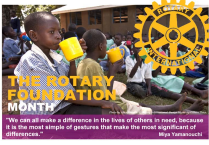




**Message from District Governor Nomie Hamid**

As we delve into Foundation Month, it's crucial to remember that supporting The Rotary Foundation is a year-round commitment, not just a one-month endeavor. Many might wonder about the specific impacts of the Foundation—while you could certainly explore more on the Rotary International website, here's a brief overview: The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. When we contribute to the Foundation, those funds cycle back to our districts through grants, amplifying our local and global impact.

**NOVEMBER IS THE ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**



Thinking ahead, I propose a bold initiative—a Million Dollar Dinner in April. If we can reach this fundraising milestone beforehand, I will personally cater the event (I will cook everything!), ensuring a memorable evening for all attendees. This isn't just about meeting a target; it's about coming together as a community, celebrating our collective effort, and making a substantial difference.

Would you be willing to contribute towards this goal and join us for a dinner prepared by your very own District Governor? Let's keep our spirits high and our generosity flowing, especially as we approach the holiday season. We are indeed fortunate, and through our efforts, we can help others improve their circumstances.

I am eager to hear your thoughts on this idea, should we make this happen? Please email me with your feedback or any suggestions. Together, let's continue to embody the spirit of "Service Above Self" and make a lasting impact. Thank you for your dedication and commitment to Rotary.



**Disaster Update – Hurricanes Helene and Milton devastated the Southeastern States**



By Bob Gill, President, Disaster Aid USA; Paul Mahala, Co-Chair, District Disaster Relief Committee  
 District 7620 Disaster Relief Committee continues to coordinate with Disaster Aid USA to respond to recent disasters caused by Hurricanes Helene and Milton. We are helping the disaster victims in several states, including FL, NC and TN. To support such relief work, money and supplies are badly needed, and we request that you and your club consider donating money to DAUSA. We thank you for your past donations.

Please see below a detailed description of current DAUSA deployments to the Southeastern states.  
**North Carolina & Tennessee:** Two DAUSA teams, one from MD/WV/VA and another from OH, merged at Greenville, TN and spent two weeks helping the people affected by floods due to Hurricane Helene. This town is only a few miles from the worst affected town of Asheville, NC. Jamie Baisden of DAUSA led the local Rotarian volunteers in cleaning up six houses affected by severe flood. Dave Roosa of Ohio continued to lead a team doing disaster relief work at Greenville. Rotary Club of Greenville members (Lucia Luliano Fillers and Pauline Adams) prepared dinners for both the teams for two weeks. The total number of volunteers averaged over 20. Thanks to these local Rotarians. Similarly, Jan Roosa and Gina Schmitt (from Ohio) cooked breakfast and kept the volunteers going every day. One important aspect of the deployment dealt with DAUSA's Reverse Osmosis water purification trailer. The water system was damaged in Greenville, so the local authorities requested this trailer. This trailer provides over ten thousand gallons of drinkable water a day to the affected community. [Read More](#)



**Rotary Water-Sanitation-Hygiene Project in Ghana**

Dear Rotarians and Friends,  
 Thank you for your support for a new generation of leaders from Ghana, Virginia and Turkey who want to change the world. This is a quick update to tell you that the grant was approved by the Rotary Foundation and the money is in Ghana. Originally, this project was meant to help with the earthquake in Turkey, but unfortunate events prevented that goal from happening. This project is meant to teach the next generation who are in university studies or early in their careers. We believe that it is not your age that determines whether you can impact lives, but the **size of your heart**. It is our hope that the lessons learned on this project can produce a lifetime of change from the next generation of leaders.  
 The first three toilet facilities of eight are being built right now. The two boreholes will be drilled soon. The Rotaractors are learning about six-step empowerment, teamwork, across leaders in three countries, communication on Whatsapp and Zoom, project management, conducting bids, stewardship, financial management and also conducting strength assessments. The funding list of supporters are below. We had several major donors. Most of the funds were raised by the Rotaractors themselves. Kwame Annor, Derek Nyarko, Nana Mensah, Abdul Mumin Tahir and I are the mentors for this project. We believe the future of Rotary lies in empowering the new generation of leaders on projects like this one.



Rotaractor leaders meeting with key school supporters to determine who to help.



Rotaractors conducting a strength assessment regarding a school.

