

Rotary Opens Opportunities

We meet at:

Spare Time Bowling Alley
16317 Statesville Rd
Huntersville, NC 28078

Every Monday
from 5:30 till 6:30 PM

For info contact:
Ineke Wilson – 704-905-5002
Website: <https://huntersville-happy-hour-rotary.org/>

Upcoming programs, speakers and events:

- August 3 – Sarah Fortner
- August 10 – Bonnie Battalia
- Saturday August 15 – Community Service at Hind's Feet Farm
- August 17 – District Governor Mike Walker
- August 24 – Justin Dionne
- August 31 – 5th Monday Social - Virtual
- September 7 – No Meeting – Labor Day
- September 14 – Bol Maywal

Club Service

Happy Birthday

- August 16 – Eric Franzen
- August 19 – Shayna Inman
- August 22 – Tom Ford
- August 28 – Mark Kincer
- August 31 – Lise Squilace

Happy Anniversary

- August 20 – Kitty & Paul Long
- August 26 – Peter & Gert Capponi

Rotary



Rotary Club of Huntersville

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

BY KENT PIKE

Greeting fellow Rotarians, I hope you had a great week. The Rotary year is in full swing and I look forward to many exciting things to come. Eric and I spent time at Hinds Feet Farm this weekend prepping and look forward to some strong backs next Saturday August 15! This Monday Bonnie Battalia from the MOORESVILLE Soup Kitchen and Feed NC will join us. Another one of our beneficalians from Lake Norman Men That Cook. See you Monday and Saturday!



Monday August 10 – Bonnie Battalia

Feed NC At the Mooresville Soup Kitchen they serve veterans, at-risk youth, victims of domestic violence, senior citizens, and the working poor.



feednc
Food - Education - Essentials - Dignity



Last week's program - Sarah Fortner

Caterpillar Ministries A nonprofit, non-denominational Christian organization since 2007. They partner with our neighbors in the Huntington Green community in Huntersville,



CATERPILLAR MINISTRIES

Previous program – Bernie Mann

President of the Rotary Carousel
President and publisher of "Our State Magazine"



Club Officers



Kent Pike
President



Eileen Solomon
President-Elect



Ineke Wilson
Secretary, Historian, Club Bulletin



Mike Fitzgerald
Club Treasurer

Club Service



Tom Ford
Sergeant-at-Arms



Ed Lowry
Sergeant Assistant



Lise Squillace
Club Greeter



Gay Rudisill
Club Happy Dollars



Bob Wilson
Club Fundraising



Bob Gors
Club Membership



Peter Capponi
Club Socials



Walter Siegenthaler
Club Programs / Speakers



Kent Pike
Club Entertainment



Cheryl Holt
Club Raffle



Eileen Solomon
Public Relations



Shayna Inman
Public Relations



Erik Franzen
Club Website



Welcome on Board !



