



# ROTAGRAM

ROTARY CLUB of NEW BERN

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BIMONTHLY NEWSLETTER

## PROGRAM RECAPS

Jan. 25 - Rachel Hines, Craven Cty. Hospice Mgt. Team  
 Rachel stated, Craven County Hospice began in 1980 as part of the mission of the Craven County Health Dept. to ensure residents receive quality end of life care, pain and symptom management at one of the most vulnerable times in their life. As part of the Craven County government, is the only not for profit in the county, staffed by trained health care providers who provide quality end of life palliative care in your home, an assisted living or a skilled nursing center. Chaplain Angel Clayton said the dedication of volunteers provides the support and care that enables the program to fulfill their mission. Contributions enable them to pay, care for the uninsured and/or provide other services not covered by insurance.

Jan. 18th - Jay Killian, CART, Rotary Chair, Dist. 7720  
 Jay, related the CART fund provides cutting edge research to cure Alzheimer's disease. Dementia is an umbrella term for a collection of disorders that affect the brain to include Alzheimer's and Lewy body dementia, 75% of dementia cases are diagnosed as Alzheimer's, 2/3 of the cases are women and to date, there is no cure. The program began in 1996 when Rotarians, in a number of clubs, volunteered to empty their pockets of change at weekly meetings to give for Alzheimer research. So far in this fiscal year, \$700K has been raised, and as of May 2020, the Rotary CART program awarded a total of \$92M in 55 grants to U.S. research institutions. All administration expenses are paid from interest earned from invested contributions. The nonprofit program is governed by a Board of Trustees from Rotary districts that support the program.

### Up-Coming Programs

- Feb. 1 -John Autry, NC Market Mgr. MetroNet
- Feb. 8 - Jeff Odham, Alderman - City of NB
- Feb 15 - Chief Bobby Boyd, New Bern Fire Dept.
- Feb. 22 – YMCA Field Trip

### District 7720 Area 8 Mid-Year Conference

February 9, 5:30 – Chelsea Restaurant, \$31

**Free to Club members attending**

**Register DACdb by February 1**

See attachment with Rotagram email for more details

### New Member Proposals

Sabrina Bengel – Baker's Kitchen

Sponsor: Gray Wheeler

## SHAM'ROCKIN' UP-DATE

**We are getting very close if not already surpassed the \$40,000 fundraising threshold!**

**\$3,500 - Title/Presenting Sponsor: Hagan & Hagan/Taco Bell**

**\$2,500 - Craven County Insurance Agents Assoc.**

**\$2,000 - Minor Sponsor: - Trent Buick, GMC Pete Deichman**

**Beverage Sponsor: Freshwater Beer Company; craft beer, craft wine, canned beer and seltzers.**

**\$1,000 VIP Table Sponsors: Linda Stauch, Gray Wheeler, Titan Aviation Fuels, Cathi Miller, Darlene Brown/S. Moffat-Thomas, Peacock's Plume, Honeycutt and Whitford, Jon Segal, Green Crow Smith Guy, Jim Findley, Foster, FCB, Jim Slaughter, CCHC and Fund Dev., Ward and Smith, Keller Williams.**

**\$600 VIP Half Table Sponsors: Truist Bank, Crayton Commercial, Oliver and Cheek, SeaDek Mid Atlantic, Mass Mutual, Fred Huestis, Trader Construction, Rankin & Fiume Ortho.**

**Donations: MBF Architects, Jon Segal (\$750) tickets for Habitat for Kids.**

### Do Your Part – Sign up!

#### Club Volunteers Needed for:

Setting Up Tables, Decorations, Serving Food, Front Door Check In, Check IDs, Security, Auction, Decorating, Setup & Clean-Up, RCS (50/50 Raffle)

#### AND HELP SECURING

Fun, Creative, and Valuable

On-Line Auction Items

Auction & Sponsorship forms attached with Feb. 1 Rotagram

Exclusive Offer for Members & Guests - \$75 Ticket Reserved seating, dinner & drinks included.

<https://forms.office.com/r/XsMFg4DwxD>

Our 2 Ticket Packages (\$250/\$175) are available for purchase online via credit card here -

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