Regards,  
 Walter Hughes  
 Rotary Club of Salem, Virginia USA  
 Cell: +1 540-493-4715

**Global Grant Project by Dr. Ila Shah and the Charlotte Hall Rotary Club**

The most recent Global Grant GG2453656 was for a total of \$141,719. Three Districts and four Rotary Clubs joined hands. Charlotte Hall Rotary Club contributed \$20,000 and District 7620 contributed \$5,000. This grant provides vocational training for high school dropout students in India and gives them a new life. Training includes computers, nursing, repairing agricultural equipment, beauty parlor, etc. They bring out the abilities of the students.



**Global Grant Project by Dr. Ila Shah and the Charlotte Hall Rotary Club**

Rotary Foundation GG2462311 provided \$135,987 for a heart lung machine. Charlotte Hall Rotary Club gave \$20,000 and two other Rotary Districts and the Rotary Club of Bangalore gave \$46,987. This is for reducing mortality for cardiac surgery and lung transplants in Madhusudan SAI Hospital, a 360-bed hospital that provides free care. This machine has revolutionized cardiac surgery enabling complex interventions with bloodless fields and better outcomes.



Dr. Ila Shah is shown with the heart lung machine along with a cardiac surgeon and pediatric cardiac surgeon. Dr. Ila Shah is also shown with the District Governor and the primary contact with the Rotary Club of Bangalore Junction, and Dr. VK. The Rotary Club of Bangalore Junction has several Major Donors and 7 Arch Klumph Society members.



**Rotary Foundation Report in Zones**

# ZONE 33 2023-24 TOP ANNUAL FUND GIVING DISTRICTS

**#1  
Total  
\$692,999**

**District  
7770**



**DG  
Lou  
Mello**



**DRFC  
Paul  
Walter**

**#1  
Per Capita  
\$276**

**District  
7710**



**DG  
Veronica  
Bent**



**DRFC  
Marie  
Howard**

**#1  
% Change  
11%**

**District  
7620**



**DG  
Delores  
Harding**



**DRFC  
Geetha  
Jayaram**

## Annual Fund (AF) Rankings

Districts by AF Total	
1	7770 \$692,999.42
2	7750 \$557,537.05
3	7710 \$509,912.52
4	7600 \$491,321.12
5	7690 \$464,076.06

Districts by AF PerCapita	
1	7710 \$276.38
2	7610 \$245.71
3	7600 \$227.56
4	7620 \$225.32
5	7750 \$220.42

Districts by AF YTD % Change	
1	7620 11.04%
2	7670 10.80%
3	7360 9.84%
4	7750 6.75%
5	7690 4.30%

## District Rotary Foundation Report

Foundation report September–Oct 2024

Global Grants in Draft	GRF submitted	GRF approved
17	2 awaiting authorization 4 submitted in 2024-25 (from July 1)	17 since 2022 Impact in 19 countries; 12 countries in 2024 18 clubs have participated this year-2024 6 sponsors so far only 5 of 17 Districts in Zone 33; 4 of 4 Districts in Zone 34 are sponsors We are the best District for 5 and the international partner for 16 GGFs
	33 grants submitted and approved in 2024 12 countries, many in India	Our District has 15 newly approved Global Grants in 2024; the next most productive in 2 Zones is District 6900 with 9 grants; the rest are 6 or fewer each; most have one or two

Take home points

Highest number of Global Grants in both Zones together

Total funding to be determined based on full approval

Total impact over \$2 million

				IMPACT
TOTALS	All Grants and Applications	\$122,000	\$184,264	\$2,139,940
	DRFC Requested or Approved 2024-25 DDF	\$62,000	\$186,337	\$2,071,710
	2024-25 Hanson Directed Gift	\$60,000	\$7,927	\$68,250

[Read More](#)

## Rotary Clubs Can Use DDF to Join Forces for Disaster Recovery in North Carolina and Florida

DRFC Geetha Jayaram and DG Nomic Hamid are pleased to announce a special initiative to support recovery efforts in North Carolina and Florida following the recent devastating disasters. We are offering expedited District grants to all Rotary Clubs in our District to utilize matching DDF in support of Rotary Clubs in both states as they mobilize to help communities rebuild and recover. [Read More](#)

## Additional District Grants Approved!

CONGRATULATIONS to the following Rotary Clubs who have been approved for additional matching DDF for District 7620 community grants for Rotary Year 2024-25:

[Read More](#)

## World Polio Day Commemoration

On Tuesday, October 22, 2024, the Rotary District 7620 PolioPlus Committee held a virtual event to commemorate World Polio Day. The webinar drew around 40 participants, including Rotarians and public health advocates dedicated to eradicating polio worldwide. The featured speaker was Bernie Riedel, Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator (RRFC) for Zone 33, who provided an insightful update on the global progress toward polio eradication. He shared the latest advancements and also ongoing challenges that must be overcome to eliminate polio once and for all. The event was highly successful, leaving attendees both informed and inspired to continue their efforts in the fight against polio.