Welcome our newest members Ashley and Shari

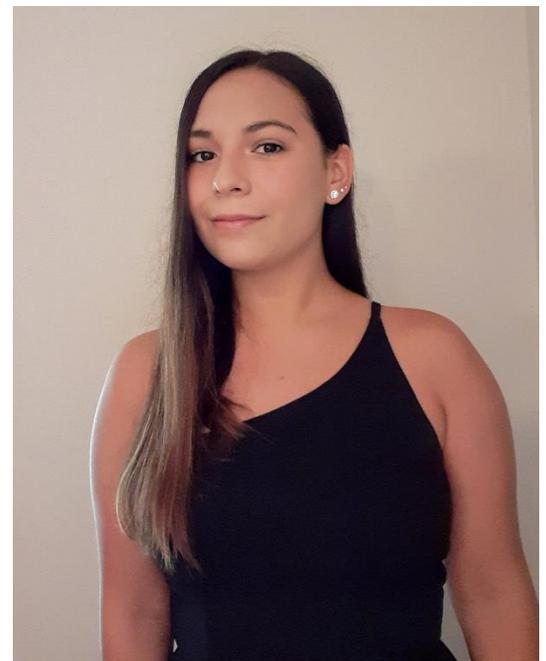


Ashley Cannon

She is a native of Statesville, North Carolina where she graduated from Statesville High School in 1991. She then entered Wake Forest University where she graduated in 1995. Following graduation, Ashley lived in Nagano, Japan where she taught junior high school English for two years. Upon her return from Japan, Ashley entered law school at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where she earned her law degree in 2001. She currently manages the law offices of Cannon & Thompson, Attorneys at Law, where she practices criminal defense. Ashley was a former member of the Rotary Club of Troutman where she served as the President in 2017-2018. Ashley has traveled to Nicaragua, Guatemala, Tanzania, and India to participate in international Rotary projects. In her spare time, Ashley enjoys staying active by hiking and running marathons, volunteering in the community, and traveling.

Shari Garcia

Born and raised in Mexico, in a city named Reynosa in the state called Tamaulipas. Her city is right on the border with McAllen, Texas, where she would shop in the malls and pretty much go to the US side of the border to bowling or just hang out with friends. She visited her grandfather in Houston every year. She grew up in a family of 5. Mom Nidia, dad Gerardo, oldest sister Nallely and middle sister Ailyn. She is the youngest sibling. Three years ago her dad re-married and had brother Emanuel. Shari studied Business Administration for one year in the Instituto Tecnológico de Reynosa. She is an international student at Central Piedmont Community College in the International Business Major. In her free time, she likes dancing and baking traditional pastries from her country. She also enjoys exploring and travel new places, volunteer and yoga.



Community Service



Erik Franzen
Community Service



Tom Schiaffo
Community Service



Joyce Schiaffo
Community Service



Kim Van Sickler
Community Service



Kitty Long
Community - Lydia's Loft

International Service



Cori Stuart
International Service Chair



Debbie Jackson
Foundation Chair

Vocational Service



Mike Fitzgerald
Vocational Service Chair

Youth Service



Erin Lyons
Huntersville Elementary



John Beiler
High Schools



Fred Whaples
North Meck High School



Lew Davis
Mallard Creek High School

Past Presidents



Mark Kincer
2019-2020



Mike Fitzgerald
2018-2019



Walter Siegenthaler
2017-2018



Debbie Jackson
2016-2017



Michael Dane
2015-2016



Ineke Wilson
2014-2015

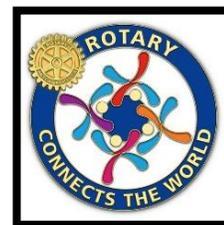


Huntersville Happy Hour
Chartered June 16, 2014

Huntersville Happy Hour History

Our accomplishments

Our members spend time, talents and treasures in the club and community.
Enjoy going through memory lane from the past 6 years.



2019 - 2020

President: Mark Kincer **Distinguished Rotarian:** Ineke Wilson

Awards: Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation, Rotary International Presidential Citation with Distinction

The Rotary Foundation: 24 members donated \$8,485 - \$354 per capita - District's #2 giving club

Award: 100% Paul Harris Club, 100% Sustaining Rotary Club **End Polio Now:** We donated \$500

Membership: 28 members, we gained 4 members



2018 - 2019

President: Mike Fitzgerald

Distinguished Rotarian: Peter Capponi

Awards: Club earned Governor's Award of BEST Club in the District, Rotary International Presidential Citation, Governor's Award of Excellence Gold with Distinction

The Rotary Foundation: 23 members donated \$8,820 - \$383 per capita

Award: 100% Sustaining Rotary Club

End Polio Now: We donated \$500

Membership: 24 members, we gained 1 member

Fundraiser: Lake Norman Men That Cook **Charity:** Huntersville Elementary & 15 local charities



2017 - 2018

President: Walter Siegenthaler **Distinguished Rotarian:** Tom Ford

Awards: Club earned District Club Service Award, Club earned District Vocational Service Award, Rotary International Presidential Citation, Governor's Award of Excellence Gold with Distinction

The Rotary Foundation: 21 members donated \$9,820 - \$396 per capita - District's #3 giving club

Award: 100% Sustaining Rotary Club

End Polio Now: We donated \$1,500

Membership: 21 members, we gained 2 members

Fundraiser: Lake Norman Men That Cook **Charity:** Huntersville Elementary Courtyard