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District 7150  
Governor's Newsletter



November 2002

## November 12, 2002 - What a Night! by DG Don Reese

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DG Don Reese

Polio Campaign  
District Goal \$300,000



*If you were not at The Beeches' Restaurant Nov. 12, 2002, you missed* the highlight of not only this year, but for many of the previous and future years as well! District 7150 Rotarians were truly energized by our outstanding and remarkable President, Bhichai Rattakul of Thailand. A guest of the Rotary Club of Rome, Bhichai displayed his talents before an audience of over 600 Rotarians and guests. We had nearly 30% of the Rotarians in our District in the room that night!

Bhichai arrived in Albany on the morning of November 11th. He was met at the airport by Rome Rotary Club President Donna Schonewetter, Don Schlueter, the Rome Rotarian who invited Bhichai to D7150 and myself. Before his arrival, Bhichai had spoken at the United Nations and attended a 75th Club Anniversary on Long Island. Rome was his last stop in the U.S. before departing for Austria, Wales, Russia, India, Korea, Japan, Hong Kong, Singapore and then back to his native Thailand. (For a whole 4 days!).

Even though he was tired, he was very gracious and extremely well mannered. That evening, following a special meeting of the Rome Rotary Club, President Bhichai presented five new Paul Harris Awards to members of the Rome Rotary Club. While his remarks were brief, they came directly from his heart... he is truly the heart and soul of Rotary Int'l.

Tuesday morning, President Bhichai, accompanied by members of the Rome Rotary Club and other District Officials went to Upstate Medical University to meet the latest "Gift of Life" child and present a Paul Harris to the esteemed Upstate pediatric heart surgeon. Presi-

dent Bhichai loves children & was touched when he saw the heart patients. Our Gift of Life Child's heart is now normal and he should live a long healthy life. Bhichai learned that through the work of PDG Mike Occhipinti & his committee, D7150 Clubs have sponsored 34 children from 10 countries. This is not a program of Rotary Int'l, but as our R.I.P. stated, "this is truly a program directly from the hearts of our District Rotarians, a great example of the bottoms-up approach to Rotary leadership".

Tuesday evening, our District experienced a sense of warmth, joy, happiness and an unbridled passion for Rotary and being a Rotarian. *If you were there, you had to feel good about being a Rotarian!* The mother of our Gift of Life Child spoke to us... we heard a beautiful song about love and "Sowing the Seeds of Love" by the Rome Rotary Amateur Chorus and experienced first hand the joy at raising pledges for Polio Eradication to the tune of \$320,000...plus! Rotary Club President Donna did an excellent job. She not only kept the large crowd under control, but eagerly awaited each portion of the program. What a Club President! Sowing the Seeds of Love...right there in Rome!

But, that was all just a prelude to one of the most dramatic, heartwarming and compassionate addresses we have ever heard. As I have mentioned at each one of my Official Visits...if you come to Rome on Nov 12, you will not be disappointed! Believe me...not a soul was disappointed!

President Bhichai addressed the group in hushed words and held all of us spell-bound with his genuine warmth, sense of humor and gentle passion towards the basic principles of Rotary and returning to the grass  
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## **D7150 Clubs Made A Difference by PDG Bruce Frassinelli**

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Despite a persistent and soaking rainstorm, **D7150 Rotarians were out in force on Oct. 26** to participate in National Make A Difference Day projects. Some outside projects had to be postponed as more than an inch of rain fell.

There was sunny warmth and love in abundant measure as 276 Rotarians from 24 clubs participated. An estimated 1,850 people's lives in Central New York were affected in some material way by the activities performed.

Several clubs cancelled projects because of the weather. Altho the number of participating clubs fell short of the 3/4's hoped for by Dist Gov Don Reese and project chair Bruce Frassinelli, **the variety of projects undertaken showed the innovation of clubs** and Rotarians'

response to needs of their communities. Last year, 480 Rotarians from 25 clubs participated in MADD.

