



Rotary Club of Martinsburg *Grapevine*

Jan 15, 2026

District 7360 | Club 5296



United by Purpose Empowered by Community



Vision

To build vibrant communities that provide opportunities for everyone living in the Eastern Panhandle of West Virginia.

Mission

To inspire philanthropy, serve donors, strengthen communities, and improve the quality of life in Eastern West Virginia now and for future generations.

Values

We honor the philanthropic vision of our donors and value their generosity. We respect the work of nonprofit organizations and the passion they bring to carrying out their missions. We earn the trust of our grantees, donors, and partners through our commitment to excellence in our stewardship and our dedication to accountability, integrity, professionalism, and transparency in all our actions. In all our work, we actively embrace accessibility, inclusion, racial and social equity, and the unity that comes from diversity.

Did you know....

EWVCF and Qualified Charitable Distributions

Individuals 70 1/2 and older are eligible to make Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs) up to \$108,000 (for 2025) directly from their IRAs to endowed funds at the Eastern West Virginia Community Foundation (EWVCF) that directly benefit charitable organizations in Berkeley, Hampshire, Hardy, Jefferson and Morgan counties. Please consult your tax and/or financial advisor to see how this is applicable to you.

EASTERN WEST VIRGINIA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Gather. Grow. Grant.



Rotary Club of Martinsburg Calendar

- Jan 22 – HS Basketball Coaches, Holiday Inn
- Jan 22 – SMSC Mixer – Black Draft, 5:30PM
- Feb 19 – 4-Way Speech Contest
- Mar 14-15 – Pickleball Tournament – Save the Date
- Apr 23 – Spring Family Picnic – Save the Date
- Jun 3 – Golf Tournament – Save the Date
- Sep 12 – Hope Gala – Save the Date

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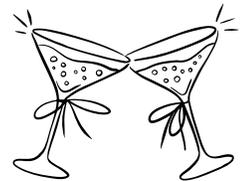
Member Birthdays

- Jan 1 – Nate Arndt
- Jan 7 – Bernice Collis
- Jan 14 – Kimberly Gilbert – Toelle
- Jan 15 – Charles Preston
- Jan 15 – Scott Slick
- Jan 16 – Lynette Scallion
- Jan 17 – Joe Brookreson
- Jan 23 – Carolyn Snyder

Member Anniversaries

- Jan 1 – Fred Parsons, 36
- Jan 6 – Diane Smith, 4
- Jan 12 – Steve Truax, 9
- Jan 12 – Butch Cazin, 20
- Jan 13 – Kimberly Gilbert – Toelle, 4
- Jan 14 – Chris Johnson, 16
- Jan 18 – Benice Collis, 25
- Jan 21 – Vicki Jenkins, 27
- Jan 23 – Nate Arndt, 1
- Jan 23 – Dottie Yost, 1

Happy Birthday



Martinsburg High Student guests accompanied by their new Principal.



Dr Cindy Bambara was presented with her Paul Harris Award.



Laura Beauchamp was presented with her Paul Harris Award.

PICKLEBALL



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TOURNAMENT

Sponsorship Form

Rotary Club of Martinsburg, WV
5th Fundraiser Event

Event Details:

March 14-15, 2026 (Saturday & Sunday)
2 One-day Tournaments

Location:

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



Diamond

\$5,000

- ✓ Recognition on Advertising & Marketing Material
- ✓ 8 Players

Platinum

\$2,500

- ✓ Recognition on Advertising & Marketing Material
- ✓ 4 Players

Gold

\$1,000

- ✓ Recognition on Advertising & Marketing Material
- ✓ 2 Players

Silver

\$500

- ✓ Recognition on Advertising & Marketing Material
- ✓ 1 Player

Bronze

\$250

- ✓ Recognition on Advertising & Marketing Material

Company/Sponsor Name & Level: _____

Contact Information/Phone & Email: _____

Sponsorship Submission: Opens Jan. 9, 2026 & Closes Mar. 6, 2026. Cancellation Deadline: Mar. 6, 2026.

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 2026 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 03/06/26.

Although the sponsor's player registration cost is waived, each player is mandated to register online via www.Pickleball.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 long-term sustainability and 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.)



Non-profits in the community are encouraged to apply for the grants Dec. 1, 2025 through Jan. 31, 2026 by using the QR code or visiting our website at martinsburgrotary.com



Grants up to \$20,000.00 are available and must relate to Rotary International's Seven Areas of Focus.



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