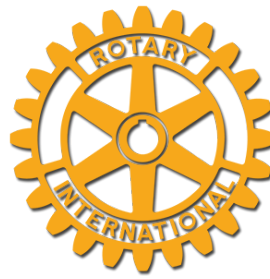


# Rotary Club of Portsmouth



Tuesday, November 2, 2021

## Club Meeting

Portsmouth  
Meets at Shawnee  
State University,  
University Center,  
Sodexo Ballroom,  
2nd Floor  
940 Second Street  
Portsmouth,  
Time: Monday at  
11:45 AM

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## SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!** We have committed to serving our community at Winterfest and ringing the bell for the Salvation Army. Come yourself or feel free to bring family and friends with you!

Sign up using the following links:

[Winterfest: Thursday, December 2, 6-9 p.m. \(One, three-hour shift\)](#)

[Salvation Army Bell-Ringing: Saturday, December 11, 11-7 \(One hour shifts; if you can do more that would be GREAT!\)](#)

Questions? Contact President [Dan Simco](#)



**SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES**



## 2021-2022 PORTSMOUTH ROTARY INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

Meet *Chidinma Nosiri*, 2021-2022 recipient of the Portsmouth Rotary international student scholarship!

Chidinma is a junior at Shawnee State University majoring in Nursing, and originally from Nigeria.

Chidinma will be invited to a future Rotary meeting to talk about her home and pathway to SSU.

Each year, Rotary donates \$1,000 to SSU to be awarded to a Shawnee State international student.



**November 15, 2021**

Peggy Rice & Cynthia Holstein

Hisle Park  
Apartments Project

**November 22, 2021**

Bryan Davis  
Scioto County  
Commissioner

**November 29, 2021**

Cary Campbell  
USCG Auxiliant  
Commander,  
Gallipolis Flotilla

## UPCOMING GUEST SPEAKER

**JENNY LAVENDER**  
Manager/Guild Coordinator  
Volunteer Services  
Southern Ohio Medical Center



## Club Leaders



Daniel Simco  
President



Nancy Goplerud  
President-Elect



Timothy Horner  
Secretary  
Treasurer



Steven Rader  
iPast  
President  
Club Peace  
Committee  
Chair



Teresa (Tess) Midkiff  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Linda Woods-Jones  
Club Grant  
Coordinator

## Join the 125 Club!

*Join fellow Rotarians Fred Gohmann, Linda Woods-Jones and Kelli Richardson in the 125 Club!*

District 6690's 125 Club recognizes Rotarians who contribute at least \$100 to the Rotary Foundation's Annual Fund and \$25 to Polio Plus for the 2021-2022 Rotary Year.

WANT TO GET INVOLVED? It's only 5 easy steps!

1. Log in to [rotary.org](http://rotary.org).
2. Contribute at least \$100 to the Rotary Foundation's Annual Fund.
3. Contribute at least \$25 to PolioPlus
4. Notify *President Dan* that you have completed steps 2 and 3.
5. When you receive your District 6690 125 Club lapel pin, Wear it Proudly!
6. Encourage fellow Rotarians to join the 125 Club! Last year, over 800 Rotarians in District 6690 joined the 125 club !

Pictured: new 125 Club members *Fred Gohmann & Linda Woods-Jones*, District Governor *Maryjane Shackelford* and President *Dan Simco*. Not pictured: **Kelli Johnson**.



Sondra M. Hash  
Club Public Image Chair



Fredrick Gohmann  
Club TRF Chair



Thomas Downard  
Asst Governor



## NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS ARE NOW DIGITAL!

Tuesday, October 19, 2021



**Have a prospective Rotary Member?** If they have attended three meetings as your guest and are interested in joining us:

1. Let Steve know; a digital "Application for Membership" will be sent to the prospective member.
2. Application will be presented to the Board of Directors for consideration.
3. If approved by the Board, name(s) of applicant(s) will be posted in The Hub for two weeks.
4. Barring any objections, the applicant will be invited to join and an initiation date will be set.

Steve has also developed a basic "information sheet" for prospective members that can be sent via email upon request. It will also be available on our website, [portsmouthrotary.com](http://portsmouthrotary.com).

## Support Rotary Peace Efforts - Buy a Candle!

Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders, and problem solvers who see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change—across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Together, Friendly Candle and Rotary District 6690 have created the Peace candle. Proceeds from this candle help fund Rotary Peace projects in central and southeastern Ohio, USA. To learn more, visit [Rotary.org](http://Rotary.org) and [Rotary6690.org](http://Rotary6690.org). Peace begins with me!



We ARE a Rotary Peacebuilder Club!

To purchase, visit [Friendly Candle Company](#)

## The Fuel That Drives Our Mission



Greetings my fellow Change Makers and welcome to the month of November!

November is the time for family gatherings and giving thanks for our many blessings. It is the month that we recognize all of our service men and women for their contributions and sacrifices to our country. And it is the month that Rotary International has named Rotary Foundation Month.

Our Rotary Foundation is the life blood, the fuel that drives our mission to do good in the world. It is your contributions that provide funding for projects both locally and worldwide. Your contributions to The Rotary Foundation help to promote peace in our world. Your

support helps improve health, alleviates poverty, provides education and improves our environment. The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that Change Lives both close to home and around the world.

And I know that all of us give and contribute to this wonderful and life changing organization we call Rotary in ways that most fit our economic situation. But this November, I challenge all District 6690 Rotarians to consider making a contribution to OUR Rotary Foundation. If you started today by just putting \$1 into a jar and deposited into that jar \$1 for every day from now until March 5th, you will have collected \$125. And if every Rotarian took this challenge on, we would be able to contribute roughly \$324,000 to the Annual Fund and \$81,000 towards our efforts to eradicate polio from the face of this earth!

**What a magnificent impact we could have! So, are you up for the challenge?**

In the season of Thanksgiving, I want to Thank You for being a Rotarian. Thank you for wanting to make our world a better place. And thank you for Serving To Change Lives!





**Rotary**  
District 6690



**Rotary Opens  
Opportunities**

*Please join us as we celebrate the*  
**Rotary District 6690  
2020-2021 Awards**

*Awards to be given: Club Rotary Citation  
Awards, Club and Individual Membership  
Awards, Club and Individual The Rotary  
Foundation Awards, Other Club and  
Individual Above and Beyond Awards*

*Sunday, November 7, 2021*

*4:30 pm-6:30 pm*

**[REGISTER HERE](#)**

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Grandview Yard  
800 Goodale Blvd  
Columbus, OH 43212  
\$25.00 per person