



The Sulphur Smell

The newsletter of the Rotary Club of Clifton Springs, NY
Meeting every Tuesday at noon at the Methodist Church Grace Hall and virtually via Zoom.



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Clifton Springs Rotary Club

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1) Our Rotary Club is planning to hold a first-ever-for-our-club chicken BBQ fundraiser on Sat. April 2 at the TOPS Friendly Market parking lot. Jeff Galahan will be our caterer. 200 tickets will be sold. Each Rotarian will be asked to sell pre-sale tickets. Contact Vivian if you would like posters or need tickets: vivianr@rochester.rr.com or 315-573-1603.



2) The Interact Roller Skating Parties are set for Tues., Wed., and Thurs., of this week. Sign up to help and have a fun evening with the elementary kids.

3) The District Training Assembly is on Sat. April 9th at Honeoye Central School, from 8:30 AM until 12:30 PM

See page 2 for the Rotary International Response to Crisis in Ukraine and how to contribute funds to support relief efforts.

3 MARCH NETWORKING EVENT

Here are excerpts from Pres. Tracy's "Membership Event Recap"

"I'm so happy to report that last night's event was a success. Not only was it fun, but we believe it was incredibly fruitful. We received verbal commitments for several Corporate Memberships that promise to infuse new energy, ideas and hands into our club.

Thank you to each of you who reached out to invite people to attend. Whether the people you asked attended or not, your efforts surely planted seeds that we may benefit from in the future. Thank you to each of you attended last night. We had a strong, diverse showing of support and everyone did their part to make our guests feel welcomed...

I'm hopeful that this is just the beginning of a movement that restores vibrance and energy to Clifton Springs Rotary Club and ensures the continuing legacy that we all so richly value."

Gratefully,
Tracy

We were able to announce that the **Clifton Springs Country Club** and **G.W. Lisk** will joining our club as Corporate Members! We are expecting to make more such announcements in the near future.



District Governor Nominee Julie Carney of the Avon Rotary Club tells her Rotary story.

DATE	PROGRAM CHAIR	TOPIC
March 8 Methodist Church	Vivian Ryan	Rotary District Governor Nominee Julie Carney will tell us about the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program. A great youth program.
March 15 Methodist Church	High Kane	Megan Kasperek will tell us all about the great things happening at Local Palate in Phelps

March Birthdays	March Anniversary	March Club Anniversary
03-01 Theresa Dorgan	03-05 Dave Hook	03-06-2001 Jeff Criblear
03-28 Jeff Graff	03-13 Denise Burnett	03-08-2018 Tracy Crosby

Rotary International Response to Crisis in Ukraine. March 3, 2022

In response to the deepening humanitarian crisis in Ukraine, The Rotary Foundation has created an official channel for Rotary members around the world to contribute funds to support the relief efforts underway by Rotary districts and has designated its **Disaster Response Fund** <https://my.rotary.org/en/disaster-response-fund> as the main avenue for contributions.

To this end, The Rotary Foundation has approved:

Now through 30 June 2022, designated Rotary districts that border Ukraine and the Rotary district in Ukraine may apply for grants of up to \$50,000 each from the Disaster Response Fund. These expedited disaster response grants can be used to provide relief to refugees or other victims of the crisis including items such as water, food, shelter, medicine and clothing.

During this same period, other impacted Rotary districts that wish to offer support to refugees or other victims of the crisis in their district can apply for \$25,000 grants from the Disaster Response Fund.

Now through 30 April 2022, Rotary districts can transfer unallocated District Designated Funds (DDF) to support the Disaster Response Fund, directly supporting these Ukraine-specific humanitarian grants.

Contributions to the Disaster Relief Fund in support of Ukraine can be made here. All funds need to be received into the Disaster Response Fund by 30 April 2022 in order to qualify for use in support of the Ukrainian relief efforts.

Although the Disaster Response Fund will be the main avenue for Rotary Foundation support, Rotary and Rotaract clubs are also encouraged to create their own responses to the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine.

In addition to support provided through the Disaster Response Fund, the Foundation is coordinating with partners and regional leaders, exploring effective solutions to the increased humanitarian needs.

We are in contact with the United Nations High Commission on Refugees – USA to prepare for and respond to the needs of those being displaced in Ukraine and to neighboring countries.

ShelterBox, our project partner for disaster response, is in communication with Rotary members in Eastern Europe to explore how it may offer support with temporary transitional housing and other essential supplies.

The Rotary Action Group for Refugees, Forced Displacement, and Migration is also mobilizing its resources to assist in this crisis.

A million people have fled Ukraine and are in dire need of emergency aid. The United Nations estimates that number could grow to as many as 5 million people displaced. Rotary clubs in Europe and around the world have stepped up their relief work, some working on the ground to help displaced families.

We will continue to monitor the situation in Ukraine and neighboring countries. Visit My Rotary and follow Rotary on social media to stay updated on how clubs can get involved and what actions Rotary members have taken and the impact it has had for people in the region.

For all other questions and to obtain more information, please contact the Rotary Support Center at rotarysupportcenter@rotary.org.