

# Rotary

## Club of Westerville Sunrise



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### Club Meeting

Westerville  
Sunrise  
Meets at The Old  
Bag of Nails Pub  
24 N State St Fl  
3  
Westerville, OH  
43081-2119  
Time:  
Wednesday at  
07:15 AM

### Speakers

**February 14, 2024**

Katie Kettlehake  
Freedom Ala Carte

**February 21, 2024**

Tory Ivan  
Mental Health  
First Aid-Mental  
Health of  
America

**February 28, 2024**

Michelle M. Brown  
Children's  
Hunger Alliance

**March 06, 2024**

Paul Kulik  
Peace Builders

### Birthdays

Craig H.  
Watterson  
February 19th  
Eugene L.  
Hollins  
February 21st

Gregory Ruban  
February 24th  
Robert P. Freed  
February 25th  
Mark Morgan  
February 26th

Craig D.  
McGuire  
March 3rd

Paul E. Kulik  
March 5th

Ruth I.  
Stenberg  
March 7th

Michael Ley  
Collins  
March 10th

Thomas F.  
Schmitt  
March 12th

### Years of Service

Glenn R. Epting  
02-01-1995  
29 Years

Jeffrey A.  
Daniels  
02-26-2003

## Happening This Week

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**February 14, 2024**

*Program:* Freedom Ala Carte  
*Speaker:* Katie Kettlehake

*Greeter:* Chris Herbert  
*Invocation/Pledge:* John Comerford

*Rainbow Reflection:* "Share in Other Passions"

## Save the Date! Upcoming Social and Service Events

By Julie Ann Colley



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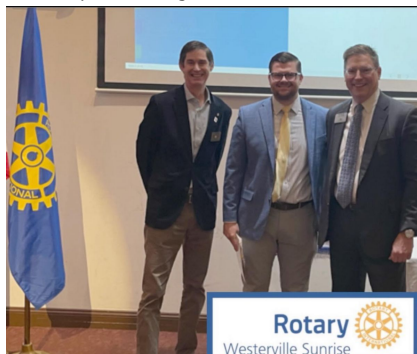
Feb 15: Board meeting  
Feb 26: STAR House Monthly dinner  
Feb 24: District Assembly  
Mar 16: WARM Sorting  
April 13: 30th Anniversary Celebration  
Apr 19-21: Rotary District Conference

## New Members

By Michael Herron

Congratulations to our new recently inducted member, Joshua Plieninger.

Please do your best to get to know him!



## WARM Food Pantry Volunteers - Save the Dates!

By Mary T. Chandler

21 Years  
Paul E. Kulik  
02-18-2009  
15 Years  
Robert K  
Gibson  
02-01-2012  
12 Years  
Julie Ann Colley  
02-29-2012  
12 Years  
Ron Pusateri  
02-27-2013  
11 Years  
John R. Kellogg  
02-26-2014  
10 Years  
John Logue  
03-01-2017  
7 Years  
Mark A. Massen  
03-01-2017  
7 Years  
Helka Christine  
Casey  
03-01-2017  
7 Years  
David A Lilley  
03-01-2017  
7 Years  
Kenneth L.  
Wright  
02-28-2018  
6 Years  
James T.  
Caldwell  
02-28-2018  
6 Years  
Charles Edward  
Durant Jr.  
02-27-2019  
5 Years  
Theresa  
Petraszak  
02-27-2019  
5 Years  
Jason Seeley  
02-27-2021  
3 Years  
Josh Plieninger  
02-07-2024  
0 Years



Rotary volunteers strengthen our community in many ways. One Saturday per quarter we sort and box food at the WARM warehouse at 150 Heatherdown Drive from 10 am to noon. Our scheduled Saturdays in 2024 will be:

- March 16
- June 8
- September 7
- November 9

Please sign up using the Sign Up Genius link

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B44ADA729A0F85-47059066-warm>

We invite you to join in on the fellowship and fun. Feel free to invite your family, friends, and prospective Rotarians to join us too. A sign-up website will be available in the coming weeks. For more information, please contact Mary Chandler at (614) 523-0437.

