



The Rotary Club of Columbia-Patuxent

www.columbiarotary.com

Fridays - 7:30 a.m.
Linden Hall - Dorsey's Search Village Center
4765 Dorsey Hall Drive, Ellicott City, MD
August 25, 2017

“Get St*ff Done”
(Keeping it PG rated)

President Mark Stoner called our meeting to Order

Secretarial Moments by Rob “I still have a great haircut” Estes.

Make-Ups:

Memberships:

Sandy Harriman, Walter Mazzella, Roy Felipe, Darrell Nevis, Lance Cook.

Guests:

Several prospective members

Visiting Rotarians:

Herb Moltzmann and Steve Sachs from the Columbia Rotary Club discussed the 50th Annual William Jefferson Memorial Golf Benefit on Sept. 11, 2017.

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Foundation Moment:

Charlie McCabe:

GIVE TO THE FOUNDATION!

Membership Moment:

Roy Felipe:

**We have a goal of 20 new corporate members in this upcoming year!
Bring in more members, Keep the momentum rolling!**

Vocational Moment:

Charlie McCabe:

While being distracted by his own texting, Charlie reminded us that texting while driving has dramatically increased auto insurance.

Don't Text and Drive!

Club Announcements:

Sandy Harriman:



Welcome to our newest member, Jen Grieb of the Community Action Council!

(Member and ³/₄?)

Community Action Council Food Bank scheduled for September 8, 2017. Paper goods will be highlighted this time.

Larry Newman:

Message by Our District Governor, William Wims:

Our District 7620 has a generous history of helping the victims of floods in West Virginia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and locally at Ellicott City, MD. Now, our Disaster Relief Committee is once again organizing a weekend deployment of volunteers, in cooperation with the Disaster Aid USA (DAUSA), to assist the recent flood victims of West Virginia. I urge you to consider the following:

- a. volunteering for this cause, if you are an able-bodied person, and
- b. donating funds individually or as a club for this particular cause.

For more details of this volunteer deployment, see below; and also visit: www.DisasterAidUSA.org

Perhaps we could have a group from our club to help those flood victims.

Tom Allen:

We will have **Forums on Opioid Awareness** throughout the year.

Aug. 31 - International Overdose Awareness Day (IOAD) – This is an international day (not a Rotary event) of honoring those in recovery and remembering those who have died. My non-profit (James' Place Inc.) partners with the Howard County Health Dept. to put on the event in Howard County (flyer attached). Speakers include County Exec. Allan Kittleman, Police Chief Gary Gardner, Health Officer Maura Rossman, two people in recovery and two families who have lost loved ones. Howard County Fire & Rescue also demonstrates response to an drug overdose. The program ends with a candlelight vigil. 5:30-8:00 PM (Resource Tables open 5:30 - 7:00 pm; Program 7:00 - 8:00 pm).

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BALL PIT UPDATE:

We have raised over \$8,800 this year. Congratulations! Great Job everyone!

Program:



Deacon James T. Nalls
Executive Director
Family, Parish & Community Outreach Department
Catholic Charities of Washington
www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/MOM

On September 7-10, 2017, the Maryland State Dental Association will sponsor the Mission of Mercy event, at which free dentistry will be offered to the indigent and underserved in our community. This year it will take place at the XFinity Center at College Park. In addition to the 250 volunteer dentists, they will need 750 support volunteers to assist in other capacities.

Obamacare has included ZERO dollars for oral healthcare.
Medicaid in Maryland has ZERO dollars.
\$4 million is spent each year in Emergency Room visits due to a dental issue.
80% of all overdoses start with a legal prescription, including those for dental pain.

The Mission of Mercy was started 17 years ago in Wise, Virginia, and has expanded to 42 states.

The cost for the MOM event in September is approximately \$172,000 which yields over \$1.2 million in dental care.

<http://www.msda.com/mission-of-mercy.php>

Moral support: Eric Biagioli
Executive Director, MSDA Foundation

Sgt. with Arms stand-in substitute, the persistently pugnacious Alan Jefferson:

Highlighted Happy Dollars:

Sandy Harriman is out of retirement, and now works for the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy. Congratulations!

**Many, many for the program
And new member Jen**

50/50 Raffle:

Max Minevich pulls a non-Joker.

The pot is growing, buy more tickets.

Dates to Remember:

August 28, 2017: Happy Hour

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October 29, 2017: HCC 5k Challenge Race

<http://www.howardcc.edu/donors/events/challenge-race/>

December 2, 2017: HCC President's Gala

<http://www.howardcc.edu/donors/events/gala/index.html>

Upcoming Friday Meeting Programs:

9/1: NO MEETING (Labor Day weekend)

9/8: Wings for Val

9/15: TBD

9/22: Station 2 Firehouse train garden

Please watch the trailer of the PolioPlus documentary

www.DareToDreamfilm.com

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www.rotary7620.org

ROTARY CLUBS OF HOWARD COUNTY, MD

www.hocorotary.org

Seven Clubs, One mission: Humanity in Motion

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Fri. 7:30am, Linden Hall

Rotary Club of Columbia

www.columbiarotary.org

Tues. 6:30pm, Eggspectations

Rotary Club of Columbia Town Center

www.ctcrotary.org

Wed. 12:15pm, Sheraton Inn

Rotary Club of Elkridge

Wed. 6:30pm, Elkridge Furnace Inn

Rotary Club of Ellicott City

www.ellicottcityrotary.org

Thurs. 12:00pm, Tersiguel's

Rotary Club of Ellicott City Sunrise

www.sunriserotaryec.org

1st & 3rd Thurs. 7:15am, Tersiguel's

Rotary Club of Howard West

www.HowardWestRotary.org

Mon. 6pm, Alexandra's in Turf Valley