



New Milford Rotary Club  
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# NAIRATOR

(That's Rotarian Spelled Backwards)



District 7890

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Happy Halloween  
October 31

## Raffle Prizes

Thanks to Veralyn for the Bodycology Kit. We still welcome any more donations of raffle prizes for our lunch meetings. . If you have anything to donate, a bottle of liquid refreshment, a nice item that you may have a duplicate of, and not need, please let President Katy or Charlie know.

## Rotary Foundation

President Katy has already "stickered" some lunch badges, but none since last meeting. Once again, we hope that we achieve our goal of "Every Member-Every Year". Only 45 of our 58 members took part in the pledge last year. Thank you to all who participated last year, and we hope all members will join us this year in our efforts to make the world a better place! This is the start of the 4th quarter, so now would be a good time to include your \$50 (or part of the \$50) with your dues check!

## October - Rotary Vocational Service Month

Vocational Service in Rotary, means that we are committed to honest business and unassailable ethics, and that we are equally committed to using our vocational skills and advantages to help others. The idea is simple enough- but it is unique to Rotary.

We will be  
meeting at the  
**MAXX**  
October 16

## Rotary Foundation Bus Persons

October 2- Peter Lang/  
Carl  
October 9- Tinker/ Ann  
Fisher  
October 16- Veralyn/  
George Petermann  
October 23- Jim Kick/  
Tom McSherry  
October 30- Andrea/  
Charlie Reppenhagen  
November 6- Wink/ Dave  
Elmore



Columbus Day  
October 8

## Upcoming Meetings & Events

October 2- Arthur Klein, D.C.- Health Care or Sick Care?/ Food Donation Day  
October 9- Sate Rep. Clark Chapin, who is running for State Senator.  
October 16- Club Business day- President Katy discuss committees, new Member participation, etc./ Student of the Month  
October 23- Karen Coe- Rotary Shelter Box  
October 27 (Saturday)- Shredding Day at Lore's Plaza  
October 28 (Sunday)-Halloween Party for Seniors at Richmond Center  
October 30- Samuel Brown- Project Amigo- Helping poor rural children in Mexico achieve the education and skills to build lives for themselves and improve their communities.  
November 1- District Foundation Dinner at Chez Josef- Agawam, Mass.

## October Anniversaries

October 16- Barbara and Bruce Voutas  
October 18- Tinker and Bob Hickey  
October 23- Katy Francis and Michael  
October 24- Arthur and Hillary Klein  
October 24- Michael and Kathy Gold

## October Birthdays

October 3- Bob Mullen  
October 8- Tinker Hickey  
October 9- Ralph Williams  
October 23- Lennie Lillis  
October 27- Sharon Ward  
October 28- Peter Evangelisti

## Programs



District Governor, Eileen Rau, made her official visit to our club, August 28. She told us about District 7890 plans and goals, updated us on the Polio Plus campaign, and Peace, the theme of Rotary International President, Sakuji Tanaka. She presented a Rotary International Banner, with the Peace Theme, to President Katy.



September 11, Lisa Roush, the Curator of the NM Historical Society, was our guest. She told us that, if we visit, we will see portraits of our forefathers, old New Milford paintings, old furniture, and archives. Some of the activities of the Society include gravestone "rubbing", wine tasting shows, craft shows, art sales, and the Field of Flags, where 300 American flags will be displayed at the site in November.



September 18, Cecilia Buck-Taylor, was our guest. She told us why she should be elected to State Representative for the 67th District.



September 25, Alan Grossman, candidate for State Representative of the 67th District, told us why a new face, and fresh approach would be good for New Milford.

## The Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

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

[Club Web Site](http://www.NMRotary.org)  
[www.NMRotary.org](http://www.NMRotary.org)



*National Boss Day- October 16*

## *In Memory*



Claudia Armstrong, spent many years with Andy, our Charter member, working for our club, and helping to make it the great club that it is. She lost her long battle with cancer. Our thoughts and prayers are with Andy.

## *Student of the Month*

Congratulations to the many leaders and members of our club, who started the Student of the Month Program! We have been honoring our students for 50 years! Thanks, Rob, Bonnie, Peter, Katy, and all others who work hard on this program.



## *Senior Halloween Party*



Once again, Roger and his team will run the Senior Halloween Party for our Seniors, Sunday, October 28, at the Richmond Center. Our Seniors love this great party, and Roger, Mike and their families do a fantastic job. We will need set-up, working and clean-up crews. As soon as details are finalized, we will let you know. Set the date aside to help, and have fun!

## *Special Guest*



We were pleased to have an old friend, Bob Pearson, former member and Past President of our club, and member of the Flagler Beach, Florida Rotary Club, as lunch guest, September 11. He managed to get in a round of golf with Frank, after the meeting.



## *Rose Sale*



We had our annual Rose sale on Friday, September 21, at the Bandstand. The weather cooperated, and customers were pleased, as evidenced by the smiles on the recipients above (Carissa, Katrina and Kayleigh, and the Rose salesman) but sales were below expectations. A large number of the roses were delivered to our local nursing and convalescent homes.



## World Polio Day- October 24th



The fight to eradicate Polio is so important, that Rotary International has designated October 24th as "World Polio Day". We thought that we would reprint the following paragraph from the District Newsletter, by DG Eileen, for your perusal and action.



October 24th is World Polio Day. How is your club going to commemorate the day? One thing you can very easily do is visit the interactive [www.endpolionow.org](http://www.endpolionow.org) website where you can sign a petition encouraging world leaders, who will attend the UN General Assembly, to support global polio eradication. These signatures will be presented to United Nations Secretary General Ban Ki-moon as a show of solidarity and support at a special polio event during the United Nations General Assembly. The website is also your go-to site to learn more about the progress of polio eradication and what you as an individual and a club member can do to speed these efforts along.

