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Service Above Self



Rotary Club of Greenville OUR NEXT MEETING



**JOIN US AT THE WESTIN POINSETT HOTEL
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2015 AT NOON**

**AS WE CELEBRATE LAW DAY
AND MEET OUR NEW CHIEF OF POLICE
KEN MILLER - GREENVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT**
Who will discuss his plans for the future of law enforcement in Greenville

Ken Miller joined the Greenville Police Department as Chief of Police in September 2014. Although a new chief to the city and state, he has focused his early attention on understanding, developing and enhancing police community relationships, and understanding how the department functions. He has begun laying new foundations to improve policing, community outreach, collaborative problem solving and accountability within the department.

As its chief from September 2010 through August 2014, Chief Miller is widely credited with stabilizing the Greensboro PD by overhauling the disciplinary process and enhancing crime reduction focus and accountability throughout the organization and in its operations. He dramatically improved community outreach and satisfaction. He also developed a complaint mediation process to better resolve police/community conflict.

Chief Miller has presented a variety of training programs and lectures at the IACP, PERF, CALEA and other conferences throughout the past ten years. He serves on the IACP Training and Pre-Trial Reform Committees, and the North Carolina Commission on Racial and Ethnic Disparities. He has written two police management articles published separately by BJA and Criminal Justice Policy Review.

Four Way Test

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOOD WILL**
and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



INVITE A FUTURE ROTARIAN AS A GUEST -- \$19
Includes the program, meal, and parking
Preregister your guest to save time at check-in

Checking In

Since we have just passed the half-year mark, the time has come to review this year so far. It is time for checking in.

Membership. First of all, we have the highest member retention rate in recent history at 94%. This is outstanding. Much of the first part of the year is spent replacing those members who have left. So far, we have brought in 20 new members, and are 24 away from our end of the year goal of 300.

Please think about bringing some potential new members to our club meetings. Membership is every Rotarian's responsibility, and not something that should be on the shoulders of just a few.

Foundation Giving. We set an aggressive goal of \$44,000 in contributions from the club to the Rotary International Foundation. So far, club members have given a little over \$36,000 to the foundation, and we are well on the way to achieving our goal.

The club point match of your contributions (1:1) has been extended through February. Six of our members have become new Paul Harris Fellows so far, and an additional 22 have increased their Paul Harris Fellow level. Congratulations.

If you would like to know how much you need to contribute to reach the next level, please get in touch with me. Thank you for your enthusiasm for this program, and for supporting the difference Rotary International is making in the world.

Thank you for all you do to make this not only the oldest and largest, but also the most engaged and involved Rotary Club in South Carolina.

In service above self,



Russell Stall, President



The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Paul Harris Fellows

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Maria Ahn
Wade Kolb
Stan Reid
Debbie Roche
Sunnie Surkin
Alicia Zmunda

PHF +1

Jason Elliot
Wayne Godshall
Don Koonce
Russ Miller
Stan Reid
Chuck Welch

PHF +2

Harold Gallivan
Mark Lee
Elizabeth Lyons
Robert Mahon
Ron McKinney
Bruce McPherson
Bill Raines
Hall Shaw
Fred Suggs

PHF +3

Richard Wagner

PHF +5

Judith Prince
Ruud Veltman
Ruth Wilson

PHF +8

Dee Kivett
Walt Kivett
Terry Weaver



Congratulations to all of the Rotary Club of Greenville
Paul Harris Fellows



Meet the Newest Members of Our Club



Welcome New Member, Shannon Carlay



Welcome New Member, Adam Dost



President Russell with Actor and Singer, John Davidson



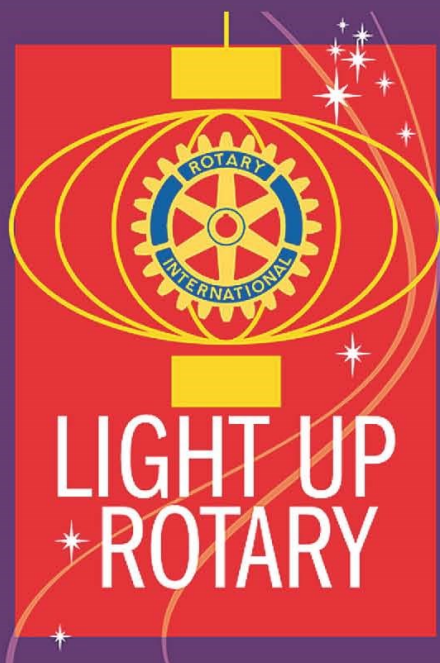
Rotary Club of Greenville Centennial: Our Legacy for Tomorrow

March 1, 2016, will be the 100th Anniversary of the chartering of the Rotary Club of Greenville. It has been an eventful 100 years for the club, for Greenville and for Rotary International. All of this will be celebrated at a Centennial Banquet to be held at the TD Convention Center on Tuesday, March 1, 2016. The event will include a video about the first 100 years, a Rotary International representative and other activities that will demonstrate the historical role that the club has played in shaping Greenville.

