

# Rotary Club of Lake Placid

## *Come Celebrate our 20th Year of Dam Duck Races*

The **Rotary Club of Lake Placid** supports many projects in our community. We raise money via various events. Our Trivia Nights are well-attended and support literacy programs in the community. We have created a Foundation that has helped several programs, including the Community Ski Program, The Wood's Program, and First Steps. These programs enable local children to learn to cross-country ski, to camp in the wilderness and provide infant day-care. We sponsor an Interact Club, a youth Rotary Program, at the high school. Our International Committee has sent money all over the world. We even do roadside clean-up along Route 73. Your donations help to make all of this possible, and we thank you.



### **Our rubber ducks are chomping at the bit to get back in the race; we hope you are too!**

Our biggest fundraiser is the Dam Duck Race. Over the prior 19 years, this event has raised over \$215,000, which went right back into our community. We have added bike racks and purchased and installed playground equipment in many of the parks around town. We have built and installed three bus shelters. We've sent local students to Rotary's Youth Leadership Program and the United Nations. We support the Ecumenical Food Pantry, the High School Robotics team, the Lake Placid North Elba Show Grounds, Northern Lights Choir, and many other needed endeavours.

**Every dollar Rotary raises is sent back to the community.** Dues paid by members cover administrative costs.

**The 20<sup>th</sup> annual "Dam Duck Race" will take place on the Mill Pond behind Lisa G's on September 13, 2025.** This family event will feature an *All-you-can-eat dinner* prepared by Lisa G's Restaurant beginning at 5 pm. The race of all races (eat your heart out, Kentucky Derby) will start promptly at 6:15 pm.

Duck tickets are available from Lake Placid Rotary members, Gordon W Pratt Agency, Terry Robards and Lisa G's. The first duck caught crossing the finish line wins the **grand prize of \$1,500.**

**Would you consider being a sponsor of the Dam Duck Race this year? We hope you will complete the attached form and help us help our community.**

Or email us: [LakePlacidRotaryduckrace@gmail.com](mailto:LakePlacidRotaryduckrace@gmail.com)



Thank you for supporting us in the past, present, and future!



Lee Slocum and CJ Dates, Co-Chairs 2025 Dam Duck Race  
Rotary Club of Lake Placid

P.S. We Hope We Can Count On Your Support!