



## The Rotary Club of Columbia-Patuxent

[www.columbiarotary.com](http://www.columbiarotary.com)

Fridays - 7:30 a.m.  
Linden Hall - Dorsey's Search Village Center  
4765 Dorsey Hall Drive, Ellicott City, MD  
January 5, 2018

“Get St\*ff Done”

**President Mark Stoner called our meeting to Order**

**Secretarial Moments by Rob Estes, welcome back from downunda.**

**Guests: Welcome!**

**Sherri Brogan brought a guest, welcome.**

**New member of our fledgling Rotaract club, welcome.**

**Foundation Moment:**

**Blaine Milner:**

**He recounted memories of his youth where other kids were treated for polio with the assistance of an iron lung. Please give to the Foundation.**

**Vocational Moment:**

**Don Washington:**

**S.O.M.E. is an organization in Washington, DC which provides aid to the underprivileged and homeless. It feeds 700-800 people every day. 50% of the people are older than 50 years old. DC has the highest rate of homelessness in the US.**

**Membership Moment:**

**Sandy Harriman:**

**Let's make 2018 a wonderful year for new members!**

**Club Announcements:**

**Mary Ka Kanahan:**

Thank you to the volunteers at the Train Garden.

Next Friday, we will have another Food Bank drive. Bring pasta sauce or canned fruit.

**Tom Allen:**

Opioid Awareness event on January 9, 2018.

**Dave Lerer:**

The Super Bowl Raffle is our next fundraiser. We hope to fill 4 boards. Spread the news.

**Blaine Milner:**

He will lead the Dictionary Project this year. We have allocated \$2,500 to distribute dictionaries to approximately 900 3rd grade students in Howard County.

Lance & Jessica will start organizing a Spring Wine Tasting Event. Any interest? Call Jessica.

**Roy Felipe:**

January 13, 2018:

Baltimore Rotary Club BaconFest fundraiser

“It’s a hoot and a half!”

**Program:**

[www.hcdrugfree.org](http://www.hcdrugfree.org)



**HC Drug Free**

**Joan Webb Scornaienchi, Executive Director**

**Kim Oldham, Deputy State’s Attorney, Howard Co.**

**Mission: HC DrugFree provides resources and education on prevention, treatment, recovery, health and wellness to help Howard County residents develop knowledge and skills to understand and address behavioral health (substance use and mental health) disorders.**



**Vision: Howard County is a special place to live and to raise a family. To keep it special and to combat the rising dangers of substances and other behavioral health disorders, HC DrugFree provides resources and education on prevention, treatment, recovery and wellness to assist Howard County residents. By partnering and providing outreach with the local schools, community organizations, governmental entities and businesses, we offer up-to-date information and resources on the misuse, abuse and dependence of illegal substances and medications through our website and social media, speakers, educators and professionals. HC DrugFree is the premier organization in Howard County that not only provides education, awareness and prevention to individuals, and families, but is on the forefront in organizing Drug Take-Back events, conducting informational programs for students and families, providing secure receptacles for medications, and other innovative methods to help our county's citizens have the tools to live a healthy life.**

**3 out of 5 heroin users started with prescription drugs.**

**Use a home medication lock box to securely guard your prescription drugs.**

***Sgt. between Arms Charlie Montague:***

**Many Program dollars:**

**Highlighted Happy Dollars:**

**Barbara Petilli is ENGAGED!! Congratulations.**

**Roy & Kathy Felipe celebrated their 40th anniversary. Congratulations.**

**Ken Solow will host a Bitcoin Seminar next week. He will only accept payment with BTC, ETH, or LTC.**

**Rob Estes is happy that 2018 has been a fantastic year, and 2019 will be even better!**

**Pam Young has officially retired on Tuesday! Congratulations.**

**Fines:**

**50/50 Raffle:**

**Queen of Hearts is pulled by Cliff Feldwick to rousing applause from the rest of the losers.**

**The pot is growing, buy more tickets.**

### **Dates to Remember:**

**January 9, 2018: Opioid Awareness event.**

**January 13, 2018: Baltimore Rotary Club BaconFest fundraiser**

**February 4, 2018: Charlie McCabe will host the Super Bowl Party.**

### **Upcoming Friday Meeting Programs:**

**1/12/18: Howard Co Legacy Leadership Institute for the Environment**

**1/19: Neighbor Ride**

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL**

**[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)**

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 7620**

**[www.rotary7620.org](http://www.rotary7620.org)**

**ROTARY CLUBS OF HOWARD COUNTY, MD**

[www.hocorotary.org](http://www.hocorotary.org)

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**Fri. 7:30am, Linden Hall**

**Rotary Club of Columbia**

[www.columbiarotary.org](http://www.columbiarotary.org)

**Tues. 6:30pm, Eggspectation**

**Rotary Club of Columbia Town Center**

[www.ctcrotary.org](http://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](http://www.ellicottcityrotary.org)

**Thurs. 12:00pm, Tersiguel's**

**Rotary Club of Ellicott City Sunrise**

[www.sunriserotaryec.org](http://www.sunriserotaryec.org)

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

**Rotary Club of Howard West**

[www.HowardWestRotary.org](http://www.HowardWestRotary.org)

**Mon. 6pm, Alexandra's in Turf Valley**