



Rotary Club of Martinsburg Grapevine

Jan 02, 2025

District 7360 | Club 5296

Top Stories of 2024



Toni Millbourne, Editor of the Martinsburg Journal, spoke to our club about the top 10 stories of 2024.

TOP 10



Jefferson County BOE considers closure of North Jefferson Elementary



State of Emergency declared at North Middle School



The Woods suffers fire in Clubhouse Grille & Pub kitchen



Asbestos causes extended closure of Martinsburg Public Library



Eastern Panhandle Multimodal Transit Center coming to fruition



Patrick Morrisey elected Governor of West Virginia



Joahn Brown Wax Museum closes after 61 years in Harpers Ferry



De Soto arrested over alleged threats to delegates



Eastern West Virginia Regional Airport opens Flight School



Krouse, Jackson removed from office in Jefferson County; face criminal charges

Member Anniversaries

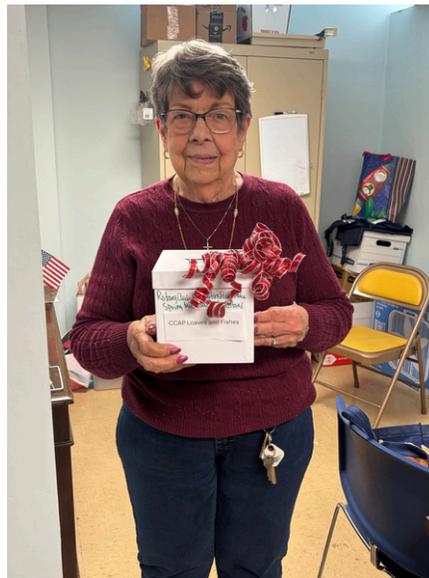
- Jan 6 – Diane Smith, 3
- Jan 12 – Butch Cazin, 19
- Jan 12 – Steve Truax, 8
- Jan 13 – Kim Gilbert-Toelle, 3
- Jan 14 – Chris Johnson, 15

Member Birthdays

- Jan 07 – Bernice Collis
- Jan 14 – Kim Gilbert-Toelle
- Jan 15 – Charles Preston
- Jan 15 – Scott Slick

Rotary Club of Martinsburg Calendar & Programs

- Jan 09 – Legal Aid
- Jan 16 – WVU CEO, Mark O’Hern
- Jan 23 – Main Street Martinsburg
- Mar 8–9 – 4th Annual Rotary Pickleball Classic event
- Mar 28–30 – District Conference at Bedford Springs
- May 14 – Annual Rotary Golf Tournament



Tracy Regalia, Club President, presents Laura Beauchamp with her Paul Harris +2.

During our Holiday Party, club members donated gift cards totaling \$550, which went to one of 4 non-profits chosen by the donor of the gift card. The non-profits included: The Rescue Mission, Children’s Home Society, CCAP and Berkeley County Humane Society. Thanks to Chasidy Darfus for organizing this gift card drive.





Sponsorship Form

Rotary Club of Martinsburg, WV
4th Fundraiser Event

Event Details:
March 8-9, 2025 (Saturday & Sunday)
2 One-day Tournaments

Location:
W. Randy Smith Center
40 Excellence Way, Inwood, WV 25428



Diamond	Platinum	Gold	Silver	Bronze
\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000	\$500	\$250
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Company/Sponsor Name & Level: _____

Contact Information/Phone & Email: _____

Sponsorship Submission: Opens Jan. 2, 2025 & Closes Feb. 28, 2025. Cancellation Deadline: Feb. 28, 2025.

Payment Option(s): To pay by credit card, please provide your email address: _____
The Rotary Club will email an invoice and link for you to pay online. Online payment via either PayPal/Stripe platform is available and both allow credit card payments. Optional payment by Personal Check to the Rotary Club of Martinsburg, P.O. Box 2073, Martinsburg, WV 25402 and reference Pickleball Tournament 2025 in Memo of check. Any funding issue may be addressed to the Rotary Club Treasurer, Rotarymartinsburg@gmail.com.

The Sponsor is required to contact/email the Tournament Director to provide the identify of each eligible player covered by the level of sponsorship to waive the registration cost. Any unfilled position will be forfeited/vacated after the deadline of 02/28/25.

Although the sponsor's player registration cost is waived, each player is mandated to register online via www.PickleballBrackets.com. Search by keyword "ROTARY".

Note: When registering online, online "Waiver Signature" is mandatory. **Note:** Registration covers only 1st Event at no charge for either day; Payment of \$50 is required for additional events on either day. Rotary Letterhead referencing Nonprofit Status with Federal Tax ID (EIN) & W-9 will be provided upon request by the sponsor.

Rotary's 7 Areas of Focus:



Basic Education and Literacy



Maternal and Child Health



Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution



Disease Prevention and Treatment



Water and Sanitation



Economic and Community Development



Supporting the Environment

Contact: Robert "Rob" L. Lowe, II; Director: Rotary Pickleball Tournament
Phone: (304) 261-1110 Email: RLLowe2atRES1@aol.com

Thanks!



Helping Our Local Community.



GRANTS PROCESS

- Applicant must be a non-profit charitable organization, government agency, Rotary Foundation, or other Rotary Club.
- Must demonstrate need for a specific project, pilot program, or program (not to include operating and/or administrative expenses such as salaries and operating expenses or ongoing operations—i.e., we will not provide a grant to a Food Pantry to buy food).
- Must be able to demonstrate impact of the grant.
- Funding must provide services to Berkeley County residents (exceptions can be made for other Rotary Clubs)
- Funding must be for future projects or programs. (Grants may not be used to reimburse organizations for activities or expenses already completed or in progress.)



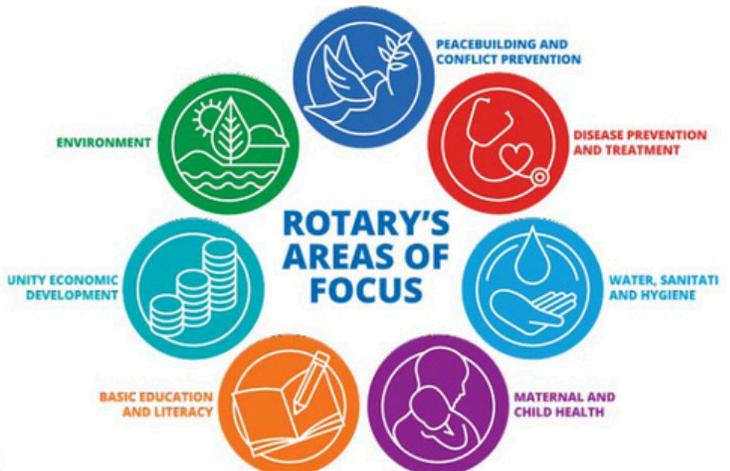
WHO? AND WHAT?

Grants for a maximum of \$20,000.00 per organization will support projects that demonstrate need for small capital items or "seed money" for pilot programs and special services that provide direct and tangible benefits within Martinsburg/ Berkeley County or larger projects or pilot programs that demonstrate long-term sustainability and impact.



SEVEN AREAS OF FOCUS

All grant applications must relate to the seven areas of focus for Rotary International: Promoting peace; Fighting disease; Providing clean water; Sanitation, and hygiene; Saving mothers and children and supporting education; Growing local economies; Protecting the environment.



Non-profits in the community are encouraged to apply for the grants Dec. 1, 2024 through Jan. 31, 2025.