Polio is a highly contagious and debilitating disease that primarily affects children under the age of 5. Join us in the fight to eradicate polio and protect future generations by visiting [endpolio.org](http://endpolio.org). Every contribution brings us one step closer to a polio-free world. Thank you for your support!

## World Polio Day 2024

PolioPlus Committee



## Red Line Happy Hour

A fun time was had by all at the September Red Line Happy Hour. Thank you President Ayse and the Rotary Club of Metro Bethesda for hosting.



**58th Annual St. Mary's Oyster Festival and U.S. National Oyster Shucking Championship Contest**



The U.S. National Oyster Shucking Championship Contest, held both days of the St. Mary's Oyster Festival, features the fastest men and women shuckers representing ten states and the fastest local tidewater shuckers competing for cash prizes totaling \$1,800. Winners from previous years have competed in the [International Oyster Festival](#) in Galway Ireland. See the [Previous Year's Winner List](#). Contestants for the shucking contest come from across the country. Usually they have won a shucking competition from whatever region or area of the country in which they live. For example the West Coast shucking champ comes from Washington state. Other champs represent the states Virginia, North Carolina, Florida, Maryland, Texas, Louisiana and Connecticut. Regional Tidewater Maryland contestants come from local restaurants, shucking houses and the [Winners Association of St. Mary's](#). To learn more about the U.S. National Oyster Shucking Contest and how to apply, visit our [Contestants Page](#). Annually the The Rotary Club of Lexington Park distributes up to \$30,000 in academic scholarships to college-bound high school seniors; provides over \$20,000 in direct support to area non-profits for programs such as the local food pantries; and sponsors a house for the annual Christmas in April project. The Club also periodically participates in a Rotary International relief effort to support communities in developing countries. The U. S. National Oyster Festival in St. Mary's County, MD is the Rotary Club of Lexington Park's primary means to raise funds for all of these charitable causes, most of which are clearly centered on St. Mary's County. The Club partners with numerous other local non-profits to sell food at the event making the Oyster Festival the largest venue for annual charitable fund raising in St. Mary's County.



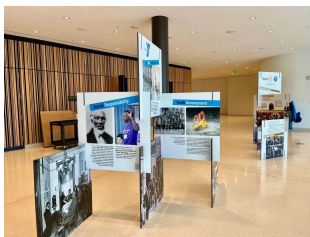
**77th Annual Howard County Community Crab Feast Held on October 5, 2024**

Hundreds of people came out to the Howard County Fairgrounds for Ellcott City Rotary Club's annual Crab Feast on October 5, 2024. The 77th Annual Howard County Community Crab Feast was the perfect occasion to gather with friends and family, enjoy great food, and support Mental Health Initiatives in Howard County. The feast included all-you-can-eat hot steamed crabs, ice-cold oysters, succulent BBQ, and refreshing beer and wine.



**DC Rotary Club & National Museum and Center for Service**

What an exciting opportunity to show the impact of service to the local and global community! We encourage all to join us in service to our fellow occupants of this world. Thank you for highlighting or work, National Museum and Center for Service.



**Dupont Circle RC Grant for Emma's Torch**

In spring 2024, our club applied for a district grant to help [Emma's Torch](#) build streateries for their clients to sit and dine. We were awarded the grant, the construction was completed, and volunteers from our club helped add ambiance to the streatory space. Feel free to visit and check it out!



**October 2024 Membership Achievement Awards!**

Congratulations to [Rotary District 7620's Rotaract Club of Washington, D.C.](#), and [Rotary Clubs of](#): Annapolis, Capitol Hill, Carroll Creek, Parole (Annapolis), South Anne Arundel County, Bethesda-Chevy Chase, Charles County (La Plata), Columbia Town Center, Frederick, Greenbelt, Lake Shore-Severna Park, Olney, and Rockville for growing their membership base. Way to go! [#thomajotriple](#)



## Rotary Peace Fellowship 2025 Selection Notification

The Rotary Peace Centers team has selected this year's finalists to receive the 2025 Rotary Peace Fellowship, and they have been notified. We are happy to announce that the Rotary Peace Fellowship Application 2025 of Awet Wereta - a Rotary Peace Fellowship candidate from Rotary District 7620, recommended by Rotary Club of Rockville, was successful.

