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What's a soldier's least favorite month? March.

How about a military-themed dad joke in honor of Veterans Day?!? Our club is steeped in military tradition thanks to the veterans who have continued their service to our great country through Rotary. To all current Noon Rotary members who have served in the military, we salute you. Thank you for your service!

THIS WEEK - November 13, 2025

Program: This week, we are pleased to welcome Sylvie Caporale, owner of American Flags and Poles, who will lead our Veterans Day program. Sylvie is well known for her commitment to helping organizations and communities display the American flag with pride and respect. Her work reflects a deep appreciation for the meaning behind the flag and for the veterans whose service gives it significance. We look forward to her perspective as we honor those who have served.

Attendance: Andrew Parson

Ticket Sales: Shawn Taylor

Greeter: Aleece Dye

Invoker: Ashleigh Pennock

Can Collector: Matt Evans

SGT @ Arms: Randall Jedlink

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

- **Meals for Vets: A sign-up sheet will be available on Thursday.** Volunteer times are **Tuesday, 11/25, from 2–6 PM, and Wednesday, 11/26, with packaging from 8–10 AM and delivery from 12–2 PM.** Thank you in advance for supporting this meaningful service project!

Speakers

November 13, 2025

[Sylvie Caporale](#)
Veteran's Day Program

November 20, 2025

[Teresa Judson](#)
County Recorder

December 04, 2025

[Jessica Huffman](#)
Cancer Support

LAST WEEK - November 6, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Board Meeting Update:** The club's upcoming service efforts are taking shape. For November, we continue our support of Meals for Vets with a \$2,500 commitment. Looking ahead to December, service activities include Adopt a Tree, along with our Christmas Program paired with a treat-bag service project. We will also support the Christmas Day Feast with another \$2,500 contribution. Finally, plans for an international project are in progress as we explore meaningful opportunities for global impact.
- **Rotary Rush tickets are on sale now!** See Terry, Laura, or Jesse to grab yours today. Remember, this is one of our club's two major fundraisers of the year, and your participation makes all the difference. ***We're also still collecting bottles of fine spirits for the raffle. If you'd like to contribute to this crowd favorite, simply bring your bottle to Thursday's meeting.*** Let's make this year's Rotary Rush one to remember!
- The Brick Engraving Project is moving along, and bricks are selling quickly! **Don't miss your chance — [order yours here](#).**
- **NGSE hosts are still needed.** The Brazilians will be here in January, and we still need 2-3 host families. See David Vandenberg or Laura Miller for more details.

PRESENTATION: Last Thursday, our club enjoyed an engaging presentation from Andy Hall and Aaron Whited about MOV Film, the new Entertainment Commission working to grow the film and entertainment industry in Southeast Ohio. Their mission is to attract film productions to our region, creating jobs and supporting local businesses along the way.

Formed as a nonprofit in June 2025, MOV Film is guided by a dedicated Board and Advisory Board composed of professionals from across the Mid-Ohio Valley. They've already secured more than a dozen local sponsors and are actively seeking additional partners interested in offering their services to incoming film projects. Hotels, Airbnbs, restaurants, caterers, construction companies, stylists, drivers, event spaces, photographers, and prop fabricators are just a few examples of potential needs.

Andy highlighted several major films that have chosen Ohio as a filming destination, The Shawshank Redemption, The Avengers, Captain America, The Fate of the Furious, and the newest Superman, among others, illustrating the growing appeal of the region. He also outlined the advantages and challenges of filming in the MOV and shared the Commission's immediate needs, including AFCI dues and website hosting costs. Community members can support the effort by listing their services or becoming a sponsor at

New Member Inductions: Membership Chair Elizabeth Godfrey welcomed new Red Badge members Hayden and Gretchen Linner, sponsored by Charlotte Keim. Welcome, Hayden and Gretchen!

Split the Pot: Daily: \$48

Jackpot: \$357

Winner: *Matthew Livengood, daily only.*

Birthdays



[Charlotte Miller Keim](#)
November 14th



[Jennifer Tinkler](#)
November 17th



[Kelsy Eaton](#)
November 21st



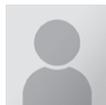
[Richard Murdock](#)
November 28th



[Tina M. Adams](#)
December 5th



[Peter Frederick Prigge](#)
December 6th



[Ashleigh Pennock](#)
December 6th

Years of Service



[Kevin Witucky](#)
24 Years



[Eric E. Erb](#)
24 Years



[Matthew Evans](#)
18 Years



[Duane Huck](#)
3 Years

SORTING OUT WHERE CONTRIBUTIONS GO

Where do your contributions go? There are three main organizations where we as Marietta Rotarians direct our Rotary Giving. Sometimes it can be confusing, so here is something to hopefully help keep things straight.

ORGANIZATION	DONATION DESIGNATIONS	ADDRESS	MEMBER CONTACT	EMAIL
Rotary Club of Marietta	Club Dues	PO Box 1138 Marietta, OH 45750	Terry Rataiczak	treasurer@mariettanoonrotary.org
Marietta Rotary Foundation	Unrestricted Fund, Safetytown, Scholarships	424 2nd Street Marietta, OH 45750	Colleen Cook Bob Kirkbride	cook@theisenbrock.com rekirkbride@yahoo.com
Rotary International Foundation	\$125 Club, Paul Harris, Annual Fund, PolioPlus	PO Box 1138 Marietta, OH 45750	Terry Rataiczak	treasurer@mariettanoonrotary.org



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