**Here are some of the events undertaken** by D7150 Rotarians as part of Make A Difference Day 02. -  
-- Distributing 300 dictionaries to third-graders in a community school  
-- Assisting in fixup & exhibit hanging at a children's museum  
-- Cleaning and washing windows at a regional food bank and thrift shop  
-- Doing general housekeeping and bulb-planting at a public library  
-- Erecting U.S. flags thru community  
-- Continued construction/renovation of a Habitat for Humanity home  
-- Spreading pine mulch as part of a playground beautification project  
-- Hanging smoke detectors and replacing batteries for senior citizens  
-- Highway, trail, empty lot clean-ups

-- Daffodil-planting as part of a beautification project -- Landscaping  
-- Hosting bingo for senior citizens, playing games in nursing home  
-- Painting Person to Person advocacy group headquarters  
-- Directing traffic for a Harry Potter program at Baltimore Woods

**Frassinelli said the district report** has been sent to USA Week-end, national sponsor of the event. Last year, D7150 was decreed the CNY regional winner for the most innovative projects undertaken by the greatest participation of individuals, & was chronicled in the August Rotarian, distributed to more than 1.5 million Rotarians worldwide.



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## **New RLI Graduates - by PDG Ward Vuillemot\* RYLA HELP - by Ray Allen**

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**Four more D7150 Rotarians have completed all three parts of**

**the Rotary Leadership Inst (RLI).** They are: Don St Louis, DGE Andrea Ives, Georgiana Roberts Ide, Rob Schwarting. Additionally, six other D7150 Rotarians Parts I & II. They were: Part I - Nancy Bates, Darby O'Brien, Lawrence Calabrese, and John Wolle. Part I- Stanley Liebenberg and Dominic Passalacqua. PDG Ward Vuillemot facilitated four of the sessions at this Institute, which was held on Nov. 2nd, 2002 in Canandaigua NY.

*For pictures view our District website RLI page.* D7150 will host all three parts

of the Institute on **April 5, 2003 at Mohawk Valley Community College, Utica.** This is an excellent opportunity for D7150 Rotarians to continue their quest for excellence in Rotary Information. For add'l dates: [rotaryleadershipinstitute.org/](http://rotaryleadershipinstitute.org/) or contact District Trainer, PDG Ward Vuillemot at (315) 685-8133 or [wardtv@earthlink.net](mailto:wardtv@earthlink.net)



**Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Needs Your Help.** As we get into winter your District RYLA Facilitator along with DGN Andrea Ives are thinking about the RYLA program and as the Marines say, a few good men and women to become members of the RYLA District Committee. We need

volunteer Rotarians who are willing to serve our community youth in this very worthwhile "Leadership Training" program. The committee meets 3 times a year for 3 hours plus works with the students & serves as chaperones during the 3 days and 2 nights of the RYLA Seminar at MVCC. Without volunteers, the program will have to be cancelled. **If you are interested contact Ray Allen** at: [rallen@borg.com](mailto:rallen@borg.com), or call 315-732-3883 after 6pm.

**A very successful Foundation Seminar** was held recently. Speakers Everett Watson, CT & Rob Brown, MD brought us up to date on changes taking place in the year ahead in our Rotary International Foundation.

*View website for more info.*





## District 7150 Calendar of Events

- Nov. 2, 2002, Rotary Leadership Institute, Canandaigua, *Contact:* PDG Ward Vuillemot  
 Nov. 9, 2002, Rotary Foundation Seminar, Rusty Rail, *Contact:* Jerry Gortner  
 Nov. 12, 2002, R.I. President Bhichai Rattakul, Beeches, Rome *Contact:* Dave Kobernuss  
 By Dec. 31, 2002, Submit Rotary Centennial Project *Contact:* Marlene Brown  
 Jan. 2003, Area Mid-Winter Mtgs. \* Feb. 2003 D7150 Team Training, *Contact:* Andrea Ives

**Rotary UN Day in New York** A record 800 Rotarians and others attended Rotary UN Day at the United Nations in New York on 9 November. They heard RI President Bhichai Rattakul, once a delegate to the UN, underscore the importance of cooperation between Rotary clubs and United Nations agencies. "Rotary has been a part of the UN from the very beginning," President Rattakul told the crowd, noting that 49 Rotarian delegates helped draft the UN Charter in 1945, that the first president of the General Assembly was Rotarian Carlos Romulo of the Philippines, and that a Rotary-organized meeting in England in 1942 planted the seeds that led to the creation of UNESCO. "It is my hope that this day will strengthen our resolve to Sow the Seeds of Love throughout our troubled world by working with the various agencies of the United Nations. Together, we will accomplish much more than either of us could hope to accomplish alone. "



### Rotary Centennial Project Set? by District Centennial Chair Marlene B. Brown

Has your Club chosen its Rotary Centennial project? Are you ready for Rotary's 100th anniversary celebration? Hopefully by now, you have formed your club's centennial planning committees to plan and launch observances and projects.

