Club Committees (2018-2019) 8.12.2018

1. Immediate Past President: (Sue Weber)

1.1 Crab Feast Distribution Committee: This committee decides on the distribution of funds raised by the club from the Crab Feast. This Committee requires a fair representation from the board of directors. Members are past and current presidents, past and current board members, and past and current crab feast chairs

Chair: **Sue Weber**

1.2. Nominating Committee: This committee reviews candidates and proposes a slate of officers and lane directors for the upcoming Rotary year. Members are President Elect, President, and several past presidents.

Chair: **Sue Weber**

Ron Baradel, Eric Edstrom,

2. President: (Jim Campbell)

2.1 Crab Feast: This committee will put on the 72nd annual Crab Feast.

Chair: **Chara Hutzell**

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2.2 Black Tie and Diamonds Gala Committee: This committee organizes and stages a formal dinner dance for the benefit of a charity to be designated by the Club’s Board of Directors.

Chair: **Sue Weber/Pam Urnowey/Kevin Hurley**

Mary Jane MacArthur,

2.3 Sergeants-at-Arms Committee: This committee raises funds for the Rotary Club and/or projects designated by the board through weekly fines of members for real and imaginary offenses.

Chair:  **David Mattingley**

Vern Cunningham, Jim Wallace

3. President-Elect: (Eric Edstrom)

3.1 Long Range Planning Committee: This committee is charged with an annual review of the Long

Range Plan which includes a vision, goals, and objectives for the Club in order to ensure that the Annapolis

Rotary Club is always a dynamic and influential force in the Annapolis Community, and an effective, contributing member of the Rotary Family.

Chair: **Eric Edstrom**

Vern Cunningham,

3.2 District 7620 Liaison

Chair: **Eric Edstrom**

4. Vice-President, Finance (Dave Lillefloren)

4.1 Crab Feast Distribution: This committee reviews community applications for grants from the proceeds of the Crab Feast. Members will be selected by the Committee Chair and the presiding president.

Chair: **Ron Baradel**

Eric Edstrom

4.2 Annapolis Rotary Foundation Grants: This committee awards annual grants to community organizations demonstrating a need the Foundation can address.

Chair: **Mimi Jones**

Linnell Bowen, Pat Nugent, Cynthia Danjczek, Marshall Larner, David Lillifloren, Mary Felter, Maria Kersh, Bill Davis, Chara Hutzell

4.3 Financial Review Committee: This committee reviews the clubs operating expenses and makes recommendations for improvements

Chair: **Jeff Neufeld**

John Bloom, Jim Dolezal,

4.4 Sponsorships Committee: This committee explores potential club sponsorships of different club fund raisers.

Chair: **Maria Maher**

John Bloom

4.5 Foundation of Annapolis Rotary Investment Committee: This committee oversees investments of the Annapolis Rotary Foundation accounts and encourages planned giving to our Club’s Foundation. Club President and Treasurer are welcome to attend also.

Chair: **Rick Struse**

Fred Sherrill, Elaine Shanley, Marshall Larner, Jeff Neufeld, David Lillefloren, Cindy McBride, Randy Goff

5. Vice President, Community Outreach (Carletta Allen)

5.1 Community Green Committee: This committee is responsible for the periodic maintenance of the “adopted” Rowe Blvd. stretch of highway and the Newman Street Park, the Club Centennial project. This committee also works with Annapolis Green, a local non-profit organization on environmental projects in the County.

Chair: **Bob Reedy**

Carletta Allen, Patricia Burnham, Jim Campbell, Jim Dolezal, Gordon Hewitt, Andy Laing, Linda Martinak, Francis McAndrew, Jeff Neufeld, Dave Patterson, Greg Pearce, Liesel Schopler, David Wright, Lydia Hohman

5.2 Care and Compassion Committee: This committee designs and implements meaningful service projects to be performed during times when hunger and other needs are evident, especially during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

Chair: **Unfilled**

Patricia Burnham,Dave Cordle, Carol Gausz, Chara Hutzell, Jim Powers, Carolyn Richards, Dick Sweeney, Jason Thoemke, David Wright,

5.3 Rebuilding Together Committee: This committee coordinates the rehabilitation of a home of a needy family in conjunction with Anne Arundel County’s Rebuilding Together Committee.