Our Legacy for Tomorrow will be the overall theme for the Centennial. It will be carried out through numerous activities during the 2015/2016 Rotary year. These include:

- A major service project
- A legacy project in downtown Greenville
- A Peace Seminar
- A Centennial pin
- An interactive display at the Upstate History museum
- A membership initiative aimed at former Rotarians
- A fund raising effort
- An overall coordinated publicity plan for Rotary in general and the Rotary Club of Greenville in particular.

George Fletcher is chair the Centennial Committee. He will present an overview of the project at the January 27th meeting. At each subsequent meeting until the events kickoff, there will either be short presentation about the club history or one of the subcommittee chairs will discuss details of their programs.



District 7750 Celebrates

ROTARY'S 110TH BIRTHDAY

..... to Help Eradicate Polio

FEBRUARY 21, 2015

Spartanburg Marriott

299 N. Church Street, Spartanburg, SC

5:30 Reception Begins / **6:30** The Program Begins
Cash Bar Opens / Dinner is Served

Speaker **JOHN GERM**, Rotary International's Nominee for Presidential Year 2016-17 and current Chair of the International PolioPlus Committee

Tickets

\$50 per person,
\$25 for Children under 14



CLICK TO
REGISTER!

FOR ROTARIANS
AND GUESTS

FOR GENERAL PUBLIC
ADMIN@ROTARY7750.ORG

Please contact Amelia Nelson,
District 7750 PolioPlus Chair at amelianelson007@gmail.com
Event Co-Chair: Barbara Shayeb-Helou, bsh6890@aol.com

The Rotary Club movement began in 1905 in Chicago, IL when Paul P. Harris, a young attorney, brought a group of business and professional men together to recapture the friendliness and fellowship many had known in the small towns where they grew up. Harris named the group Rotary because its members rotated the meeting location. In November 1908 a second Rotary Club was organized in San Francisco closely followed by Clubs in Oakland and Los Angeles. The New York City Rotary Club was formed in 1909 and in 1911 Rotary became international with the formation of Clubs in Ireland and England.

With this growth Rotary began organizing itself into Districts, first called Divisions (1912). South Carolina's first clubs, Greenville (1916), Spartanburg (1916), and Anderson (1917) were in District 4, which included the southeastern part of the United States. Then in 1918 the Clubs in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina were grouped to form Division 7. Lewis W. Perrin (Spartanburg) served as District Governor of District 7 in 1920-21.

North Carolina and South Carolina were reorganized into District 38 in 1922 and by 1926 there were sufficient clubs to form District 58, an area that included all of South Carolina and Western North Carolina. Zac Wright (Newberry) was the first District Governor of District 58.

In 1937 District 58 was changed to District 190 and in 1945, when North Carolina split into four Districts, South Carolina became a single District (190). After WWII (1949) the District number was changed to 282 and then five years later (1954) the state was split into two Districts. The eastern portion became District 283 and the western portion remained 282. In 1957 our District number was changed to 775 and finally in 1991 it became District 7750, as it is known today.

There are 54 Clubs in our District and approximately 2700 Rotarians. Our District consists of the 19 western counties plus a portion of Lexington County. District 7770 includes the 26 eastern counties plus a portion of Lexington County and has 77 Clubs and 4500 Rotarians.

Internationally, Rotary today is made up of more than 32,000 clubs totaling 1.2 million plus Rotarians in more than 162 countries.

Career Day

One of the signature events of our club is Career Day. This year it will take place on Tuesday, March 24. We are offering two options this year for our Rotarians. You may have a high school student shadow you at your place of work for the afternoon or you can remain after the meeting for a couple of hours for a structured roundtable discussion with students interested in the career clusters listed below. If you are interested in volunteering, let Joan Burket know by emailing her at joan.burket@scansource.com by February 10. Make sure you let her know which option you prefer and which cluster, if you opt for the roundtable.

Thank you so much,
Robyn Zimmerman, Chair of Career Day.

Career Clusters:

- Banking/Finance
- Law
- Real Estate,
- Manufacturing
- Business/ Entrepreneurship
- Engineering/Science/IT
- Advertising/Marketing/PR/Graphic design

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday - 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Friday - 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Member Calendar

Saturday, February 7th	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Sunday, February 8th	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Tuesday, February 10th	Rotary Club of Greenville meeting 12:00 Noon Westin Poinsett Hotel, Law Enforcement Recognition Day, Speaker: Chief Ken Miller
Saturday, February 14th	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Sunday, February 15th	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Monday, February 16th	Health and Happiness Hour, Spice of India at 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Saturday, February 21st	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Sunday, February 22nd	Roper Mountain Holiday Lights Tear Down 1:00pm - 5:00pm