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Rotary in Bloomington

Bloomington Noon, July 8, 2024

Noon Meetings Two Weeks Per Month, Mondays at the Hilton, France Ave & 494 Social Events and Club Service - See Calendar

Mission

The Bloomington Noon Rotary Club unites leaders to improve our community and the world through service and philanthropy.

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July 18 Preview: "Meet and Greet" Hilton Chop House Bar

We will be continuing our third Thursday evening Meet and Greet meetings throughout the coming Rotary year except August and December. August is our Family Picnic and December will be a special Holiday gathering. **We gather at 5:00 PM** at the Hilton on France Avenue and Hwy 494 in the Chop House Bar area. We have sometimes used their patio.



We hope everyone will have a chance to join us sometime throughout the year. We encourage guests and always spouses are invited to join at these meetings. There is no set charge for attending the meetings. We all order ala carte from the bar menu, either the Happy Hour special price items or from the regular menu. Many of us make this our dinner out evening. The company is always great! Here are photos from our last Meet and Greet on June



July 22 Preview: "District Governor Sharon Bloodworth"



Sharon Bloodsorth is our District Governor for Rotary year 2024 to 2025 and her home club is Minneapolis Rotary Club #9. She celebrates her 21st anniversary in Rotary this year!

Sharon owns one of the largest private investment firms wholly owned by a woman in Minnesota and Florida. She says she attributes much of this success to Rotary. This is where she learned her public speaking and leadership skills, and her fellow Rotarians mentored her and welcomed her into this community. She is committed to giving back to Rotary. In 2023 she completed the largest ever fundraiser for our Rotary District – raising \$3 million on top of the usual annual \$1 million as District Foundation Chair.

For fun she coaches the top 150 women in global tennis on financial behaviors. She is a five-time Minnesota State Fair blue ribbon winning flower arranger and she collects shoes of very famous women including Margaret Thatcher and Audrey Hepburn. Join us today to welcome **DG Sharon Bloodworth** to Bloomington Noon!

Join Zoom at 12:25: Meeting ID: 243 737 0314 and Passcode: 4waytest

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2437370314?pwd=azZHeENQd2poLzY2VzBDZi9RNldNQT09>

We all gathered on June 24th for our **Annual Awards Year End Celebration and Recognition Luncheon**. President **Laura Schultz** led her last formal meeting taking the opportunity to recognize everyone who worked this year to make the year a success.

Laura presented our **Charitable Partner Grants** leading off with an award of \$5,000 to **VEAP** accepted by **Rotarian Kari Thompson**, the Chief Executive Officer for VEAP. VEAP's food and basic needs program provides access to fresh, healthy foods so that participants can use their limited income to pay for other necessities of living such as rent, transportation and medical bills.



Normandale Community College Foundation received our second Charitable Partner Grant in the amount of \$2,500. Accepted by Ryan Heinricks, Associate Director of the NCC Foundation. These dollars will be used for scholarships to students in their Academy of Math and Science Program for students studying in the fields of science, technology, engineering, or math.



Oasis for Youth received \$3,000. Laura presented our Charitable Partner check to Jess Nelson, Executive Director. These dollars will be used for their mobile unit taking housing assistant to clients where they are. Oasis has worked with over 450 young people this past year.

The **Education Foundation of Bloomington** received \$2,000 in a check accepted by Melissa Riebel, President of the foundation. The EFB Student Success Stipend program helps to assure that all students within the Bloomington Public Schools can participate in academic experiences. They help with field trip fees or provide graphing calculators to students who otherwise could not afford them.



Former Rotarian Courtney Poya accepted a \$1,176 check for **Cornerstone** that provides safe shelter for persons experiencing domestic abuse. The dollars will be used for specific upgrades in their housing apartments or to assist with emergency shelter housing in hotels.

Aristry received \$1,000 to assist in their programming for the coming year working with the Bloomington school district to give students art experiences. Aristry also maintains exhibits in three different galleries throughout the year for the community. Ben Bakken, Producing Artistic Director, accepted the check.



Our final check in the amount of \$1,000 was presented to **Rotarian Sara Kleinsasser Tan** who is the Executive Director of the **Bloomington Symphony Orchestra**. These dollars will help send musicians directly into the classrooms to give students a hands-on musical experience.

