

The Trail

Huguenot Trail Rotary Club

October 3, 2018

Coming Events

October

Oct. 3 **RI International Endowment** Bill Billings

Oct. 10 **PDG Stephen Beer** Faison School Project

Oct. 13 MMFF-Westchester Commons 12-7 pm

Oct. 17 **Connecting Hearts**J. Will Pitzer

Oct. 20 **Beds for Kids** 8:30 am

Huguenot Village Center

Oct. 24 World Polio Day

Oct. 31 **Fifth Wednesday**No Luncheon Meeting
Capitol Ale House Lunch
12:30 pm

November

Nov. 7 **Bonnie Inge Bell** Christmas Mother

Nov. 14 **LeeAnn Sawyer** Bridging RVA

Nov. 21 **Mike Little**

Global Grant Project

Nov. 28 **PDG Sandy Duckworth (7610)**The Rotary Foundation

December

Dec. 10 **Christmas Mother Distribution** 1 pm

Scheduling Conflict

There is so much going on, we had scheduling conflict! Beds for Kids has a delivery day scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 20, so the Food Bank has been moved to a later date. While we like to do both, doing one on Friday night and one on Saturday seemed a bit much!



PDG Jim Bynum installed our newest member, Bonnie Predd, at last week's meeting. Welcome, Bonnie! (She's already signed up with the membership committee and to

help

Erin Harnage was a guest at last week's meeting. She's a neighbor of George and Julie and, turns out, knew Hugh from work! So, she and Hugh got to catch up before the meeting.



The Rotarian traveled to Sandbridge, where a couple of our members tried to recruit new Rotarians on the beach!

On Her 99th Birthday, Julie's friend Norma Martin took time to check our the Traveling Rotarian! Born and raised in the Panama Canal Zone, Norma was pointing out her home on the map of the world in this month's issue.







Martin and Julia are sending back photos from Spain. At left is the Alhambra Moorish Palace/Military Fortress. Above is Sagrada Familia Basilica by Gaude in Barcelona.

Rotary Day at the UN

Rotary Day at the United Nations celebrates two organizations' shared vision for peace and highlights the critical humanitarian activities that Rotary and the UN lead around the world.

Under this year's theme of "Youth Innovation: Crafting Solutions to Emerging Challenges," Rotary will honor six innovators who are under age 35.

They are:

Albert Kafka of Wien-Oper, Austria (Pairing members of different generations in a one-year mentoring relationship);

Charlie Ruth Castro of Sogamoso, Colunbia (Teaching vocational and business skills to incarcerated women):

Christina Hassan of Calgary Fish Creek, Canada (Training midwives and supplying safe, sterile childbirth equipment to hospitals in Uganda);

Paul Mushaho of Nakivale, Uganda (Organizing a Rotaract club in a Ugandan refugee settlement):

Shadrack Nyawa of Kilifi, Kenya (Traveling to remote schools in Kenya to find those in most need of toilets and hygiene education), and

Ludocvic Grosjean of

Melbourne, Australia (Founding a pioneering company that is developing a new technology to monitor pollution and remove it from waterways).

More than 750 participants will attend the event on Saturday, Nov. 10 at the United Nations Information Centre in Nairobi, Kenya.

Rotary leaders, UN officials, and humanitarian experts will educate and inspire participants to find innovative strategies for addressing humanitarian challenges at local, regional and global levels.

General breakout sessions will address the UN Sustainable Development Goals and how to harness the technological revolution for good, as well as young people's role in creating change.

The event will feature an Innovation



Fair where Rotary clubs, businesses and other organizations will exhibit humanitarian projects and cuttingedge technology that can help address the challenges we face.

The event is open to Rotarians and their guests. Attendees will include

- Rotary International president and Board of Directors, Rotary Foundation Trustees, other Rotary leaders and Rotary club members,
- Leaders from the United Nations,
- Experts from other nongovernmental organizations and
- Renowned humanitarians.

