

**“Mankind Is Our Business...”**

# Monmouth-Ocean-Burlington News

## DISTRICT 7500 NEWSLETTER

Rotary International

November 2001

## Governor's Message



My Fellow Rotarians,

### Thanksgiving Day

As we celebrate the Thanksgiving Holiday this year, let us all be very aware of the many gifts we have around us. Be thankful for our health, our family and the many freedoms we have in this great country of ours that we take for granted sometimes. Say a special prayer of thanksgiving to your God and ask “Him” to protect and guide us as we go forward in these times of uncertainty.

### November is Rotary Foundation Month

Extensive Information on our great Foundation can be found in this month's Rotarian. We have one of the greatest Foundations in the world that does great humanity work and it needs our support. Read PDG Ken Garrett's article on Giving to The Foundation in this Newsletter.

We had a very successful Foundation Dinner on November 8 at the Circle Landmark Restaurant. PRIVP Lou Piconi was our keynote speaker. Lou and his wife, Barbara traveled the world for Rotary during RI President Frank Devlyn's year. Lou had many stories to tell us about the work of The Foundation. Thanks to PDG's Neil Garber and Mike Colasurdo for a great event. Nine Paul Harris Fellow Recognitions and 3 Major Awards were presented. A \$20,000 donation was given anonymously to the Avoidable Blindness Program. A full article will be in the December Newsletter. More information on the \$2.00 Campaign

—our program on personal donations to The Rotary Foundation will be presented to all the Clubs within the next two months.

### Rotary's Global Quest

Rotary's Global Quest continues to grow in the District! Tinton Falls installed 3 new members, Toms River added 2 new members and Spring Lake/Brielle, Brick Township and Moorestown continue to lead the District in totals. At the Area “4” Intercity Meeting, I was informed that Forked River is installing 4 new members and Southern Ocean will install 6 members on November 27th – **Keep up the good work!**

### District Conference

District 7500's District Conference is planned for April 26-28, 2002 in Williamsburg, VA. Over 170 rooms and 8 Hospitality Suites are booked at this time. The Promotional Committee is now presenting a program on the whole Conference to all the Clubs. If your Club would like to get on the schedule, please contact **Barbara Tuttle, Promotional Chairperson, 732-566-1615**. The Club's Conference Chairperson has the Golf Outing information.

### Pemberton Club – 75th Anniversary

The Rotary Club of Pemberton will be celebrating their 75th year of Service to their Community and the World on November 26 at the Rams Head Inn, Absecon, NJ. They have invited all Rotarians and guests to join them in this special occasion. The Rams Head Inn is one of the premier restaurants in central New Jersey and they will have exclusive use that evening.

Remember: **MANKIND IS OUR BUSINESS**  
~ Service is Our Product!

Jeff Donoghue, DG

## WANTED

A dynamic, enthusiastic, energetic Rotarian to lead District 7500 into Rotary International's Second Century!

Rotary Club Presidents look for the individual in your club that fits this description and nominate him/her to be our District Governor in 2004-2005.

Rotary will be celebrating 100 years of service to the world and it will be an honor to be the District Governor that year.

All Club presidents have received the nomination forms from PDG Karl Drzymala, Nominations Chairman.

If you have any questions:

Contact Karl at  
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**Deadline: December 15, 2001**

**...Rotary's Global Quest”**

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## SAVE THE DATE

**Rotary Club of Central Ocean**

Presents

*3rd Annual  
Valentine's Day Gala*

to benefit the

**GIFT OF LIFE  
FOUNDATION**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2002

5:30 - 9:30 P.M.

Chateau Grand, Lakewood, NJ

**\$75.00 per person**

## LBI ROTARY

## ANNUAL FUND RAISING AUCTION

DECEMBER 7, 2001 - 6 P.M.

SEA OAKS COUNTRY CLUB  
LITTLE EGG HARBOR

OPEN BAR (3 HRS.) AND BUFFET

CHINESE AUCTION AND BIDDING AUCTION

START YOUR XMAS SHOPPING EARLY

TICKETS \$50.00 PER PERSON

For further details  
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## PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S NEWS CORNER

*Submitted by PDG Ken Garrett\**

### Why Do I give To The Rotary Foundation?

I belong to Tom Brokaw's greatest generation and did not have a choice when I graduated from high school, except to go into the armed forces. After viewing and being a part of the great destruction caused by war, I chose to make the military my life's vocation. It was my belief that in so doing, I was helping in a very small part in promoting world peace during the cold war years.

It was not until after I retired from the United States Air Force that I heard about Rotary International and that the mission of the Foundation was to support the efforts of Rotary International to achieve world understanding and peace through international humanitarian, educational and cultural exchange programs". Seeing that this mission was the same one that I had been active in for more than 20 years, I wanted to know more about the organization. I was invited to join and accepted. Now for more than 25 years, Rotary has given me far more than I could give back to Rotary and the Foundation.

I have seen the poverty, hunger, violence, disease and ignorance in the world during my military assignments overseas and the Rotary Foundation has given me a way to help do something about them. I have been graced with a great financial, family, health and religious life. In return for this, the least I can do is to make financial support to the Foundation every year in an amount that I can afford. "A world half sick will never be a world at peace". "A world of prejudice and intolerance will never be a world at peace". "A world half illiterate will never be a world at peace". "A world half starving will never be a world at peace".

"Can you imagine a world where peace flourishes?" I can, and that's why I give. **When you look at a Paul Harris Fellow pin, do not look at what it costs in dollars, but the good that it does around the world.**

*\* Ken Garrett was District Governor in District 7640 in 1993/94, the last year before District 7500 was formed.*

*Ken continues to be an active member of the Rotary Club of Willingboro. He also serves as Zone 32 area Coordinator for The Rotary Foundation.*

### Susan's Healthful Hints

The quality of a person's life is in direct proportion to their commitment to excellence ... regardless of their chosen field of endeavor.