Bloomington Noon Rotary is distributing a total of \$22,176 in Charitable Partner grants this year. We have two International Grants in India. A grant of \$4,500 to International Village Clinic through **Rotarian Abul Sharah** and \$2,000 to Sankalp—Ek Prayas/Aavishkaar through **Rotarian Sandhya Gupta** for math science education.

July Birthdays

09 Mark Adkins

July Anniversaries

01 Eldon Spencer 29 yrs

11 Chris Aldrich 2 yrs

Recent Program Recordings...

04/08/24 - "Citizen's Climate Lobby" <https://youtu.be/214O9215vRk>

05/06/24 - "Destructive Leaders": https://youtu.be/IHbpxV_Ct3M

05/20/24 - "Abijah's on the Backside" - <https://youtu.be/UuZymeltpWQ>

05/21/24 - "STRIVE Awards" - https://youtu.be/hv7JBMP_s-Y

These and other Rotary programs are also available to stream on the city website here: <https://reflect-bcit.cablecast.tv/CablecastPublicSite/search?channel=2&query=rotary>

Paul Harris Pins, Rotarian of the Year, and New Rotarian of the Year Announced...



Four Rotarians received updated **Paul Harris Fellow** pins at our meeting. Recognizing donations over \$5,000, both **Mark Adkins** and **Adam Johnston** were awarded Paul Harris Plus 5 pins. **Paul Niederberger** was awarded a Paul Harris Plus 6 pin. And, **Dave Drummond** was awarded a Paul Harris Plus 7 pin.

Our most prestigious awards are the **Rotarian of the Year** and the **New Rotarian of the Year**. Presented by our **Past President Debbie Belfry** this year, **Sara Kleinsasser Tan** received our **New Rotarian of the Year Award**. Sara jumped in with both feet even before she was inducted into our Rotary club, volunteering to help any way that she could. Most notably, this past year Sara was instrumental in finding and making arrangements for our program speakers. Thank you, Sara. Well deserved.



Our **Rotarian of the Year** award is chosen by a vote of the membership and ended in a tie, so two Rotarians were awarded this distinguished award. **Karyn Arazi** received the award for her outstanding work in producing our club newsletter, the RIB, keeping everyone informed about our upcoming meetings and our many activities and opportunities within the club, our district and our community. She also served as the Bloomington Rotary Club Foundation Vice President. **Club President Laura Schultz** was chosen as a **Rotarian of the Year** for her dedicated work as our club President. Laura kept our club vibrant, active, and on an even keel throughout a year of changes to our club structure and future outlook. Congratulations Laura and Karyn.

STRIVE Celebrating 25 Successful Years

STRIVE began in the fall of 1998 in partnership with the Bloomington School District at Kennedy High School. It was designed to help struggling students who were in their senior year to finish out their year with goals and skills to help them achieve those goals after high school. STRIVE not only helped students find direction, at the end of each successful year donations from Rotarians made it possible to award outstanding students with scholarships to kick start their higher education plans. A similar effort at Jefferson High School was initiated several years later and Normandale Community College was a significant partner in the program. Over the years, STRIVE has worked with 595 students and awarded \$183,550 in scholarships.



Due to changes in programming at the schools and new ways of identifying struggling students earlier in their high school experience, the STRIVE program will be coming to an end. It all started with **Dick Herberg** and **Lee Helms** who arranged for the beginning of the program. **Don Stiles** and **Terry Stirewalt** have been the organizing leaders these past several years. In recognition of the work done by Don and Terry, **President Laura Schultz** made a special presentation to them of the book, *The Giving Tree*, by Shel Silverstein. Congratulations and many, many thanks to all who participated as leaders, mentors and snack providers. You have helped change the lives of hundreds of students.

Distinguished Guests

Rotarian Elizabeth Gaffrey, Stafford, Ontario, Canada, Construction

Ian Brown, Stafford, Ottawa, Canada, Son of Elizabeth Gaffrey, Civil Servant

Jason Thoen, Guest of Debbie Belfry, Chemistry Teacher at Northwestern Health Sciences University, on track to join our club.