Awet has been selected for the Rotary Peace Fellowship and will pursue a Master's Degree in Global Studies at the University of North Carolina starting in August, 2025. Awet Wereta graduated with a Master's Degree in Diplomacy and International Relations and served as a diplomat for Ethiopia at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and in the Embassy in Algiers, Algeria. Awet volunteered as an advocacy expert and community organizer in Germany for two years, campaigning against a war that broke out in Ethiopia in November 2020. Awet currently lives in the United States of America.

Rotary Peace Centers notes that as in previous years, selection was highly competitive: Evaluators reviewed over 800 applications for 131 fellowship awards this year.

Ukeme Akpan Okon  
Rotary District 7620 Peace Committee Chair  
Rotary Club of Rockville Peace Committee



## 2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference



### Healing in a Divided World

20-22 February 2025  
Istanbul, Türkiye  
Hilton Istanbul Bomonti Hotel & Conference Center

[Register now](#)

Led by Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick, the 2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference in Istanbul, Türkiye, 20-22 February 2025, will be an opportunity for the Rotary community and our partners to build on Rotary's contributions to promoting peace by exploring:

- Peace in a polarized world
- Technology, media, and peacemaking
- Environmental issues in peacemaking
- Making peace last

The conference will also recognize the launch of the new Otto and Fran Waller Rotary Peace Center in partnership with Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul.

The three-day conference includes keynote speakers, panel discussions, and breakout sessions that will highlight the many ways Rotary members, program participants, partners, and community leaders can advocate for peace: share stories, insights, and ideas about building peace locally and globally; and foster meaningful conversations about promoting peace within our communities and beyond.

Don't miss this special, one-time event focused on ways to take action to advance the cause of peace and explore important issues of our time, including creating sustainable peace and healing in a divided world.

[Registration](#) for the Presidential Peace Conference is now open.

[Learn more about the conference.](#)

For additional questions, contact [Istanbul25@rotary.org](mailto:Istanbul25@rotary.org).

## Rotary Membership Trends

By Terry R. Weaver, Rotary Coordinator 2022-25

WOW -- A net gain of FIFTY-ONE members (51) for the week is a good catch-up towards getting back on the Success Track. We need a net gain of 50 members per week for the next 5 weeks to get back on track.

**Bright Spots** -- A BIG shout-out to District 7730 for a **new club** this week. We have widened our lead in the **#1 position** among North American Zones. [Link to 2024-25 Tabular Data](#)

District	Ahead (Behind) Success Track # Members	Member Gain/Loss 2024-25	Member Gain/Loss 2024-25	Member Gain/Loss WEEK
7690 - Central NC	55	93	3.90%	5
7620 - Central MD/DC	36	68	3.40%	0
7680 - West Central NC	12	48	2.20%	4
7730 - Southeastern NC	12	37	2.40%	19
7710 - Raleigh	7	36	2.00%	3
7630 - Delaware/MD	6	29	2.10%	0
7750 - Western SC	6	45	1.90%	3
7600 - Southeast VA	5	40	1.90%	3
7610 - Northern VA	5	35	1.90%	4
7545 - West Virginia	-2	27	1.40%	2
7305 - SW Pennsylvania	-6	22	1.20%	4
7720 - North Eastern NC	-12	7	0.60%	1
7280 - NW Pennsylvania	-22	-3	-0.30%	4
7670 - Western NC	-28	5	0.20%	0
7570 - Western VA & NE TN	-39	6	0.20%	-4
7770 - Central & East SC	-39	12	0.40%	1
7360 - Parts of MD, PA, WV	-40	-6	-0.30%	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>-40</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>1.50%</b>	<b>51</b>

**Stalled Clubs** -- This is the time of year when we need to contact clubs with ZERO new members (through Oct. 1), asking how we can help them with their new member attraction strategies. **Please open the D-7620 YTD Goal Progress**

**Report, and check the Show Clubs with No New Members box.**

Regardless of efforts or success in retaining members, **attrition never goes away**. It can be reduced, not eradicated. The antidote to "normal" attrition is **NEW MEMBER ATTRACTION**. Since we know that's essential, why not get started NOW, rather than scrambling at year end? [Link to 2024-25 Graphs](#)

