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DR. JOSEPH SKELLY

Dr. Joseph Morrison Skelly is Assistant Professor of History and Director of the Honors Program at the College of Mount Saint Vincent in New York City. He received his M.A. and Ph.D. from University College Dublin, where he specialized in international diplomatic history, and he is a Visiting Professor in Trinity College Dublin's Graduate Program in International Studies.

Dr. Skelly was an International Rotary Foundation Graduate Scholar at Queen's University Belfast, in Northern Ireland. He is an editorial advisor to Robert McCartney, QC, the leader of the United Kingdom/Unionist Party and a Member of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Dr. Skelly is the author of several books, including *Irish Diplomacy at the United Nations, 1945-65*, the volume *Irish Foreign Policy, 1919-66* and *Ideas Matter: Essays in Honor of Conor Cruise O'Brien*. He has written on Irish and international terrorism for the *Washington Times*, *Belfast Telegraph* and *United Press International* and is currently working on a book entitled *On Democracy and Terrorism*. The title of his speech is "On Democracy and Terrorism," will assert the moral obligation of democracies to defeat international terrorism.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



November 12th
Dr. Joseph Skelly
College of
Mount Saint Vincent

November 19th
**ELECTION
DAY**
Dr. Robin Blackburn
New School University

November 26th
Foundation Day

December 3rd
Turkey Day

December 10th
Lionel Barber
Financial Times

December 17th
Holiday Party

December 24th
Fellowship Day

December 31st
NO MEETING

Reporter of the Week

Tuesday, November 6, 2002

President Silvio Amori opened the meeting with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," led by Scarlet Pildes and Louis Dipaolo, along with David Dingle on the piano. Ann Creo introduced four visiting Rotarians from four countries and four visiting Rotarians from four states.

President Silvio Amori then invited visiting Rotarian Allen Sellers to the microphone to make an announcement and also invited club members to Panama for the Presidential Conference to be held in March 2003.

Rudiger Beutell introduced the speaker, Jonathan F.P. Rose, President of Jonathan Rose & Companies LLC, a community and land use planning and development firm.

Mr. Rose, presented a slide show, and spoke about the importance and benefits of environmentally planned land use and the creation of vibrant, diverse cultural centers, with a balance of jobs, housing, open land and transportation. He also mentioned negative aspects of present land use in the U.S. He underlined the fact that the commerce and entrepreneurship are at the center of American culture and suggested that urban planning to bring retail, work and housing closer together would create more space and time, provide energy saving solutions, and create a better social life.

Rotarian- Atila Macun

INTRODUCTION OF YOUR ROTARY GUEST

We would love to start introducing the guests that you may bring to the Rotary luncheons. In order to accomplish this please provide the person at the registration desk, who is assigned to the introduction of visiting Rotarians, with the name of your guest. We believe that this will give your guest more exposure during the luncheon and more recognition to the members that are bringing guests to the luncheons.

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

The next meeting of the International Service Division of the RCNY will be Wednesday, November 20th, at the German Permanent Mission to the UN, at the top floor restaurant on First Avenue (between 48th and 49th Streets), from 8:30 to 9:45 A.M. This month's topic will be "**The Worldwide Flows of Narcotic Drugs.**" Our guest speakers are: Vincent McLean and Lucie Hvbkova, UN Office of Drugs and Crime, New York (HQ is in Vienna).

The registration is at 8:30, and the meeting will start at 8:45 AM. Kindly let us know if you or your staff desire to attend our breakfast by sending an e-mail to the Rotary Club of New York at "ny.rotary@verizon.net," copy to Ms. Allison Alessi, International Events Coordinator at "aealessi@aol.com," or send a fax to (212) 633-1954. The cost of the breakfast is \$15, payable directly to the Maitre d'.

Sincerely,

Sylvan M. Barnet, Jr.
Rotary International
Alt. Representative to the UN

Giorgio H. Balestrieri
Director and Board Liaison
International Service Division

Happy Birthday Fellow Rotarians

Camilo Uy- November 15th



***ELECTION DATE FOR THE
NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR
THE BOARD 2003-2004 WILL BE
ON NOVEMBER 19TH. IF YOU HAVE
NOT SENT IN YOUR BALLOT,
PLEASE DO SO ASAP.***

MEMBERS COLUMN

"CALLING ALL FUTURE LEADERS:

"For all Rotarians who are drawn to Club leadership, for all those seeking to understand R.I. and its many programs and international grants, you should be aware of the Rotary Leadership Institute ("RLI"). The RLI is held throughout the year in locations around the globe, but it was initiated by Rotarians in our local RI zone. So there are plenty of opportunities to link up with an Institute session locally. The cost is \$85 for one day's long training, and you will come out of the sessions with a new awareness of all that Rotary can be and all that we, as Rotarians, can look to accomplish. President-elect Greg Lynch recently attended his second session of the RLI in Lebanon, NH. The topics at that session included: "Vocational Service, The Lost Avenue;" Leadership and the effective use of committees;" "How to attract Qualified Members;" and "Setting and Achieving Goals." If any members are interested in knowing more, please contact Greg at 212-629-0629 or GLynch@nyc.rr.com."



The Rotary Club of New York promoted its cause during last Friday's Crain's Business Expo. We thank David Del Monte, Lillian Coury, Tim O'Brien, Jim Thompson, Allison Alessi and Volker Detering for efficiently representing our Club at that event.

MEMBERSHIP PROPOSALS

The Board of Directors has approved the following applicants. Any written objections must be received at the Club office by November 12, 2002.

Massimiliano Mattei Director of Marketing
Company: Sportline Srl.
Suggested Classification: Textiles/Outerwear
Sponsors: Giorgio Balestrieri
Silvio Amori

Maria Angulo Financial Officer
Company: United Nations
Suggested Classification: U.N. Finance/Humanitarian Affairs
Sponsors: Giorgio Balestrieri
Silvio Amori