Lori Most, Guest of Becky Amble, Business Owner, Binary Bridge, Providing electronic Backpack EMRs for medical professionals

Billy Secord, Guest of Dan Libbey, Toro, Interested in membership in Rotary





Leadership Transition

As the final action in her Rotary year, outgoing **President Laura Schultz** introduced our incoming **President Dwayne Lowman** and passed him the gavel. She also changed the lectern flag to the new **The Magic of Rotary** flag.

Dwayne Lowman's first action as our new President was to present **Laura Schultz** with the Past President's Gavel. Thank you Laura for a great year!



A Word from our President...



A few thoughts from the new President: If you joined me months ago when I talked about my new term as Rotary President and the goals for the new year you would have heard about a family renovation of our home that occurred because of my love of fish. Feel free to ask me about it if you were not able to make that meeting. The opportunity to renovate 75% of your basement when you have a new kid on the way, and at the same time, seeking reelection to City Council was an amazing experience that I am sure that Kellie (my wife) would rather we not repeat. I'd have to say I would agree. As we look ahead to our new year together, I want to remind all of us that we need to be focused on a similar Rotary "house renovation": attracting new members to our club; supporting the functions that help to maintain our members, and finally communicating to Bloomington and beyond about what we are doing.

This past meeting I talked about "Progression", a concept that I learned from another group that I and my sponsor to Rotary **Dick Young** belong to from Church. In that concept they talk about many times we as humans fail to move forward because we are focused on being perfect but that is something that we ought to leave to

God. If we focus on making incremental steps, we will eventually achieve our goals. I remain steadfastly focused on membership and I want to thank all that are working in this endeavor. There are too many to mention here but know that I recognize your hard work.

At our last meeting, I was also pulled into a conversation with **Don Stiles, Sandhya Gupta, and Dick Young** who are working on proposals to our club to recruit new members. We must continue to focus on our "renovation project" of our Bloomington Noon club in anyway that we can. I believe that to gain/maintain ten new members we will need to recruit at least thirty prospective members this year and next.

Just this past meeting we saw two guests attend our meeting invited by **Becky Amble and Dan Libbey**. On behalf of the club thank you! Membership is the very foundation of the Goodwill that we share monetarily and physically through service to the local and broader international community we all care about and serve. I look forward to seeing you at the next meetings to come as we take small steps to accomplish this goal.

Dwayne

Bachman's Gift Card Fundraiser Next Deadline August 1st!

For every gift card we purchase through Bachman's, we will get 15% back in fundraising dollars for our club to put to good use. **Gift cards purchased in store will not be applicable.**



- Order cards through Laura Schultz, (Laura@LauraSchultzLaw.com) **Deadline: August 1st!**
- Indicate how many gift cards, and in what amount (s) you want.
- You can purchase gift cards in any amount from \$5 to \$500.
- **Cards will be delivered at our Rotary Meetings at the Hilton.**
- If not attending, you can make an arrangement directly with Laura.
- **Write your check for the card(s) out to Bloomington Noon Rotary, (NOT to Bachman's) and bring to the next meeting.**

Happy Bucks and Announcements

Debbie Belfry started us off with a heart-felt thank you to **Laura Schultz** and to **Dwayne Lowman** who accepted the invitation to be our leaders this past year and next. **Dwayne Lowman** reciprocated thanking **Debbie Belfry** for her continued hard work on behalf of Rotary. **Dave Drummond** mentioned his son who is setting up a hobby workshop in Maine making jewelry. **Don Stiles** was happy for the sun and that he is beginning to paint their townhome. **Diann Kirby** thanked everyone who attended her special celebration and for all who shared stories and photos for the *Insider Pages* publication.

Mark Adkins thanked **Laura Schultz** for a great year, well run. **Jim Casserly** reminisced about his knee replacement five years ago and that his 60th Reunion is coming up. **Terry Stirewalt** had a blast motorcycling through several states where he saw the Howard Hughes "Spruce Goose" and the first nuclear reactor. **Adam Johnston** shared his pride in his daughter Arianna who won a Rotary Scholarship to attend Winona State University to become a teacher.

