



We meet at:

Spare Time Bowling Alley
16317 Statesville Rd
Huntersville, NC 28078

Every Monday
from 5:30 till 6:30 PM

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Website: <https://huntersville-happy-hour-rotary.org/>

Upcoming programs, speakers and events:

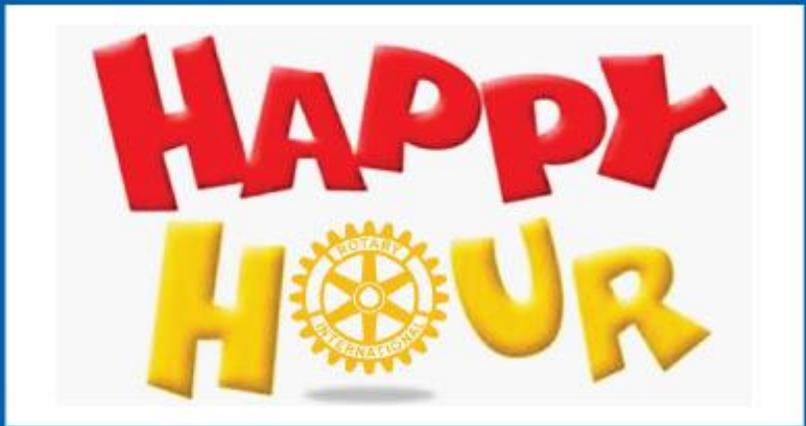
- May 27 – No Meeting – Memorial Day
- June 1-5 International Convention in Hamburg, Germany
- June 3 – Nancy Ruppert
- June 10 – Michael Sass
- June 17 – 5 Year Anniversary!!
- June 24 – Dr. Ginni, Randy Gross



New Rotary year begins:

- July 1 –
- July 7 –
- July 8 –
- July 15 –

Rotary



Rotary Club of Huntersville

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

By Mike Fitzgerald

We're having another beautiful weekend. I hope everyone is outside and enjoying it! It's hard to believe we are only two weeks away from our 5th year anniversary! Please let Peter and Joyce now if you are able to attend and with how many guests.

This week's guest speaker will Nancy Ruppert. Nancy has been an NC Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services apiary inspector since August of 2010 and will educate us on beekeeping in North Carolina. I'll see everyone Monday night and remember to bring a friend!

Monday June 3 – Nancy Ruppert

Beekeeping

This meeting features Nancy Ruppert, one of 6 very talented state apiary inspectors (and the only female, by the way). Nancy has been an NC Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services apiary inspector since August of 2010 and she covers the 17 counties along the North Carolina coastal region. A registered nurse since the 1980's, Nancy worked almost 20 years as a family nurse practitioner before changing to what she calls a less stressful occupation. Nancy's Montgomery county residence has been home to her own apiary for 15 years. Her particular apiary interests include hive pests and diseases, honey bee nutrition, and reducing honey bee stress.



June 1 through 5

Rotary International Convention in Hamburg

Our president elect Mark is attending with 25,000 other Rotarians from around the world.

He is smooching here with incoming district governor Beth Trotter and trying to win some points.

Have fun Mark and get a lot of ideas to bring back!



Club Officers



Mike Fitzgerald
President



Mark Kincer
President-Elect



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Secretary, Club Bulletin



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Club Membership



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Club Entertainment



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Club Website



Cheryl Holt
Club Raffle



Eileen Solomon
Public Relations

Saturday May 18 – Rotary Duck Race to End Polio

What a great day to be out on the river. Attendees enjoyed kayaking, a boat ride on the river district, and hamburgers and hot dogs grilled by Charlotte Providence Rotary.

The fastest duck was adopted by Rotarian Hoppy Hopkins, who won \$2,500. There were 6 Golden Ducks in the race for \$1,000 and Huntersville Happy Hour Rotary had the fastest duck!

Thanks to the volunteers from our club: Mike, Paul, Walter, Cheryl, Gay, Eileen, John, Tom, Bob & Ineke.

\$12,000 was raised to End Polio Now!

Duck Race



Club Service

Happy Birthday
May 15 – Kitty Long

Happy Anniversary
May 9 – Michael & Paula Dean
May 25 – Mark & Anne Kincer

Happy Club Member Anniversary
May 14 – Cheryl Holt – 1 year
May 14 – Jeffrey Stern – 1 year



Community Service



Mark Kincer
Community Service Chair



Tom Schiaffo
Community Service



Joyce Schiaffo
Community Service



Kitty Long
Community - Lydia's Loft



Rick Zoerb
Community - Police

International Service



Cori Stuart
International Service Chair



Debbie Jackson
Foundation Chair

Vocational Service



Deborah Wilhelm
Vocational Service Chair

Youth Service



Erin Lyons
Elementary Schools



John Beiler
High Schools



Jeffrey Stern
Early Education



Fred Whaples
North Meck High School



Lew Davis
Mallard Creek High School

Past Presidents



Walter Siegenthaler
2017-2018



Debbie Jackson
2016-2017



Michael Dane
2015-2016



Ineke Wilson
2014-2015

Huntersville Happy Hour Rotary
Chartered on June 16, 2014



Community Service

Clean Up Pottstown

Saturday May 11

Thanks for volunteering:
Mike, Kent, Walter, John,
Tom F, Tom & Joyce



International Service

Global Grant in India

In partnership with the Rotary Club of Trichur Central, RI District 3201, South India, our club has provided \$1,000 through a District Global Grant to collaborate in our humanitarian effort to provide low cost shelters to twenty five poor families, who have lost their homes in the devastating floods that struck the state of Kerala, India in 2018.

