



The Rotary Club of Columbia-Patuxent

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Fridays - 7:30 a.m.
Linden Hall - Dorsey's Search Village Center
4765 Dorsey Hall Drive, Ellicott City, MD
June 9, 2017

"Imagine the Possibilities"

Club President, Alan Jefferson, rings the bell.

Secretarial Moments by Rob "What do you mean I'm doing this again next year?" Estes

Make-Ups: Board meeting

**Guests: Jim Ries, Director of Development for Offit Kurman was Darrell's guest
Evelyn Chesnutt was Lon's guest**

Welcome!

Visiting Rotarians: Nope

Membership Moment:

Sandy Harriman: Sandy welcomed everyone and offer to speak with interested individuals

Vocational Moment: none

Foundation moment: Charlie McCabe informed the group on the use of contributions to the Foundation, to include international, national, and local beneficiaries



Alice Ford received her Paul Harris fellow pin. Congratulations Alice!

Laurie Reuben received (in absentia as she is travelling for work) her Paul Harris +5 fellow pin. Congratulations Laurie!

Club Announcements:

CLIFF: As Program Chair, invited anyone to reach out to him regarding speaking opportunities, and reminded the group that we are Columbia Patuxent Rotary Club, NOT Columbia.

MARK: Recapped our fundraising that permitted us to give our grants today. We've had 2 wine and pairing events, with Lance as an integral part of both, the Ball Pit last summer, and 2 raffles for the World Series and the Super Bowl. Ball Pit is coming again this August, and the proceeds will go $\frac{1}{2}$ to the Summer Enrichment Program and $\frac{1}{2}$ to fund our grants. We also contributed \$5000 from our emergency fund to Ellicott City for flood recovery.

Sunday, June 25, Annual Dinner at the Howard County Conservancy.

GRANTS:

Dave Bittner served as our Master of Ceremonies, and Joan Athen handed out the checks as the Chair of the Board of Trustees for our Charitable Trust. Recipients of the grants are:

**Camp Attaway
Columbia Orchestra
Columbia Festival of the Arts**

Columbia Pro Cantare
Fidos for Freedom
Gilchrist Hospice Center
Grassroots
HC Drugfree
Hopeworks
Howard Community College
Howard County Conservancy
Leadership Howard County
Living in Recovery
Neighbor Ride
Pets on Wheels
Camp Possibilities
Winter Growth
YMCA
We also continued our support of the Community Action Council.



















50/50 Raffle:

**For a second week, AJ had the ticket and outsourced the card selection to Doris
He didn't win. Thank you, Doris
The pot is growing, buy more tickets.**

Happy Dollars : Sgt-At-Arms ChazMo collecting:

**Many happy dollars for the wonderful community we have of people who give and serve selflessly.
Many more happy dollars from the parents of graduates, and especially those who have acquired
employment!**

Doris: Happy

Dave Lerer: His son has received a job offer from the US Navy

Anne: Thanks to the grants committee and trustees for their decision making

Joan: WELCOME BACK!!!! We missed you.

Dave Bittner: Son Scott started a job on Thursday

AJ: For an amazing Rotary year.

Dates to Remember:

June 25, 2017: Annual Dinner at the Howard County Conservancy.

July 14, 2017: The Motel Box project for Grassroots.

July 22, 2017: Crab Feast hosted by Pam and Ron Young.

August 5-12, 2017: Ball Pit Fundraiser at the Howard County Fair.

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:

6/16: Phil Bryan from HoCo Parks & Recreation

6/23: No Meeting (weekend of the Annual Dinner)

6/30: Pat Sasse of the Bright Minds Foundation

7/7: Shawn Gladden of the Howard Co Historical Society

7/14: Hands-on - packing of Motel Boxes for Grassroots

Please watch the trailer of the PolioPlus documentary

www.DareToDreamfilm.com

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Rotary Club of Columbia

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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