

Club Meeting

Raleigh International (E-Club) Meets at Zoom https://zoom.us/j/99333184139? pwd=PefaaB5JVxH9rAmOz1WCa60WQOuSZJ.1 Meeting ID: 993 3318 4139 Passcode: Rotary@24

Raleigh, NC Time: Saturday at 09:00 AM

Events

March 2nd March WASH Fundraiser for Lister Mair/Gilby High

Speakers

March 08, 2025

Denise Appleby How IRA and 401(k) Owners Lose Millions in Avoidable Taxes. Learn from Common Mistakes and Safeguard Your Retirement Savings.

March 15, 2025

Sarah Duffy RECRI member, Sarah Duffy will share her story.

March 22, 2025 Marie Howard Celebrating our First Birthday!

March 29, 2025 Valarie Jarvis Sustainable farming in an urban setting.

Birthdays

Adella Gillespie March 4th Clare A Matti March 19th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Celebrating Our First Anniversary

By Marie Shoemaker Howard on Sunday, March 2, 2025



The **Rotary E-Club of Raleigh International** (RECRI) was formally chartered as a Rotary club just one year ago on March 25, 2024. RECRI is a cause-based Rotary club that meets online, and our cause is to serve at the Lister Mair/Gilby High School for the Deaf in Jamaica.

We will celebrate our first anniversary on **Saturday**, **March 22 at 9:00 AM Eastern Daylight Time**, with a special program highlighting the impact of education on the lives of individuals, their families, and the community at large. **Basic Education and Literacy** is one of Rotary's Areas of Focus, and it is central to the work of our Rotary club. During the meeting we will hear from life-long educators who are committed to making a difference by improving educational opportunities through Rotary. Join our meeting on Zoom: Meeting ID: 993 3318 4139 Passcode: Rotary@24

The club meets weekly when we learn about a wide range of subjects, often focused on Caribbean culture and society. During meetings, we are intentional about creating **connections** between our members, who currently reside in two countries and six states in the United States.

The Rotary E-Club of Raleigh International **travels** to Jamaica annually to learn about the culture and to conduct hands-on service projects at the school and with other Rotary Clubs. This helps us to experience the world-wide impact of Rotary International. Our next trip is expected to be in February 2026.

We **serve** through club projects and through our contributions to The Rotary Foundation, which support humanitarian efforts, globally.

Interested in making a difference? Join us for a meeting or two and then request an application for membership. Our members are mid-career to retired adults with a heart for service and the means to travel to Jamaica for service projects. If you are interested in serving deserving students, we hope you'll join us and support our projects. Find our meeting calendar, <u>here</u>. We look forward to meeting you, soon!

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Rotary Connects the World as US Rotarians Serve in Jamaica

By Marie Shoemaker Howard on Sunday, March 2, 2025



Seventeen members and friends of Rotary E-Club of Raleigh International recently returned from Jamaica where we worked directly with students and staff, at the Lister Mair/Gilby High School for the Deaf in Kingston. This concludes the second year of ongoing support for the school serving approximately 120 Deaf and hard-of-hearing students. Projects conducted at the school during the 2024-2025 Rotary year are valued over \$25,000 USD.

Personal engagement with hands-on projects exemplifies the club's commitment to meaningful service beyond mere financial support of the school. During our trip we painted an inspirational mural, installed a motivational hopscotch game, conducted interactive cultural presentations, and constructed equipment used in vocational education.







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