



# 2024 DISTRICT CONFERENCE

## Celebrate ROTARY

Visit the District website ([Rotarydistrict7545.org](http://Rotarydistrict7545.org))  
for more details under the "Our district" tab



### Register now on DACdb

for registration assistance contact:  
Registrar Carol McCarthy at [designsbycarol@gmail.com](mailto:designsbycarol@gmail.com)

### Our agenda:

Friday, May 31st

Morning: Golf, Lakeview Golf Resort

Afternoon: Food Packing, Mon County Center

2:00 Registration opens (Marriott\*)

6:30 Buffet dinner and Celebration event

- \* Silent auction and Ring toss to benefit the Rotary Foundation

- \* Entertainment by Dueling Pianos

Saturday, June 1st (Marriott)

7:30 Registration open

8:30 House of Friendship open

\* Main conference site: Morgantown Marriott at Waterfront Place, Two Waterfront Place, Morgantown

8:30 General sessions

- \* Opening Ceremony
- \* Rotarians Lead presentation
- \* Why Grow Rotary presentation
- \* Youth Program update
- \* Rotary Trivia game
- \* Lunch
- \* WV's Mental Health Challenge
- \* Our Foundation

3:00 District Business meeting

3:30 Scotch Tasting (advance registration)

5:30 Foundation reception (by invitation)

6:00 General social

6:30 Dinner

7:15 Creating Hope in the World keynote

8:00 District awards and installation





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Dr. Catherine Bailey



Bernie Riedel

## Our Special Guests

### **Dr. Catherine Bailey**

Clinical Vice President, Appalachian Life Counseling Center

### **Moh Eid**

Rotary International Peace Center Program Officer

### **Chris Jones**

2016-19 Zone 33 Rotary Coordinator

### **Colleen Jones**

District 7545 "Whiskey Specialist"

### **Laurie Menzel**

Major Gifts Officer, Rotary International

### **Bernie Riedel**

2024-27 Zone 33 Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator

### **Chris Stevenson**

Vice Chair, Mid-Atlantic RLI

## Video Appearances by:

### **RIP Gordon McNally**

2023-24 Rotary International President

### **RID Jeremy Hurst**

2022-24 Zone 33/34 Director

## What you can do:

1. Form a club foursome and compete for the district golf tournament (*contact Hayden Mason: Hayden.mason@edwardjones.com*).
2. Contribute a silent auction item or a bottle of your favorite long neck alcoholic beverage to benefit The Rotary Foundation (*contact Michael Miller: mmiller0518@gmail.com*).
3. Bone up on your Rotary trivia to compete during our Rotary Trivia game (*no mobile devices allowed during the competition*).
4. Recruit partner organizations to help us pack meals for West Virginians suffering from food insecurity (*contact Jane Stout: jane.bg.stout@gmail.com*).
5. Sign up for "A Whiskey Lovers Jaunt through Scotland" and join our Scotch tasting event (*limited space available - sign up when you register for the conference*).
6. Reserve your room at the Morgantown Marriott Waterfront Place when you register or call 304-581-2897 (*ask for the Rotary District Conference rate*).
7. Come celebrate with us to the entertainment of Dueling Pianos at Friday night's Celebration event.
8. Become a Conference sponsor (*see the "Our District" tab on the District website*) or sponsor a Rotarian from your club to attend.

# Most importantly: REGISTER NOW!