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We welcome you to Morristown

Where freedom's wars were fought.

We welcome you to Morristown

Where liberty was wrought.

Come join our age old comradeship,

Break bread with us today.

In real Rotarian fellowship

Our greetings we convey.

THE 4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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THE RAMBLER

May 16, 2007

Cultural Scholar Goes The Extra Mile In Dubai

By Dan Nixon
Rotary International News

Anna Jozwik's Cultural Ambassadorial Scholarship to the United Arab Emirates opened her eyes to the diversity of a region sometimes simplistically portrayed in the United States.

"The reason I applied for the scholarship to study Arabic was because of the events of 9/11," says Jozwik, the first Rotary Foundation Scholar to study in the United Arab Emirates. "The portrayal of the Arab world was very negative at the time. I learned there is a lot of diversity in the region."

Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Evanston Lighthouse, Illinois, USA, Jozwik studied at the Berlitz Language School in Dubai for six months in late 2006 and early 2007. She was particularly struck by the hospitality and generosity of the people she met.

"They aren't judgmental, they're very tolerant," says Jozwik, a graduate of Northwestern University in political science. "People were curious as to what brought an American to their part of the world, to their homes. They were very welcoming." At meetings of the Rotary Club of Dubai, Jozwik gave updates about her involvement in the community. As part of a club project, she ran in the Dubai Marathon, raising US\$1,000 to help the family of an Iraqi boy, Zaid, who has leukemia.

"There were issues with the paperwork needed to continue his treatment," Jozwik says. "Also, the family was running low on basic necessities. I wanted to make



Anna Jozwik (left) and Dubai Rotarian Shaista Ali visit with Zaid.

sure they had some money to keep them going until they got the funding for his treatment."

She also volunteered at the Special Olympics for the Middle East and North Africa and took part in Dubai's Breast Cancer Walkathon.

On her return to the United States, Jozwik spoke about her scholarship experience to the Evanston Lighthouse Rotary club. A few members shared with her their experiences working in Saudi Arabia and other parts of the Middle East. One voiced an interest in collaborating with the Dubai club on Rotary projects in Afghanistan.

Jozwik, who emigrated with her mother from Poland to the United States at age 11, has made a habit of serving others wherever her studies have taken her. While a 2005-06 Fulbright Scholar, she interned at the Constitutional Tribunal of Poland, interviewing people from Russia and parts of

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Police Unity Tour Photos

Some photos from last week's Rotary Breakfast meeting at the Police Unity Tour Send-Off



Send Meeting
Make-Ups to:

John Kuschke
26 Lynnfield Dr.
Morristown, NJ
07960

Recruitment!

A Cocktail Reception will be held again at Spring Brook Country Club for potential Rotary members on Wednesday, May 23rd, between 6 and 8 PM. If you bring a proposed new member, you and the proposed new Rotarian will attend free. If you attend without a proposed new member, the fee is \$35. Be thinking about which of your friends or relatives would make a good Rotarian and email their name and contact telephone number (as well as your own name so you get credit!) to: greppen@jhnetwork.com.

Printed invitations are also available for you to hand out to prospective members, please see Gary Reppen for these invitations. Please still be sure to email Gary so we have an accurate headcount. ☺

Quote of the Week

No matter what looms ahead, if you can eat today, enjoy the sunlight today, mix good cheer with friends today, enjoy it and bless God for it. Do not look back on happiness -- or dream of it in the future. You are only sure of today; do not let yourself be cheated out of it."

Author Unknown

District Directory Yellow Pages

Each year District 7470 prints a directory of our District leaders and Club leaders. This is given to all Clubs in our District for every Rotarian. In the center of the directory we have a section of yellow pages in which Rotarians can advertise their businesses. This is done to help to offset the cost of printing the directory. For more information, or to submit an advertisement, please download the submission form off the our Club website www.morristownrotary.org. ☺



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Asia and Africa seeking refugee status in that country. She also organized a workshop on refugee law for those who spoke English.