*Vince Lombardi*

Success in marriage is more than finding the right person. It's becoming the right person.

But thou, O man of God, flee these things: and follow after godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness, righteousness.

*1 Timothy 6:11*

You can win more friends with your ears than with your mouths.  
*Let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath.*

*James 1:19b*

## ON TO BARCELONA

This year's **Rotary International Convention** is in **Barcelona, Spain**, from **June 23-26, 2002**.

Barcelona is a cosmopolitan city nestled between surrounding mountains and sandy Mediterranean beaches. This 2000-year-old city is filled with architectural treasures and it is steeped in a unique culture. Barcelona's location is convenient to Spain's other fabled regions, the French Riviera, and beyond.

This is an excellent opportunity for Rotarians to meet other Rotarians, hear inspiring speakers, and attend informative workshops.

Forms for convention and hotel registration are available on the Rotary Website ([www.rotary.org/meetings/registration.html](http://www.rotary.org/meetings/registration.html)) and in upcoming issues of *The Rotarian*.

You can also contact Larry Ninerell, On to Barcelona Chair, for assistance at: phone/fax 856-667-0855, e-mail: [LR9rell@aol.com](mailto:LR9rell@aol.com). We look forward to having a group of Rotarians from District 7500 attend this exciting event.

## RI President 2003-2004 Nominated

RI Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International has announced that:

**Jonathan B. Majiyagbe**  
**Rotary Club of Kano, Nigeria**

has been unanimously nominated to the office of RI President 2003-2004.

**Attendance Report for the Month of October 2001**

Rank	Club	%Attend	Mtgs	Mbrs	New	RGQ YTD
1	BRICK MORNING	96	5	58	0	1
2	TINTON FALLS	95	5	24	0	3
3	WRIGHTSTOWN	94	4	24	1	2
4	POINT PLEASANT	89	5	27	0	1
5	RIVERSIDE, DELRAN, DELANCO	88	5	13	0	2
6	FORKED RIVER	87	5	46	1	3
7	MAPLE SHADE	87	5	47	2	2
8	BEACHWOOD-BERKELEY	85	4	13	0	0
9	MOORESTOWN	85	4	85	1	9
10	TOMS RIVER	84	5	41	2	3
11	MOORESTOWN BREAKFAST	83	4	47	0	1
12	LAKEWOOD	83	4	42	0	0
13	MEDFORD-VINCENTOWN	81	5	27	2	4
14	BRICK TWP	81	4	62	0	8
15	CENTRAL OCEAN	80	5	31	2	3
16	PT. PLEASANT BORO	78	5	41	0	0
17	WILLINGBORO	77	4	62	0	0
18	SPRING LAKE/BRIELLE	76	4	36	1	9
19	PEMBERTON	75	5	37	0	0
20	BEVERLY	74	5	24	0	0
21	PALMYRA-RIVERTON-CINN	70	4	38	2	2

## MEETING LOCATION CHANGE

ROTARY CLUB

OF

RIVERSIDE-DELRAN-DELANCO

### ***THE CROSSING OF RIVERSIDE***

(formerly Zurburg Hospital)

Franklin Street  
Riverside

Same Day & time

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Rank	Club	%Attend	Mtgs	Mbrs	New	RGQ YTD
22	MARLTON	70	3	17	2	2
23	BORDENTOWN	68	5	30	0	0
24	SOUTH OCEAN	68	4	52	3	3
25	MATAWAN	67	4	52	1	2
26	SEASIDE	65	4	24	1	1
27	MT. LAUREL	65	4	25	0	1
28	BURLINGTON	64	4	47	0	0
29	LONG BEACH ISLAND	63	4	39	0	3
30	RED BANK	59	4	75	1	5
31	LAKEHURST/MANCHESTER	59	4	75	0	0
32	TOMS RIVER SUNRISE	58	4	28	1	1
33	ASBURY PARK	58	4	31	1	4
34	HAZLET	56	4	21	0	3
35	LONG BRANCH	55	4	58	0	1
36	HOLMDEL	52	4	13	0	0
37	FREEHOLD	52	5	60	0	0
38	JACKSON	NO RPRT	4	21	0	2
39	MT. HOLLY	NO RPRT	4	69	2	2
40	WALL	NO RPRT	4	9	0	0
41	GREAT BAY	NO RPRT	4	22	1	3

## DISTRICT 7500 WELCOMES OUR NEW MEMBERS

CLUB	MEMBER	SPONSOR
Asbury Park	Drew LaFrance	Rosalie Murphy
Asbury Park	William Dweck	Jay Truppo
Brick Township	Henry DeBianchi	??
Hazlet	William Kunkel	Paul Sparto
Hazlet	Joan Polefka	Patricia McCarthy
Long Branch	Joseph Foster	Fred Brody
Maple Shade	??	??
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Moorestown	Cathryn Zaroni	Stan Lane
Moorestown	Phoebe Dennis	John Cope
Moorestown	Melissa Bernet	Kevin Aberant
Red Bank	??	??
Riverside-Delran-Delanco	Patricia Sciulli	Bette Ness
Riverside-Delran-Delanco	Louann Cunningham	Bob Cavella
Spring Lake/Brielle	Mark Morro	Richard Haith
Tinton Falls	William Blanchfield	Jack Buckman
Tinton Falls	A.J. Garito	David Legg
Tinton Falls	Gerald Turning	Dick Swetits
Toms River	Greg Wallace	Jerry Simpson
Asbury Park	Robin Platt-Lacey (July)	Rosalie Murphy
Toms River	Lisa Lindley (Aug)	Cathy Canning