

The Critique

Rotary Club of Waterbury, CT



September 2005

President's Message

Fellow Rotarians,

Thank you to all of you who have invited friends to Rotary meetings. Check out our photo section for some of our recent guests. One meeting at a time, one friend at a time and, next thing we know, the Club will grow! This month's "Bring a Friend" day is scheduled for Tuesday, September 27. Start working on your list right away and let's run out of space at the Waterbury Club!

Appropriate for the time that traditionally coincides with the start of school, September is New Generations month in Rotary. It is a month in which we can recognize our efforts to reach out and cultivate our connections with the youth in our communities. So much of what we do in the Waterbury Club is focused on youth-based organizations and the support of individuals who provide services for youth in the area.

In his September Message, Rotary International President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar says, "We could just as well call September "the month of our future" because investing in our youth is our future. We can take pride in the fact that we have youth programs for just about every age group with Rotarians serving as active, caring sponsors." This is so true of our Club in that most of our fundraising efforts are focused on youth. As we look to the future of Rotary in Waterbury, we need to be aware of the potential that exists in our community.

One of our most exciting initiatives this year is the Dictionary Project (*see inside for more details*). Hope you all caught the NBC 30 6pm News on Wednesday, August 31 in which the Waterbury Rotary Club was recognized for giving out dictionaries to all the third graders in Waterbury. How fortunate that we were recognized in such a public way!

Thanks and see you next month!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ingrid McGowan".

Ingrid McGowan



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SERVICE Above Self

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August 2, 2005
Adam Rinko
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Vintage Express Wine Tasting and Fall Foliage Tour

SAVE THE DATE! October 16, 2005—4:30pm to 7:30pm

Departs from the Waterbury Train Station, north through Waterville to Thomaston. There will be light refreshments and entertainment as well as a selection of wines presented by Mountainview Plaza Wine & Liquors.

Tickets will be going out to all members for our fall fundraiser. We will also be asking members to sell ads for the program that will be distributed that day. It is important for us to make this fundraiser a success. Please sell as many tickets and ads as you can! Full details will be sent with your tickets.

Dictionary Distribution

We will be distributing the first of the dictionaries on September 8 at Sprague School during the World Literacy Day program.

Thank-you to those of you who spent a very warm evening preparing the dictionaries for the third grade students!



Susan Sprano
Sergeant-At-Arms

Bring-A-Friend and get free raffle tickets!

We had 4 friends join us for our Bring-A-Friend Day on Sept. 30. We had 4 friends join us for our Bring-A-Friend Day on Sept. 30. They are, from the left, Eleanor Herbst, Chris Pallatto, Reggie Beamon and Joe Bottone. We are very hopeful that they will consider joining our club.

We are looking forward to meeting more new friends in the upcoming months. For each friend that you bring to a "Bring-A-Friend" Day you will receive a free ticket for the weekly raffle drawing. Watch the monthly calendar for the next meeting and Bring A Friend!



September 30, 2005
Bring-A-Friend Day
Welcome to our 4
new "friends"!

Contest! New name for the Critique

It has been suggested that it is time for a new, updated name for our newsletter. Something more upbeat and positive. Start thinking and let us know your ideas.

Submit your suggestions to Ingrid (imcgowan@nvcc.commnet.edu or 575-8139) by October 3, 2005. The winner will be announced on October 4. The winner of the Name the Newsletter contest will receive a free lunch.



Ingrid and Susan
Every dictionary gets
a nameplate

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Please let Teri know about any corrections to the above information

Member's News: If there is any news that you would like to share with all our members please submit it to Teri by the end of each month to be included in the next newsletter. Contact Teri at teri@tristellar.com, 203-264-9585 or at our weekly meetings.

Rotary Trivia

September's Question

Who is this year's Rotary International President and what country is he from?

See next month's Critique for the answer.

August's Answer:

Harry Ruggles, sometimes known as the "fifth Rotarian," attended the second Rotary club meeting, held in Paul Harris's law office. Ruggles is credited with launching the Rotary tradition of group singing at meetings.

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Weekly Meetings

Tuesdays, 12:15 pm
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Waterbury, CT

Visit us on the web !

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September is New Generations Month

We are investing in our future
when we invest in the
world's children.

*Glenn E. Estess Sr.,
RI President 2004-2005*

Sept. 8, 2005 is World Literacy Day.
We will be at Sprague School to
kick off the distribution of diction-
aries to the third grade students of
Waterbury.

September Calendar

- 6 Meeting
- 8 Dictionary Distribution, Sprague School
- 13 Meeting
- 20 Meeting
- 27 **Bring-A-Friend Day**

October Calendar

- 4 Board Meeting, Speaker: Dr. Paul Sequeira, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Waterbury

Remember October 16, 2005 is our
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WINE TASTING AND FALL FOLIAGE TOUR**