## Star House Monthly Dinner

By Chris Herbert

February's family dinner for Star House youth will be held on Monday, February 26th in partnership with our friends in the noon club.

We're looking for 4 volunteers to serve meals on site but need many more to prepare the food. Our meal will feature meatloaf and mashed potatoes this month!

Please sign up [here](#) to cook or serve family dinner at Star House on February 26th.

Thank you!!



## ShelterBox HERO Club

By Michael Herron on Sunday, February 11, 2024

**Westerville Sunrise Rotary is a ShelterBox HERO Club!**

**A ShelterBox HERO Club is a Rotary Club that has committed to making an impact in worldwide disaster response by giving \$1,000, \$3,000, or \$5,000 within the Rotary year.**

HERO Clubs enable ShelterBox to have the resources and time to be ready when disaster strikes by allowing ShelterBox to purchase and pre-position aid in or near countries where they respond often, resulting in a more efficient and timely response.

The need is real: Right now, more than **100 million people** around the world have lost their homes to disaster and conflict. Shelter Box, in partnership with Rotary, is working to change this. By providing emergency shelter, tools, and household supplies to displaced families after a disaster, the Shelter Box enables families to begin to rebuild and recover, transforming despair into hope.



## Frontline Medical Ukraine update

By Eugene L. Hollins

Ret. Gen. Mark Arnold again thanks all the supporters of his Ukrainian medic training mission and has provided a recent update on the roll out of the training Super Sets to numerous dispersed training sites. Mark will head back to Ukraine in the coming months to oversee the roll out. Relatedly, Sunrise Rotary and UCAO are working on a partnership with DHL to ship other medical equipment to Ukraine.



## Westerville Sunrise Rotary Club

PO Box 1200  
Westerville, OH 43086

### Meeting Location

Every Wednesday @ 7:00 am

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

Westerville Sunrise Hotline  
614-523-7777



## 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 attend in person. Email Bob Stewart at: [bob@smartbusinesssystems.com](mailto:bob@smartbusinesssystems.com) or Jim Caldwell at [JTCFMS@aol.com](mailto:JTCFMS@aol.com)

## Upcoming Learning Events

### For all club Presidents-elect, AGs and District Leaders

[District 6690 Pre-PETS](#) | March 15 | Columbus State | [REGISTER NOW](#)

[All Ohio PETS](#) | March 15-16 | Downtown Columbus | [REGISTER NOW](#)

## FOR ALL MEMBERS OF DISTRICT

[Winter Assembly](#) | February 24 | Newark | [REGISTER NOW](#)

[District Assembly & Conference](#) | April 19-21 | Deer Creek | [REGISTER NOW](#)

## Club Leaders



[Michael Herron](#)  
Club Grant Coordinator  
President



[Theresa Petraszak](#)  
Secretary



[Anthony Mujic](#)  
Club Director



[Helka Christine Casey](#)  
Club Public Image Chair  
Sergeant-at-Arms



[Michael Ley Collins](#)  
Youth Exchange Officer



[Tiffany McGinnis](#)  
President-Elect



[John R. Kellogg](#)  
iPast President



[Lawrence Rick Sellers](#)  
Club Director



[Heather Linch](#)  
Club TRF Chair



[Thomas Strasburg](#)  
Club 501c3 Chair/President



[James T. Caldwell](#)  
Vice President



[Amanda Klein](#)  
Club Director



[Bob Stewart](#)  
Club Director  
Club Programs Chair



[Rick Rano](#)  
Club TRF Chair



[Patrick Knott](#)  
Treasurer



[Jamie Maze](#)  
Club Director  
Club TRF Chair



[Anne M. VanBuskirk](#)  
Bulletin Editor  
Club Director



[Paul E. Kulik](#)  
Club Peace Committee Chair