Rotary clubs are asked to **initiate a new Centennial Community Service Project** that fulfills a real need in the community, and pro-

vides a permanent identification of the sponsoring Rotary club. Clubs must **register their Centennial projects with R.I. by 12-31-02**. All projects must be completed by Feb 2005.

The D7150 Centennial Committee - comprised of Chair Marlene Brown & Area Reps Rodger Skinner, Ralph Froio, Don Cossette, Mike Senf, Mike Ferro, \* Connie Smith have gotten information to all Area Clubs.

Marlene announced clubs who had chosen a Chair & project at the Dist Conf. If you haven't yet, please notify Marlene & your Rep when you have chosen your project. Email [marlene@technotouch.com](mailto:marlene@technotouch.com) or view our website's Centennial page for add'l info. **Let's get ready to celebrate!**



### Speeding up your Computer & Amb. Scholar by Marlene B. Brown, DICO



**Is your computer slowing down?** Maybe it's something as simple as you're needing more RAM - random

access memory. This is the area where data is temporarily stored while the microprocessor works. RAM is a piece of equipment that goes in one of the long slots on the motherboard. The reason additional RAM is a good idea for slow machines is that many computers will run faster with more memory. If a large program can be stored in

RAM, the microprocessor can manipulate it much faster. Otherwise, data must be called from the hard drive, which is much slower than RAM. Most experts recommend 128 MB of memory for Windows 98 or ME. If you're not sure how much RAM your machine has, click Start >>Settings >>Control Panel, double clicking the Systems icon. You'll find the amount of RAM on the General tab. Adding RAM isn't difficult, your manual should help. If you're unsure, get a professional.

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Bob Batley announces the **outgoing Ambassadorial Scholar** for academic year 2002-03 is **Jonathan Ferrari** who lives in Poplar Ridge, NY. Sponsored by the Aurora Club, he graduated from Washington State University in May with a degree in Architecture. He will be studying at the Masters Degree level at the Univ of Barcelona Spain, College of Architecture, starting the academic year in Jan 2003. With experience in Costa Rica and three years in the Peace Corps working in Chile, he spent the Summer of 2001 in Italy helping to restore an old Monestary.

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## The Benefactor Gift Commitment Program by PDG Dave Peterson, Chair

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**A Benefactor of the Rotary Foundation** is anyone who informs the Foundation in writing that he or she has made provisions for **\$1,000. or more** in his or her will, or other estate plan, naming the Foundation's Permanent Fund as a beneficiary; or anyone who makes an outright gift of \$1,000. or more. Your legacy will make a lasting differ-

ence in the world. Any Rotarian making a codicil to their present will of \$1,000 or more will become a Benefactor. This has got to be the easiest method to give to the Rotary Foundation that we are aware of. We invite you to invest in tomorrow by joining Rotarians in their efforts to improve and enrich lives of people around the globe. **No one can tell us what Rotary will be tomorrow, but**

**one thing is inevitable.** What Rotary will be tomorrow depends on what we Rotarians do today. If any Rotarian has a question, please e-mail me: fairviewdrive@juno.com or call me at 822-5912 and I will get an answer back to you. Thank you.



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## District Polio Campaign, Over the Top & Climbing by PDG Ed Paparella

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Once again Dist7150 reaches new heights in the Rotary Global Humanitarian Initiative to help raise \$80 million world wide to Eradicate Polio in the world. Thank you everyone for taking on this challenge.

The Clubs leadership and membership have stepped up with compassion and caring to support the \$ 300,000 District Polio Eradication Goal. With the need seen as critical in our battle against this dreaded disease, Rotarians pulled all stops to make this campaign a District wide success.

