



ROTARY VOTARY

The Rotary Club of West Chester, District 7450
 Mark Daniel Maloney, International President 2019-2020
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Program: October 10, 2019
TBA

MINUTES by Charles Streitwieser

Guests of **President Matt Holliday** were: John Abitabilo and Mike Reynolds from Janney Montgomery Scott. Mike is in the cue for membership.

Guest of **Jack Ellis** was Phil Bieg, also in the membership cue.

Guest of **Philip McFadden** was his Cub Scout, Popcorn selling son, Chase McFadden.

Visiting Rotarian was Randy Linder.

Birthday wishes were extended to **Debbie Ferry** and **Paul Woodruff**.

Ebbie Alfree announced his Happy Buck to support the Hickman Dine Around for October 22nd.

President Matt Holliday announced that Chester County was our Nations 6th Happiest County. We can vote at: www.VoteYourMainStreet.com/WestChester until October 29th to help the Chester County Historical Society to win a \$150,000 grant to repair its roof. You can vote every day and submit up to 5 votes each day.

Club members will be volunteering on October 24th in front of the old Court House to hand out pamphlets in support of the Polio fundraiser movie "Dare to Dream" (at the Uptown Theater on November 3rd). This effort is to commemorate World Polio Day, on October 24th. Tickets (\$45) will be matched 2:1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation for a total of \$135 going to Polio Eradication per ticket. This is a significant act of support, since this is enough to save 225 children from this lifelong crippling disease. As a founding partner of the [Global Polio Eradication Initiative](http://www.GlobalPolioEradicationInitiative.org), Rotarians have helped to reduce polio cases by more than 99.9 percent. This is the largest global health initiative ever – joined by many, many volunteers, governments, the United Nations and of course

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Rotarians all over the world.

SPEAKERS REVIEW by Patty Roos

Chili Cook Off

- The stage is at High & Gay Streets.
- Check in for all volunteers is at the Chamber of Commerce at High & Chestnut Streets. (Not DNB)
- Kid Zone is in front of St Agnes this year. Wells Fargo could no longer provide access for it. People will be able to adopt dogs at the Kid Zone.
- Sales Booths – every ½ hour the money will be picked up by the Bank Team.
- Volunteers are still needed in many capacities including Friday night when the pumpkins are stuffed with all the necessary info for the chili teams, Saturday morning to meet at Jim Gasho's warehouse to load the truck with chili supplies and then Sunday during the event

Sue Casso-Rogers sent out a list for volunteers:

We are in the final days of preparation for the Chili Cook Off. There are still some very important volunteer slots that need to be filled.

If you have already signed up to be a volunteer - Thank You!! If not, we very much need your help. Below is a list of the volunteer opportunities still remaining to be filled. So all hands on deck!!!!

Please email **Diana Liberi** at dianal@maclarenfab.com and let her know where you can help out.

- 1) Sign in Volunteers 6 to 12
- (1) Electrical runner from 7-8
- (2) Runners to pick up chili and take to judges
- (6) traffic 7 – 9:30
- (1) Block captain for block A
- (1) Block captain for Block C
- (1) Health inspector 7:30 to 11:30
- (1) heath inspector from 11-3

- (1) Sanitation Center from 11-3
 - (1) Sales booth 9:30 to 11:30
 - (5) Sales Booth 1:30 – 3:30
 - (1) Sales booth 11:30 – 1:30
 - (3) to serve the chili for the rotary team
- ALSO - help is needed on Saturday morning, 9:00, at Jim Gasho's warehouse, 460 West Gay Street to load the truck with the chili supplies.** Sign up at the club meeting tomorrow to help out or contact Laura Aloisio at laura@dare.com. With your help, this will be a great Chili Cook Off! Thanks for your service to Rotary!

FROM BRAD ABEL

At our October 3rd club meeting, we're going to review all aspects of the cookoff and have the committee chairs talk to job responsibilities. We'll have sign-up sheets for volunteers for all the committees.

Please feel free to reach out to me if you need anything or have any questions. My number is 215-292-3595.



SAVE THE DATE

- Oct 13 Chili Cook Off
- Oct 19 Community Warehouse- Downingtown
- Oct 24 World Polio Day Event @ historic courthouse
- Nov 3 Polio Plus Event @ Uptown

Check out the Rotary Calendar of events at <http://www.westchesterrotary.us/clubcalendar.htm>
Add events: calendar@westchesterrotary.us

MONTHLY SERVICE PROJECT

Our next volunteer workday for the Community Warehouse Project will be Saturday, October 19, between the hours of 9 and 2. If you have a truck and/or are willing to help with furniture pickups and drop offs please let me know! To sign up, please call **Jeannie McGinn** at 484-343-4577



THANK YOU

Copies of the Volary are provided today by
Howard Sundwall

END POLIO NOW

This October 24th is World Polio Day. You are invited to help with an awareness and fund-raising event at the historic courthouse at High and Market, in front of the "Old Glory" statue. The goal is to inform the community about Rotary and polio, the risks to children here and abroad and collect donations to finish the fight. If you would like to get involved in any way, please contact **Dwight Leeper, Cristina Combee** or **Carol Hanson**.

There will be some pre-event work to collect materials. Setup of the event would begin at 10am and consist of tables with literature relating to Rotary, polio eradication and vaccinations generally. We will approach passersby with information about Rotary and polio, while offering an opportunity to donate to our cause. Other Rotarians will politely and safely approach stopped cars with information about Rotary and polio, while offering an opportunity to donate to our cause as well. In the latter case, purple buckets will be offered for change, similar to the Penn State campaign. The event will conclude by 3pm. There will be some post-event cleanup.

Thank you for your service to Rotary and Rotary service.

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