



**ROTARY - YOUTH SERVICE
MONTHLY ZOOM - TUESDAY,
NOVEMBER 12, 2024**

AGENDA

- RYLA Update (Connolly Walker)
- District 7690 Jim Armstrong 4-Way Test (Kathy Homiller)
- Youth Exchange (Ed Woodall)
- Youth Peace Initiative (Scott Wagoner)
- Youth Protection Update (Steven Taylor)
- Interact (Brent Holmes)
 - Status of Academic Advisor update for 2024-2025
 - Goals for Rotary Citation for Interact Clubs
 - RI International Interact Week, November 3 - 9, 2024
 - MLK Day of Service - January 20, 2025
 - District 7690 Interact Conference - TBD
- Review Youth Services Calendar (Brent Holmes)



RYLA UPDATE

1. Club Sponsorship Pledge Form is due November 30th
 - a. This is solely the club's financial commitment to sponsoring a student(s) this year (\$650 per student).
 - Clubs can always add more students later 😊
 - b. Link to the Club Sponsorship Pledge Form: <https://form.jotform.com/220216726592152>
 - c. We've received Sponsorship Pledge Forms from the following:
 - Mt. Airy (1 Student)
 - King (1 Student)
 - Pinehurst (1 Student)
 - Graham (1 Student)
 - Southern Pines (2 Students)
 - Randolph (2 Students)
 - Surry Sunrise (1 Student)
2. RYLA Roundtables – November 19, 2024
 - a. Open to anyone in the district, but Club Presidents, President Elects, Youth Services Chairs encouraged.
 - b. Come learn about RYLA and ask your RYLA Questions!
 - c. 12 Noon on Zoom: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82659660596?pwd=eQaiGMPCAbI7yqJlzvFZjO6jKh7oGq.1>
 - d. 5:00pm on
Zoom: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87049917165?pwd=YQkecG10MDRf6ptWlKu4O0mYdTlh4f.1>



DISTRICT 7690 JIM ARMSTRONG FOUR-WAY TEST

- Date: February 22, 2025
- Location: Randolph Community College R. Alton Cox Learning Resource Center (LRC)
- ***After the meeting, Kathy Homiller has sent out information about the Test to include the announcement for Clubs and schools, and application. These documents are attached in the email with this presentation.***



YOUTH EXCHANGE

- Conversations in process with several students and families
- Encourage Youth Services Chairs/Interact Contacts to share Youth Exchange information with their Interact Clubs
- We're on the clock to identify long-term youth exchange candidates.
- Country assignments begin in December and we do not have any candidates to date.



YOUTH PEACE INITIATIVE



- Peace - Scott willing to come and talk to Interact Clubs about Peace-building
- Scott and Brent to follow-up about Peace-building training for Interact Clubs

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YOUTH PROTECTION



Remind Club Secretaries to ensure new members first, middle, last name and birth date are entered in dacDB; this will help our District's check of new members background and potential issues with working with youth



INTERACT

- Status of Academic Advisor update for 2024-2025
 - 36 Interact Clubs have update 2024-2025 Academic Advisor
 - 6 Interact Clubs have not updated 2024-2025 Academic Advisor
 - New Century Middle School (Carthage Rotary Club)
 - North Moore High School (Carthage Rotary Club)
 - East Forsyth High School (Kernersville Rotary Club)
 - Glenn High School (Kernersville Rotary Club)
 - Dalton L. McMichael High School (Madison-Mayodan Rotary Club)
 - McMichael High School (Madison-Mayodan and Stoneville Rotary Club)
- ***REMINDER – Establish your Club Excellence Award for Interact Club Goals (Refer to attachment)***



INTERACT

- Need Rotary Club Sponsors for the following Interact Clubs:
 - Eastern High School
 - Ferndale Middle School
 - Northeast Middle School
- RI International Interact Week, November 3 - 9, 2024
- District 7690 MLK Day of Service
 - Monday, January 20, 2025
 - Encourage Rotary Clubs and Interact Clubs to perform joint Service Project
 - Use 'Peace Conference 2024' and attachment documents
- District 7690 Interact Club Conference
 - Date: TBD (March – May 2025)
 - Location in Greensboro –TBD
 - Participants
 - District Interact Club Members
 - Academic Advisors
 - Youth/Interact Chairpersons



YOUTH SERVICES CALENDAR

- Posted in Youth Services Section on 7690 website
- 2024-2025 Monthly Youth Service Meetings (2nd Tuesday of each month, 4:00 – 5:00 pm)
 - December 10, 2024, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - January 14, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - February 11, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - March 11, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - April 8, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - May 13, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
 - June 10, 2025, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
- District 7690 Peace Conference – Monday, January 20, 2025
- District 7690 Four-Way Test – February 22, 2025
- District 7690 Interact Club Conference – March – May 2025
- RYLA - Thursday, June 12 – Sunday, June 15, 2025, @ Oak Ridge Military Academy, Oak Ridge, NC





SUMMARY



- Work with Interact Club to prepare goals for 2024-2025
- RYLA Club Sponsorship Pledge Form is due November 30th
- Begin identifying your District 7690 Jim Armstrong Four-Way Test candidates
- Determine your Interact Club's Interest in Participating in a District-wide Conference and Potential Dates in March – May 2025