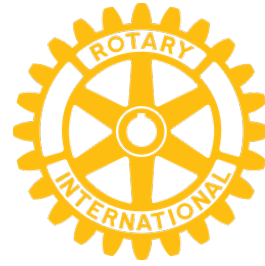


Rotary

Club of Westerville Sunrise



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

May 21, 2025

Dan Willis
Columbus
Stand Down

May 28, 2025

Stuart
Muszynski
Values in Action
Foundation -
Kindland

**June 04,
2025**

Ryan Washburn
Washburn
Warrior
Scholarship -
MaD recipient

**June 11,
2025**

Ashley Kanney
Feed the Kids
Columbus -
MaD recipient

**June 18,
2025**

NO MEETING

Birthdays

Donna H.
Rudderow
May 19th
Amy Bauman

Happening This Week

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May 21, 2025

Program: Columbus Stand Down

Speaker: Dan Willis

Special Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin Presentation: Cindy Kanwar

Greeter: Frank Hill

Invocation/Pledge: Don Denton

Call to Action: Call your personal Hero

Save the Date! Upcoming Social and Service Events



May 19: Star House dinner

May 23-26: Field of Heroes

June 5: Clippers baseball game with the Noon club

Deadline: May 20th

QR Code to order your tickets now!



June 18: Installation Banquet

June 23-27: RI Convention, Calgary

Membership Initiative: Satellite Club

By Tiffany McGinnis

Growing membership
is Rotary's top
internal priority. Paul
Harris, the founder of
Rotary International,
famously stated,
"This is a changing
world; we must be

May 23rd
Theresa
Petraszak
May 23rd
Beth Wilcox
May 24th
Char Stille
May 24th
Axl Pons
June 2nd
Robert P.
Horbatt
June 7th
James G.
Flaherty
June 9th
John R. Kellogg
June 10th
Robyne A.
Vasselo
June 15th

Years of Service

John P. Stefano
05-21-1997
28 Years
David A.
Collinsworth
05-07-2008
17 Years
Thomas N.
Applegate
05-28-2008
17 Years
Kathy Cook
05-27-2009
16 Years
Ruth I.
Stenberg
05-19-2010
15 Years
Michael Herron
05-22-2013
12 Years
Linda Lou
Bokros
05-21-2014
11 Years
Albert Bruchac
05-06-2015
10 Years
Chris Herbert
05-25-2016
9 Years
Stuart Allyn
Whittaker

prepared to change with it." Your Club leaders have explored potential membership strategies.

Our recommendation: start a Satellite club as an alternative meeting experience for members who cannot regularly attend weekly meetings. Overview:

- Past Rotary Club Presidents Sue Castro and Heather Linch have volunteered to lead a Satellite club, and Stacey Rusterholz has agreed to be co-chair.
- Two monthly meetings:
 - 2nd Wednesday: Dinner at a local Westerville restaurant
 - Volunteer / Service Event
- Annual dues: consistent amount and timing to collect payment with Sponsor club dues
- Satellite Club Secretary/Treasurer will update DACdb with new member information and maintain bank account for Satellite club

IF approved, the Satellite club will begin on July 1.

Voting:

- We will vote in person, using paper ballots, at the June 4th meeting
- Anyone who can't attend the June 4th meeting can submit their vote to the Club Secretary in advance - angelasilus.rotary@gmail.com
- Votes will remain anonymous, with the exception of the Club Secretary and one Club Board member tracking the votes. We need to be able to track who is voting so that people don't accidentally vote twice since we are giving members an option of voting in advance
- Votes after 8:30 a.m. on June 4th will not be counted
- After the June 4th meeting, the Club Secretary will tally the results. If we reach a quorum, then we will tabulate the yes / no votes. If two-thirds of the voting members vote yes, the Satellite club will be adopted.