## Shredding Day

We are printing part of the press release sent by Art Klein. The rest of the release and the flyer are on pages 6 and 7. Let's really spread the word. Art does a great job! Let's help him!

The **Rotary Club of New Milford** in partnership with Secure Eco Shred, Inc. will host a **'Fall Cleanup' Document Shredding Day** open to the public, on **Saturday, October 27<sup>th</sup>** in Lore's Plaza parking lot on Route 7 (Across from Arby's) from 10:00 am to 2:00pm.

## 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 to serve;
- 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 world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## 2012-2013 Officers

President- Katy Francis  
 President Elect- Tom McSherry  
 Vice President- Ann Fisher  
 Secretary- Ivan Shiffman  
 Treasurer- Charlie Junz  
 Sgt. at Arms- Terry Profita

### Board

Ralph Williams  
 George Petermann  
 Darren Piper  
 Tinker Hickey

## Local Rotary Clubs for make-up meetings

**Litchfield-Morris**-Thursday 12:00 Noon at the Forman School  
**Danbury**- Wednesday 12:15 P.M. at the Ethan Allen Inn  
**Newtown**- Monday 6:15 P.M. at The Inn in Newtown  
**Washington**- Tuesday 12:15 P.M. at First Congregational Church  
**Brookfield (Now Housatonic Rotary Club)**- Monday 6:15 PM at Pasta Garden.  
**E-Club**- [www.rotary7890.org](http://www.rotary7890.org)



**Healing  
the  
Children.**

*Presents...*

**The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
HALLOWEEN  
Dance & Costume Party**



**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2012**

**7:00 PM TO 12:00 AM**

**ANTHONY'S LAKE CLUB**

**10 CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS AVE, DANBURY, CT**

**TICKETS - \$45.00**

To purchase tickets please go  
to [www.htcne.org](http://www.htcne.org) or call  
(860) 355-1828

**Entrance Includes:**

Buffett Dinner – Music  
Dancing – Costume Contest

**A CASH BAR WILL BE  
AVAILABLE ALONG WITH A  
SILENT AUCTION – A RAFFLE &  
A HEADS OR TAILS RAFFLE  
FOR AN IPAD**

**Music provided by:**

DJ Mike of M.A. Music  
& vocals by Sheila,  
formally of The Ronettes



Protect Your Identity; Protect the Earth,  
The New Milford Rotary Club's  
"Fall Cleanup" Community Document Shredding Day  
set for  
Saturday, October 27, 2012

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If you missed the Rotary Club's Annual Spring Document Shredding Day, this is the 'last chance of the year for consumers and businesses to clear out their home and office by having their confidential documents shredded by **Secure Eco Shred's massive mobile shredder**. The public is invited to bring boxes of documents, old papers, pay stubs, receipts, bank statements, invoices, cancelled checks, tax forms, medical records, credit card statements, old bills, etc. No need to remove staples or paperclips. Drive up...and it's shredded while you watch. It's that easy! No appointment is necessary. **There is no limit to the number of boxes brought to be shredded. Open to residents of all towns.**

Assistance will be available to help unload boxes. Staff from the shredding company will handle the documents and will shred them while you watch. The mobile on-site document destruction process is efficient and quick. What could take many hours to shred at home can be shred on-site in minutes. The shredded material will then be recycled.

Last year 13,000 pounds of paper was collected and shredded which was recycled into paper products. This prevented over six tons of paper from being added to the landfill and translated into 145 trees that did not have to be cut down.

The cost is \$10.00 per standard copy paper-type box (larger boxes slightly higher). All money collected will be donated to the New Milford Rotary Club and will be used within the community to help senior citizens, schools, scholarships, environmental and other local projects.

For information or if you have a large number of boxes, call 860 350-2225.

**For more information, contact: Arthur Klein 860 350-2225 [hillart2@hotmail.com](mailto:hillart2@hotmail.com)**



New Milford, Connecticut  
**ROTARY CLUB**  
**Document Shredding Day**



FALL SHREDFEST EVENT - LAST CHANCE OF THE YEAR!

**THE NEW MILFORD ROTARY CLUB**

in conjunction with

**Secure Eco Shred**

will be shredding your boxes of old papers, bills, receipts, bank statements, medical records, checks, tax forms, etc.

Secure Eco Shred's massive mobile shredder will be here to tear your boxes of papers to shreds... *while you watch!*

*Last year 13,000 pounds of paper was collected and recycled saving 145 trees!*

- CLEAN OUT** your home and business!
- IT'S EASY!** Drive up...and it's shredded.
- NO NEED** to remove staples or paper-clips.
- YOUR** shredded paper will then be recycled.
- HELPS** the environment by reducing landfills.
- SAVES YOU HOURS** on your tiny home shredder!
- TAKE ACTION** against identity theft and fraud .
- DON'T MISS IT!** Clear the clutter - save money
- OPEN TO ALL TOWNS - BUSINESSES WELCOME**

BRING YOUR BOXES



OF OLD DOCUMENTS

**Saturday**  
**Oct 27, 2012**

10:00am to 2:00pm

**Location:**

**Lore's Plaza**  
**Parking Lot**  
**Danbury Road - Rt. 7**  
*Same Plaza as Goodwill*

**\$10.00 per box**  
 ~copy paper size~  
 No Limit  
 (Larger boxes extra)

***No appointment  
 necessary!***

**For information or for  
 large quantities, call:  
 860 350-2225**

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