**Our District Polio Eradication Campaign Commitment total is \$ 320,225.** w/frequent reports from Clubs wanting to raise their initial Club Goal even higher. This campaign has taken our District by storm with commitments coming from Rotarians, non-Rotarians, Corporations, Businesses, EarlyAct & Interact Clubs and the communities at large. A sweeping response from all parts of our District. It is clear people care about their neighbors worldwide. If you feel the original goal your Club estab-

lished could be set even higher, please let your District Area Polio Coordinator know and our District records will be amended. Thank you for this outpouring of support.

**Below are the Clubs leading our Polio Eradication Campaign** with commitments of \$10,000 or more.

Utica	\$ 30,000
Chittenango	14,050
Rome	22,800
Skaneateles	12,150
Oneida	21,000
New Hartford	12,000
Syracuse	20,000
Oswego	12,000
Dewitt	15,000
Tully	10,700

**Thank you for spearheading the Campaign momentum.** View the Dist website for add'l info. The following Clubs have achieved per capita of \$200.00 or more: Tully \$445.83; Aurora \$235.29; New Hartford \$307.69; Oswego \$235.29; Oneida \$233.33; Oriskany Falls \$300.00; Greater Utica Sun \$291.67; Liverpool \$231.25; Moravia \$282.35; Marcellus \$230.77; Dolgeville \$264.70; Baldwinsville \$278.57; Skaneateles \$229.24; Hamilton \$225.00; Chittenango \$255.45; Adirondack FH \$200.00; Sauquoit \$250.00; Fulton \$200.00; Rome

\$245.16; West Winfield \$200.00.

Thank you for reaching new heights in your Clubs per capita commitments. A truly outstanding response from Clubs of varying sizes, ranging from 13 members to 93 members. All the Club commitments were important to our District wide Campaign. Without each and every one of you we would not be at this truly outstanding level of support. It was a Total Team Effort - Together We Made It Happen. A sincere thank you to the District Area Polio Eradication Coordinators, Jim Austin, Joe Bearman, Andrea Ives, Don St. Louis, Mike Occhipinti & Andy Zaplatynsky who have worked closely with each of the Clubs. For the ongoing support & assistance we are receiving from the Assistant Governors, thank you. A special thank you to Ward Vuillemot for keeping our Club Summary Report updated daily as commitments were received. Thank you one & all for your generosity and commitment to this critical Polio Eradication Campaign. We can all take pride in our accomplishment as we journey together toward our 100 year Anniversary Celebration and announce to the World – **Our Promise is Fulfilled.**

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## The Rotary Year, Nov. to Jan. and Conference Report by DG Don Reese

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*In Nov, we celebrate The Rotary Foundation,* the part of our organization which sets us apart from other service

organizations. On Nov 9 we held our District Rotary Foundation Seminar. We had about 60 Rotarians from across the District participate in this annual event. Everyone was pleased with the information and the presentations. As you know, Rotary Foundation sponsors a number of outstanding District and Club projects. From Group Study Exchange to Ambassadorial Scholars, to Matching Grants to Peace Scholars the aim of the Foundation is to foster World Peace and Understanding.

**Like Rotary itself, the Foundation is changing.** Effective July 1, 2003, the Foundation will become a more streamlined, and hopefully a more efficient way to "sow the Seeds of Love". SHARE funds, known as District Designated Funds will be allocated more directly through the District Foundation Committee. The Foundation is the "tax-exempt" arm of Rotary. This year, as for the past 17 years, the major Foundation program has been to Eradicate Polio. We are well on our way to doing just that!

Jerry Gortner (Canastota) serves as the D7150 Chair for the Foundation and each club also has their own chair. PDG Ed Paparella, (GUS) serves as our Eradicate Polio Campaign Chair. From Major Gifts to Permanent Fund, from Benefactors to Sustaining Members, Rotary Foundation provides the vehicle for all of us to "Sow the Seeds of Love".

**December is an undesignated month by Rotary.** It is a great time for Rotary to use this month to gear up for the remaining portion of the year. December marks the half-way point of a Rotary year. It is a time for clubs to take a look, along with their Asst Gov's, at their goals and objectives for the year. How is our membership? Have we had at least three club assemblies during the first six months? Have we selected a Rotary Centennial Project yet? Are we meeting the needs of our community? How can we make the

remaining six months the best yet for our club? Dec is a great time to review the year. We should also be selecting club officers for 2003-04 as well. As there is a lot of training in the 1st part of 03, club officers need to be able to free up time in their schedules.