Becky Amble had a fun road trip to Nebraska for a wedding. Very hot! **Dave Senness** is looking forward to a great summer. **Paul Niederberger** shared that his grandson came in 784th of 9951 participants in Grandma's Marathon. **Sara Tan** enjoyed a day on Lake Minnetonka and shared that her daughter did well in her 10th ballet recital recently. **Karen Nordstrom** celebrated guest Ben Bakken and gave a shout out to **Diann Kirby's** celebration. **Debbie Belfry** attended the recent installation of **District Governor Sharon Bloodworth**. She also thanked **Dwayne Lowman** and **Kurt Hagen** for stepping up as next year's club leaders.

Dwayne Lowman was excited to begin his first meeting of the Rotary year, plus he was please to see **Dick Young** who encouraged him to be a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar many years ago. **Dick Young** was happy that he met the Lowman family in church many years ago starting the whole ball rolling. **Laura Schultz** is hosting her sister, husband and their daughter from Germany and she is happy to actually get to eat her lunch peacefully. **Lori Rebers** did not have a great vacation as she suffered with the stomach flu several days. She also celebrated the first birthday of her grandson. **Debbie Belfry** acknowledged the leadership of both **Laura Schultz and Dwayne Lowman**. **Becky Amble** shared that Marshall is on chemo and handling it pretty well so far.

Don Stiles noted that it was great to see **Sandhya Gupta** here from India. **Sandhya Gupta** greeted us with her usual "Happy Monday"! She says it feels like home coming back and is so happy to see so many friends again. **Eldon Spencer** noted the work celebrated at our last meeting by **Karyn Arazi, Laura Shultz, and Dwayne Lowman**. Eldon was also inducted into the Carlton College Athletic Hall of Fame recently for his wrestling accomplishments at Carlton which included being a 4th substitute at the Olympic Games in 1974. **Dan Libbey** was pleased to welcome Billy Secord as a guest and thanked him for his part in our visit to Toro recently. **Sara Tan** invited all to come to the Bloomington Symphony Orchestra concert "Opera Without Words" being presented Tuesday, July 23, 7:00 PM at the Normandale Lake Bandshell. It's Free! Bring a chair or a blanket...and a friend!



Announcements:

Don Stiles shared that \$17,000 in **District Grant** dollars will be heading to Uganda for the "Birth With Dignity" grant. This grant will provide headlamps to 131 hospitals and educational materials to expectant and birthing mothers. We heard from **Susan Steen** on this program in February this year. These are your international **Rotary Foundation** donations at work.

We received several **Thank you Notes from our Charitable Partners**

Kari Thompson, CEO, wrote, "Thank you so much for thinking of **VEAP** in your community giving...your contribution enables us to provide much needed relief to those in our community who are experiencing financial crisis."

Brenda Paro, Community Relations Coordinator for **Cornerstone** wrote, "On behalf of the entire staff and the children, youth, adults and families we serve, thank you for your generous contribution in support of Cornerstone's Emergency Services Program."

Eric Melbye, Superintendent, **Bloomington Public Schools**, shared on behalf of the Board of Education and the administration, that he sends their sincere thanks for Rotary's two donations to the District's Pond/Career Development programs for books donated through the Literacy project and to the Community Relations Department for Senior Achievement Award dinner.

Tipheret Pena, Annual Fund and Scholarship Manager, **Normandale College Foundation**, wrote, "Every time you make a gift to the Normandale Foundation you're investing in a brighter future for our students...directly contributing to the college's vision of helping every student realize their full potential."

Our Recent Meeting... At our most recent meeting on July 8th, **Rotarian Sandhya Gupta**

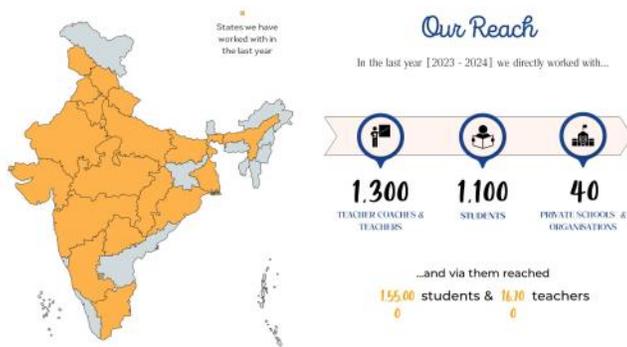
shared an update on her program **“Aavishkaar”**.

