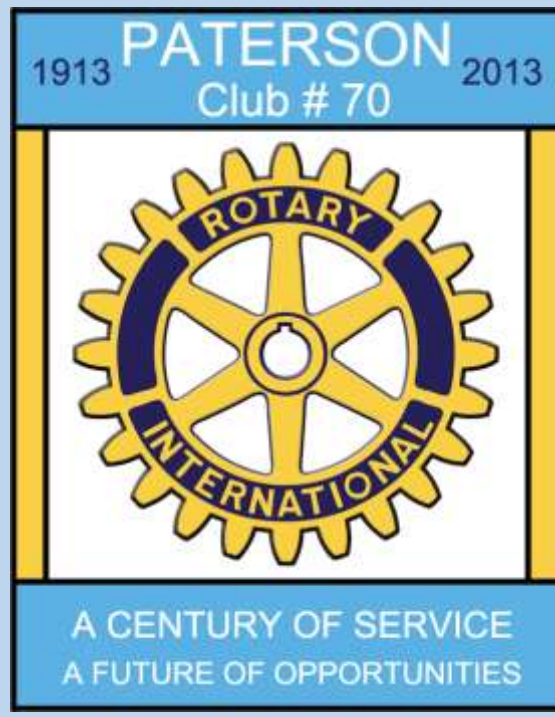


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**MEETING EVERY THURSDAY @ 12:15**

**At The Brownstone 351 West Broadway, Paterson, NJ 07522**

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**Rotary International**  
R.I. President Ian Riseley  
**ROTARY: Making a Difference**  
[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

Meeting: Thursday, 11/16/2017

The 21st Meeting of our 106th year!

**Rotary District 7490**  
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James Boyer  
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## **ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT**

### **As a Rotarian, I will:**

- 1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in all my personal and professional life.**
- 2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect.**
- 3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve the quality of life in my community and in the world.**
- 4. Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.**
- 5. Not seek special business or professional advantages from other Rotarians.**

## **THE ROTARY FOUR WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK DO OR SAY**

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?**
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?**
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?**
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**

**President Joe Sterba opened our meeting today at 12:15**

**Prayer: Dwayne Leverette**

**Pledge of Allegiance led by Betty Garger**

**Song: Over the River and through the Woods**

### **Our Welcoming Committee**



**Gladys Bayon and Tony Pecci  
Welcome Our Guests ...**

**Alice Moskowitz, Laurelwood Arboretum**

**India Delgado, Lakeland Mortgage**



## **Announcements**

**Welcome back former member India Delgado who will be coming back to Paterson Rotary! YAY! 😊**

**PDG Joe Dino needs help with food packing for our Food Boost Program Packing will take place at Manchester Regional H.S. on November 27<sup>th</sup>.**

**Board of Directors meeting will be held on December 19th at Frank's Restaurant on Belmont Avenue in Haledon. Paterson Rotary members in good standing are welcome to attend.**

**President Joe reminds us that the "Shoe Drive" fundraiser will continue through to November. Please get together shoes you would like to donate. Men's, women's and children's new or worn shoes are appreciated.**

**John Susani suggested a "Facetime" visit with our Gift of Life child Jose`**

**Members who have an idea for a guest speaker or club program are asked to give your ideas to President Elect Claire Salviano.**

**Our "Service Above Elf" project will benefit P.S. # 6 this year. We need donations for hats, gloves, scarves and coats for the kids. Happy Dollars going forward will go to benefit this project.**

**Our club will soon be able to accept credit card payment for our fundraisers. This will really help our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Golf Outing sales for the May 17 event.**

**Our club will be joining with Wayne Rotary in their annual fruit sale.**

**The following fundraisers are planned for 2018: Poker Night on March 10, Pancake Breakfast in April and a Beefsteak Dinner date TBD  
Our Annual Golf Outing on May 17.**

**Nominations will be accepted for officer and director positions with the exception of President Elect. See John Susani or Joe Sterba if you are interested.**

## **THE AMERICAN'S CREED**

**I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, and for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect Union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, Justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.**

**Therefore I believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its Constitution, to obey its laws, to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies.**

**William Tyler Page**

**God Bless our Military men and women who serve to protect the freedoms we enjoy and who protect our safety.**

**Of note:** The American Creed, The Constitution, Declaration of Independence, New Jersey Constitution and other Great Papers were given out to each 8<sup>th</sup> grader graduating from a Paterson Public School In a book called "Our Great State Papers" ... I still have mine.

## **TODAY'S PROGRAM**

### **THE LAURELWOOD ARBORETUM**

**Guest speaker, Alice Moskowitz**

**Alice showed a slide presentation with gorgeous pictures of The Laurelwood Arboretum located in the heart of Wayne, New Jersey. This 30 acre arboretum is open to the public from sunrise to dusk. The Knippenberg Center hosts meetings, workshops and is open to meetings from different organizations.**

**There is a beautiful Sensory Garden focusing on taste, touch, smell and sight as well as the South Rock Garden.**

**There are Educational programs and Greenhouse.**

**The Arboretum is located at 725 Pines Lake Drive West, Wayne, NJ**

**You are invited to visit the website at [Laurelwoodarboretum.org](http://Laurelwoodarboretum.org)**

**Donations are gratefully accepted!**

**Thank you President Elect Claire for another excellent program!**

**Alice Moskowitz, Laurelwood Arboretum**



*PICTURE GALLERY*



**Betty, Dwayne and Dan**



**PDG Joe Dino and India Delgado**



**Lori, Claire and Alice Moskowitz**



**Dan, President Joe and Lori**



**HAPPY DOLLARS** collected today will go to our “Service Above Elf” project providing coats, hats, gloves and scarves to PS # 6 Students this December.

**50/50**

**\$400+ in the pot and growing with the deck shrinking!  
No winners today with only 10 cards left in the deck!**

**We pray for all of our members, family and friends who are suffering illness or other adversities.**

**Please keep Patricia Scialla, Chip Tamar and his wife in your prayers for speedy recoveries. Pray for peace!**

*Quote of the day;*

*Not what we say about our blessings, but how we use them, is the true measure of our Thanksgiving! W.T. Purkiser*

**“Remember – Paterson Rotary is on the web at [www.patersonrotary.org](http://www.patersonrotary.org) and you can also find us on FACEBOOK! If you are on Facebook, be sure to “friend” Paterson Rotary!”**

**Show your support! Bring a Guest!**

**Have Fun!                      Learn something new!                      Meet new people!  
Enjoy the great food! ..... Help us help our youth and our community!**

Your Reporter today  
Gloria Counsellor

