



Service Ramps Up

The Service Committee met on August 5th and jumped right into a busy schedule. The group voted to approve various donations and discussed service projects coming up this fall. In the two photos on right, Dave and Carol Hardy help Hike Kidz Foundation pack up school supplies.

Photos courtesy of Michael Williams.



A Possible Global Grant

Emily Burner and Jenny Grooms from the Valley Health Foundations came to share some potentially exciting news: local Rotary Clubs have the opportunity to join together and apply for a Global Grant that would fund a mobile health clinic to serve our rural communities!

It can be difficult for those in rural areas to find transportation to medical services, and/or to get the time off of work to go. A mobile health clinic would bring equitable healthcare directly to underserved populations that lack reliable access to essential services for these and other reasons. It is anticipated that the mobile clinic will serve up to 3,000 patients per year, starting initially in the counties of Page, Shenandoah, Rappahannock, and Warren. The goal is for the services to later expand into Hardy, Hampshire, and Morgan Counties in West Virginia.

At this point, the program is in the fundraising, planning and launch phase. Valley Health Foundations anticipates providing \$439,500 of the \$539,500 cost. Rotarians are raising \$100,000 to equip the clinic with medical equipment and fittings, and other supplies.

As part of the Global Grant application, 15% of the funds raised must come from international (outside the U.S.) Rotary groups. If local Rotary clubs contribute \$10,000 to The Rotary Foundation, a District match could kick in, and TRF will fund 80% of what the District provides. When the math settles, the initial starting amount would be \$38,000 even before additional fundraising efforts begin!

More to come!



Barbara Ecton presents "Welcome to Your World" by Smriti Prasadam-Halls, which will be given to a local day care in honor of the August 5th speaker of fellow Rotarian Emily Burner, who introduced the Global Grant proposal to the Club.



Youth Serve Despite Heat

On Saturday, August 8th, members of The Rotary Club Of Warren County's community based interact club helped clean up after the community fun day at Raymond Saint Myers Student Union. At the end of a hot day, the extra help was especially welcome!



Don't Miss this fun event!

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Proceeds support the
Warren County
Educational Endowment

Rotary  Rotary Club of
Warren County

Saturday, September 19, 2026
Warren County Fairgrounds

School Supply Collection



Many of the organizations in town collect school supplies that are provided to families. Our Club gathers supplies and delivers them directly to the schools, ensuring that any students who have missed other programs can still get the materials they need. At our meeting on August 12th, which was also the first day of school, we brought in the school supplies and divvied them up among the five elementary schools, two middle schools, and three high schools. The supplies were delivered that same day.



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Boots & Bourbon September 19, 2026



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Mark Your Calendar



August 19th at 7 am

Regular Meeting

Club Assembly

September 2nd at 7 am

Regular Meeting

Guest Speaker: Vicki Davies, St Luke Clinic Collaborative Grant

September 9th at 7 am

Regular Meeting

Guest Speaker: Cee Ann Davis, Public Health Ethics

September 12th, 9 am to 11 am

Greenway Walking Trail Clean-up
Meet in the Truist parking lot

Save the Date! Boots & Bourbon

September 19th. Proceeds benefit the Warren County Educational Endowment. See pages 3 and 5 for more information!



Rotary Club of Warren County

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Front Royal, VA 22630

warrencountyrotary.org
dacdb.com/Login

Meetings:

Wednesdays at 7am
First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
14 W 1st St., Front Royal
(Virtual option available)





Organizations that would like to request volunteer and/or financial support from the Club must complete the Project Request Form located [on the Club website.](#)

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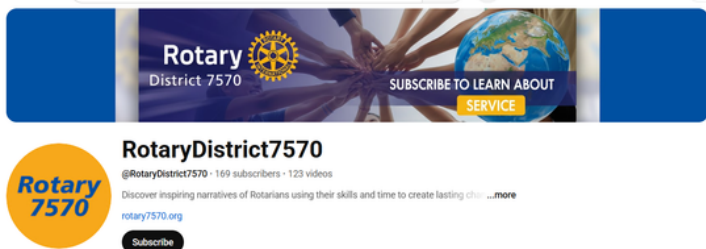
Click here to enroll in Rotary Direct and support any of the Rotary Foundation programs!

[Sponsoring a guest speaker? Click here for guidelines.](#)

Did you know the District has a YouTube page?

Be sure to Subscribe or browse the uploaded videos.

There are great past interviews and lots of club resources provided!



<https://www.youtube.com/@RotaryDistrict7570>

Our Club has a storage shed! If you need to pick up or drop off something, contact Kahle Magalis.

Need to Make a Donation, Put in Happy Dollars, or Pay Dues?



Find the donation links on our website!

<https://www.warrencountyrotary.org/project-donations>

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