Sandhya and her husband Sarit are the 2014 founders of Aavishkaar - A Center for Science, Math, Arts and Technology, in India. Aavishkaar is one of our two India **Global Grant** initiatives. The center aims to nurture curiosity, creativity and critical thinking through science and math education. The program creates active learning in classrooms through models, experiments, experiences and projects. Students in the program learn through experience new teaching methods that they can then use in their teaching throughout India.



Aavishkaar strives to make quality education accessible to all no matter their social or economic background. Sandhya shared several stories of young women and some men from all over India who come to this program to learn new teaching skills. Many of these women have come to Aavishkaar through the Nari Gunjan project that is educating young girls from the lowest class population in India. (Bloomington Noon helped start the Nari Gunjan project many years ago.) Traditional teaching in India is through rote memorization.

Many students express a fear of mathematics and the sciences and therefore avoid these subjects. Aavishkaar strives to overcome the fear by helping learners experience practical applications of the use of math and science in everyday life. Many of their stories tell of surprise and delight in discovering something they thought was beyond them and now they embrace math and science learning and are excited to teach others.



The map shown here shows the reach (in gold) of the teachers Aavishkaar has trained. They have worked with 1,300 Teacher Coaches/Teachers and 40 different schools/organizations. These teachers have taken their knowledge back to their homes where they have engaged over 155,000 students and another 16,700 fellow teachers with these concepts. The hope is to continue to spread these skills further and possibly transform teaching of STEM concepts in schools.

Some additional news: The UN recently celebrated 75 women and **Sandhya Gupta** was one of them. Congratulations! Also, **The Rotary Foundation** has been helping to support Aavishkaar in partnership

with several local Rotary Clubs and our District 5950 for several years through their Global Grants and District Grants. Again, your international **Rotary Foundation** dollars at work.

Vocational Talk: **Eric Dallmann**



Eric Dallmann began visiting Rotary last July and was impressed with our community service work as a club. He was inducted in August, 2023. His sponsor is **Deb Newman**. Eric grew up in Bloomington graduating from Jefferson High School where he excelled at football. He received an athletic scholarship to attend Minnesota State University Moorhead and graduated with a major in Mass Communications.

He currently lives in St. Louis Park. He is co-founder of his business, Adaptive Sports, a boutique branding design firm with experience in visual identity, creative design, storytelling, and website branding. The Jefferson Athletic Foundation recruited Eric to their Executive Board to assist with marketing and fund development. If you visit North Star Tavern or Carmine's Bar & Grille and play their pull tabs, you are helping to support Jefferson High School sports.

Eric enjoys painting, drawing, pickleball, restaurants, and cheese curds (which he reviews on his Instagram page). He has a pet snake, Monty; has won a dance competition, and has ridden a camel in the Sahara Desert. This past winter Eric enjoyed a trip to Dubai.

Upcoming Meetings -

- Black Denotes In Person Meeting At the Hilton Hotel**
- Blue Denotes Club Service, Meet and Greet, or a Vocational Event**
- Red Denotes No Meeting at the Hilton**
- Green Denotes a planned Zoom Meeting**

- July 18: Thursday **“Meet and Greet”** Hilton Hotel, Chop House Bar area, 5:00 PM
- July 22: Monday **“District Governor Sharon Bloodworth”** Zoom Available
- July 29: Monday **“Vocational Visit to Donaldson Company”** Bloomington
- Aug 8: Thursday **“Community Service at VEAP”** 2:15 to 5:00 PM
- Aug 12: Monday **“Bravo House”** Rotarian Holly Callen Zoom Available
- Aug 22: Thursday **“Annual Family Picnic”** West Bush Lake Shelter #2
- Aug 26: Monday **“Update on International Village Clinic”** Rotarian Abul Sharah Zoom Available
- Sept 5: Thursday **“Community Service at VEAP”** 2:15 to 5:00 PM
- Sept 9: Monday **“Wilderness Inquiry”** Guest: Erica Rivers Zoom Available
- Sept 19: Thursday **“Meet and Greet”** Hilton Hotel, Chop House Bar area, 5:00 PM

Calendar of Events - SAVE the following DATES on your calendar!

