

**THE SPOKESMAN**  
**The Derby-Shelton Rotary Club**  
**Date: July 22, 2010**



**Shelton Rotary Officers 2010-2011**

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<b>PUBLIC IMAGE CHAIR</b>	
<b>INTERNATIONAL SERVICE CHAIR</b>	Ernie Luise



**MAKE UP MEETINGS IN THE AREA**

<b>Town:</b>	<b>Day:</b>	<b>Place:</b>	<b>Time:</b>
Fairfield	Monday	Gaelic-American Club	12:15 pm
Ansonia	Tuesday	JJ Sullivan's	12:15 pm
Stratford	Tuesday	Oronoque Country Club	12:15 pm
Devon	Wednesday	Stonebridge Restaurant	7:45 am
Naugatuck	Wednesday	Jessie Camille's	12:15 pm
Bridgeport Sunrise	Thursday	Take Time Café	7:45 am
Milford	Thursday	Aldario's Restaurant	12:15 pm
Seymour/Oxford**	Thursday	Sandwich Man Restaurant	7:17 am
Trumbull	Friday	Trumbull Public Library	7:30 am

\*\* 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month

VISIT YOUR CLUB'S WEBSITE AT: [www.derby-sheltonrotary.org](http://www.derby-sheltonrotary.org)

Check out the District's Website and read *The Beacon* at [www.rotary7980.org](http://www.rotary7980.org)

<b>Schedule of Speakers</b>	
<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Date</b>
Gov. Julianne Reppenhagen's Club Visit – <b>MEETING AT IL PALIO</b>	July 22, 2010
<b>NO MEETING: Italian Night: Verona on Wheels Pizza</b> (See below)	July 29, 2010
Rikki Crea, Out Source Communications, Social Networking for Business and Non-Profit Services ; Facebook	August 5, 2010
Bob and Katie Scinto – Shakespeare Project	August 12, 2010
	August 19, 2010
	August 26, 2010
Rikki Crea, Out Source Communications, Social Networking for Business and Non-Profit Services ; Twitter	September 2, 2010
Rikki Crea, Out Source Communications, Social Networking for Business and Non-Profit Services ; Linked In	October 7, 2010
Ernie and John –Foundation Month	November 17, 2010

<b>Schedule of Members to Set Up Speakers</b>	
<b>Member in Charge of Speaker</b>	<b>Date</b>
Troy Adcox	September 9, 2010
Mary Ahlor	September 16, 2010
Steve Balog	September 23, 2010
Kevin Bishop	September 30, 2010
ALREADY SET	October 7, 2010
Pat Carey	October 14, 2010
Kim Caro	October 21, 2010
Jim Connery, Jr.	October 28, 2010

<b>Schedule of Events/Board Meetings</b>			
<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>
ITALIAN NIGHT: Verona on Wheels Pizza <b>"FIRE TRUCK"</b>	7/29/2010	5-7:30PM	Farmers Market, Shelton
<b>BIG E Amber Alert Sign Ups</b>	09/21/2010	All Day	Springfield, MA Area
<b>Lobster Bake</b>	09/25/10	TBA	Riverwalk, Shelton
<b>Shelton Day</b>	10/03/2010	ALL DAY	Howe Avenue

You are encouraged to invite your spouse, partners, or family members to attend Rotary functions, including regular luncheon meetings.

## Update on Wally Veits From John Daniell

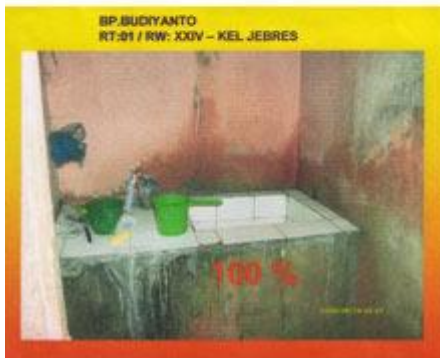
Wally lives at Wesley Heights, Long Hill Avenue in Room 257. He appreciates visitors as he is not very mobile. It's a small room, so perhaps a couple of people can visit at a time. So please visit and make his day. I played chess with him the other afternoon. You don't have to do that, but fellowship and conversation is enough. How would you like to be confined to a small room and be unable to see all your friends? So please visit! Call him first at 203-929-5994. He lunches at 12 noon, dines at 5:00 PM, so anytime outside mealtimes is fine.

## Did you know ? From Rotary.org

### Foundation approves first global grant

By Arnold R. Grahl

Rotary International News -- 16 June 2010



A typical Indonesian-style cement bathtub (top), and after installation of white ceramic tile (bottom) designed to make it easier to spot mosquito larvae. **Photo courtesy of District 7980**

The Rotary Foundation has approved the first global grant under the Future Vision pilot, set to begin on 1 July, for a project to combat the spread of dengue fever in Indonesia.

With a total project budget of roughly US\$39,000, Rotarians in districts 7980 (Connecticut, USA) and 3400 (Indonesia) aim to help disrupt the breeding cycle of the mosquitoes that transmit the disease in Kadipiro, a community of 49,000 factory workers on the outskirts of Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia.

Dengue fever is a painful and debilitating disease that is particularly prevalent in tropical and subtropical urban settings. With no vaccines available to halt its spread, the illness affects 50 to 100 million people annually, according to the World Health Organization, and causes about 22,000 deaths a year.

The global grant includes \$15,660 from the Foundation, which will be combined with \$7,740 in District Designated Fund (DDF) allocations from the two districts, and another \$15,844 raised by participating Rotary clubs. The project supports the disease prevention and treatment [area of focus](#).

Most of the funds will go toward hiring contractors to install white ceramic tiling on the interior surfaces of Indonesian-style cement bathtubs in 900 homes, making it easier to spot gray mosquito larvae spawned in the tubs.

### Prevention

The Rotary Club of Solo Kartini, which came up with the project idea, will work with local health officials and health care groups to educate the community on prevention measures, including emptying and scrubbing the tubs twice a week, closing the lid on water containers, and burying waste that can collect water. Rotarians will also oversee a group of monitors, who will be paid a small stipend to visit the participating homes weekly, checking on compliance and keeping records.

"To be the first [global grant approved] was a very satisfying result, for both us and the host partner," says Paul Spiekermann, a member of the Rotary Club of Westport who heads up the grant committee for District 7980. "We chose this project because of its measurability and public health benefits. Whatever the results are, it will carry us a step further in handling dengue fever."

Spiekermann is a physician specializing in tropical diseases and has worked with Indonesian clubs on Matching Grant projects. He says that the data from this latest effort will be handed over to the mayor of Surakarta, and that the project is expected to serve as a model throughout Indonesia.

One hundred districts are participating in the Future Vision pilot, a three-year test of the new grant structure offered through the Foundation's Future Vision Plan.

[Global grants](#) are one of two types of grants under the plan. They support large, international projects with sustainable outcomes in the [areas of focus](#), which correspond to the Foundation's mission.

Clubs and districts can use DDF or cash contributions to fund global grant activities and receive matching funds from the Foundation. In addition, clubs and districts can sponsor packaged global grants developed by the Foundation with its strategic partners.

As of 11 June, the Foundation has received 71 proposals for global grants.