

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 Batalia
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



HAPPY HOUR

Rotary Club of Huntersville

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

BY KENT PIKE

Greetings fellow Rotarian's. I really enjoyed last week's meeting with Bernie Mann, such an inspiring motivation about Rotary leaving a legacy on the community. As Rotarians we have the ability to do a lot of good with our efforts here and around the world. This week, we will have Sarah Fortner from Caterpillar Ministries talking about their organization and how the money from Lake Norman Men That Cook benefited their organization and our community. This message should inspire you, that we are able to do a lot of good. I look forward to seeing you Monday.

Monday August 3 - Sarah Fortner

Caterpillar Ministries

Caterpillar Ministries is a nonprofit, non-denominational Christian organization that was founded in 2007. They partner with our neighbors in the Huntington Green community in Huntersville, NC.



CATERPILLAR MINISTRIES

Last week's program –

Bernie Mann

President of the Rotary
Carousel, LLC

President and publisher of "Our State Magazine"



Huntersville Happy Hour History

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

Our accomplishments

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 Gors
Club Membership



Peter Capponi
Club Socials



Walter Siegenthaler
Club Programs / Speakers



Cheryl Holt
Club Raffle



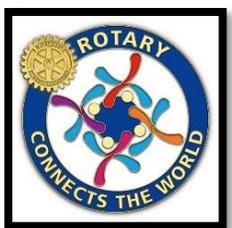
Eileen Solomon
Public Relations



Shayna Inman
Public Relations



Erik Franzen
Club Website



2019 - 2020

President: Mark Kincer **Distinguished Rotarian:** Ineke Wilson
Awards: Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation (only 47 out of 57 clubs)
 Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation with Distinction (only 39 out of 57 clubs)
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 (only 1 out of 58 clubs)
 Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation (only 12 out of 57 clubs)
 Club earned Governor's Award of Excellence Gold with Distinction (only 12 out of 59 clubs)
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 (only 1 out of 58 clubs)
 Club earned District Vocational Service Award (only 1 out of 58 clubs)
 Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation (only 31 out of 58 clubs)
 Club earned Governor's Award of Excellence Gold with Distinction (only 28 out of 59 clubs)
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

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



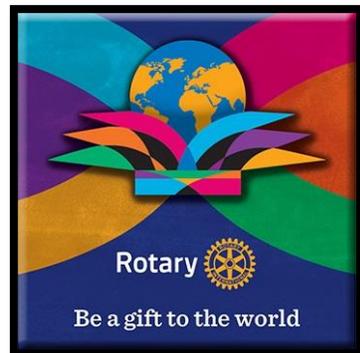
Huntersville Happy Hour
Chartered June 16, 2014



2016 - 2017

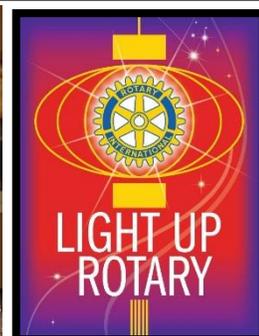


President: Debbie Jackson **Distinguished Rotarian:** Bob Gors
Awards: Club earned Governor's Award for a Small Club (only 1 out of 59 clubs)
 Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation (only 13 out of 59 clubs)
 Club earned Governor's Award of Excellence Gold with Distinction (only 28 out of 59 clubs)
The Rotary Foundation: 16 members donated \$7,686 - \$354 per capita - District's #2 giving club
Award: 100% Sustaining Rotary Club **End Polio Now:** We donated \$600
Membership: 20 members, we gained 1 member
Fundraiser: Bowling Tournament **Charity:** Grand Oak Elementary garden



2015 - 2016

President: Michael Dane **Distinguished Rotarian:** Lise Squillace
Awards: Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation Gold (only 32 of 59 clubs)
 Club earned Governor's Award of Excellence Gold Level (only 28 out of 59 clubs)
The Rotary Foundation: 17 members donated \$7,566 - \$270 per capita
Award: 100% Sustaining Rotary Club **End Polio Now:** We donated \$1,000
Membership: 28 members, we lost 8 members, down to 20 members
Fundraiser: The Greens at Birkdale neighborhood yardsale **Charity:** Habitat for Humanity



2014 - 2015

President: Ineke Wilson **Distinguished Rotarian:** Gay Rudisill
Awards: Club earned Rotary International Presidential Citation
The Rotary Foundation: 28 members donated \$8,980 - \$449 per capita - District's #1 giving club
Award: 100% Sustaining Rotary Club **End Polio Now:** We donated \$770
Membership: 20 members, we gained 8 members
Fundraiser: We organized the Birkdale Christmas Parade **Charity:** Ace & TJ's Grin Kids