

#### **Club Meeting**

Meets at The Old Bag of Nails Pub Nams Pub 24 N. State St. 3rd Fl. Westerville, OH 43081 Time: Wednesday at

#### **Speakers**

February 17, 2021 Paul Cory - Red Cross On-line Only

February 24, 2021 Jason Bechtold -Economic Development <u>Director for the City of Westerville</u> On-line Only

March 03, 2021 Making a Difference #3 - VOICEcorps Reading Service On-line Only

#### **Birthdays**

Wade Bryant Hicks Jr. February 18th Craig H. Watterson February 19th Eugene L. Hollins February 21st Gregory Ruban February 24th Robert P. Freed February 25th Mark Morgan February 26th Allan L. Forsythe March 5th Paul F. Kulik Ruth I. Stenberg March 7th Thomas F. Schmitt March 12th Jason Parrish March 14th Patrick C. Kemmer March 17th

#### Years of Service

Patrick Knott 03-14-2001 20 Years

Jeffrey A. Daniels 02-26-2003 18 Years Michael K. Fultz 03-09-2005 16 Years Patrick C. Kemmer 03-09-2005 16 Years Richard James Mannino 03-16-2005 Paul E. Kulik 02-18-2009 Trey McBane 03-10-2010 11 Years Diane Jean Conley

03-10-2010 11 Years Julie Ann Colley 02-29-2012 9 Years Ron Pusateri

# Stay Warm - Stay Informed

Meet from the comfort of your home. Join us on the small Zoom screen this Wednesday morning, Feb 17th, starting at 7:15 AM.

#### Join zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8 Meeting ID: 882 4556 1061 om.us/j/88245561061?pwd=aFdBczRGVE1yVng5dVNMMTJBOG0zdz09



Passcode: 723850

# Your Help Needed for the Virtual Chilly Open February 20

By Lawrence C. Jenkins



- 1. Be a Sponsor 🔷 We are still running the option for \$200 of a sponsorship of \$500 or more to go toward your annual Rotary Foundation Giving so a true Win-Win (Rotarian Sponsor Form Attached)
- Attached)

  2. Recruit a sponsor All for a good cause and with a virtual event we will be able to give recognition up close and personal (Regular Sponsor Form Attached)

  3. Secure Items for the Silent Auction of our auction will obviously run online and will be open for several days. This will drive additional exposure for our event and our sponsors and is the single best way to raise funds that directly benefit the effort. There is no such thing as a bad auction item. It can either be sold alone or grouped into a basket of items to increase its value. Items can be dropped off at Dennis Blair of so office and if you have any questions about the auction, please reach out to the auction committee (Jim Davis, Linda Bokros & Julie Colley)

  4. Donate a Bottle (unopened) for the Raffle our raffle will be run through the online auction platform and the effort will be to other or all only one or alcohol can be grouped into a big value package. If we get enough bottles there may be more than one option from General Stock the Bar to a Bourbon Collectors package. Again drop items at Dennis
- Blair & office (I promise he will not drink it)

  5. Sell Enhanced Ticket Packages & we are creating a special package to help people feel engaged with the virtual program and that will bring a little extra value. Cost will be \$25 per package and these will be delivered (with your help) to people & doorsteps the day before the event.

#### Sunrise Rotary Saturday Walks @ 10:30 AM



Let's get out to our local parks and walk a couple miles to kick off these winter weekends! Join fellow Rotarians, friends and family for a brisk winter walk in a local Westerville park. Weather permitting (basically, only ice or temperatures below 25 degrees will cancel the walk). Walks begin at 10:30am and will last for approximately 45 minutes. Use Sign-up Genius to register to participate during the final planned walk: February 27 - Hanby Park

Sign-up here to participate

#### Making a Difference

Local Matters is our Making a Difference charity for January/February. Local Matters is working to improve the health of our communities by increasing access to healthy foods, and providing education to at-risk families about how to prepare those foods in a way that is healthy and affordable. The items on our Amazon wishlist will be provided to our participants in our virtual education programs -- including groups of patients/families from Nationwide Children's Hospital, Columbus Urban League, and I am My Brother's Keeper -- to help them prepare healthy meals at home. We have a long history providing food education in our community and we know that one of the biggest barriers to low-income families cooking at home is not having the basic kitchen equipment to do it efficiently and safely.

