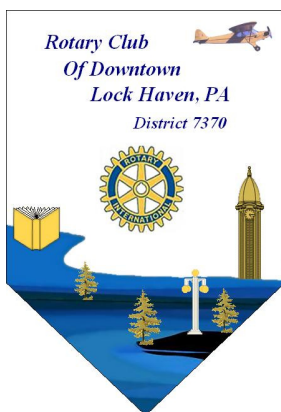




# The Downtowner

<http://rotaryclintoncountypa.org/downtownLH/>



**Rotary Club of Downtown LH  
Meets Tuesdays, 5:15 PM at  
KCnet (Keystone Community  
Network) 18 East Main Street  
Lock Haven PA 17745**

**District 7370 Club 61484**

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Editor, Diane Whitaker March 27, 2012  
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## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

**April - Magazine Month  
"Rotarian"**

**Program Chair - Jeanne  
Baker**

**April 3- Club Assembly**

**April 10-**

**April 17 - Round-up**

**April 14 -**

### **March 13 Program-**

Lynne Ramm, of Lynear Designs, Island Route, Lock Haven, was the guest speaker. She gave the group a brief demonstration of her art, creating works of beauty with ordinary rocks.

Lynne, owner of Lynear Designs, told the group about the many steps in the process of rock carving. "People often bring me rocks that may have special meaning or that are from a special place. They want them carved with messages or names. I can't use slate but most other rocks can be carved. I can supply the rocks, too."

Lynne also makes and sells birdhouses as well as masks for mardi gras or halloween; these are made from gourds, dried and carved. She told the group about the upcoming cardboard boat races, a project in which she has been instrumental since the start several years ago. This year's race is scheduled

for July 14, 2012. For more information about the art products or the boat races, call Lynne Ramm at 748-2848.

### **March 20 - Round-up held at Restless Oaks:**

**Combined Club Award Presentations**  
No Date or Location has been decided for the combined awards presentations. Sue is the DT LH representative on the committee.

### **Roundups in June, July and August**

It was decided to have the Roundups this year in June, July and August. Everyone enjoys the social aspect of the Roundups. Mill Hall will continue to make reservations as they have been doing. If you have any ideas for locations, let Bonnie Hannis know.

### **Downtown Lock Haven Rotary Events You Won't Want to Miss:**

June 24 - 1pm Lock Haven Stop of Rotary Pedals out Polio Bike Ride for lunch.

June 29 - Clinton County Rotary Golf Tournament

### **DISTRICT ROTARY NEWS:**

April 27-29, 2012 District Rotary Conference Grantville Holiday Inn

May 19 - District Assembly State College

### **2012 District Assembly**

The 2012 District Assembly will be held on Saturday, May 19th 2012 at Celebration Hall, 2280 Commercial Boulevard, State College, PA. Registration begins at 8:30 AM and the opening session will begin at 9:00 AM. The Four Way Test Speech Contest Finals will be conducted at lunch and we should wrap up by 3:00 PM. All Club Presidents, Secretaries and Treasurers are expected to attend along with District AG's, Committee Chairs and District Leadership. **Please postmark your registration no later than May 5th and make all checks to District 7350.** The registration form will accompany the newsletter as a separate attachment

### **Rotary Pedals Out Polio Bike Ride Wednesday, June 20 - Sunday, June 24, 2012**

Sunday, June 24 the bikers will ride through Lock Haven on Water Street in front of the YMCA 145 E. Water St.  
(Lunch) Depart at 1:25 pm

You may join in the ride and/or donate to the cause. Application forms for riding are available on the District 7370 website.

### **June 30, 2012 (Saturday)**

Installation of DGE Jim Eberly  
As District 7360 Governor  
Toftrees Resort  
11:00 AM State College, PA

## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS:

### **DOUBLE YOUR CONTRIBUTION POINTS BY MAKING A DONATION TO THE ROTARY FOUNDATION NOW!**

Trustee Chair Boyd and Chair-elect Wilkinson have approved The Rotary Foundation offering double Foundation recognition points for all recurring contributions to the Annual Fund between 1 April and 1 July 2012.

Double recognition points will be automatically given to Rotarians and friends of Rotary who are enrolled in Rotary's recurring giving program, Rotary Direct, and make one or more scheduled (monthly, quarterly or annual) contributions between 1 April and 1 July 2012. Once registered in Member Access, Rotarians can contribute at [www.rotary.org/contribute](http://www.rotary.org/contribute). The recurring option is presented in Step 2 of the contribution process under the section titled "Frequency". Donors may also enroll using The Rotary Foundation Contribution Form (123), by selecting "Make this a recurring contribution".

Unlike past promotions for online giving, this special opportunity is available to recurring (monthly, quarterly, annual) contributions only, and is not available for one-time contributions. All scheduled transactions that take place between 1 April and 1 July 2012 will generate double Foundation recognition points, but will not result in double recognition amount for the individual donor. Donors can extend their available Foundation recognition points to others to name them as a Paul Harris Fellow or Multiple Paul Harris Fellow. A donor's personal recognition amount which is used to calculate their own Paul Harris Fellow status will not be subject to doubling.

The primary sources of communication regarding this promotion will be [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org), e-mail to club and district officers, the Every Rotarian, Every Year Newsletter and Rotary's social networks.

A detailed Information Guide will accompany the web announcement,

scheduled for late March. Questions may be directed to the Rotary International Office serving your region or to Rotary's Contact Center, [contact.center@rotary.org](mailto:contact.center@rotary.org) or by phone, [866.976.8279](tel:866.976.8279).

Thank you.  
John Osterlund, General Manager

*Bottom Line:* Control +  
Click this link => [7370 GSE Team Blog](#); Where will it take you?

**Answer :** Group Exchange Team Leader John Kador is traveling with 3 young professionals from our District, Melissa Meade, Stacey Minarsky and Nicole Quinlan. The team has prepared a website to allow us to track their progress along their journey and find out more about them. Click Control plus this link => [7370 GSE Team Blog](#).



GSE Team to the Phillipines

### ***Next Week's Question:***

**What is Rotary's Area of Focus?**

***Answer in next week's The Downtowner!***

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