Club

All are welcome & it counts as a Make-up!

President - John Lamanna President-Elect - Paul Frank Secretary - Bob Hall Treasurer - Darcus Breneman

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