Chair: **Shannon McDowell**

Carletta Allen, EJ Amyot, Frank Andracchi, Patricia Burnham, Eric Edstrom, Dave Lunden, Dave Mattingley, Shannon McDowell, Clair Morris, Carolyn Richards, Rick Struse, Dick Sweeney, Jason Thoemke, Staff Warren, Sue Weber, Lydia Hohman

5.4 Salvation Army Bell Ringing Committee: This committee provides bell ringers for the Salvation Army during the Christmas Season.

Chair: **Carol Brown & Jim Dolezal**

Carletta Allen, Ron Baradel, Kim Dixon, Eric Edstrom, Randy Fisher, Gordon Hewitt, Kevin Hurley, Andy Laing, Patsy Mattingley, Clair Morris, Dave Patterson, Greg Pearce, Carolyn Richards, Carl Roemer, Sue Weber,

5.5 Naval Academy Liaison Committee: This committee serves as a liaison to the United States

Naval Academy (USNA) and coordinates Navy Night. It also assists other committees, such as

the Crab Feast committee and Rebuilding Together, in all matters involving interaction with the

Naval Academy leadership.

Chair: **Rob Dews**

Carletta Allen, Maria Kersh, Jim Campbell, Dave Church, Michael Farmer, Bill Garrett, Ken Henry, Andy Laing, Clair Morris, Liesel Schopler, Jim Wallace, Rich Wright,

5.6 Service Above Self Committee: This is a Board function which identifies a non-Rotarian in the community who exemplifies the goals of Rotary.

Chair:  **Eric Edstrom**

Carletta Allen, Maria Kersh, Jim Campbell, Dave Cordle, Tara Ritsko, Sue Weber,

5.7 Center for Ethics Committee: This committee is responsible for the development and implementation of a public relations outreach program focused on the matter of ethics in the professions represented in Rotary. This includes programs associated with the United States Naval Academy (VADM William P. Lawrence Essay Contest winners to be guest speakers at one of our club meetings) and serving as judges in various Ethics Bowls at the University of Baltimore Campus Hoffberger Center for Professional Ethics.

Chair: **Jim Dolezal**

Carletta Allen, Maria Kersh, Michael Farmer, Kevin Hurley, Linda Martinak, Don Roland, Jim Campbell. Jack Kersh

6. Vice President, Club Activities (Kevin Hurley)

6.1 Program Committee: This committee arranges and manages the speaker for the coming year at the direction of the President.

Chair: **Kevin Hurley**.

Ron Baradel, Chuck Ferrar, Elaine Shanley, Fred Paone

6.2 Attendance and Greeting: his committee greets all attendees to our meetings and operates the front desk at the club’s regular weekly meetings, including checking in members, announcing guests and visiting Rotarians, and handling ticket sales for the weekly 50/50 drawing.

Chair: **John Bloom**

Maria Kersh, Kevin Burke, Carol Gausz, Gordon Hewitt, Frank Hurd, Patsy Mattingley, Tom Maybach, Anne Myers, Patrick Nugent, Mike Walsh, Harriet Lerner, Ric Meyer, Kim Dixon

6.3 Invocation Committee: This committee arranges for various members to give the invocation at the club’s regular weekly meetings.

Chair: **Dick Libby**

Maria Kersh, Larry Claussen, Eric Edstrom, Charlie King, Dick Libby, Carl Roemer, Larry Ulvila, Harold Wright,

6.4 Music Committee: This committee is responsible for the musical portion of each weekly meeting of the club.

Chair: **Charley King and Carl Schneider**

Patsy Mattingley, Carl Roemer,

6.5 Fellowship Events: This committee is responsible for organizing the monthly gatherings outside the weekly lunch meetings. Organizing the yearly Tête-à-Têtes.

Chair: **Hank Mortimer**

Cynthia Danjczek, Chara Hutzell, Andy Laing, Patsy Mattingley, Liesel Schopler, Kathy Sulick, Rebecca Tingle, Pam Urnowey, Staff Warren, Sue Weber,

6.6 Holiday Party Committee: This committee is responsible for the organizing and preparing the holiday celebration in December. This celebration takes the place of the regular lunch meeting.

