Don't forget Our own John Moriarty will report on his adventure in India while Running with Rotarians. The main objective was to raise funds to fight Human Trafficking throughout the world.

Meeting Assignments

Please plan on being at the meeting by no later than 11:30AM if you see your name published here. If you cannot make it, please either call Jim Harrison or get a replacement that you know can be there. Note that changes you make may not be reflected in the following schedule.

THIS WEEK:

**March 14th, 2019**
Cashier – Amy Jordan
Greeter – Mike Jones
Invocator – Katrina Plourde
Sgt.-at-Arms – Steve Malik
Raffle – Carol Groseclose

*John Moriarty is going to talk about his trip across India with Rotary Club at Villa Milano*

**March 21st, 2019**
Cashier – Mike Jones
Greeter – Lisa Janszen with new member
Invocator – Bill Tompos
Sgt.-at-Arms – Steve Malik
Raffle – Kirk Lawson

*OSU Basketball Star, Otis Winston at Villa Milano*

**March 28th, 2019**
Cashier – Lisa Janszen
Greeter – Patricia Hughes w/new member
Invocator – John Moriarty
Sgt.-at-Arms – Steve Malik
Raffle – John Swartz

*Jim Canterucci on “Uncommon Leadership Skills” At The Medallion Club*

**April 4th, 2019**
Cashier – Patricia Hughes
Greeter – Roger Hubbell
Invocator – TBD
Sgt.-at-Arms – Steve Malik/Bill Dolbier
Raffle – Carol Groseclose

*Westerville Education Foundation with Colleen Moidu At Villa Milano*
YOUR OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE ROTARY YEAR 2018-2019

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Craig Maxie, District 6690 Governor
George Small, Jr., Assistant Governor

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Board Members:

Rotary year is July 1st to June 30th each year

2016-2019
2017-2020
2018-2021
2019-2022

Michael Valley
Christina Romanelli*
Marcus Arnold
Christy Clark

Craig Buehler
Ellen Cathers
Joe Meyer
Katrina Plourde

Glen Arbogast
Rodney Peters
Dave Read
Jim Williams

Wendell McCurdy
Craig Buehler
Ellen Cathers
Joe Meyer
Katrina Plourde

Bill Dolbier
Tom Staebler, John Swartz, John Powell, Roger Hubbell, iPP

*Appointed to fill a vacancy.

Rotary Club board meetings are held when announced in this Rotogram. If you wish to attend please notify the secretary.

Westerville Rotary Foundation 2018-19

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Vice President: Tom Staebler
Secretary: Bill Dolbier
Treasurer: David Coffman

Westerville Rotary Foundation board meetings are held when announced. To attend, please contact Foundation president Kirk Lawson.

Harris-Askins House 2018

President: Bill Tompos
Vice President: Tom Staebler
Secretary: Joe Barone
Treasurer: George Gummer

Harris-Askins House Board meetings are held when announced. To attend, please contact HAH president Bill Tompos.

IMPORTANT “Save the dates” TO REMEMBER

Up next:
April 26th First Fourth Friday in Uptown Westerville for our Rotary Grill
May 2nd. District Governor Craig Maxie’s official visit to our club!

Changes to our meeting schedule that you want to pay attention to!
Did you know that you can access our interactive club calendar by going to this link?

Click here to view our interactive club calendar

Click here to view the District interactive club events calendar

CLUB MAKE UPS AND OTHER INFORMATION

The following make ups were turned in this week to the Secretary: All I Can volunteers, Steve Middleton
Rotary Club of Westerville P.O. Box 595
Westerville, Ohio 43086-0595 Or FAX it to: 614-895-1700 or email to: wencaptain@msn.com

Attend a committee meeting or event with 3 or more Rotarians and the Chairperson can submit a “banked make-up” for you. These make-ups do not appear in the Rotogram. This will also count toward your “be involved” honor system program that President Dave has in place.

Click on this link to see the club’s Interactive Event Calendar
**March Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to all our March born Rotarians!

- Katrina Plourde, March 4th
- John Oleyar, March 10th
- Brent Rosenthal, March 15th
- Steve Middleton, March 19th
- Doug Rankin, March 23rd
- Jay Denton, March 27th
- Christy Clark, March 30th

If your birthday is in the month listed above please let us know. Our records come from our own District DACdb Database

Information below is from your data on our own DACdb at www.rotary6690.org

**How long have you been a Rotarian?**

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Notes from the editor,

Please join us this week for another great meeting at Villa Milano!

