

DERBY-SHELTON ROTARY THE SPOKESMAN

August 3rd, 2017



**DONNA VIOLANTE
SPEAKS ABOUT
LITERACY, SEE
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TAKE ACTION: www.derby-sheltonrotary.org
www.rotarydistrict7980.org
www.rotary.org

Club Meeting Information

Weekly: Every Thursday, at 12:15

Place: Brownson Country Club

15 Soundview Ave

Shelton, CT, 06484

DUES ARE DUE!

Dues are due NOW! Invoices for dues were sent out and there are several members who have not paid yet. To verify your payment was received, please see our Treasurer, Judy Gulish. If you have not paid your dues yet, please bring full payment to the meeting on Thursday, August 3rd. Please see Doug LaMonte about updating your membership information if you are unable to get on to the District website.



**NEXT BOARD MEETING IS
ON THURSDAY, AUGUST
24TH!**

2017-2018 Team

- President: Silvia Rodriguez
- Past President: Arlene Greco
- President Elect: Jennifer Champagne
- Vice President: Tom Wilson
- Treasurer: Judy Gulish
- Secretary: Doug Lamonte
- Membership: Shawna Vallillo
Shaye Roscoe
- Youth Services: Chris Clouet
- Vocational Services: Mary Ellen
Samatlulski
- Foundation: Ernie Luise
- International Service: Drew Scott
- Engagement: Lisa Bisson
- Community Service: Kim Caro
- Club Service: Al Patuzzi
- Sargent at Arms: John Zseller

Schedule of MEETINGS and EVENTS

DATE	SPEAKER	LOCATION	TOPIC
8/10/17	Shaye Roscoe	Brownson	Boys and Girls Club
8/17/17	Trish Pearson	Brownson	Rotary District Governor
8/24/17	TBA	TBA	TBA



**RUNWAY FOR MEALS INTERGENERATIONAL
FASHION SHOW & LUNCHEON**
To Benefit TEAM Meals on Wheels

August 26, 2017
Assumption Church Hall
51 North Cliff Street
Ansonia, CT
11:00a.m. to 2:00p.m.

Donation
\$30.00 Adults \$10.00 Children 10 and under

Models will sport fashions provided by:
Dress Barn/Dress Barn Woman, Justice,
Seccombe's Men Shop and JoS A. Banks

Purchase tickets online at www.teaminc.org
or call 203.736.5420 X202
To support the event as a Sponsor call 203.736-5420 ext. 234



BUSINESS BULLETIN BOARD



**HAVE SOMETHING TO ADD?
EMAIL LISA BISSON
(LBISSON@UMH.ORG) TO
INCLUDE IT IN THE NEXT
ISSUE!**



Elderly Services

Celebrate Our New Location



Please Join Us
Tuesday, September 5th
10:00am

54 Grove St.
Shelton, CT 06484
(203) 538-5886 Ext. 4225 & 4226

Light Refreshments Will Be Served



MARKS of DESIGN

Now open in the **BIG Y
SHOPPING PLAZA** on Bridgeport
Ave! Visit Kate in her new
location at 389 Bridgeport
Ave, Shelton, CT. A **GRAND
RE-OPENING** is scheduled
for August 24th, with more
details to follow.

Save the Date!



1. Shelton Day is on October 1st this year.
 2. Hoptoberfest is September 9th.
 3. Port Jefferson Ferry Boat Trip is September 17th.
- *See AI for Details*

NEW MEMBER

JoAnn Solemene has submitted her application for membership. The board has approved her membership pending any opposition from the club. Please contact Shaye Roscoe or Shawna Vallillo.

Make Up Meetings

Town	Day	Place	Time
Fairfield	Monday	Gaelic-American Club	12:15pm
Ansonia	Tuesday	Crave	12:15pm
Stratford	Tuesday	Oronoque Country Club	12:15pm
Devon	Wednesday	Bridge House Restaurant	7:45am
Naugatuck	Wednesday	Santo's Restaurant	12:10pm
Bridgeport	Tuesday	Holiday Inn	12:15pm
Milford	Thursday	Gusto Trattoria	12:15pm
Seymour/Oxford*	Thursday	Route 67 Diner. Klarides Plz.	7:15am
Trumbull	Friday	Trumbull Public Library	7:30am
Beacon Falls	Monday	New Harvest	6:30pm

*1st and 3rd Thursday of the Month

HOPTOBERFEST IS UPON US!

On a Wing and a Beer

Hoptoberfest

Craft Beer & Wings Festival

Presented by the
Rotary
Club of Derby-Shelton

Saturday, Sept. 9th, 1-5
Rotary Pavilion at the Shelton Riverwalk
Severe Weather Date Sunday, September 10th

LIVE MUSIC

OVER 80 CRAFT BEERS

Craft Beer & Wings Festival

DEW DROP INN
DERBY, CT
Gold Tap Sponsor

ALLEGRA
Print & Design By
Allegra Shelton

Tickets \$30 Before Sept. 2nd
(\$40 at the door)

Buy Tickets Online at
<https://www.facebook.com/SheltonHoptoberfest>

MUST be 21 or over to enter

CHECK OUT OUR HOMEBREW TENT!

Hoptoberfest is September 9th at the Riverwalk from 1 to 5 and we need volunteers for set up, clean up, front gate, water sales, and vendor assistance. Signs up will be at the upcoming meetings. Tickets are \$30 in advance and will be available at meetings or if you contact Tom.

If you know of any restaurants interested in participating in Hoptoberfest, please talk to Tom Wilson. We still have opportunities available for sponsors, please talk to Tom if your company, or one of your colleagues would be interested in a sponsorship at the event. *Planning meeting on Wednesday at 7 pm at the Dew Drop Inn in Derby – all are welcome to attend!*

Donna Violante: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
LITERACY VOLUNTEERS OF GREATER NEW
HAVEN

Donna Violante and Kathi Hunt, program manager, attended our meeting last week to share information of the mission and goals of the Literacy Volunteers.

Donna explained that LVA is striving for 100% literacy. This would enable adults to apply for and maintain employment; and for parents to be able to support their families and help their children succeed at school.

Donna also outlined some ways our rotary members could support LVA, including **tutoring, serving on their board, volunteering time** to help with administrative and marketing functions, and **fundraising/donations**.

For more information about LVA locally – contact Kathi Hunt at 203-736-5420 ext 267 or via email Kathihunt@lvagnh.org.

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