

Bull Run Rotary Club

June 8, 2010

Manassas, Virginia

Club Number: 26632

Weekly Breakfast Meetings

Tuesday, 7:30 a.m., City Tavern at Old Towne Inn

9403 Main Street (Corner of Main & Center)

Downtown Manassas



This Week's Program: Lou Maroon Scholarships

The Bull Run Rotary Club and the Manassas Rotary Club will give four \$1,500 academic scholarships to four of the area's brightest high school seniors. These winners were measured in academics and athletics, with a particular emphasis in mathematics. The recipients are:

Loan Kim Chu from Manassas Park HS

Kavitha Prasanna from Osbourn Park HS

April Ashley Millner from Stonewall Jackson HS

Adishesh Narahari from Osbourn HS



Robin Perkins

Robin Perkins with Raj Chudasama

Last Week: Mrs. Robin Perkins, MGT, Treasurer for the City of Manassas

Chesapeake Bay Conference

This summer, the Club will sponsor Paul Crook, a Mathews High School student in Mathews, VA, to participate in this conference to study marine biology on the Chesapeake Bay. Paul is on the MHS cross country track team. The Gloucester Rotary Club sponsors this annual conference. Begun in 1991 by several Rotarians who grew up on the western shores of the Chesapeake Bay, the Conference strives to help new generations of young people appreciate the issues facing the Chesapeake.

Take Me Out To the Ballgame

The Washington Nationals have joined with Rotary International to Strike Out Polio. Three dollars of each ticket purchased will be donated

to The Rotary Foundation's **PolioPlus Fund**.

Wednesday, August 25, 2010 7:05 p.m.

Washington Nationals versus Chicago Cubs @ Nationals Park

To purchase your tickets go to www.nationals.com/endpolio

For more information, please contact: **Vance Zavela** at vance.zavela@verizon.net



2010 Dave Cole Charity Golf Classic- Monday, June 14, 2010

Heritage Hunt Golf Club, Gainesville VA; 7:30 am-Registration, 8:30 am-Shotgun Start. The Bull Run Rotary and Gainesville/Haymarket Rotary Clubs have joined together to support PW-ARC. For more info contact **Deborah Campbell** at 793 368-4511 ext 408 or Deborahc@pwarc.org



Five Thousand Points still available for Paul Harris Fellows

Rotary District has 20,000 thousand points available to match donations of \$500.

For details see **Dabney Schneider** to take advantage.

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

Weekly Notes & Updates 50/50

The Grand Prize is now over \$452. Last week **Jim Neffelt** won \$12. 22 cards remain. The elusive Ace of Spades is still out there. Do not forget to buy your tickets!



"Happy Bucket" proceeds meet goal
Pres. Jim Neffelt designated **Medical Missionaries** to receive a \$500 donation from our Happy Bucket proceeds. This is a volunteer group of more than 200 doctors, nurses, dentists, and others who work to improve the health of the poorest of the poor in the U.S. and throughout the world. They provide medical care, medical supplies, clothing and food to the areas they serve.

Rotary District Annual Award and Installation Banquet

Saturday June 26, 2010 @ 5:30 PM
\$40 per person before 6/12. \$45 after
For more info and tickets contact **Scott Mills** @ 703-584-3257

Big Green Box SOMETHING BIG IS COMING...
12th-19th June 2010

Celebrate ShelterBox. Wear **GREEN** June 12-19

End Polio Now



WHAT IS POLIO?

Polio is an intestinal virus that is spread through person-to person contact, especially in situations of poor hygiene, and it enters the body through the mouth. It infects only humans, generally children under 5. There are three variations of the polio virus. There is no cure for polio.

WHAT IS ROTARY'S ROLE IN POLIO ERADICATION?

In 1985, Rotary launched PolioPlus, a multimillion-dollar initiative to immunize all the world's children against polio. Rotary is partnered with the World Health Organization, Unicef, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Rotary has contributed over US\$700 million towards the polio eradication initiative. Since the launch of PolioPlus in 1985, over two billion children have received the polio vaccine. Polio cases have dropped 99.8%. However, the virus can easily spread to children who have not been vaccinated, which is why it is so important to completely eradicate the polio virus.

IS PROGRESS BEING MADE?

Since Rotary launched the PolioPlus program, the number of polio cases has decreased by more than 99 percent and the number of polio-endemic countries has fallen from 125 to 4. In the four polio-endemic countries (Afghanistan, India, Nigeria, Pakistan), wild poliovirus circulates in very limited geographic areas.

WE WILL DO IT!

Think of it. In 1985 there were 350,000 cases of polio worldwide, which Rotary helped reduce to fewer than 1000 today. We are almost there. The final campaign is now in our hands. We now have the opportunity to close the door on this dreaded disease – Polio. Our DGEs (2010-2011) pledged at San Diego in January that they would help to raise the final dollars needed. We all have the opportunity to participate. We promised to fulfill the Gates Polio Challenge by 2012.



Help end polio worldwide.

Rotary. Humanity in motion.

rotary.org/endpolio



Rotary Website Directory

Bull Run www.bullrunrotary.org
 District 7610 www.rotary7610.org
 Rotary International www.rotary.org

Joke

Some Jewish Haikus to enjoy

Like a bonsai tree,
is your terrible posture
at my dinner table.

Mom, please! There is no
need to put that dinner roll
in your pocketbook.

Sorry I'm not home
to take your call. At the tone
please state your bad news.

Is one Nobel Prize
so much to ask from a child
after all I've done?

Hard to tell under the lights.
White Yarmulke or
male-pattern baldness.

Be here now.
Be someplace else later.
Is that so complicated?

Seven-foot Jews in
the NBA slam-dunking!
My alarm clock rings.

Upcoming Events and Meeting Programs

Tom Dougher-Program Chair

- Tuesday 06/08 Lou Maroon Scholarships
Ping-Pong Raffle Drawing
- 06/12-19/2010 Big Green Box Week/ShelterBox
- Monday 06/14 ARC Golf Classic
- Tuesday 06/15 Jim Beach
Board Meeting
- Tuesday 06/22 Jay Rotz
- Sunday 06/20-06/23 RI Convention-Montreal, Canada
- Saturday 06/26 District Awards and Installations
- Tuesday 06/29
- Tuesday 07/06
- Monday 07/26 D. Gov. Ron Marion Board visit
- Tuesday 07/27 D. Gov. Ron Marion Club visit
- Wednes 08/25 Rotary Baseball Nats vs. Cubs
- Wednes 09/15 Lou Maroon Golf Celebration