



The MarRotaGram

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Where do you learn to make a banana split? Sundae School.

With Thanksgiving just a week away, I know many of us already have food on our minds, especially dessert! Thanksgiving is my favorite holiday, so I'm looking forward to time with friends, family, and plenty of good food, even if it means missing a week of Rotary. Since there is no meeting next week, there will be no MarRotaGram either. I know it will be tough to go without your weekly dad joke, so I'll make sure the next one on December 2 delivers a proper belly laugh, unlike a Jedlink SGT at Arms presentation! ??

THIS WEEK - November 20, 2025

Program: This week, we will welcome Teresa Judson, Washington County Recorder, to share updates on the Recorder's office and the work that supports property owners throughout the county. She brings valuable experience from her prior roles in county government and is known for her strong commitment to public service and transparency. We look forward to hearing from her during Thursday's program.

Attendance: Sherry Wagner

Ticket Sales: David Bricker

Greeter: Tammy Bates

Invocator: Deana Clark

Can Collector: Troy Hawkins

SGT @ Arms: Davis Powers

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Speakers

November 20, 2025

[Teresa Judson](#)
County Recorder

December 04, 2025

[Jessica Huffman](#)
Cancer Support

December 11, 2025

[Christmas Program Service Project](#)

Heather Allender

December 18, 2025

[Dylan Sayre](#)
Muskingum Watershed
Conservancy District

- **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!

LAST WEEK - November 13, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Rotary Rush Wrap Up** - Thank you to everyone who supported, attended, or helped make Rotary Rush a success. Your participation strengthens our club's ability to serve the community throughout the year.
- **Get Your Bricks!** - Bricks are still available for purchase, and now is a great time to secure yours. Each brick helps support Rotary projects and creates a lasting marker of your commitment to service. [Order yours here.](#)
- **MOU for Rotary Park has been approved!** - We have finalized the Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Marietta to support ongoing collaboration and shared community goals, including continued progress at Rotary Park. Stay tuned for more details on upcoming workdays and volunteer opportunities as we continue moving forward with our vision for future park improvements.

PRESENTATION: Last Thursday, our club had the pleasure of hearing from Darren Shearlock, Executive Director of the Washington County Veterans Service Commission, as we honored Veterans Day. Darren compared the 4-Way Test to the moral compass used by service members in the military and to the principles that guide a strong community and a strong republic. He spoke about the idea of Pax Americana and how the strength of our nation, backed by the willingness to serve, helps create opportunities for peace. Darren also highlighted the many services provided to veterans who return home and need support as they transition back into civilian life. His passion comes through clearly, shaped by his twenty-year career in the service. Thank you, Darren, for sharing with our club, and thank you to all of the veterans in our membership. We respect and appreciate you.

Video: Club member and veteran Ethan Lamb created a wonderful video showcasing Rotary Rush. President Jesse played it during the meeting, and it is available on our Facebook page for anyone who would like to watch it.

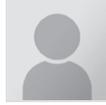
Interact Club: Malory Westfall and Kate Patterson, two Interact students from Marietta High School, joined us in recognition of National Interact Week. They shared three of the service projects they completed last year, including Halloween at Ewing School and a Purina dog food drive to support local shelters.

Split the Pot: Daily: \$45

Jackpot: \$402

Winner: Sir Randall Jedlink, daily only, which should be returned as restitution for telling more bad riddles in 10 minutes than is legally acceptable...

Birthdays



[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



[Matthew Evans](#)
18 Years



[Adam Schwendeman](#)
5 Years

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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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