Chair: **Maria Maher and Carolyn Richards**

Cynthia Danjczek, Wayne Fertitta, Patsy Mattingley, Patsy Oerti, Liesel Schopler, Rebecca Tingle,

6.7 Pre-Crab Feast Event Committee: This committee holds a fellowship event before the Crab Feast that will provide the opportunity for members to meet and relax in order to devote their full time and attention to working during the Crab Feast.

Chair: **Sue Weber/Pam Urnowey/Vienna Laurendi**

Gordon Hewitt, Shannon McDowell, Liesel Schopler,

6.8 St. Patrick’s Day Parade Committee:

Chair: **Nancy Almgren/Sue Weber**

Andy Laing, Mary Jane MacArthur, Liesel Schopler,

6.9 History and Archives Committee: This committee maintains the records and memorabilia of the club.

Chair: **Don Roland/Ray Langston/Dick Libby**

Robert Clark, Larry Claussen, Harold Green, John Meneely, Ben Michaelson,

7. Secretary: (Patricia Mattingley)

8. Treasurer: (EJ Amyot)

9. Membership Service Lane: (Director, Frank Andracchi)

9.1 Application Review Committee: This committee provides applications to recommended new members, check references, distributes copies of the application and solicits feedback from the Board.

They send out notices about the acceptance of the new members when the process is completed.

Chair: **John Weese**

Patsy Mattingley, Gary Schwerzler, Larry Ulvila, Harold Wright,

9.2 Membership Development Committee: This committee designs and implements strategy to appeal to new prospective candidates for membership. The entire club is on this committee.

Chair: **Carolyn Richards**

Carol Gausz**,** Tara Ritsko, Carolyn Richards, Dick Royer, Mike Walsh

9.3 New Member Orientation: This committee conducts new member orientation programs during the year and administers the red badge program in order to ensure that new members become invested in the meaning of Rotary during the initial year of membership.

Chair: **Maria Maher**

Kevin Hurley, Patsy Mattingley, Bill Regan, Carolyn Richards, Harold Wright,

9.4 Member Mentor Committee: This committee monitors the membership to see who might need a word of encouragement to participate more in Rotary or expression of the concern in time of need.

Chair: **Randy Goff**

Maria Kersh, Gary Schwerzler,

10. International Lane (Director, Lydia Hohman)

10.1 Foundation and Polio Plus: This Committee is our club’s liaison with the Rotary International (RI) Foundation and oversees the donations to the Polio Plus and annual Fund. It is responsible for communicating with the club about the work of Rotary International, the maintenance of donor lists, facilitating awards, and setting yearly club contribution goals within RI/District guidelines.

Chair: **Mike Farmer**

Linnell Bowen, Bill Davis, Dick Libby, Jeff Neufeld, John Whitelaw,

10.2 Rotary and District Grants: This committee will develop and lead grant opportunities involving global grants, district grants, and club funded grants as well as develop active grant partnerships with other Rotary clubs.

Chair: **Phil Reynolds**

Cynthia Danjczek, John Whitelaw, Ric Meyer, Lydia Hohman

10.3 International Scholarships/ Youth Exchange: This committee will encourage applications for Global Grant Scholarships and International Youth Exchange students, interview candidates, act as counselors and sponsors as needed for youth exchange students and make recommendations to District Leadership regarding those candidates.

Chair: **Carl Schneider/Luisa Gil**

Mike Datch, Kevin Hurley, Ed Schumaker, Patrick Nugent

10.4 International Service Travel/Friendship Exchange: This committee arranges both incoming and outgoing friendship exchanges and international service travel opportunities in support of our club’s grant activities. They will also promote the Rotary International convention and Rotary UN Day.

Chair: **Staff Warren/Theil Theil**

Mike Datch, Jim Dolezal, Charlie Heller, Phil Reynolds, Jim Wallace,

11. Marketing and Public Relations: (Director, Bob Reedy)

11.1 Public Service Announcements: This committee is responsible for the Public service announcements of the Annapolis Rotary Club and the promotion of the club’s community service activities and the international humanitarian efforts through the media, such as weekly programs, community service activities and grant distribution.