Thanks to all who have purchased items on the Amazon wishlist. It's not too late if you'd like to participate. The link is

The link is https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/122S7KMF0YVQU?ref =wl share

#### **Rotary Master Class**

# **District 6690 Rotary Master Class Series**

February 16, 2021 5:00 pm - 6:15 pm Attracting a Diverse Membership





# Join us for the next **Master Class!**

Michelle Wilson, Athens Sunrise, is the current President and a founding member of the LGBTQ Rotary International Fellowship.

She will share ideas on how to attract a more diverse membership.

In addition, she'll share what the **Fellowship Group does and how** we can welcome LGBT+ Rotarians in our communities.

#### **TESTIMONIAL FROM PREVIOUS MASTER CLASS:**

Very different discussion than what would normally be experienced in a Rotary setting - loved the personal/professional development angle.

Travel Virtually with R.I.

By Diane Jean Conley

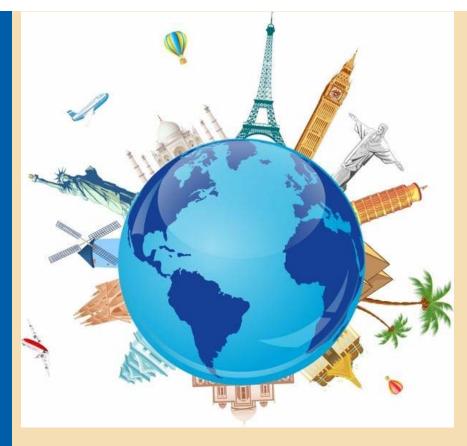
Yearning to connect with friends in foreign lands again? You can do it today. Attend online Rotary, Rotaract and Interact meetings that are happening around the world every day. View the list of online meetings here: https://bit.ly/OnlineRotaryMeetingsDatabase

Mark A. Massen 03-01-2017 David A Lilley 03-01-2017 4 Years Arturo Sanabria 03-01-2017 4 Years John Logue 03-01-2017 4 Years Helka Christine Casey 03-01-2017 James T. Caldwell 02-28-2018 Kenneth L. Wright 02-28-2018 3 Years Theresa Petraszak 02-27-2019 2 Years Michael Murray 02-27-2019 2 Years Charles E Durant Jr. 02-27-2019

Frank Mayer II 02-27-2019

02-27-2013

John R. Kellogg 02-26-2014



### Thank you upcoming Invocators

Due to increased on-site COVID safety precautions and ongoing hybrid meetings, the role of Greeter will be filled by Board Members.

Date	Greeters	Invocation & Pledge
17-Feb-21	Blair, Dennis A.	Kemmer, Patrick C.
24-Feb-21	Herron, Michael	Kinney, Lyn
3-Mar-21		Lightbody, Mary
10-Mar-21		Diaz, Kenny
17-Mar-21		Seeley, Jason
24-Mar-21		Linch, Heather
31-Mar-21		Logue, John



## **Please Suggest Guest Speakers**



Enlighten your fellow Rotarians. Suggest a speaker to brighten our day! No reasonable suggestion refused. But your guest must be willing to Zoom at 7:15 AM. Email John at <a href="mailto:kelloggj@wcsoh.org">kelloggj@wcsoh.org</a> or Theresa at <a href="mailto:theresajpetraszak@yahoo.com">theresajpetraszak@yahoo.com</a>

## **New! Virtual Meetings - Call for Info**

# Westerville Sunrise Rotary Club

# **Meeting Location**

Every Wednesday @ 7:00 am

The Old Bag of Nails Pub Third Floor 24 North State Street Westerville, OH 43081

PO Box 1200 Westerville, OH 43086

Westerville Sunrise Hotline 614-523-7777



Club Leaders

Thomas Strasburg
President





John R. Kellogg President-Nominee



Michael Herron Secretary



Gregory Ruban Treasurer



Theresa Petraszak Secretary-Elect



Mark Morgan iPast President



Dennis A. Blair Club Director



Helka Christine Casey Club Director



James G. Flaherty Club Director



Allen Jefferson Fox Club Director



Lynn L Miller Club Director



Kenneth L. Wright Club Director



David A. Collinsworth Sergeant-at-Arms



Lawrence C. Jenkins Club TRF Chair



Thomas J. Kleven Asst Governor