Annapolis Rotary Club Committees (2019-2020)

1. Immediate Past President: (Jim Campbell)

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: **Jim Campbell**

Marshall Larner, Bill Regan, Sue Weber

2. President: (Carletta Allen)

2.1 Crab Feast: This committee will put on the 75nd annual Crab Feast.

Chair**: Leigh Rand**

**ALL CLUB MEMBERS**

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: **Kevin Hurley, Carolyn Richards, Sue Weber, Pam Urnowey**

Chara Hutzell, Patsy Oertli, Rebecca Tingle

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:  **Sue Weber**

3. President-Elect: (Frank Andracchi)

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: **Frank Andracchi**

3.2 District 7620 Liaison

Chair: **Frank Andracchi**

4. Vice-President, Finance (Andy Laing)

4.1 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: **Ron Baradel**

Carletta Allen, Frank Andracchi, Jim Campbell, Andy Laing, Leigh Rand, Sue Weber

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 Lillefloren, 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**

President Carletta Allen, President-Elect Frank Andracchi, Treasurer Kevin Hurley, VP Finance Andy Laing, Past-President Randy Goff, Members-at-Large Jeff Neufeld (Committee Chair and Past Treasurer), Jim Dolezal, Greg Pearce.

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

Chair: **Laurie Sears Deppa**

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**

Carletta Allen, Frank Andracchi, Bill Davis, Randy Goff, Marshall Larner, Cindy McBride, Jeff Neufeld, Elaine Shanley, Fred Sherrill,

5. Vice President, Community Outreach (Carolyn Kerrigan Richards)

5.1 Community Green Committee: This committee is responsible for the maintenance of the “adopted” Rowe Blvd. stretch of highway, which takes place twice a year (May – Commissioning Week and August – prior to the first Navy Football game).

Chair: **Bob Reedy**

Jim Dolezal, Wayne Fertitta, Gordon Hewitt, Carlyn Lowery, Clair Morris,

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: **Ric Meyer**

EJ Amyot, Carol Gausz, Luisa Gil, Lydia Hohman, Kevin Hurley, Jim Powers, Elaine Shanley, Chris Spain, Dick Sweeney

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: **Sue Weber**

EJ Amyot, Frank Andracchi, Kevin Hurley, Andy Laing, Clair Morris, Jeremiah Olsen, Dick Sweeney, Jim Walsh, Staff Warren

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**

Michael Walsh, Randy Fisher, Gordon Hewitt, Kevin Hurley, Andy Laing, Tom Maybach, Clair Morris, Anne Myers, Jim Wallace

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**

Angela Bailey, Rob Dews, Michael Farmer, Randy Goff, Andy Laing, David Lillefloren, Carlyn Lowery, Clair Morris, Jeff Neufeld, Patsy Oertli,

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:  **Jim Campbell**

Kevin Hurley, Carlyn Lowery, Dave Lunden,

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**

Jim Dolezal, Michael Farmer, Kevin Hurley, Jack Kersh, Linda Martinak, Carl Roemer, Don Roland

6. Vice President, Club Activities (Michael Walsh)

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

Chair: **Michael Walsh**

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**

Angela Bailey, John Bloom, Eric Fredland, Carol Gausz, Randy Goff, Frank Hurd, Wendy Kumar, Chris Kyser, Harriet Lerner, Diane Long, Carlyn Lowery, Patsey Mattingley, David Mattingley, Tom Maybach, Chris Spain

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

Chair: **Dick Libby**

Ron Baradel, Mary Felter, Jack Kersh, Maria Kersh, Dick Libby, Dave Lunden, Linda Martinak, Carl Roemer, Larry Ulvila

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**

Harriet Lerner, Patsy Mattingley, Chris Spain,

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**

Ron Baradel, Cynthia Danjczek, Kevin Hurley, Mimi Jones, David Lillefloren, Hank Mortimer,

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: **Carolyn Richards**

Bill Davis, Wayne Fertitta, Wendy Kumar, Chris Kyser, Patsey Mattingley, Carolyn Richards, Pam Urnowey