**January marks "Rotary Awareness Month".** Does your club feature a "Rotary Moment" at meetings? This is an ideal time to feature 4 avenues of service programs. What is Club Service? How does Vocational Service fit into the Rotary picture? If you are looking for these types of programs, call the Dist's Avenue Chairs. They are more than willing to present an informative program for your club. This is the time to review Rotary's history, especially for newer members. Remember...50% of our membership has been in Rotary 5 years or less!

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**The 2002-2003 Annual District 7150 Rotary Conference,** for the first time, was held in Massachusetts. Sturbridge and Old Sturbridge Village were just spectacular! While the days were a bit windy, the week-end proved to be a great place to relive old friendships and create new ones. As always, the presence of our International Youth Exchange Students and the Group Study Exchange Team from Taiwan were **the hit of the week-end.** When the students sang "We are the World" on Sunday morning, there was not a dry eye in the place! Rotarians and families stood & applauded! As I watched the students, I could tell they really meant the words they were singing! On Sat morning the D3500 GSE team, Taiwan R.O.C. (another first for us ) gave their presentation to a packed ballroom - a collage of pictures on their visit, including a number of Rotarians. A standing ovation for a wonderful team! At our Annual Business Meeting, Rev. Dennis Haines, PP of Auburn Rotary and now of the Utica Club was affirmed as Dist Gov for 2005-06. We also heard, thanks to PDG Bruce Frassinelli & Treasurer Duane Weaver, the Dist was thriving, one of the reason we were able to lower 2002-03 dues.

Our Rotary International Representative, Jiichiro Nakajima, PRFT, accompanied by his wife Takako, came to us from Osaka, Japan. They were very gracious and informative about current and future actions of Rotary. It was gratifying to hear "Frank" say **our** Rotary and **our** Foundation. Sometimes we forget we are a part of the largest service organization on earth.

We also learned that **the 2003-04 District Conference will be held in Chautauqua Lake, N.Y.** and that we'll be going to a Spring Conference in PA. for 04-05. We heard about outstanding club projects, listened to reports on Gift of Life, Gift of Vision, Literacy, Youth Exchange and Club Extension. Friday evening, after introducing our Club Presidents, PDGs and special guests, we settled in for an outstanding meal. Saturday morning focused on exciting major District projects for 02-03: Eradicate Polio, Global Quest, Make Difference, Centennial Projects, Rotary Foundation, Group Study Exchange. Saturday afternoon was open to enjoy Sturbridge. We had a full bus go to Boston and we had 122 Rotarians and families go to Sturbridge Village. 20 brave souls fought the wind to play golf. Sat evening we all took a bus ride and had dinner in the "Restored Village Tavern". Saturday evening we enjoyed "The Tacky Tourist Party!"

Sunday, following an outstanding Celebration of Life service by DGN Jim Austin & DGND Dennis Haines, we were entertained by a great presentation on Chautauqua by DGE Andrea Ives. Following dance entertainment provided by the Youth Exchange, and final remarks, we all sang "Let there Be Peace On Earth"...and it was over!

**18 months of planning, unbelievable work** by Co-Chairs Dana Jerrard & Geoff Wheatley, Conf Sgt at Arms Andy Alesia, Jim Turnbull, and Utica President Georgiana Roberts Ide. The Utica Rotary Club did a great job! **The District Conference... what a memory!** "Rotary Makes it Possible, Rotarians Make it Happen". Thanks to everyone for joining Rotary in Sturbridge. I will be eternally grateful for your support!

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## Record Number of Outbound YE Applicants *by Chair Dennis McDermott*

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What a difference a year makes! Last year, we received only 28 applications for placement in 35 available exchanges. That left 7 placements unfilled. This year, we have a whopping 44 applications -- a 57% increase! Since we want to fill all 35 slots, that means we have to be prepared to host 35 students in the 2003-04 year. And that presents us with a problem.