Chair: **Mary Felter**

Ken Henry, Harriet Lerner

11.2 Photography Committee: This committee is responsible for photographing the Club’s meeting and all Rotary events for use by the Marketing/Public Relation Committee, the Crablines committee.

Chair: **Don Roland**

Mike Datch, Dave Mattingley, Tom Maybach, Dick Sweeney,

11.3 Crablines and Directory Committee: This committee writes and publishes the Club’s weekly newsletter and semi-annual directory.

Chair: **Kevin Hurley**

John Fredland, Dan Goebl**,** Dave Mattingley, Mike Walsh, Dave Patterson

11.4 Website Committee: This committee is responsible for facilitating the maintenance of the membership data in the Club data entry system as well as maintenance and updating of the Club website.

Chair**: Marshall Larner**

Jeff Neufeld,

11.5 Social Media Committee: This committee promotes club activities and fund raising efforts on various social media outlets.

Chair: **Dave Carter**

12. New Generations: (Director, Jack Kersh)

12.1 Dictionary Project: This Committee disburses Rotary dictionaries to individual 3rd graders in Anne Arundel County in coordination with the other local Rotary Clubs.

Chair: **Carolyn Richards**

Frank Andracchi, Maria Kersh, Bill Davis, Kim Dixon, Jim Dolezal, Eric Edstrom, Mary Felter, Kevin Hurley, Jack Kersh, Hank Mortimer, Fred Paone, Bill Regan, Carolyn Richards, Staff Warren, Sue Weber,

12.2 Four Way Test Speech Committee: This committee conducts a speech competition in conjunction with area high schools in order to select a competitor to advance to the Four Way Test competition at the 2019 District Conference.

Chairs: **Hank Mortimer**

Angela Bailey, Maria Kersh, Michael Farmer, Mary Felter, Karl Kamp, Jack Kersh, Dick Libby, Hank Mortimer, Fred Paone, Staff Warren,

12.3 Interact Committee: This committee is responsible for supporting and sustaining the Interact Club in the Annapolis area.

Chair:

**12.3.a. St Mary’s Interact Club Committee**

Chair: **Elaine Shanley**

Jack Kersh, Leigh Rand,

**12.3.b. Rockbridge Academy Interact Committee**

Chair: **Angela Bailey**

Kevin Hurley, Jack Kersh, Liesel Schopler, Elaine Shanley, Rebecca Tingle,

12.4 Youth Mentorship: This committee is responsible for establishing a mentoring project for elementary and high school children in need of academic or other support and/or guidance in meeting life’s challenges.

Chair: **Kevin Hurley/Mike Walsh**

Rob Dews, Jack Kersh, Pat Moran, Orlie Reid,

12.5 Rotaract Committee: This committee is responsible for supporting and sustaining the Annapolis

Rotaract Club.

Chair: **Bill Regan**

Rob Dews, Carol Gausz, Tara Ritsko, Jack Kersh, Jeff Neufeld, Bill Regan, Liesel Schopler, Mike Walsh,

12.6 Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA): This committee selects three to five High School students to attend a leadership building weekend and to share their experience with our Club following the event.

Chair: **Elaine Shanley**

Jack Kersh, Leigh Rand,

12.7 Scholarship Committee: This committee selects recipients of all community academic or other scholarships awarded by the Club and ensure the public recognition of these awardees before the Club and in the media.

Chair: **Don Roane**

Frank Andracchi, Maria Kersh, Linnell Bowen, Dave Carter, Jonny Davis, Michael Farmer, Wayne Fertitta, Karl Kamp, Jack Kersh, Linda Martinak, Pat Moran, Clair Morris, Mike Walsh,

12.8 Money Management Micro Lending: This committee serves to enable high school students to understand their financial potentials and humanitarian responsibilities by understanding capital, investing funds, and using proceeds to participate in the Rotary Micro lending program for persons starting self sustaining businesses in underdeveloped countries.

Chairs: **Jack Kersh**

Sue Weber, Nancy Almgren,