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**

6.8 St. Patrick’s Day Parade Committee:

Chair: **Sue Weber**

Chara Hutzell, Andy Laing, Diane Long, Fred Paone, Greg Pearce, Jim Powers, Gary Schwerzler

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

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

Ray Langston, Dick Libby,

7. Secretary: (Patricia Mattingley)

8. Treasurer: (Kevin Hurley)

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**

Cynthia Danjczek, Maria Kersh, Dave Patterson, Larry Ulvila,

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: **Michael Walsh**

Cynthia Danjczek, Carol Gausz, Chris Kyser, Tara Dulaney Ritsko, Jeremiah Olson,

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: **Kevin Hurley**

Lydia Hohman, Patsy Mattingley, Jeff Neufeld, Bill Regan, Jim Wallace,

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: **Ron Baradel**

Carol Gausz, Kevin Hurley, Glynis Long, Chris Spain, Jim Wallace

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, Mike Farmer, Bill Garrett, Luisa Gil, Randy Goff, Lydia Hohman, Dick Libby, Dave Mattingley, Jeff Neufeld, Patrick Nugent, Jack Whitelaw, Jack Whitelaw, Jack Whitelaw, Staff Warren

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, Luisa Gil, Michelle Hellstern, Gordon Hewitt, Patrick Nugent, Chris Spain, Staff Warren, Jack Whitelaw

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/ Ric Meyer**

           Mary Felter**,**Luisa Gil, Charlie Heller, Michelle Hellstern, Lydia Hohman, Carl Schneider, Ed Shumaker, Staff Warren

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, Bill Davis, Michelle Hellstern, Lydia Hohman, Kevin Hurley, Mimi jones, Ric Meyer, Chris Spain, Staff Warren

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: **Anne Myers**

Ken Henry, Harriet Lerner, Anne Myers, Susan Seifried,

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**

Dave Mattingley, Tom Maybach, Dick Sweeney, Don Roland

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

Chair: **Kevin Hurley**

Eric Fredland, Kevin Hurley, Dave Mattingley, Mike Walsh

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, Anne Myers

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

Chair: **Pam Urnowey**

Jeremy Olson, Sue Weber

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, Jim Dolezal, Mary Felter, Randy Goff, Lydia Hohman, Kevin Hurley, Mimi Jones, Jack Kersh, Maria Kersh, Wendy Kumar, Dave Lunden, Dave Mattingley, Hank Mortimer, Carolyn Richards, 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**

Frank Andracchi, Ron Baradel, Mike Farmer, Kevin Hurley, Mimi Jones, Jack Kersh, Maria Kersh, Dick Libby, Hank Mortimer, Chris Spain, 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**

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

Chair:

**Lydia Hohman, Kevin Hurley, Lee Rand, Jerray Slocum**

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, Kevin Hurley, Jack Kersh, Maria Kersh, Ray Langston, Ed Shumaker, Jerray Slocum, Jim Wallace

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

Rotaract Club.

Chair: **Chris Spain**

Ron Baradel, Rob Dews, Tara Dulaney Ritsko, Jack Kersh, David Lillefloren, Liesel Schopler, Paul Skrickus

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**

Dan Felicetti, Jack Kersh,

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**

Mike Farmer, Dan Felicetti, Gordon Hewitt, Jack Kersh, Maria Kersh, Linda Martinak, Clair Morris, Patrick Nugent, Paul Skrickus, Sue Weber,

13. Satellite Clubs

13.1 Annapolis Breakfast Club: The Breakfast Group meets from 8:00AM - 9:00AM on the 4th Tuesday of every month, at Miss Shirley’s Café located at 1 Park Pl, Annapolis, MD 21401.

**Elaine Shanley**

13.2 Annapolis Happy Hour Group: The Happy Hour Club meets on the third Thursday, 6-8 PM at Paladar Latin Kitchen and Rum Bar, 1905 Towne Center Blvd.

**Bill Regan**