At present, we have 26 Inbound students. We need to expand that number by 9. *that* is going to be a daunting task. This year, only 24 of our clubs are hosting YE student  
In the next few weeks, each club

will be contacted by the Committee and asked to host a student in the 2003-04 year. So we *can* send 35 of our students out, we are asking each of the clubs in our district to give serious consideration to hosting this year. Some club are very consistent in hosting; some occasionally participate; some rarely or never participate.

The events of September 11, 2001 make the success of this program more important than ever. If your club has consistently hosted, then we ask for your support once again. If you occasionally host, please let *this* be the year you do it. And if you've never hosted before, if you have never had a

student from another country in your community, isn't it time you did so?

If, as Rotarians, we are dedicated to world peace, then THIS is the best opportunity we have to make a contribution to that effort. The YE students will be leaders in their communities soon. Already, the US ambassador to Argentina is a former Rotary exchange student. It is only a matter of time before a President or Prime Minister is a former Rotary exchange student. Will your club be the one to host him or her?



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## November 12, 2002, What a Night! *continued from pg 1 - by DG Don Reese*

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roots of Rotary. He told the story of his early years in Rotary. While trying to avoid Rotary service, he ended up taking a group of boys to the beach. One of the boys attached himself to Bhichai. As the day went on, they grew closer. As the evening ended, the little boy looked at Bhichai and said..."I wish you were my Dad"! There were few dry eyes in the place! As our President said, "one little boy touched me & changed my life"! ***In addition to presenting 17 new Paul Harris Recognition Awards***, President Bhichai posed for numerous pictures, shook 100's of hands of our

Rotarians & guests, met many of our foreign exchange students (including one from Thailand) and generally ***spread the warmth of Rotary over more than 600 of us***. An unbelievable man with a heart of gold...he exemplifies R.I.'s inner strength.

Following another Paul Harris recognition at Ridge Mills Elem School, the presentation of a wheelchair to PDG Paul Stratton (Utica) and hugs and pictures with the Early Act children in Rome, all too soon we took President Bhichai back to the airport for his flight to NYC and on to Europe. He touched all of us! He energized me in a way I didn't think possible. I had met

President Bhichai previously, but, in Rome this week, I saw a man who can truly ***make things happen!*** We are a better district because of his visit! Thanks to Don Schlueter, Donna Schonewetter, Dave Kobernuss, PDG Mike Occhipinti & everyone who made this event possible. Special thanks to the more than 600 Rotarians and guests who made this one of the most special nights our District has ever had! I am grateful I had the chance to be Governor of District 7150 when President Bhichai Rattakul came to Rome and the District to ***"Sow the Seeds of Love."*** \* **ED note:** If anyone has a video of the event, let Don Schlueter of Rome Rotary know!

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## GSE Letter from Taiwan & Selection of D7150 Team *by Chair Sadieann Spear*

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***"Our team arrived CKS airport at 9:00pm Taiwan time (8:00am NY time).*** We flew to NYC Oct 26 During our flight, there were tears and laughter. We smiled when we thought of your love and hospitality We laughed at the funny and stupid things we had done. We also felt sa to leave you. While in NYC, we saw the "Phantom of the Opera", visited

China Town, Central Park, Metropolitan Museum, Soho, and Statue of Liberty. We walked a lot, saw a lot, and went shopping a lot. We had a good time. Thank you again for being our family and good friends. We shall never forget this wonderful trip, and we will share our experience with Rotary clubs in Dist 3500 as well as others. Love, Catherine".

**\*\* The D7150 GSE Team to Taiwan is announced\*\*:** *Sarah Engelbert*, Rome Club, V.P. Engelbert's Jewelers; *Tara Fletcher*, Syracuse Club, Int'l Student Advisor, Syracuse Univ; *John Rosicky*, Utica Club, Ph.D, Asst Prof & Dept Chair at MVCC; *Carla DeShaw*, Utica Club, Asst Director of Cont. Ed. for Madison Oneida BOCES.

