



BRIDGETON ROTARY LUNCH CLUB

15 Seville Drive, Bridgeton, New Jersey, 08302

President Anna Shimp	President-Elect Steven Linn	Vice President Denise Higbee	Secretary Carolyn Heckman	Treasurer Anthony Buono
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Fri., Feb. 24, 2012 - 6:00 PM - **Gia's in Bridgeton**

Dear Business and Community Leader:

The Bridgeton Rotary Club will celebrate International Night, an evening featuring international foods, entertainment and fellowship recognizing the worldwide nature of Rotary, on Friday, February 24, 2012, 6:00 - 9:30 PM at Gia's Hall in Bridgeton. This event and a special Rotary Club Newspaper Supplement that will be published in the News of Cumberland County on March 15, 2012, is the Bridgeton Rotary Club's Major Fundraising effort for 2012. The net proceeds of the newspaper supplement and this special event will benefit several Bridgeton Rotary Club charities including Bridgeton and Cumberland Regional High School Scholarships, Cohanzick Zoo, Save the Bridgeton Library, Bridgeton High School Stadium Restoration, Hug-A-Bear Foundation, St. Vincent DePaul Society (at St. Teresa's Church), Haven Ministries (at St. Andrew's Church), First Wesleyan Church Food Ministry, Salvation Army Food Ministry, Christ Evangelical Food Ministry and Bethany Seventh Day Adventist Church Food Ministry.

The International Celebration will be an evening of delicious home-made international food, entertainment and fun and a time for recognition of the Rotary Club and its members' dedication to community service. Tickets are \$30 each and you can reserve a table of eight. Bring your family and friends. In addition to supporting these projects, **you also receive an outstanding advertising value.** The tabloid size supplement will **reach nearly 8,000 households** in the greater Bridgeton area and be available at many local businesses.

The commemorative supplement will feature information about the targeted charities and stories on various programs and agencies that the Bridgeton Rotary Club has supported through the years. Bridgeton Rotary Club has been an integral part of the community by sponsoring annual scholarships at Bridgeton and Cumberland Regional High Schools, the Aviary and Petting Zoo at the Cohanzick Zoo, Dictionaries for third graders, Bay Atlantic Symphony, Career Outlook at local schools, Local Food Kitchens, Salvation Army, youth recreation leagues, Ronald McDonald House to name a few. Please consider having your business ad in this year's special newspaper supplement and/or attending the International Celebration on February 24.

Please review and complete the enclosed donation form located on the reverse side or page 2 of this document. Please note the deadlines for ordering sponsorships and ads - February 17, 2012 - and for making payments - Feb. 28, 2012. In order to provide you with a "qualified charitable tax deduction" **please make checks payable to "Bridgeton Rotary Club Foundation."** Checks so written will be deposited with the Foundation. See information in this regard at the bottom of this letter. We look forward to your support for our International Celebration and our continued mission of service to the community.

Sincerely,

Anna Shimp
President

Tony Stanzone
Fundraising Director

Roy Spoltore
Fundraising Co-Chairman

Gil Walter
Fundraising Co-Chairman

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Bridgeton Rotary Club Foundation, Inc. has applied for 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, charitable organization status. Federal Tax ID is 61-1657528. IRS Not-for-Profit determination is pending. Though IRS determination is pending, your contribution may still be tax deductible to the extent permitted by law.