**Your Rotary Coordinator team will be working with your District to build a Membership Assistance Team to help clubs with membership challenges get on a path toward consistent, moderate membership growth.**

## Would You Like to Change Rotary? You can, Here's How

Rotary International (Rotary) may have one of the most democratic legislative systems of any organization. It is a little clumsy and expensive, but very effective. Any Rotarian in the world can make a change in how Rotary operates and change any part of the constitution or bylaws. Rotary's legislative body is called the Council on Legislation (COL). It meets every three years and is made up of one representative from all 500+ districts in the world. This three-year term our COL representative is PDG Barton Goldenberg. His role is to share the potential legislation (called "enactments") that could change how Rotary functions, discuss them with anyone interested, and vote them up or down.

An enactment is created by anyone that has an idea to better Rotary management. Next, they need to convince their Rotary club and have their district vote on their idea. Next the enactment gets voted on during the COL. Changes to Rotary's constitution requires a 2/3 vote, while changes to Rotary's bylaws and Rotary's standard club constitution requires just a simple majority vote. Since votes can be reconsidered during the COL, it is probably best to think in terms of votes not being finalized until the COL concludes.

The COL will meet in Chicago, April 13-15, 2025, to debate and vote on 66 proposed enactments. These enactments are now listed on the Rotary's website and Barton encourages anyone interested to read and share your thoughts. They usually are very interesting reading since Rotarians from all parts of the world, with many views, offer ideas on how Rotary should operate in the future.

You can find these enactments by the following steps. [Read More](#)



## Getting excited for Calgary



Canadian members are already excited about the biggest event in the Rotary calendar: the 2025 Rotary International Convention, to be held on 21-25 June in Calgary. "This is an incredible opportunity to see the global nature of Rotary," says Louisa Horne, a member of the Rotary Club of Halifax Harbor. [Rotary Canada talked with members from Quebec to British Columbia](#) to capture their enthusiasm about the upcoming event. You don't have to be Canadian to be excited, of course! [Register by 15 December to take advantage of the early registration discount.](#)

## Rotaract Club of Washington, D.C.

October 2024 Club Meeting  
Another great meeting in the books!



Great time @ the Annual Hike for Polio!



Service Above Self - Service Event @foodjusticedmv



### Rotaract UN Days in Geneva

Get Ready for Rotaract UN Days in Geneva!

From 30 October to 2 November, Rotaractors from 46+ countries will come together in Geneva, Switzerland. Explore iconic locations like UNOG, WIPO, and CERN while engaging in meaningful discussions on topics like refugees, human rights, and peace.

This is your chance to network with Rotaractors worldwide and contribute to shaping a better future. Sign up now: <https://www.rotaractundays.com/>



### 2024 Interact Awards!



The 2024 Interact Awards are here!  
Learn more at [rotary.org/interactawards](https://rotary.org/interactawards)

### Rotary Club Central Updates

Rotary Club Central updates are coming!

Clubs will be able set goals for three consecutive years, and priority goals will be identified in the platform.

Rotary's Board of Directors identified six priority goals, which are particularly effective in strengthening a club and helping Rotary create lasting change. These goals are identified in Rotary Club Central and will count toward the Club Excellence Award when you achieve them.



### New Rotaract benefit unlocked



Rotaract members can now use Rotary Club Central, Rotary's free goal planning and tracking platform. Club leaders can add and track goals, while members can track their club's progress. Rotaract clubs can earn the Club Excellence Award (formerly the Rotary Citation) by achieving goals entered directly into Rotary Club Central. It's never too late to start planning your club's future. Set annual goals in [Rotary Club Central](#) to help your club achieve its vision.

### Exciting update: Two newsletters for young leaders are merging!

Starting in December, Rotary Youth Exchange News and Young Leaders in Action are merging into one newsletter: Programs for Young Leaders. You'll receive it every other month and will find information from Rotary Youth Exchange, Interact, and RYL!

What to expect:

- **More diverse content:** Find stories, tips, and news from all three of Rotary's youth programs for a fuller understanding of the impact they have.
- **Expert insights:** Stay informed with advice, event updates, and motivational stories that keep you connected to the global youth leadership community?
- **A new design:** An updated layout will make the newsletter easier to use and enjoy?

If you're passionate about Rotary's youth programs, this new format offers an even greater opportunity to learn, get involved, and share stories that make a difference.