Below is a calendar of events to get the Satellite Club started - future events will be organized by Satellite club members:

- Monthly Dinner: July 9, August 13, September 10
- Volunteer / Service Event
 - *July 12:* Music & Arts Festival, assist with beverage sales (check IDs, collect payment & serve alcohol) between Noon-7:00pm
 - *August:* Make blankets to support My Very Own Blanket at Toukan & Company
 - *September/October:* Help FACT / Friends of Alum Creek & Tributaries with their service project



Field of Heroes Volunteer Opportunities

05-24-2017

8 Years

Gary Yoko

05-05-2021

4 Years

Angela Sillus

05-10-2023

2 Years

Chuck Sprunger

05-29-2024

1 Year

Brian J.

Wollenberg

05-29-2024

1 Year



May 23-26, 2025, our club will host the 17th annual Field of Heroes, which allows Central Ohioans to remember and honor their personal heroes. This year, we will celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the End of the Vietnam War. Website: [Home page - Field of Heroes](#)

Volunteer opportunities

Memorial Day Weekend

- Wall shifts, May 23-26: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B44ACA623AAF58-55741842-vietnam#/
- Regular field shifts, May 23 - 26: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B44ACA623AAF58-55599595-field#/
- 5k shifts. May 25: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B44ACA623AAF58-55599608-5krunwalk#/

Volunteer Orientation

- Date: Monday, May 19th
- Start time: 6:30pm
- Location: Everal Barn
- Tee-shirts will be there, along with an orientation document and copies of this year's program, and Miss Amanda will do her pep talk/instructions.

WARM Food Pantry Volunteers - Save the 2025 Dates!

By Mary T. Chandler



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 remaining dates for 2025 are:

- August 9
- November 8

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.

Please sign up using

this link: [WARM 2025](#)

For more information, please contact Mary Chandler at (614) 523-0437.

Help Homeless Youth at Monthly Star House Family Dinner

By Chris Herbert

Do you like to cook? You can make a difference for homeless youth at Star House by helping prepare or serving a family meal hosted monthly by Westerville Sunrise Rotary, in partnership with our friends in the noon club.

If you are able to provide items for our next dinner and/or help serve the meal, please use the sign-up link below:

[MAY 19](#)

Please note, in order to serve meals at Star House, you must register, complete a trauma training and have a background check. More information on this, as well as the full schedule, can be found by clicking "read more".

[Read More](#)

Thank you for Speaker suggestions

By Theresa Petraszak

Thank You for Your Speaker Suggestions!

A big thank you to everyone who contributed speaker ideas for this Rotary year—your input helped us fill every program spot for 2024/2025! As we look ahead to the next Rotary year beginning July 1, 2025, we're already starting to plan. If you have speaker suggestions, please share them with AJ Fox jfox@me.com and Jackie Washburn jackiegardner1@hotmail.com. We appreciate your continued support in making our programs engaging and impactful!



Help Wanted



Contact Tiffany McGinnis (tiffany.t.mcgininis@gmail.com) for more information:

- Technology Team – Help needed to research new equipment for our weekly meetings @ OBON
- Sponsorship Chair
- Photographers – Extra help requested! Mayor Ken Wright and Helka Casey can't be everywhere, so please send Helka pictures for social media posts.
- Additional Newsletter Editor- join Anne VanBuskirk and Angela Sillus to publish our weekly newsletter

NEW! Community Service Opportunities



We are starting a new section of the Newsletter for Community Service Opportunities. If your non-Rotary organization has a service opportunity, please provide the relevant details to Anne Van Buskirk or Angela Sillus for inclusion in the newsletter. We need the copy by Friday 5pm.

Thank you upcoming Greeters & Invocators



Date	Greeter	Invocation
21-May	Hill, Frank E Jr	Denton, Don
28-May	Hoben, Jimmy	Hogle, Jim
04-June	Horbatt, Bob	Hollins, Leigh
11-June	Jenkins, Larry	Hunt, Rob
25-June	Jay, Ben	Hollins, Gene

**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



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[James T. Caldwell](#)
President-Elect



[Theresa Petraszak](#)
President-Nominee
Vice President



[Patrick Knott](#)
Treasurer



[Angela Sillus](#)
Secretary



[Michael Herron](#)
Club Grant
Coordinator
iPast President



[David A. Collinsworth](#)
Club Director



[Amanda Klein](#)
Club Director



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Club Director



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Committee Chair



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Officer