Helping people, in fact, is something Jozwik would like to do for a living. She sees her career directly building on what she has learned in the United Arab Emirates, Poland, and other parts of the world.

"I'm thinking of going to law school and doing something with international law, perhaps in human rights," she says.

For now, though, Jozwik is focused on moving from an intermediate-level grasp of Arabic to mastering the language, possibly through continued study in Syria. "My passions are languages and travel. I want to find a career where I can really use them." ☺

Relay For Life District Assembly

Submitted by Scott Marum

The annual Relay For Life to benefit The American Cancer Society will be held Friday, May 18, 2007 starting at 6:00 pm at the Morristown High School field (Atno Ave.).

Please help out by making a donation and/or join our Team Rotary and help us support the cause! We all have an interest in helping out, as nearly every American knows at least one person affected by this terrible condition. I hope as many Rotarians as possible can attend this very moving event, or at the very least donate to this worthy cause.

WAYS TO DONATE:

1. You can buy a Company Track Sign for the event at \$100-\$150/each
2. You can buy luminaria memorial to be displayed at event for \$10/each
3. You can make a donation, provide a check to Scott Marum or donate through the Team Rotary website at: <http://tinyurl.com/38wztz>

Scott Marum will also have forms at our weekly Rotary meetings.

All former Team members from last year and any new potential Team members please also go to the Team Rotary website and register as a member for this year!

Thank you! For further information write or call, Scott Marum @ 973-631-7985 -or-sm.esq@verizon.net

This year's District Assembly will be May 22nd, at Mayfair Farms in West Orange. Registration begins at 3:00pm and the price is \$40 per person.

This is a fantastic opportunity to learn more about Rotary in both a Local and International light. Dinner is included with the registration fee, and the evening will conclude with the evening's keynote speaker, Mike McGovern, RI Director 2006-2008.

All incoming Officers and Directors should plan to attend the Assembly. If you are new Club member (those in their first 2 years of Rotary) you are encouraged to attend this educational event. The Board has passed a motion to cover the registration fee of any Morristown Rotarian that wishes to attend, Please contact Dolores Bagish ASAP if you are interested in attending this event.

Annual Spring Barrel Planting

The annual Spring Barrel Planting is upcoming Wednesday, May 16 at 6 pm. As in previous years we will meet at the Morristown Municipal Building and finish at The Dublin Pub. The Barrel Planting is also a great opportunity to get family and friends involved in Rotary! Feel free to invite spouses, children, and friends to come out and join us in beautifying Morristown. Also, if you have extra gardening tools (trowels, spading forks, water cans, etc) please bring them along. It is always better to have too many, than not enough!

Help Fill These Pages!!

Please send stories, news, jokes, photographs, and gossip for *The Rambler* to: P.J. Thurkauf at turk11042@hotmail.com or 973.538.2040 (fax)

Calendar of Events

May 16	Barrel Planting - Details to come!	June 9	Dinner Group
May 22	District Assembly-Officers and Directors should plan to attend. 3-7pm; Details Page 3	June 13	Installation Dinner at Spring Brook Country Club - No regular Meetings.
May 23	Recruitment Reception at SBCC 6:00pm	Aug 18	Morristown Rotary Picnic - Jockey Hollow Girl Scout Camp - Details to Come!

UPCOMING LUNCH PROGRAMS

At the Spring Brook Country Club, Morris Township.

This Week:

Wendy Taffet - Enjou Chocolates

UPCOMING BREAKFAST PROGRAMS

At the Morris Center YMCA, Cedar Knolls

This Week:

Morris County K-9 Demonstration



Contributions to the Endowment Fund should be addressed to:

Morristown Rotary Endowment Fund
c/o Jonathan Taylor
2 Tulip Lane
Randolph, NJ 07869

Thanks to the club officers for their continued management of this fund. Balance as of 12/31/2006 is \$134,600