

Mount Airian THE ROTARIAN

February 2018

Rise Against Hunger



Students from area schools help Rotarians pack over 10,000 meals!

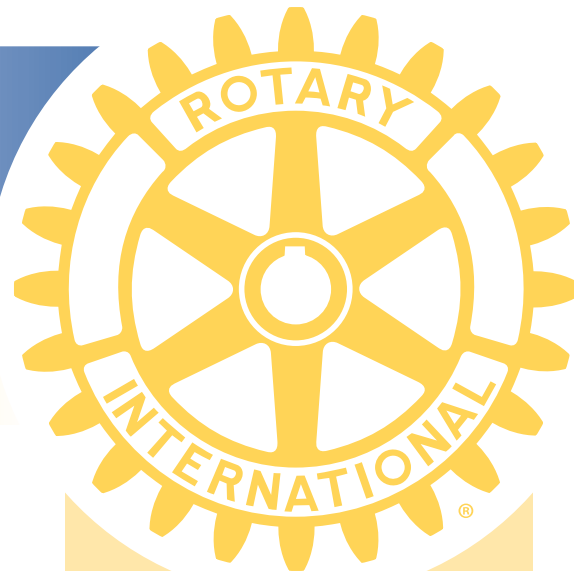
At Cross Creek County Club, on February 6, Richard Armenia, Community Engagement Manager for Rise Against Hunger, began a food packing event with a story of perseverance by a young man living in poverty. Once everyone had their assignments, the music began playing and everyone got to work. In a little less than 2 hours, Rotarians, students from North Surry Interact Club, Mount Airy Junior High Interact Club, Mount Airy High School Interact Club, and Allegacy Credit Union Employees completed the task of packing over 10,000 meals.

The event was so much fun and successful, Rotary is considering adding the event to the budget as an ongoing Rush Event.

Allegacy Credit Union contributed a check to the effort for \$544.08, for the amount Rotary was short to pay for the event. Thank you Allegacy!



Amy Johnson, Burke Robertson and Mac Sammons label packed meals at a record pace.



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THEME:

**ROTARY MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**



Rotary Recap

Rise Against Hunger Event Photos



Marion Venable Gives a History Lesson



Marion Venable, speaks about General Butner (right) and his accomplishments during his life.

Surry County Historian, Marion Venable, spoke to Rotary on Community College, and the history behind General Henry Wolfe Butner. From his growing up in Surry County to his service in WWI and beyond.

Michael Barnes Background Checks 101



Michael Barnes shares his expertise of the background checking industry.



Michael Barnes, President of Unique Background Solutions, gave an overview of the process and depth of background checks used today by employers and how some checks are better than others.

From Federal to State wide checks, it allowed Rotarians to become familiar with what can be accomplished by drug testing, and what drugs show up in which tests.

Rotary Recap

Mary Boyles

Shepherd's House makes a difference

Mary Boyles, Director of Shepherd's House, spoke to the Rotary club on February 13, about the calling that brought her to the door of Shepherd's House and how being a part of this outreach program has made a difference in so many lives including her own.

Mary recounted several stories and shared that she has a bulletin board full of photographs of the people who have come thru Shepherd's House and became success stories because of it.

The Rotary Club donated \$1000 to the Shepherd's House during the meeting and applauded the efforts of the board members who were in attendance.



Upcoming Dates

Mark Your Calendar

Club Blood Drive
April 3rd

A Night With the Grasshoppers
April 7th
Tickets \$10

District Conference 2018
Save the Date
The Resort of Pinehurst
May 25-27



New Member

Joins Rotary Club

Rotary Noon Club welcomes a new member! Sponsor, Cathy Stevens stands with Tonda Phillips as President Jim Lewis presents Tonda with her membership packet.



MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

ROTARIAN	SPOUSE	ROTARIAN	SPOUSE	ROTARIAN	SPOUSE
■ ■ ■ Faith Ashby	Ted	■ ■ ■ Betty Hamm		■ ■ ■ Kirby McCrary	Tammy
■ ■ ■ Ted Ashby	Faith	■ ■ ■ Barbara Haynes		■ ■ ■ Robert Meinecke	Judy
■ ■ ■ Michael Barnes	Chelsea	■ ■ ■ Derek Higgs	Mary	■ ■ ■ Bob Moody	Kathy
■ ■ ■ Paul Belk	Cecelia	■ ■ ■ Jan Frye Hill		■ ■ ■ Gray Parker	Sandra
■ ■ ■ Phillip Brown	Mandy	■ ■ ■ Eric Hodges		■ ■ ■ T.J. Payne	Sharon
■ ■ ■ Sue Brownfield		■ ■ ■ Bill Holcomb		■ ■ ■ Loida Pereira Slate	Les
■ ■ ■ Carol Burke		■ ■ ■ Melissa Hooker		■ ■ ■ Greg Perkins	Julie
■ ■ ■ Nelson Clark	Lisa	■ ■ ■ Sandra Hurley	Will	■ ■ ■ Jim Petelle	Ann
■ ■ ■ John Collins	Bobbie	■ ■ ■ Irina Ilyasova		■ ■ ■ Tonda Phillips	
■ ■ ■ Ben Cooke	Lone	■ ■ ■ David Jessup		■ ■ ■ Gene Rees	Peggy
■ ■ ■ Lone Cooke	Ben	■ ■ ■ Alison Johnson		■ ■ ■ Travis Reeves	Leslie
■ ■ ■ Jerry Cox		■ ■ ■ Amy Johnson		■ ■ ■ Burke Robertson	Carolyn
■ ■ ■ Beckie Derrick	James	■ ■ ■ Dick Johnson		■ ■ ■ Aaron Routh	Lee Ann
■ ■ ■ Nancy Dixon	David	■ ■ ■ Laney Johnson		■ ■ ■ Candace Sammons	Macon
■ ■ ■ Dale Draughn		■ ■ ■ Sheila Jones	Clark	■ ■ ■ Macon Sammons	Candace
■ ■ ■ Chris Duggins	Dee	■ ■ ■ Mary Kilby	Bud	■ ■ ■ Angela Shur	Randy
■ ■ ■ Cathy Eckenrod	Skip	■ ■ ■ Ken Klamfoth	Ann	■ ■ ■ Rosie Sink	Kester
■ ■ ■ Brenda Edwards	Allen	■ ■ ■ Scott Kniskern	Andrea	■ ■ ■ Lyn Stabler-Tippett	Robert
■ ■ ■ Matthew Edwards	Glenda	■ ■ ■ Ashly Lancaster	Justin	■ ■ ■ Cathy Stevens	Mark
■ ■ ■ Regina Edwards		■ ■ ■ Van Lankford	Ann	■ ■ ■ Sherry Speight	George
■ ■ ■ Lang Ellis	Barry	■ ■ ■ Curtis Largen	Lauren	■ ■ ■ Ann Vaughn	
■ ■ ■ Tom Fawcett	Mary	■ ■ ■ Lee Lawson	Kevin	■ ■ ■ Casey Vedder	Tom
■ ■ ■ Laurie Forbes		■ ■ ■ Jan Legere	Laurie	■ ■ ■ Anne Webb	
■ ■ ■ Marion Goldwasser	Michael	■ ■ ■ Jim Lewis	Teresa	■ ■ ■ Betty Wright	
■ ■ ■ Jim Grimes		■ ■ ■ Peter Lydens	Linda Wright	■ ■ ■ Amanda Yarboro	Doug
■ ■ ■ Ken Gulaian	Kari	■ ■ ■ Lenise Lynch		■ ■ ■ Doug Yarboro	Amanda
		■ ■ ■ Barbi Manchester		■ ■ ■ Steve Yokeley	Ann

Key: ■ Past President ■ Board of Directors ■ Paul Harris Fellow

OFFICERS 2017-2018

Jim Lewis
President
Ben Cooke
President Elect
Cathy Stevens
Secretary
Lee Lawson
Treasurer
Lenise Lynch
Past President
Aaron Routh
Sargeant-At-Arms

BOARD MEMBERS
Marion Goldwasser
Barbara Haynes
Mary Kilby
Ken Klamfoth
Candace Sammons

Honorary Members	2
Active Members.....	78
Total Membership.....	80
Paul Harris Fellow.....	60

WEEKLY MEETINGS

Tuesday, 12:10 pm
Cross Creek Country Club
1129 Greenhill Road
Mount Airy, NC

MAKEUP MEETINGS

Monday.....	Stuart, VA	Rotary Park	6:30 pm
Tuesday.....	Winston-Salem	Benton Conv. Ctr.....	12:30 pm
Tuesday.....	Yadkinville.....	Yadkin Cultural Arts Ctr.	7:30 am
Wednesday.....	Yadkin-Valley.....	Fairfield Inn	7:45 am
Wednesday.....	Surry Sunrise.....	Holiday Inn	7:30 am
Wednesday.....	Galax, VA	Prime Sirloin.....	Noon
Thursday.....	Hillsville, VA	Shoney's Restaurant.....	Noon
Thursday.....	King	PB Clarks.....	7:00 am
Friday.....	Reynolda	Winston-Salem Col.....	12:30 pm