

SPROCKET



Rotary Club of Bradley-Bourbonnais — September 27, 2023

Co-President— Julia Mullikin Co—President Jim DeZwaan Secretary: Steve Liehr Treasurer: Lori Gadbois Past President: Beth LaPlante



Mortagne au Perche, France **Our Sister Clubs** Los Mochis, Mexico



SEPTEMBER

Birthdays and Anniversaries

1-B
Barb Curry

1-B
Frank Koehler

16-A
Phil and Jean Standley

22-B
Ron Gerts

No Speaker this on Wednesday

Club Assembly

Topics for Discussion include:

2023 Jigsaw Puzzle Sales

Proposed changes to BBRotary By-laws



Join us on Monday, Sept, 25th, from 5 PM – 8 PM for our Culver's Community Day Event. 10% of all sales (dine-in, drive-thru, take-out) will be donated back to BB Rotary

Thank you Culver's

Rotary



rotary youth exchange

DO YOU KNOW ANY STUDENTS WHO WANT TO TRAVEL THE WORLD?

IT'S TIME TO FIND CANDIDATES FOR ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE 2024-25 YEAR

SEE THE YOUTH EXCHANGE PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION



BBRotary meets at 12 noon on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Wednesday of each month at Quality Inn and Suites, Route 50, Bradley, IL

Come Join Us

Thank you to our Year-long Sponsors for 2023/2024

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"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: It is the courage to continue that counts"

Winston Churchill

Halloween Downtown

Hosted by: Rotary Club of Kankakee

October 15, 2023

10am - 4pm Kankakee, IL

Fun for the whole family!

Free Kids Games
Local Food Vendors
Merch Vendors
Music

Trunk-or-Treat
12pm - 3pm



K3Halloween.com  Rotary of Kankakee

 Fieldstone credit union

 JACKIE HAAS STATE REPRESENTATIVE

 BROADWAY Jewelry To Save Coins



 Minuteman Press

 STACKED Nutrition and Supplements

World Polio Day Tuesday, October 24



LET'S CELEBRATE THE PROGRESS MADE IN OCTOBERFEST STYLE
AT
THE BERGHOFF RESTAURANT
17 W. ADAMS, CHICAGO
5:00PM - 8:00PM

CBST (PROCEEDS SUPPORT POLIO ERADICATION)
\$50.00
INCLUDES ONE DRINK TICKET AND DELICIOUS BERGHOFF APPETIZERS

Register at Rotary6450.org



Rotary Club of Lockport 5TH ANNUAL COFFIN RACE

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Free to Attend • Coffin Parade • Race to follow
Family Friendly • Activities • Pet Costume Contest

OCTOBER 14TH, 2023 12-4 PM

Hamilton Street parking lot • Race will be between 9th and 12th Streets

Food & Beverages Available From Local Restaurants



Have a Team? Have a Coffin?

Sign up to race today!!

Or Please Call: 815-530.1928

This event will help fund our Rotary Local Community Programs

- Scholarships • Giving Garden • Food Baskets for Families in Need • Dictionaries for every 3rd grader in Lockport
- Lockport Township High School Top Ten Percent Banquet • Christmas Party for SOS Children • Veteran's Luncheon

ROTARY AROUND THE WORLD

CANADA

The pandemic's toll on older people struck especially close to home for the Rotary Club of Cornwall Sunrise in southeastern Ontario. "Until COVID, our club met at a seniors residence, and the need for the residents to be able to get out was made clear to us," says club member Elizabeth "Bette" Miller, a past governor of District 7040. To ease the isolation of the town's older population, the Cornwall Sunrise club teamed up with the Rotary Club of Cornwall and their city government to introduce Seniors on Wheels tours on three-wheeled cycle rickshaws. Volunteers pedal seniors around on seasonal tours along the St. Lawrence River. "The trishaw is used primarily by local seniors who would otherwise be unable to enjoy the beautiful scenery," says Miller, whose club contributed an initial CA\$3,000 (US\$2,500) for the project. "The routes for the trishaws follow the bike paths with stops at points of interest, many of which are projects Rotary has partnered on with the city." Volunteers and their passengers covered a cumulative 300 miles last year.





FLANNEL FEST 2023



Saturday, October 7th, 2023

2:00 PM–6:00 PM

SPLITTING TARGETS

245 West Avenue, Kankakee

\$30.00 per person

Includes: One free drink; 30 minutes of axe throwing, and Taste Testing of Chili Cook off

Each Rotarian will be asked to sell 3 tickets



Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

OCTOBER 6-8, 2023

MORE INFORMATION AND APPLICATION AVAILABLE ON THE [RYLA PAGE](#)

BBROTARY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

BBROTARY.ORG

Check it out!



Our redesigned website is up and operational. Thanks to Amy Laws for her work on this.



PUZZLE CONTEST



AND THE WINNER IS: STATION STREET BRIDGE



The order has been placed with the manufacturer. We hope to have puzzles in hand by the end of October.

Confirmed retail outlets include: Convention and Visitors Bureau, Kankakee County Museum, Stefari's West, Rubber Rose Books, Ba Da Bloom Florist, King Music and Joy's Hallmark

FUTURE EVENTS

Mental Health Awareness Workshop

Membership Recruitment

Flannel Fest

K3 Rotary Halloween Fest

ROTARY CLUB OF BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS

Where Community Leaders Meet, Exchange Ideas and Take Action



Join us 2nd, 3rd and 4th Wednesday each month, 12 noon
Quality Inn and Suites
Route 50, Bradley, IL 60915
Corporate Memberships Available

[BBRotary.org](#)



Looking for volunteer to take the lead on our entry into the Kankakee Rotary Trunk or Treat. Will need to have car in place by 11:30 AM in front of Kankakee Train Station. The car needs to remain in place UNTIL 3:00 PM. BBRotary will provide candy to hand out. **Guaranteed Lots of Fun!**

ROTARY CLUB OF BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS
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HONORARY MEMBERS
**Honorable Paul Shore, Mayor
Village of Bourbonnais**

Harlow Hopkins
**(all numbers 815 area code unless
otherwise indicated)**



THIS DAY IN HISTORY—SEPTEMBER 27



**1779: John Adams
negotiates
Revolutionary War
Peace Terms with
Great Britain**



**1066: William the
Conqueror's troops
set sail from
Normandy to
conquer England**