*View pix & more info on our website*

# D 7150 Attendance & Membership Leaders for month of September 2002

Club Name	SAR Baseline 7/2002	July 2002	Sept.	Membership change from July		Sept.	
	Members	Members		#	%	% Attendance	Mtgs
Adirondack Foothills	30	30	30	0	0%	64%	4
Auburn	28	34	34	0	0%		
Aurora	17	17	17	0	0%	59%	4
Baldwinsville	28	28	28	0	0%	67%	4
Camden	20	20	19	(1)	-5%		
Camillus	32	32	32	0	0%	63%	4
Canastota	25	25	25	0	0%	74%	4
Cato		20	22	2	10%	86%	4
Cazenovia	28	27	26	(1)	-4%	82%	4
Chittenango	55	55	54	(1)	-2%	87%	4
Clay,Cicero,N Syracuse		7	6	(1)	-14%	83%	4
DeWitt	94	94	94	0	0%	68%	3
Dolgeville	18	17	17	0	0%	59%	4
Eastwood (Syracuse)	41	42	39	(3)	-7%	89%	4
Fayetteville-Manlius		24	23	(1)	-4%	54%	4
Fulton		35	39	4	11%	65%	4
Fulton Sunrise	22	23	23	0	0%	57%	4
Greater Utica Sunrise		27	24	(3)	-11%	68%	4
Hamilton		32	32	0	0%		
Herkimer		27	24	(3)	-11%	63%	4
Kuyahoor Valley		25	25	0	0%	79%	4
Little Falls	27	27	29	2	7%	66%	4
Liverpool		24	22	(2)	-8%	52%	4
Marcellus	14	14	13	(1)	-7%	79%	4
Moravia	17	17	15	(2)	-12%	83%	4
Morrisville		13	13	0	0%	71%	4
New Hartford	37	39	40	1	3%	63%	5
North Utica		20	20	0	0%	59%	4
Oneida	90	90	89	(1)	-1%	80%	4
Oneida Shores	18	18	19	1	6%	77%	4
Oriskany Falls	20	20	20	0	0%	85%	4
Oriskany-Whitestown		28	30	2	7%	38%	4
Oswego	52	53	51	(2)	-4%	58%	4
Oswego Sunrise		30	28	(2)	-7%	64%	4
Rome	86	94	95	1	1%	65%	4
Sauquoit	24	24	24	0	0%	54%	4
Sherrill		15	16	1	7%	81%	4
Skaneateles	52	53	54	1	2%	68%	4
Solvay-Geddes	19	18	19	1	6%	83%	4
Syracuse		124	113	(11)	-9%	40%	4
Syracuse Sunrise		33	30	(3)	-9%		
Tully		24	23	(1)	-4%	73%	4
Utica	150	152	153	1	1%	68%	4
Waterville	20	20	19	(1)	-5%	88%	4
West Winfield	29	30	29	(1)	-3%	56%	4
	1,093	1,621	1,597	(24)	----	64%	----

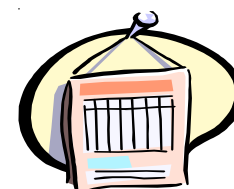
Leading District Clubs	
Sept.	
Attendance	%
Eastwood (Syracuse)	89%
Waterville	88%
Chittenango	87%
Cato	86%
Oriskany Falls	85%
Clay,Cicero,N Syracuse	83%
Moravia	83%
Solvay-Geddes	83%
Cazenovia	82%
Sherrill	81%
Oneida	80%
Membership Total	Qty.
Utica	153
Syracuse	113
DeWitt	94
Rome	95
Oneida	89
Chittenango	54
Skaneateles	54
Oswego	51
Membership Gain	%
(Re: Previous 01-Jul SAR)	
Fulton	11%
Cato	10%
Little Falls	7%
Oriskany-Whitestown	7%
Sherrill	7%
Membership Gain	Qty.
(Re: Previous 01-Jul SAR)	
Fulton	4
Cato	2
Little Falls	2
Oriskany-Whitestown	2
Sherrill	1

**\* Note to Secretaries:** If you have not already done so, please send a copy of your July Semi-Annual Report to Anita Brown, 207 Riverside Dr., Utica 13502 or fax it to 724-9896 with a cover sheet addressed to Anita. Thank you.

Note:

- 1) A # symbol denotes no report by club.
- 2) Values within ( ) are Negative.
- 3) Averages & Totals bordered by a # are estimates assuming no change for clubs with no report this month.

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Rattakul presents Paul Harris  
Awards at District 7150 meeting*

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