- July 17: Wednesday **“17th Annual Aavishkaar USA Fundraiser”** 6:30 to 9:00 PM
- July 18: Thursday **“Meet and Greet”** Hilton Hotel, Chop House Bar area, 5:00 PM
- July 19: Friday **“Foundation Investment Committee Meeting”**
- July 22: Monday **“Bloomington Rotary Club Foundation Board Meeting”** Hilton 10:30 AM Lunchroom
- July 23: Tuesday **“Bloomington Symphony Orchestra Concert”** Normandale Lake Bandshell 7:00 PM
- July 29: Monday **“Vocational Visit to Donaldson Company”** Noon - Bloomington
- Aug 8: Thursday **“Community Service at VEAP”** 2:15 to 5:00 PM
- Aug 22: Thursday **“Annual Family Picnic”** West Bush Lake Shelter #2
- Aug 24, 2024 Saturday **“Rotary on a Stick”** Rotary Day at the State Fair
- Registration closes on July 15th!!!! Register now!** —District Conference
- Sept 5: Thursday **“Community Service at VEAP”** 2:15 to 5:00 PM

- The Four-Way Test*
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?*

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International Village Clinic 10th Annual Fundraiser



SAVE THE DATE...You are invited!
An evening of celebration and support of the work of
International Village Clinic & World Class English School

Tuesday, September 24th, 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Courtyards By Marriott Edina Bloomington
4460 West 78th Street Circle
Bloomington, MN 55435

Come & enjoy an Indian buffet, Cash bar, SAATH Bollywood dancers,
Henna artist, & a live auction!
Invitation and Details will follow shortly!

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District Conference - August 24th at the State Fair! [Register NOW!](#)



We are so excited to announce this year's **Rotary District 5950 Conference**, which promises to be as exciting as it is unique. Affectionately dubbed "Rotary-on-a-Stick," this year's conference will be held at the iconic **Minnesota State Fair** on August 24, 2024! This isn't just another District Conference — it's an extraordinary blend of fellowship, fun, and the Rotary spirit of service, all set against the backdrop of the **Great Minnesota Get Together**. Here's a taste of what we've got planned:

- **State Fair Entry:** No need to buy a separate ticket — yours is already included!
- **Exclusive Access:** Enjoy the private "Rotary Oasis" at Horton's Pavilion, where camaraderie and comfort collide.
- **Parade Participation:** Wave your Rotary pride for all to see and cheer on Rotary Club presidents as they march in the parade.
- **Rotary Treasure Hunt:** Engage in a bit of friendly competition with a Rotary-exclusive treasure hunt across the fairgrounds.
- **Service With a Smile:** Make an impact with our Done-in-a-Day service project, embodying the Rotary commitment to community.
- **Swag Galore:** Fill your goody bag to the brim with a selection of exclusive Rotary-on-a-Stick swag, including t-shirts, viking hats, paper fans, and more!

This day is more than just a conference — it's a celebration of our collective impact, build awareness of Rotary in Minnesota, and create memories that will last a lifetime. Save the date, and get ready for a gallon-size bucket of fun, Rotary-style!

Registration closes on July 15th!!!! [Register now!](#)

We can't wait to see you there!

Schedule of Events

- 8:00 am — State Fair Opens
- 8:30 am — Rotary Oasis at Horton Pavilion Opens
- 8:30 am – 10:30 am — Done-in-a-Day shift 1 (optional)
- 10:00 am – 12:00 pm — Done-in-a-Day shift 2 (optional)
- 11:30 am – 1:30 pm — Done-in-a-Day shift 3 (optional)
- 1:30 pm — Gather for State Fair Parade at 2:00 pm
- 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm — Done-in-a-Day shift 4 (optional)
- 4:00 pm — Treasure Hunt Prize Ceremony at Rotary Oasis
- 5:00 pm — Rotary Oasis closes

For All the Details on the State Fair- [CLICK HERE](#)

I believe that no matter your dreams we in District 5950 can help you make them a reality and together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves. Happy Rotary Year!!