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OUR WELCOME SONG We welcome you to Morristown Where freedom's wars were fought. We welcome you to Morristown Where liberty was wrought. Come join our age old comradeship, Break bread with us today. In real Rotarian fellowship Our greetings we convey.

THE 4-WAY TEST Of the things we think, say or do: I. 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?

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Golf Outing Photos!



























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Interact Club Used Bike Collection

Submitted by Linda Kostrowski

On Saturday, October 27th, 9am - 12 noon, the Morristown High School Interact Club will hold its annual Used Bicycle Collection We accept used bikes in repairable condition. Bikes should be dropped off behind the high school. I know many members have bikes in their garages which their kids have outgrown or which just don't get ridden any more. We'd be glad to have them!

We work with Pedals 4 Progress, an organization which ships the bikes to countries where they are used for transportation to school or work. They train a member of the receiving community to service the bikes, so it's a winwin deal. We also ask a \$10 donation to help with the expense of shipping the bikes to their destination. Members should hold on to their bikes until the collection day - we don't have any storage facilities to stockpile them. We thank you!

> Send Meeting Make-Ups to: John Kuschke 26 Lynnfield Dr. Morristown, NJ 07960

Golf Outing Recap...

Submitted by Liz Colquhoun

e couldn't have asked for a more perfect day weather wise, and all our golfers enjoyed the great food and camaraderie. I would like to thank our Tournament Sponsor -State Farm Insurance, Roy Bumiller Agency, and also our Luncheon sponsor Leshner, Franchino, and Company. We also cannot forget our Cocktail Hour sponsor the Dublin Pub/Molly Malone's and Jim and Collette Mongey; and our Awards Dinner sponsor Morris County Imaging/Matt Wirths. Speaking of awards, a big thank you to Peerless Beverage Company for donating a great field of prizes for our golfers to choose from! Thanks as well to Colquhoun and Colquhoun, P.A. for sponsoring the "mid-way refreshments" (cleverly disguised as a beer keg).

I'd also like to thank and acknowledge our many foursome and tee sponsors; our Hole-in-One Auto sponsors, Audi of Mendham and Warnock Lexus; and, last but certainly not least our truly wonderful volunteers!



The Fall Festival is coming up this Sunday, September 30th. If you can volunteer for part of the day to help out at our tent on the Green, please contact Mike Moore as soon as possible to sign up. We need volunteers to help out from 12pm-5pm; thanks in advance for your support!

Email: mike.moore@agedwards.com

Annual Autumn Barrel Planting

A big thank you to all the Morristown Rotarians that came out to support the Fall Barrel Planting last week. Thank you for helping to keep Morristown beautiful!



The Morristown Rotary morning meeting has officially moved to the Richard F. Blake Children's Center. The Blake Children's center is located next to the Morris Center YMCA. The meeting will be held in the "Busy Bee" all purpose conference room. Please enter up the ramp to the back door where a Rotarian will open the door.

If a Rotarian is late, they can also enter through the front doors of the childcare center and walk all the way back to the conference room.



From The STAR Committee

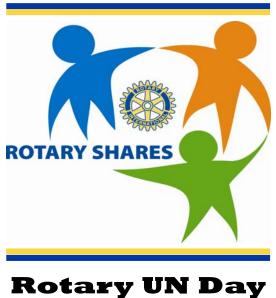
The STAR Program (Special Training for Action in Rotary) is designed to promote a more involved and knowledgeable Club membership. The program highlights the many different facets of Rotary in both our local and international service projects.

The Fall/Winter '07-'08 STAR meetings are currently being scheduled, and we will be scheduling the opening meeting for October (date to follow shortly). Meeting details will be coming shortly, watch this space for more information soon!

All new Rotarians are urged to attend this important program!

From The Sunshine Committee

We are saddened to report that our own George McGuinness suffered a stroke last week. He is in intensive care at this time and we are unsure of his current prognosis at this time. We will keep you updated as news is available. If you would like to send a card of support, mail should be directed to his home address: George and Rosemary McGuinness, 95 Belvidere Road, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865



Rotary Day at the United Nations will be on November 3rd this year in New York City. As in past years, we hope to have a contingent of Morristown Rotarians in attendance. Details will be forthcoming, but please mark your calendars!

Oktoberfest!

Submitted by Dolores Bagish

We had a great time with our Long-Term Exchange student Marco and my godson Auguie (Braunschweiger) King back on September 16th at Germania Park to celebrate Oktoberfest! We had a lot of fun and a delicious German lunch!



Quote of the Week

I like spring, but it is too young. I like summer, but it is too proud. So I like best of all autumn, because its tone is mellower, its colours are richer, and it is tinged with a little sorrow. Its golden richness speaks not of the innocence of spring, nor the power of summer, but of the mellowness and kindly wisdom of approaching age. It knows the limitations of life and it is content.

Lin Yutang, 1895-1976 Chinese Author and Inventor

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Calendar of Events			
Sept 17	Morristown Rotary Golf Outing - Lake Mohawk Golf Club	Sept 30	Fall Festival
Sept 19	Barrel Planting - 6:00pm	Oct 10	Morristown Club Assembly
Sept 29	Dinner Club	Nov 2	Rotary Seminar on Pure Water Initiatives - FDU Madison Campus - 9am-12pm
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UPCOMING LUNCH PROGRAMS

At the Spring Brook Country Club, Morris Township.

This Week:

Carol Armour -YMCA

UPCOMING BREAKFAST PROGRAMS

At the Morris Center YMCA's Richard F. Blake Children's Center, Cedar Knolls.

This Week:

Carol Armour -YMCA



Contributions to the Endowment Fund should be addressed to:

> Morristown Rotary Endowment Fund c/o Jonathan Taylor 2 Tulip Lane Randolph, NJ 07869

Thanks to the club officers for their continued management of this fund. Balance as of 09/10/2007 is \$154,800