Rotary International looks forward to your feedback as we make this exciting transition!

#### LEARN MORE

- An introduction to [Rotary Youth Exchange](#)
- [Youth protection](#) and Rotary International
- [FAQ](#) about Rotary Youth Exchange and COVID-19

Rotary is committed to fostering environments that are safe and positive for young people and free from discrimination and physical, emotional, and sexual abuse. Rotary International takes all youth protection allegations seriously.

You can report any concern at any time by using the blue **REPORT A YOUTH PROTECTION CONCERN** button on the [Youth Protection page](#) of Rotary.org.



### Rotary's partnership with UNICEF



As Rotary International's Representative to UNICEF, I had the great privilege of visiting the UNICEF Supply Division in Copenhagen this past week. It is the world's largest humanitarian and emergency response warehouse. This incredible operation and logistics hub is at the core of UNICEF's global response work. Rotary's partnership with UNICEF contributes to this effort to quickly and efficiently respond to the most challenging humanitarian needs around the world.



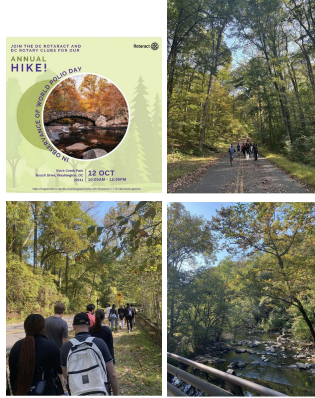
[Read More](#)

### Rotaract Club of Howard University

Happy Tuesday! Let's take it back to one of our September services, Food for Thought where our HU Rotaract iron chefs helped prepare and serve meals at Christ House. It's safe to say this is one of our favorite initiatives! [#christhouse](#) [#hurolaract](#) [#foodforthought](#)



The views from our weekend hike in observance of World Polo Day. #endpolionow



[Read More](#)

### Educating yourself!



Educating yourself! Review and know where to find resources on Rotary's programs for young leaders. The following program web pages provide the most up-to-date program handbooks and resources:

- [Interact](#)
- [RYLA](#)
- [Youth Exchange](#)
- [Youth Protection](#)

### In Memoriam: William Boleyn

William "Bill" A. Boleyn, 102, of Ashburn, VA, passed away on October 6, 2024, from natural causes. Bill was born on May 22, 1922, to Charles and Jennie Boleyn in Remington, VA. He graduated from Marshall College, now Marshall University, in Huntington, WV, in 1943. Bill was the first Boleyn to earn a college degree. World War II was in full swing when Bill was in college so he elected to enlist with the United States Marine Corps because the Marines allowed recruits to complete their college education before reporting for duty. After graduation, and Parris Island, Bill reported to Officer Candidate School at Marine Corps Base Quantico. He entered the War as a second lieutenant and served in the South Pacific. After the War, Bill landed his first job at the Veterans Administration in Richmond, VA. This is where he met and married his beloved wife of 50 years, the late Jewell Fox Boleyn of Manassas, VA. In 1949, he moved the family to Northern Virginia and accepted a position in the federal government with the Bureau of the Budget, now the Office of Management and Budget, in Washington, DC. He served there for 25 years, ultimately becoming a Deputy Associate Director, Intergovernmental Relations, before retiring and accepting a position as the Controller at the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority. Bill served there for 17 years, ultimately becoming the Acting General Manager, before retiring in 1992. Bill is survived by his daughter and three sons: Jewell Lee Stecher of Chantilly, VA, William A. Boleyn, Jr. (Ann) of Naples, FL, along with David Fox Boleyn and Robert Scott Boleyn (Sara), both of Arlington, VA. Bill is also survived by seven grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. A memorial service was held on Saturday, October 26, 2024, 11 a.m., at Fairfax United Methodist Church, 10300 Stratford Avenue, Fairfax, VA 22030. [Read More](#)



**Four-Way Test**  
 Is it the truth?  
 Is it fair to all concerned?  
 Will it build goodwill and better friendships?  
 Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

**District 7620 Newsletter Team:**  
 Bob Nelson, PDG, Chair  
 Sean McAllister, PDG, District Public Image Chair

ROTARY'S VISION STATEMENT

**TOGETHER** WE SEE A WORLD  
 WHERE **PEOPLE** UNITE AND TAKE ACTION  
 TO **CREATE** LASTING  
**CHANGE** ACROSS THE GLOBE  
 IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND IN OURSELVES