At our last meeting:

District Governor, Craig Maxie, had a short meeting with the board to discuss several items about the district, including the upcoming District combined Conference. More on this in this edition.
General Picies stopped by to give specific instructions on our Fish Fry that was held last weekend at the Otterbein Campus Center. The general spared no words about getting tickets sold and “TURNED IN ON TIME!” He also addressed the bad language that has settled into our English language with this profound statement, “DAMN IT!!” The general wrapped up his speech with his final instructions to get out and sell tickets and show up for the event to work!

If you think for a moment that the general is not serious, just test him sometime if you dare! You will have to wait another year for our 2020, 52nd Annual event as he only has time to get to our club once a year.

Thanks for being here general, your inspiring words mean a lot and go a long way for our event.
Dave Coffman drew the lucky card but it was only worth $10.00. The pot continues to grow as the cards all got put back in the folder in the wrong place. So, we had to start out with a new deck, so watch the pot grow to new heights in the near future!
Blanket making was in full swing at our last meeting. As you can see, even our Sgt.-At-Arm’s is busy with Eric Gibson. Joe Fleck is helping Tom Shaver with their special sewing skills.
Jay Denton and his wife, Judy, and Christy Clark with Melissa Latvala working on special blankets for the “My Very Own Blanket” program. It was another fun day at Rotary, working side-by-side helping each other while helping a great community program at the same time.
You are invited!

The Westerville Sunrise Rotary is celebrating its 25th anniversary with a party at the Little Turtle Golf Club in Westerville on April 26th from 6 pm to 9 pm. We'll be sending out invitations with more information next month, but wanted to give your club members a heads up so that anyone who would like to join us can mark their calendar. Would you be so kind as to forward this save-the-date announcement to your members and make an announcement at the next few meetings? We thank you so much for your help in circulating the news, and we look forward to seeing you there!
Save the date now!

2019 DISTRICT CONFERENCE
April 12-13, 2019
Hilton Polaris
Columbus

Friday and Saturday, April 12th and 13th

We will have NO meeting on Thursday, April 11th as we are all invited to attend the Friday All Club Lunch
starts at 11:30am, pay at the door or make your reservation at by clicking here
Empowering women through Rotary

The Seven Women Center in Kathmandu, Nepal, provides a respite from the discrimination and violence many Nepali women face in their personal lives. Stephanie Woollard, a former tour guide with a passion for social justice and a knack for connecting with people, started the center after several encounters in Kathmandu revealed the plight of women there. Now a member of the Rotary Club of Melbourne, Australia, Woollard's drive for justice led her to the Rotary Peace Centers at Uppsala University in Sweden in 2013.

READ MORE

This week's stories

4 dynamite ways to find new members
The Rotary Club of Wenatchee Confluence, Wenatchee, Washington, USA, had 43 members at the start of the Rotary year in July. But that number increased to 61 in January thanks to a systematic and continuous pursuit of new members. Rob Tidd, membership chair for District 5060, shares how other clubs can duplicate their success.

What do beer, brats, and Rotary have in common?

More than four decades ago, The Rotary Club of Madison South, Wisconsin, USA, was facing disappointing returns on its staple fundraising events, a turkey shoot and light bulb sale, when inspiration hit. Members put their heads together and decided to pursue a parcel of land across from the football stadium to sell beer and brats. The Brat Stand now helps the club engage and attract members, and provides funds for 45 community grants a year.

Council on Legislation to review policy changes

Rotary members from all over the world will gather in Chicago on 14-18 April to consider changes to the Constitutional documents that guide Rotary International and its member clubs.

Rotary Foundation Trustee Örşçelik Balkan dies

Rotary Foundation Trustee Örşçelik Balkan, a member of the Rotary Club of Istanbul-Karaköy, Turkey, died unexpectedly on 6 March.
Visit us on Facebook too! https://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubOfWesterville

Visit our home website today www.westervillerotary.com

Article and photo deadline for submission is Friday by 5:00PM

Links imbedded in this newsletter will only work if you are connected to the internet!

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