# Bridgeton Rotary Club Bulletin

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# Oct. 7th Meeting Was a Club Social and Business Meeting Due to Schedule Change

We met via Zoom. This meeting included recognition of September birthdays and Rotary joining anniversaries, club announcements, discussion about the 1ooth anniversary celebration, including setting a date of Jan. 28, 2022, lots of fines for a good cause, and time for the club members to socialize. The club welcomed 25year member Diane Kolman to the meeting. Welcome back! Tony Stanzione announced the Chamber's Business & Community heroes for 2021 to be honored on Dec. 8. See <u>www.baccnj.com/hero</u> for in-



formation. The County Republican candidates were scheduled but they will be rescheduled to Oct. 28. The Democratic candidates for county offices will visit on Oct, 13.

## Sept. 23rd Meeting Featured The LEGEND OF THE LEGENDS



Robin Wood, Club President, introduced Emily Paul of the CompleteCare Family Health Foundation to talk about the "legend of the Greater Bridgeton legends." She explained the evolution of the event from a shared service club activity into a major event for the CompleteCare Foundation, and from a Bridgeton legends event to a Cumberland County inclusive event. The night of recognition will focus on individuals and families who have made major contributions to the good of the county, now honors folks from all parts of the County.

Emily spotlighted the next awardees who will be honored in March 2022 in hopes that they can have an exciting, in-person event spotlighting the contributions of the newest Cumberland County Legends with less COVID concerns. We will publish their names and more information here soon.

# **Emily Paul**

# Sept. 30th Featured 2020 Census Data from Omarey Williams

Omarey Williams of the Cumberland County Department of Planning, spoke to the club about the results of the 2020 census in the county and its

towns. The data showed a slight decrease in total county population with increases in the three largest cities and some decreases in the townships and boroughs. The largest growth in population was in the Hispanic community and the largest decrease was among the white population.

100th Anniversary Grand Celebration Coming on Jan. 22, 2022, 100 years to the day that the club



### celebrated the presentation of its Charter from Rotary International back in in 1922.

More information to come! Be there for this once in a century event. SAVE THE DATE!

**REMEMBERING 100 YEARS OF SERVICE: January 28, 1922, when** *the Charter presentation dinner was celebrated on at the Bridgeton Armory.* 

### **CLUB MINUTES AND UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS:**

Democrats for County Office on Oct. 14.

District Governor Chuck Watson will speak on Oct. 21. An in-person option for this meeting is being proposed at an area winery.

Republicans for County Office on Oct. 28.

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#### **CLUB LEADERS**

Officers / Directors Robin Wood, President Jon Cummings, President-Elect John Hitchner, Vice President Doborah Boykin Greenberg, Secretary Roy Spoltore, Treasurer Harry Paraison Paul Halley Valerie James Kemp Romaine Street Mark Wiley (immediate past Pres.)

#### **ROTARY BIRTHDAYS**

Wade Sjogren, 10/7 Dave Elwell, 10/11/ David Wilson, 10/25

#### ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES OCTOBER

Bill Lomberk 10/13/1983 38 yrs!

Jonathan Cummings 10/23/2014 7 yrs.

Dale Johnston 10/27/1988 33 yrs!

#### **4-WAY TEST**

In All We Say and Do 1. Is it the truth? 2. Is it fair to all concerned? 3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships? 4. Will it be beneficial to all?

#### **MEETINGS**

Thursdays, 12:10 PM Green Olive Restaurant 610 Shiloh Pike, Rt. 49, Bridgeton, Hopewell Twp.

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